

# A-Engrossed House Bill 5018

Ordered by the House June 12  
Including House Amendments dated June 12

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## SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure.

Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Department of Environmental Quality for certain biennial expenses.

Limits biennial expenditures from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts, specified bond proceeds and specified federal funds, but excluding lottery funds and other federal funds, collected or received by department.

Limits biennial expenditures from lottery moneys allocated from Parks and Natural Resources Fund to department.

Authorizes specified nonlimited expenditures.

Limits certain biennial expenditures by department from federal funds.

Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2023.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to the financial administration of the Department of Environmental Quality; and declaring an emergency.

**Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

**SECTION 1. There are appropriated to the Department of Environmental Quality, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, out of the General Fund, the following amounts, for the following purposes:**

- (1) Air quality..... \$ 23,729,099
- (2) Water quality..... \$ 41,029,519
- (3) Land quality..... \$ 2,645,890
- (4) Agency management..... \$ 1,754,702
- (5) Debt service..... \$ 8,529,380

**SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the following amounts are established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, as the maximum limits for payment of expenses from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts, the proceeds of bonds for the Orphan Site Account and federal funds from congestion mitigation and air quality grants, drinking water protection, laboratory accreditation and woodstove grants and for smoke monitoring laboratory services, but excluding lottery funds and federal funds not described in this section, collected or received by the Department of Environmental Quality, for the following purposes:**

- (1) Air quality..... \$113,325,766
- (2) Water quality..... \$ 32,957,021
- (3) Land quality..... \$ 99,073,155

**Note: For budget, see 2023-2025 Biennial Budget**

NOTE: Matter in boldfaced type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in boldfaced type.

1 (4) Agency management..... \$ 43,964,101

2 **SECTION 3.** Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of  
3 \$6,453,619 is established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, as the maximum limit for  
4 payment of expenses from lottery moneys allocated from the Parks and Natural Resources  
5 Fund to the Department of Environmental Quality for activities and projects to implement  
6 Article XV, section 4 (8), of the Oregon Constitution.

7 **SECTION 4.** For the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, the following expenditures by the  
8 Department of Environmental Quality are not limited:

9 (1) Expenditures for debt service and debt service administrative costs related to the  
10 Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund and the Pollution Control Fund; and

11 (2) Expenditures made for loans from the Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund and  
12 loans from the Pollution Control Fund.

13 **SECTION 5.** Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the following amounts  
14 are established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, as the maximum limits for payment  
15 of expenses from federal funds other than those described in section 2 of this 2023 Act, col-  
16 lected or received by the Department of Environmental Quality, for the following purposes:

17 (1) Air quality..... \$ 13,517,595

18 (2) Water quality..... \$ 18,729,195

19 (3) Land quality..... \$ 8,857,121

20 **SECTION 6.** Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of  
21 \$10,805,524 is established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, as the maximum limit for  
22 payment of expenses by the Department of Environmental Quality from American Rescue  
23 Plan Act Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund moneys received by the Oregon Depart-  
24 ment of Administrative Services and transferred to the Department of Environmental Qual-  
25 ity, for the Onsite Septic Financial Aid Program.

26 **SECTION 7.** This 2023 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public  
27 peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2023 Act takes effect  
28 July 1, 2023.

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