80th OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY--2019 Regular Session

Enrolled House Bill 5019

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CHAPTER

AN ACT

Relating to the financial administration of the State Forestry Department; and declaring an emergency.

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

<u>SECTION 1.</u> There are appropriated to the State Forestry Department, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2019, out of the General Fund, the following amounts, for the following purposes:

- (1) Agency administration...... \$ 3,266,428
- (2) Fire protection...... \$ 52,126,056
- (3) Private forests \$ 17,381,378
- (4) Debt service \$ 18,959,910

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the following amounts are established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2019, as the maximum limits for payment of expenses from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts and including federal funds from the United States Forest Service for fire protection and for research projects, but excluding lottery funds and federal funds not described in this section, collected or received by the State Forestry Department, for the following purposes:

- (1) Agency administration..... \$ 36,167,602
- (2) Fire protection...... \$ 76,617,864
- (3) State forests \$106,777,017
- (4) Private forests \$ 12,992,807
- (5) Capital improvement...... \$ 4,783,787
- (6) Debt service \$ 517,590
- (7) Equipment pool..... \$ 17,769,354
- (8) Facilities maintenance
 - and management...... \$ 5,642,715

<u>SECTION 3.</u> Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the amount of \$2,605,450 is established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2019, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses from lottery moneys allocated from the Administrative Services Economic Development Fund to the State Forestry Department for debt service relating to the purchase of land in the Gilchrist Forest.

<u>SECTION 4.</u> Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the following amounts are established for the biennium beginning July 1, 2019, as the maximum limits for payment

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of expenses from federal funds other than those described in section 2 of this 2019 Act, collected or received by the State Forestry Department, for the following purposes:

- (1) Agency administration...... \$ 2,809,548
- (2) Fire protection...... \$ 17,756,258
- (3) State forests \$ 909,460
- (4) Private forests \$ 14,085,636

SECTION 5. (1) In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the Emergency Board, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2019, out of the General Fund, the following amounts, to be allocated to the State Forestry Department for the following purposes:

- (a) Severity resource expenses...... \$ 4,000,000
- (b) Catastrophic wildfire insurance premium expenses.... \$ 2,000,000
- (c) Supplemental fire program personnel costs due to extended fire seasons......\$ 2,000,000

(2) If any of the moneys appropriated by subsection (1) of this section are not allocated by the Emergency Board prior to December 1, 2020, the moneys remaining on that date become available for any purpose for which the Emergency Board lawfully may allocate funds.

<u>SECTION 6.</u> In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the State Forestry Department, for the biennium ending June 30, 2019, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$3,201,253 for catastrophic wildfire insurance premium costs for the 2019 fire season.

<u>SECTION 7.</u> Notwithstanding any other law limiting expenditures, the limitation on expenditures established by section 2 (2), chapter 592, Oregon Laws 2017, for the biennium ending June 30, 2019, as the maximum limit for payment of expenses from fees, moneys or other revenues, including Miscellaneous Receipts and including federal funds from the United States Forest Service for fire protection and for research projects, but excluding lottery funds and federal funds not described in section 2, chapter 592, Oregon Laws 2017, collected or received by the State Forestry Department, for fire protection, is increased by \$532,747 for catastrophic wildfire insurance premium costs for the 2019 fire season.

<u>SECTION 8.</u> This 2019 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2019 Act takes effect on its passage.

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