

HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 3224

By JOINT COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

May 18

1 In line 2 of the printed bill, delete “prescribing an effective date” and insert “declaring an
2 emergency”.

3 Delete lines 4 through 15 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 1. (1) Cherriots, the Salem Area Mass Transit District, shall collaborate with
5 the Department of Transportation, the Department of Environmental Quality, community
6 members in the City of Salem and economists and business leaders in the City of Salem to
7 study the feasibility of developing a rail streetcar system in the City of Salem.**

8 **“(2) Cherriots shall submit a report in the manner provided by ORS 192.245, and may in-
9 clude recommendations for legislation, to the interim committees of the Legislative Assem-
10 bly related to transportation no later than January 1, 2025.**

11 **“SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2023 Act is repealed on January 2, 2026.**

12 **“SECTION 3. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appro-
13 priated to the Oregon Department of Administrative Services, for the biennium beginning
14 July 1, 2023, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$250,000, which may be distributed to
15 Cherriots for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of section 1 of this 2023 Act.**

16 **“SECTION 4. This 2023 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public
17 peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2023 Act takes effect
18 on its passage.”.**

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