

HB 2066-A7  
(LC 1513)  
6/16/25 (CPA/ps)

Requested by JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
A-ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL 2066**

1 On page 1 of the printed A-engrossed bill, delete lines 18 and 19 and in-  
2 sert:

3 “(f) ‘Microgrid operator’ means an entity that is identified as having re-  
4 sponsibility for overseeing the coordination of a microgrid’s interconnected  
5 loads and distributed energy resources and representing the interests of the  
6 microgrid participants in interactions with an electric company.”.

7 On page 2, line 29, after “(j)” insert “Subject to ORS 757.300, the Public  
8 Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978, 16 U.S.C. 2601 to 2645, and an elec-  
9 tric company’s technical feasibility and system reliability requirements,” and  
10 before “operator” insert “microgrid”.

11 In line 36, before “operators” insert “microgrid”.

12 On page 3, delete lines 2 and 3 and insert:

13 “(o) Include a process for investigating standards and procedures that  
14 would enable a microgrid operator to operate one or more community  
15 microgrids independently from the electric grid system during an  
16 emergency.”.

17 After line 5, insert:

18 “(q) Prohibit a microgrid operator from assuming an electric company’s  
19 role in controlling the electric company’s own distribution infrastructure.”.

20 In line 23, delete “to”.

21 On page 4, after line 2, insert:

1       **“SECTION 8. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures,**  
2       **the limitation on expenditures established by section 1 (1), chapter \_\_,**  
3       **Oregon Laws 2025 (Enrolled House Bill 5034), for the biennium begin-**  
4       **ning July 1, 2025, for Utility program, as the maximum limit for pay-**  
5       **ment of expenses from fees, moneys or other revenues, including**  
6       **Miscellaneous Receipts, but excluding lottery funds and federal funds,**  
7       **collected or received by the Public Utility Commission, is increased**  
8       **by \$410,136 to carry out section 2 of this 2025 Act.”.**

9       In line 3, delete “8” and insert “9”.

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