

HOUSE BILL NO. 4

INTRODUCED BY L. JONES

BY REQUEST OF THE OFFICE OF BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT APPROPRIATING MONEY THAT WOULD USUALLY BE APPROPRIATED BY BUDGET AMENDMENT TO VARIOUS STATE AGENCIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2025; PROVIDING THAT CERTAIN APPROPRIATIONS CONTINUE INTO STATE AND FEDERAL FISCAL YEARS 2026 AND 2027; PROVIDING FOR TRANSFERS OF FUNDS; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

NEW SECTION. Section 1. Time limits. The appropriations contained in [section 2] are intended to provide necessary expenditures for the years for which the appropriations are made. The unspent balance of an appropriation reverts to the fund from which it was appropriated on conclusion of the final fiscal year for which its expenditures are authorized by [section 2] and this section.

NEW SECTION. Section 2. Appropriations. The following money is appropriated, subject to the terms and conditions of [section 1] and this section:

Agency and Program

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Supreme Court Operations

MONTANA COMMUNITY JUSTICE WORKERS FISCAL YEAR 2025 \$290,750 FEDERAL

All remaining fiscal year 2025 federal budget amendment authority for the following is authorized to continue into federal fiscal year 2027:

- Fiscal year 2023 adult treatment court

- Fiscal year 2024 adult treatment court

- MONTANA COMMUNITY JUSTICE WORKERS

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Early Childhood and Family Support Division

SEXUAL RISK AVOIDANCE EDUCATION FISCAL YEAR 2025 \$46,229 FEDERAL

MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH FEDERAL CONSOLIDATED PROGRAMS FISCAL YEAR 2025

\$711,960 FEDERAL

WOMEN, INFANT AND CHILDREN MODERNIZATION FISCAL YEAR 2025 \$823,431 FEDERAL

ALL REMAINING FISCAL YEAR 2025 BUDGET AMENDMENT AUTHORITY FOR THE FOLLOWING IS AUTHORIZED TO

CONTINUE INTO STATE FISCAL YEAR 2026:

- PRESCHOOL DEVELOPMENT GRANTS BIRTH THROUGH FIVE

All remaining fiscal year 2025 budget amendment authority for the following is authorized to continue
into federal fiscal year 2026:

- Maternal, infant, and early childhood home visiting grant program

- CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAM TRAINING AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

- SEXUAL RISK AVOIDANCE EDUCATION

- MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH FEDERAL CONSOLIDATED PROGRAMS

ALL REMAINING FISCAL YEAR 2025 BUDGET AMENDMENT AUTHORITY FOR THE FOLLOWING IS AUTHORIZED TO

CONTINUE INTO FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR 2027:

- TECHNOLOGY IMPLEMENTATION GRANT

- WOMEN, INFANT AND CHILDREN MODERNIZATION

NEW SECTION. SECTION 3. TRANSFER OF FUNDS. (1) BY [10 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS
ACT], THE STATE TREASURER SHALL MAKE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFERS FROM THE INTEREST EARNINGS ON FUNDS FROM
THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021, PUBLIC LAW 117-2, AS PROVIDED IN 31 CFR, PART 35:

(A) \$1,749,052 TO THE NATURAL RESOURCES PROJECTS SPECIAL REVENUE ACCOUNT ESTABLISHED IN
15-38-302 FOR PROJECTS IN HOUSE BILL NO. 7;

(B) \$2,250,000 TO THE NATURAL RESOURCES PROJECTS STATE SPECIAL REVENUE ACCOUNT
ESTABLISHED IN 15-38-302 FOR WATER AND WASTEWATER PROJECTS IDENTIFIED IN [SECTION 1(4)] OF HOUSE BILL NO.
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(C) \$224,500 TO THE NATURAL RESOURCES PROJECTS STATE SPECIAL REVENUE ACCOUNT ESTABLISHED

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1 IN 15-38-302 FOR IRRIGATION PROJECTS IDENTIFIED IN [SECTION 1(7)] OF HOUSE BILL NO. 6; AND

2 (D) THE REMAINDER TO THE CAPITAL DEVELOPMENTS LONG-RANGE BUILDING PROGRAM ACCOUNT

3 ESTABLISHED IN 17-7-209.

4 (2) ~~UPON PASSAGE AND APPROVAL OF [THIS ACT]~~ On a quarterly basis, THE STATE TREASURER SHALL

5 DEPOSIT ALL INTEREST EARNINGS ON FUNDS FROM THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021, PUBLIC LAW 117-2, AS

6 PROVIDED IN 31 CFR, PART 35, DIRECTLY INTO THE CAPITAL DEVELOPMENTS LONG-RANGE BUILDING PROGRAM

7 ACCOUNT ESTABLISHED IN 17-7-209 until December 30, 2026, by which time American Rescue Plan Act funds

8 must be expended or returned to the federal government and all interest on funds ceases to accrue.

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10 NEW SECTION. Section 4. Effective date. [This act] is effective on passage and approval.

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