LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE FIRST SESSION

# **LEGISLATIVE BILL 261**

Introduced by Speaker Arch, 14; at the request of the Governor. Read first time January 15, 2025 Committee: Appropriations

1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to state intent; to define 2 terms; to make appropriations for the expenses of Nebraska State 3 Government for the biennium ending June 30, 2027; to appropriate 4 funds allocated to the State of Nebraska from the federal Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund pursuant to the federal 5 6 American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, 42 U.S.C. 802, as amended; to 7 appropriate funds for capital construction and property acquisition 8 as prescribed; to require program statements and a request for 9 funding; to transfer funds; to provide duties; to provide an operative date; and to declare an emergency. 10

11 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

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Section 1. DEFINITION OF APPROPRIATION PERIOD.

For purposes of this act and any other legislative bill passed by the One Hundred Ninth Legislature, First or Second Session, which appropriates funds, FY2024-25 means the period July 1, 2024, through June 30, 2025; FY2025-26 means the period July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026; FY2026-27 means the period July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027; FY2027-28 means the period July 1, 2027, through June 30, 2028; and FY2028-29 means the period July 1, 2028, through June 30, 2029.

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Sec. 2. APPROPRIATION LANGUAGE.

10 There are hereby appropriated, for FY2025-26 and FY2026-27, the sums 11 set forth in this act to each agency for each program from the respective 12 funds for the general operations of state government, postsecondary 13 education, state aid, capital construction projects, land acquisition, 14 lease-purchase arrangements, and major equipment acquisition, except as 15 otherwise appropriated.

16 Sec. 3. REAPPROPRIATION OF BALANCE, FY2025-26 to FY2026-27.

17 In addition to the appropriations set forth in this act, there are 18 hereby reappropriated all unexpended appropriation balances existing on 19 June 30, 2026, for FY2026-27, to the respective agencies, programs, and 20 funds listed in this act, except as otherwise provided in this act.

There are hereby reappropriated for each agency, program, 21 Sec. 4. and fund for FY2025-26 and FY2026-27, any appropriation by the One 22 Hundred Seventh Legislature, First or Second Session, of the unexpended 23 24 and unencumbered appropriation balances of the Federal Funds allocated to 25 the State of Nebraska from the federal Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund pursuant to the federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, 42 U.S.C. 26 802, as amended, unless otherwise indicated in this act and any other 27 legislative bill passed by the One Hundred Eighth Legislature, First or 28 Session. Second reappropriation shall retain 29 Such any provided limitations established by the appropriating legislative bill unless 30 otherwise indicated within this act and any other legislative bill passed 31

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1 by the One Hundred Eighth Legislature, First or Second Session.

2 Sec. 5. CERTIFIED ENCUMBRANCES.

All certified encumbrance amounts on June 30, 2025, and June 30, 2026, not otherwise reappropriated pursuant to this act, are hereby appropriated for FY2025-26 and FY2026-27, respectively, which amounts shall be in addition to the amounts shown in this act.

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Sec. 6. NEBRASKA ACCOUNTING SYSTEM MANUAL DEFINITIONS.

8 The definitions contained in the Nebraska Accounting System Manual, 9 and any amendments thereto, on file with the Clerk of the Legislature, 10 are hereby adopted by the Legislature as the definitions for this act, 11 except as provided in sections 9, 10, and 11 of this act.

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Sec. 7. DRAWING AND PAYING WARRANTS.

The Director of Administrative Services shall draw warrants upon the proper fund in the state treasury for an amount not to exceed the appropriations set forth in this act upon presentation of proper documentation. The State Treasurer shall pay the warrants out of the appropriate funds.

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Sec. 8. BUDGET STATUS REPORTS.

All state agencies, boards, and commissions shall promptly establish their detailed Budget Status Reports at the budget subprogram level in the Nebraska Accounting System and adjust them as necessary during each fiscal year to reflect the most current appropriations shown on the Allotment Status Report.

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Sec. 9. GIFTS, BEQUESTS, AND DEVISES.

Any gift, bequest, or devise made available to the State of Nebraska for any purpose or purposes, together with the income thereof, shall be allocated to the expending agency designated by such donor or, if none is designated by such donor, by the Governor.

Acceptance of a gift, bequest, or devise shall be subject to approval by the expending agency and the following restrictions:

31 (1) No matching of state funds shall be required as a condition of

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1 acceptance;

2 (2) Any gift or bequest of personal property in excess of \$10,000
3 shall be approved by the Governor before acceptance;

4 (3) Any gift or devise of real property in excess of \$10,000 shall
5 be approved by the Governor and the Legislature before acceptance
6 pursuant to sections 81-176 and 81-1108.33; and

7 (4) Sections 81-176 and 81-1108.33 shall govern the acquisition of
8 real property and structures with the proceeds of a gift, bequest, or
9 devise.

For purposes of this section, gifts, bequests, and devises shall include, but not be limited to, donations, gifts, bequests, devises, and grants from individuals, organizations, corporations, and similar entities and from nonfederal governmental agencies.

At the discretion of the budget administrator of the budget division 14 15 of Department of Administrative Services and the Accounting the Administrator of the Department of Administrative Services, expenditures 16 17 of funds from any gift, bequest, or devise may be expended through any existing or administratively created cash fund account, revolving fund 18 19 account, or trust fund account, in which case the actual amount of the gift, bequest, or devise is hereby appropriated to the expending agency, 20 for the purpose or purposes designated by the donor, in addition to the 21 22 amounts appropriated in this act. If no such cash fund account, revolving fund account, or trust fund account exists, the Accounting Administrator 23 24 may create such fund account as is necessary to properly and separately 25 account for the gift, bequest, or devise, in which case the actual amount of the gift, bequest, or devise is hereby appropriated to the expending 26 27 agency, for the purpose or purposes designated by the donor, in addition to the amounts appropriated in this act. 28

29 This section shall not apply to the University of Nebraska.

30 Sec. 10. LIMITATION ON SALARIES, WAGES, AND PER DIEMS.

31 (1) For purposes of this act, (a) SALARY LIMIT shall mean total

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expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and per diems and (b) 1 2 total expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and per diems shall mean all remuneration paid to employees treated as taxable 3 4 compensation by the Internal Revenue Service or subject to social 5 security coverage, specifically including payments accounted for as vacation, holidays, sick leave, military leave, funeral leave, maternity 6 leave, administrative leave, compensatory time, deferred compensation, or 7 any other similar form, and amounts withheld pursuant to law, 8 but 9 excluding state contributions for social security, retirement, and 10 employee insurance plans.

(2) Total expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and per 11 diems shall be limited to the amount shown except when federal funds in 12 excess of the amount shown are available and approved by the Governor. 13 Expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and per diems from such 14 grants shall be in addition to the limitation on permanent and temporary 15 salaries and per diems otherwise shown in this act. No agency shall 16 17 request any state funds for continuation or replacement of any such personnel or activities in future budget requests. To the extent 18 19 feasible, requests for increases in the limitation on permanent and temporary salaries and per diems shall be addressed to the Appropriations 20 Committee of the Legislature when the Legislature is in session. 21

(3) Expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries resulting from
awards made to employees under sections 81-1346 to 81-1354 shall be in
addition to the limitations on permanent and temporary salaries and per
diems otherwise shown in this act.

(4) The limitation on expenditures for permanent and temporary
salaries and per diems for FY2026-27 as enumerated in this act shall be
the basis for continuation funding for each fiscal year of the succeeding
biennium.

30 (5) The limitation on expenditures for permanent and temporary
 31 salaries and per diems for FY2025-26 shall be increased by certified

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encumbrance amounts from FY2024-25 for permanent and temporary salaries and per diems. The limitation on expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and per diems for FY2026-27 shall be increased by certified encumbrance amounts from FY2025-26 for permanent and temporary salaries and per diems. Encumbered amounts shall be calculated in accordance with section 81-138.01.

7 (6) The limitation on expenditures for permanent and temporary 8 salaries and per diems shall only apply to remuneration paid to state 9 employees or per diem payments made to members of state boards or 10 commissions.

(7) The budget administrator of the budget division of 11 the Department of Administrative Services may administratively increase the 12 13 limitation on expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and per 14 diems upon receipt of a request for such increase from the director of a state agency certifying the actual amount of the payment to a former 15 16 employee of such agency, or such employee's beneficiary upon the death of 17 the employee, of accumulated vacation and sick leave pursuant to section 81-1325 and the rules and regulations of the State Personnel System 18 governing such payments. 19

It is the intent of the Legislature that state agencies 20 Sec. 11. may, at their discretion, utilize employee furloughs as a short-term 21 22 means of addressing budgetary shortfalls. Furlough is defined as placing an employee in a temporary, nonduty, nonpay status because of the lack of 23 24 funds. An intermittent furlough is a furlough action in which the 25 nonduty, nonpay status occurs discontinuously over a period of time rather than consecutively. It is further intended that furloughs shall 26 not adversely affect the employee and employer health insurance premium 27 contributions and service anniversary date, nor shall leave earnings be 28 prorated as a result of the furlough. 29

30 Sec. 12. It is the intent of the Legislature that the 31 appropriations for capital facilities follow an orderly and reasonable

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process based upon defined and documented need and an analysis of the
 utilization of existing facilities.

3 The biennial appropriations contained in this act covering FY2025-26 and FY2026-27, which have been designated for planning, require from the 4 5 agency a complete program statement prepared in accordance with the Procedural Manual for Capital Construction Projects as approved by the 6 7 state building division of the Department of Administrative Services. Projects directly related to program continuation such as fire and life 8 9 safety, maintenance, utility improvements, handicapped access, and master planning require a statement of needs prepared in accordance with the 10 manual. An appropriation for drawings and construction may be recommended 11 only after submission of an acceptable program statement or statement of 12 13 needs on or before September 15 to the state building division, the 14 budget division of the Department of Administrative Services, and the Legislative Fiscal Analyst. 15

Program statements that have been submitted prior to FY2025-26 shall be updated if necessary and resubmitted during the period July 1, 2025, to September 1, 2025. Program statements that have been submitted prior to FY2026-27 shall be updated if necessary and resubmitted during the period July 1, 2026, to September 1, 2026, by agency priority. Such priority shall be subject to final modification by the governing authority of each agency on or before September 15, 2026.

It is the intent of the Legislature that agencies should 23 Sec. 13. 24 construct or renovate facilities in such a manner as to provide the 25 greatest cost-effective energy savings possible. Design criteria emphasizing efficiency, functionality, and energy conservation shall be 26 reflected in program statements, schematic design documents, design 27 28 development documents, and construction documents. The state building division of the Department of Administrative Services and the Department 29 of Environment and Energy shall provide technical assistance to the state 30 agencies, upon request, to assist them in providing for energy-efficient 31

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1 new or renovated facilities.

2 Sec. 14. AGENCY NO. 3 - LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

3 Program No. 85 - Legislative Council Operations

4		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
5	GENERAL FUND	26,876,658	27,081,458
6	CASH FUND	285,434	285,434
7	FEDERAL FUND est.	39,270	39,270
8	PROGRAM TOTAL	27,201,362	27,406,162
9	SALARY LIMIT	21,889,530	22,406,656

10 The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the 11 appropriations and expenditures for this agency for FY2025-26 and 12 FY2026-27 according to the following program classifications:

13 No. 122 - Legislative Services

14 No. 123 - Clerk of the Legislature

15 No. 126 - Legislative Research

16 No. 127 - Revisor of Statutes

17 No. 129 - Legislative Audit

18 No. 501 - Intergovernmental Cooperation

19 No. 504 - Office of Public Counsel

20 No. 638 - Fiscal and Program Analysis

21 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$75,000 Cash Funds and for FY2026-27 \$75,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska 22 Health Care Cash Fund for the purpose of ongoing health-related research 23 24 and public policy development by the Health and Human Services Committee of the Legislature. Such funds may be used for, but shall not be limited 25 26 to, hiring temporary legal research assistance, consulting and research 27 contracts, reimbursement for necessary and appropriate expenses incurred in connection with such research and policy development, and actual and 28 necessary travel reimbursement for task forces and committees established 29 to conduct health policy work. 30

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The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June

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1	30, 2025, is hereby reappropria	ited.	
2	<b>Sec. 15.</b> AGENCY NO. 5 - S	UPREME COURT	
3	Program No. 52 - Operation	S	
4		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
5	GENERAL FUND	46,856,719	46,856,719
6	CASH FUND est.	3,412,479	3,412,479
7	FEDERAL FUND est.	548,360	548,360
8	PROGRAM TOTAL	50,817,558	50,817,558
9	SALARY LIMIT	36,071,898	36,071,898

10 The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the 11 appropriations and expenditures for this program according to the 12 following program classifications:

13 No. 34 - Court Administration

14 No. 40 - State Law Library

15 No. 396 - County Court System

16 No. 399 - District Court Reporters

17 No. 405 - Court of Appeals

The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.

The budget division of the Department of Administrative Services shall administratively transfer General Fund appropriations or Salary Limits or both among Program Nos. 52, 67, 420, 434, 435, and 437 within Agency 5, upon written certification by the State Court Administrator that the Supreme Court has determined that such transfer is necessary for the efficient functioning of statewide court operations and the proper administration of justice.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$270,000 General Funds and \$270,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$270,000 General Funds and \$270,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

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There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$500,000 Cash Funds for parenting plan mediation for indigent and lowerincome persons involved in Parenting Act cases, as state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$500,000 Cash Funds for parenting plan mediation for indigent and lower-income persons involved in Parenting Act cases, as state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

8 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 9 \$600,000 General Funds and for FY2026-27 \$600,000 General Funds to 10 increase the payments for interpreter services for deaf and hard of 11 hearing persons and for persons unable to communicate the English 12 language, which shall only be used for such purpose.

13 Cash Fund expenditures for this program shall not be limited to the 14 amounts shown.

15 Sec. 16. AGENCY NO. 5 - SUPREME COURT

16 Program No. 67 - Probation Services

17		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
18	GENERAL FUND	34,859,854	34,859,854
19	CASH FUND est.	1,525,608	1,525,608
20	FEDERAL FUND est.	252,948	252,948
21	PROGRAM TOTAL	36,638,410	36,638,410
22	SALARY LIMIT	26,677,905	26,677,905

The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the appropriations and expenditures for this program according to the following program classifications:

26 No. 397 - Statewide Probation

27 No. 398 - Intensive Supervision Probation

28 Cash Fund expenditures for this program shall not be limited to the 29 amounts shown.

30 The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June 31 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.

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1	Sec. 17. AGENCY NO. 5 - SUP	REME COURT	
2	Program No. 235 - State Prob	ation Contractual Servi	ces
3		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
4	CASH FUND est.	1,008,560	1,008,560
5	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,008,560	1,008,560
6	SALARY LIMIT est.	157,180	157,180
7	Cash Fund expenditures from	this program shall be	restricted to the
8	State Probation Contractual Servi	ices Cash Fund.	
9	The salary limitations for	this program shall not	be limited to the
10	amounts shown.		
11	Cash Fund expenditures for	this program shall not	be limited to the
12	amounts shown.		
13	Sec. 18. AGENCY NO. 5 - SUP	REME COURT	
14	Program No. 420 - State Spec	ialized Court Operation	S
15		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
16	GENERAL FUND	8,336,015	8,336,015
17	PROGRAM TOTAL	8,336,015	8,336,015
18	SALARY LIMIT	4,776,469	4,776,469
19	The unexpended General Fund	appropriation balance	existing on June
20	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriate	ed.	
21	The supervision and manageme	ent of the State Special	ized Courts shall
22	be under the direct jurisdiction	of the Supreme Court an	d the State Court
23	Administrator.		
24	Sec. 19. AGENCY NO. 5 - SUP	REME COURT	
25	Program No. 434 - Office of	Public Guardian	
26		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
27	GENERAL FUND	2,905,271	2,905,271
28	CASH FUND est.	36,000	36,000
29	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,941,271	2,941,271
30	SALARY LIMIT	2,454,953	2,454,953

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1	Cash Fund expenditures for this program shall not be limited to the		
2	amounts shown.		
3	The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June		
4	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.		
5	Sec. 20. AGENCY NO. 5 - SUPREME COURT		
6	Program No. 435 - Probation Community Corrections		
7	FY2025-26 FY2026-27		
8	GENERAL FUND 34,096,410 34,096,410		
9	CASH FUND est. 6,625,800 6,625,800		
10	PROGRAM TOTAL 40,722,210 40,722,210		
11	SALARY LIMIT 14,584,385 14,584,385		
12	The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June		
13	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.		
14	Cash Fund expenditures for this program shall not be limited to the		
15	amounts shown.		
16	Sec. 21. AGENCY NO. 5 - SUPREME COURT		
17	Program No. 437 - Juvenile Justice		
18	FY2025-26 FY2026-27		
19	GENERAL FUND 71,283,124 71,283,124		
20	CASH FUND est. 25,000 25,000		
21	FEDERAL FUND est. 148,500 148,500		
22	PROGRAM TOTAL 71,456,624 71,456,624		
23	SALARY LIMIT 17,503,665 17,503,665		
24	The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June		
25	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.		
26	There is included in the appropriation to this program \$30,000 from		
27	the General Fund for FY2025-26 for the purpose of contracting for		
28	services with an organization with the primary goal of ensuring		
29	sustainability in juvenile justice reform. Such contract shall be used to		
30	explore making probation, the district and state court systems, law		

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more effective partners in juvenile justice reform. Any required funding 1 2 greater than the amount provided in the contract shall be acquired from other sources prior to entering into a contract for services with the 3 4 organization. The contract shall include requirements that the organization work with a county having a population of one hundred fifty 5 thousand or more inhabitants willing to lease or grant county-owned 6 7 property for the purpose of creating a facility to address juvenile justice and behavioral health issues and prioritize the development of a 8 9 sustainable revenue model for such facility.

10 Cash Fund expenditures for this program shall not be limited to the 11 amounts shown.

12 Sec. 22. AGENCY NO. 5 - SUPREME COURT

13 Program No. 570 - Court Automation

14		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
15	CASH FUND est.	5,093,271	5,093,271
16	PROGRAM TOTAL	5,093,271	5,093,271
17	SALARY LIMIT	559,538	559,538

18 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 a retainer fee of up to \$841,616 Cash Funds and for FY2026-27 a retainer 19 20 fee of up to \$841,616 Cash Funds which shall be billed and paid in equal monthly installments to the Intergovernmental Data Services Program 21 22 Revolving Fund for county automation expenses in lieu of standard central 23 processing unit charges, which shall only be used for such purpose. These 24 retainer fee amounts shall not include pass-through charges for leased 25 computers and printers, software maintenance costs, or county data 26 conversion or interface costs. The annual retainer fee for both FY2025-26 27 and FY2026-27 shall be paid prior to the end of each respective fiscal 28 year.

29 Cash Fund expenditures for this program shall not be limited to the 30 amounts shown.

31 Sec. 23. AGENCY NO. 7 - GOVERNOR

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1	Program No. 17 - Governor Operations
2	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
3	GENERAL FUND 2,060,029 2,060,029
4	PROGRAM TOTAL 2,060,029 2,060,029
5	SALARY LIMIT 1,668,053 1,710,147
6	The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the
7	appropriations and expenditures for this agency for FY2025-26 and
8	FY2026-27 according to the following program classifications:
9	No. 18 - Governor's Policy Research Office
10	No. 21 - Office of the Governor
11	The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June
12	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.
13	Sec. 24. AGENCY NO. 8 - LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
14	Program No. 124 - Office of the Lieutenant Governor
15	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
16	GENERAL FUND 40,739 40,739
17	PROGRAM TOTAL         40,739         40,739
18	SALARY LIMIT 14,769 15,178
19	The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June
20	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.
21	Sec. 25. AGENCY NO. 9 - SECRETARY OF STATE
22	Program No. 20 - Services and Administration
23	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
24	CASH FUND 4,578,691 4,063,463
25	PROGRAM TOTAL         4,578,691         4,063,463
26	SALARY LIMIT 1,818,282 1,864,764
27	The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the
28	appropriations and expenditures for this program according to the
29	following program classifications:
30	No. 22 - Departmental Administration

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1	No. 51 - Enforcement of Stand	ards - Corporations	
2	No. 53 - Enforcement of Stand	ards - Collection Agencie	2S
3	No. 89 - Uniform Commercial C	ode Central Filing	
4	Sec. 26. AGENCY NO. 9 - SECR	ETARY OF STATE	
5	Program No. 45 - Election Adm	inistration	
6		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
7	GENERAL FUND	2,799,003	2,799,003
8	CASH FUND	180,747	218,397
9	FEDERAL FUND est.	1,239,818	1,239,818
10	PROGRAM TOTAL	4,219,565	4,257,218
11	SALARY LIMIT	827,166	849,204
12	Sec. 27. AGENCY NO. 9 - SECR	ETARY OF STATE	
13	Program No. 86 - Records Mana	gement	
14		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
15	GENERAL FUND	189,948	189,948
16	CASH FUND	4,607,691	4,628,486
17	REVOLVING FUND	1,041,035	1,053,890
18	PROGRAM TOTAL	5,838,674	5,872,324
19	SALARY LIMIT	744,700	762,782
20	Sec. 28. AGENCY NO. 10 - AUD	ITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS	
21	Program No. 506 - State Agenc	y and County Post Audits	
22		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
23	GENERAL FUND	4,273,027	4,705,058
24	CASH FUND	62,500	44,000
25	PROGRAM TOTAL	4,335,527	4,749,058
26	SALARY LIMIT	3,239,768	3,587,448
27	Sec. 29. AGENCY NO. 10 - AUD	ITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS	
28	Program No. 525 - Cooperative	Audits	
29		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
30	CASH FUND	2,864,652	2,944,350

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1	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,864,652	2,944,350
2	SALARY LIMIT	2,233,527	2,287,234
3	Sec. 30. AGENCY NO. 11 - ATTORN	IEY GENERAL	
4	Program No. 290 - State Settleme	nt Funds	
5		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
6	CASH FUND	4,802,582	4,879,196
7	PROGRAM TOTAL	4,802,582	4,879,196
8	SALARY LIMIT	2,222,373	2,272,758
9	Sec. 31. AGENCY NO. 11 - ATTORN	EY GENERAL	
10	Program No. 496 - Interstate Wat	er Litigation	
11		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
12	GENERAL FUND	300,000	300,000
13	CASH FUND	200,000	200,000
14	PROGRAM TOTAL	500,000	500,000
15	The unexpended General Fund app	propriation balance	e existing on June
16	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.		
17	The unexpended Cash Fund approp	riation balance ex	isting on June 30,
18	2025, is hereby reappropriated.		
19	The salary limit for this progra	am shall be limite	d to the amount of
20	the reappropriation.		
21	Sec. 32. AGENCY NO. 11 - ATTORN		<b>c</b> .
22	Program No. 507 - Interpretation		
23		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
24	GENERAL FUND	7,618,931	7,618,931
25	CASH FUND	4,262,073	4,506,034
26	FEDERAL FUND est.	1,917,935	1,962,653
27	REVOLVING FUND est.	2,183,916	2,277,819
28	PROGRAM TOTAL	15,982,855	16,365,437
29	SALARY LIMIT	10,435,625	10,757,969
30	The Department of Administra	tive Services s	hall monitor the

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appropriations and expenditures for this program according to the 1 2 following program classifications: 3 No. 270 - Administration 4 No. 271 - Civil Bureau 5 No. 272 - Criminal Bureau No. 273 - Legal Services Bureau 6 7 No. 274 - Public Protection Bureau There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 8 9 \$595,807 Cash Funds and for FY2026-27 \$595,807 Cash Funds, which 10 appropriations shall only be expended directly from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund from budget subprogram 4 for purposes of enforcing the 11 tobacco settlement agreement. 12 13 Revolving Fund expenditures for this program shall not be limited to 14 the amounts shown. Sec. 33. AGENCY NO. 12 - STATE TREASURER 15 Program No. 24 - State Disbursement Unit 16 17 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 18 GENERAL FUND 1,116,802 1,116,802 19 CASH FUND 43,264 43,264 20 FEDERAL FUND est. 1,842,169 1,842,169 21 PROGRAM TOTAL 3,002,235 3,002,235 22 SALARY LIMIT 1,653,824 1,692,797 Sec. 34. AGENCY NO. 12 - STATE TREASURER 23 Program No. 117 - Mutual Finance Assistance 24 25 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 26 CASH FUND 8,060,000 8,060,000 27 PROGRAM TOTAL 8,060,000 8,060,000 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 28 29 \$8,060,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such 30 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for

FY2026-27 \$8,060,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used

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1	for such purpose.		
2	Sec. 35. AGENCY NO. 12 - ST	ATE TREASURER	
3	Program No. 470 - Inland Por	t Authority	
4	The unexpended Cash Fund app	propriation balance ex	isting on June 30,
5	2025, is hereby reappropriated.		
6	Sec. 36. AGENCY NO. 12 - ST	ATE TREASURER	
7	Program No. 475 - ABLE Savin	gs Program	
8		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
9	CASH FUND	464,431	472,505
10	PROGRAM TOTAL	464,431	472,505
11	SALARY LIMIT	211,679	215,763
12	Sec. 37. AGENCY NO. 12 - ST	ATE TREASURER	
13	Program No. 503 - Treasury M	anagement	
14		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
15	CASH FUND	986,466	1,013,892
16	PROGRAM TOTAL	986,466	1,013,892
17	SALARY LIMIT	684,911	701,967
18	Sec. 38. AGENCY NO. 12 - STATE TREASURER		
19	Program No. 505 - Educationa	l Savings Unit	
20		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
21	CASH FUND	831,178	837,274
22	PROGRAM TOTAL	831,178	837,274
23	SALARY LIMIT	294,391	298,997
24	Sec. 39. AGENCY NO. 12 - ST	ATE TREASURER	
25	Program No. 512 - Unclaimed	Property	
26		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
27	CASH FUND	1,474,426	1,511,946
28	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,474,426	1,511,946
29	SALARY LIMIT	630,259	648,993

Sec. 40. AGENCY NO. 12 - STATE TREASURER 30

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1	Program No. 663 - Sports Arena Facility Financing Assistance
2	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
3	CASH FUND est. 2,200,000 2,200,000
4	PROGRAM TOTAL 2,200,200 2,200,000
5	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
6	\$2,200,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such
7	purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
8	FY2026-27 \$2,200,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used
9	for such purpose.
10	Cash Fund expenditures for this program shall not be limited to the
11	amount shown.
12	Sec. 41. AGENCY NO. 12 - STATE TREASURER
13	Program No. 665 - Convention Center Facility Financing Assistance
14	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
15	CASH FUND est. 4,100,000 4,100,000
16	PROGRAM TOTAL 4,100,000 4,100,000
17	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
18	\$4,100,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such
19	purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
20	FY2026-27 \$4,100,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used
21	for such purpose.
22	Cash Fund expenditures for this program shall not be limited to the
23	amount shown.
24	Sec. 42. AGENCY NO. 13 - STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
25	The limitation on expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries
26	and per diems for the State Department of Education may be exceeded by
27	the amount required to fulfill the state's obligation for salaries in
28	contractual arrangements in which the state has entered into an employee-
29	employer relationship with the person subject to the contract as
30	determined by the social security administration bureau of the Department
31	of Administrative Services.

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1	Sec. 43. AGENCY NO. 13 - STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	
2	Program No. 25 - Education, Administration, and Support	
3	FY2025-26 FY2026-27	
4	GENERAL FUND 27,692,472 27,692,472	
5	CASH FUND 4,252,366 4,032,157	
6	FEDERAL FUND est. 44,926,544 45,599,331	
7	REVOLVING FUND 2,107,325 2,107,325	
8	PROGRAM TOTAL 78,978,707 79,431,285	
9	SALARY LIMIT 22,553,911 23,130,174	
10	The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the	
11	appropriations and expenditures for this program according to the	
12	following program classifications:	
13	No. 25 - Commissioner's Office	
14	No. 403 - General Counsel and Legal Services	
15	No. 440 - Human Resources	
16	No. 441 - Teaching, Learning, and Assessment	
17	No. 442 - Public Information and Communications	
18	No. 443 - Technology Services	
19	No. 444 - Early Childhood	
20	No. 445 - Data Management and Application Development	
21	No. 446 - Career and Adult Education	
22	No. 447 - Accreditation, Certification, and Approval	
23	No. 448 - Special Education	
24	No. 449 - ESEA Programs	
25	No. 450 - Student Support and Services	
26	No. 451 - Finance and Administrative Services	
27	No. 452 - Budget and Grants Management	
28	No. 453 - Information Systems and Services	
29	No. 454 - School and District Support	
30	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26	

31 \$5,000,000 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such

purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
 FY2026-27 \$5,000,000 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be
 used for such purpose.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program
\$5,000,000 General Funds for FY2025-26 and \$5,000,000 General Funds for
FY2026-27 for student loan forgiveness.

7 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 8 \$6,251,600 General Funds for statewide assessment and reporting, which 9 shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the 10 appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$6,251,600 General Funds for 11 statewide assessment and reporting, which shall only be used for such 12 purpose.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 14 \$10,000 General Funds and for FY2026-27 \$10,000 General Funds for the 15 Educational Opportunity for Military Children Program.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 There is included in the Appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$300,000 General Funds for the Nebraska Technology Initiative, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$300,000 General Funds for the Nebraska Technology Initiative, which shall only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$306,960 Cash Funds to be used for administrative purposes related to the state aid for career and technical education. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$306,960 Cash Funds to be used for administrative purposes related to the state aid for career and technical education.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$50,000 Cash Funds to be used for administrative purposes related to the additional state aid for career education student organizations. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$50,000 Cash

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1	Funds to be used for adm	inistrative purposes relat	ed to the additional
2	state aid for career educa	tion student organizations	
3	Sec. 44. AGENCY NO.	13 - STATE DEPARTMENT OF I	EDUCATION
4	Program No. 158 - Edu	cation Aid	
5		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
6	GENERAL FUND	1,256,962,548	1,263,637,441
7	CASH FUND	406,761,236	406,947,893
8	FEDERAL FUND est.	363,873,542	363,873,542
9	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,027,597,326	2,034,458,876
10	There is included in	the appropriation to this	program for FY2025-26

\$1,256,962,548 General Funds, \$406,761,236 Cash Funds, and \$363,873,542 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$1,263,637,441 General Funds, \$406,947,893 Cash Funds, and \$363,873,542 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the amount shown for FY2025-26 \$990,309,493 General Funds which are hereby appropriated to provide state aid to public school districts pursuant to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support Act. There is included in the amount shown for FY2026-27 \$996,984,388 General Funds which are hereby appropriated to provide state aid to public school districts pursuant to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support Act.

24 There is included in the amount shown for FY2025-26 \$112,733,325 Cash Funds which are hereby appropriated to provide twenty-four percent 25 of foundation aid to public school districts pursuant to the Tax Equity 26 and Educational Opportunities Support Act. There is included in the 27 28 amount shown for FY2026-27 \$112,919,982 Cash Funds which are hereby 29 appropriated to provide twenty-four percent of foundation aid to public school districts pursuant to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities 30 31 Support Act.

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1 There is included in the amount shown for this program \$235,724,424 2 General Funds and \$273,565,676 Cash Funds provided as state aid for 3 FY2025-26 for special education reimbursement. There is included in the 4 amount shown for this program \$235,724,424 General Funds and \$273,565,676 5 Cash Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for special education 6 reimbursement.

7 There is included in the amount shown for this program \$1,465,500 8 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$1,465,500 General 9 Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 to carry out the provisions of 10 subsection (2) of section 79-734.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$9,444,586 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$9,444,586 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for core services for educational service units.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$3,170,927 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$3,170,927 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for technology infrastructure for educational service units.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$281,654 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$281,654 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for distance education aid to educational service units.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$1,851,467 Cash Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$1,851,467 Cash Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for educational service units to provide regional coaches and job-embedded training relating to evidencebased reading instruction.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$617,898 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$617,898 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for the school breakfast program.

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There is included in the amount shown for this program \$392,032
 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$392,032 General
 Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for the school lunch program.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$90,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$90,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for the Summer Food Service Program.

8 There is included in the amount shown for this program \$214,664 9 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$214,664 General 10 Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for adult basic education 11 programs.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$750,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$750,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for aid to institutions offering high school equivalency programs.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$3,619,357 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$3,619,357 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for early childhood education projects.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$7,500,000 20 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$7,500,000 General 21 22 Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for the Early Childhood Education Grant Program for at-risk children from birth to age three. It 23 24 is the intent of the Legislature that a maximum of five percent of General Funds appropriated each fiscal year for the Early Childhood 25 Education Grant Program for at-risk children from birth to age three may 26 be used for evaluation and technical assistance. 27

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$100,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$100,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for scholarships for early childhood education providers.

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1 There is included in the amount shown for this program \$69,000 2 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$69,000 General 3 Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for incentive bonuses for 4 providers of child care and early childhood education programs.

5 There is included in the amount shown for this program \$400,000 6 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$400,000 General 7 Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for the Nurturing Healthy 8 Behaviors program.

9 There is included in the amount shown for this program \$470,000 10 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$470,000 General 11 Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for learning community aid.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$2,342,962 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$2,342,962 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for programs for learners with high ability.

16 There is included in the amount shown for this program for FY2025-26 17 \$4,809,040 Cash Funds provided as state aid for career and technical education, to be distributed between secondary and postsecondary schools 18 according to the formula used for federal Perkins funds as such formula 19 existed on January 1, 2025. Each school district shall receive no less 20 than \$7,500. There is included in the amount shown for this program for 21 FY2026-27 \$4,809,040 Cash Funds provided as state aid for career and 22 23 technical to be distributed between education, secondary and 24 postsecondary schools according to the formula used for federal Perkins funds as such formula existed on January 1, 2025. Each school district 25 shall receive no less than \$7,500. 26

There is included in the amount shown for this program for FY2025-26 \$150,000 Cash Funds provided as state aid, to be evenly distributed between the career education student organizations. There is included in the amount shown for this program for FY2026-27 \$150,000 Cash Funds provided as state aid, to be evenly distributed between the career

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education student organizations.

2 There is included in the amount shown for this program \$1,000,000 Cash Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$1,000,000 Cash Funds 3 4 provided state aid for FY2026-27 for the Nebraska Teacher as 5 Apprenticeship Program.

6 There is included in the amount shown for this program \$2,500,000 7 Cash Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$2,500,000 Cash Funds 8 provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for the Extraordinary Increase in 9 Special Education Expenditures Act.

There is included in the amount shown for this program \$5,000,000 Cash Funds provided as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$5,000,000 Cash Funds provided as state aid for FY2026-27 for the Nebraska Teacher Recruitment and Retention Act.

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Sec. 45. AGENCY NO. 13 - STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Program No. 161 - Education Innovation

16		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
17	CASH FUND	11,122,829	11,134,012
18	PROGRAM TOTAL	11,122,829	11,134,012
19	SALARY LIMIT	169,502	175,776

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$10,807,362 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$10,807,362 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

Sec. 46. AGENCY NO. 13 - STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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Program No. 351 - Vocational Rehabilitation

27		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
28	GENERAL FUND	6,405,553	6,405,553
29	CASH FUND	544,795	545,009
30	FEDERAL FUND est.	30,704,042	31,381,758
31	PROGRAM TOTAL	37,654,390	38,332,320

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1 SALARY LIMIT

### 15,656,996 16,112,593

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$49,289 General Funds and \$8,560,706 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$49,289 General Funds and \$8,560,706 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

8 the intent of the Legislature that the Division It is of 9 Rehabilitation Services of the State Department of Education and the Division of Developmental Disabilities of the Department of Health and 10 Services work collaboratively to focus on employment 11 Human for individuals with disabilities and to maximize federal matching funds in 12 compliance with the federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act and 13 the federal Home and Community-Based Services Final Rule. 14

Sec. 47. AGENCY NO. 13 – STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
 Program No. 352 - Disability Determination

17		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
18	FEDERAL FUND est.	16,337,661	16,629,408
19	PROGRAM TOTAL	16,337,661	16,629,408
20	SALARY LIMIT	5,843,659	5,984,109

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$3,697,373 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$3,697,373 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

### 26 Sec. 48. AGENCY NO. 13 - STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

27 Program No. 401 - Services for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

28		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
29	GENERAL FUND	2,070,944	2,070,944
30	CASH FUND	2,981	2,981
31	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,073,925	2,073,925

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1	SALARY LIMIT	55,060	55,567
2	Sec. 49. AGENCY NO. 13	3 - STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATI	ON
3	Program No. 402 - Nebr	aska Center for the Education	of Children who
4	are Blind or Visually Impai	red	
5		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
6	GENERAL FUND	2,450,706	2,450,706
7	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,450,706	2,450,706
8	SALARY LIMIT	18,607	18,924
9	Sec. 50. AGENCY NO. 14	4 - PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION	
10	Program No. 16 - Expens	ses, Constitutional Officers	
11		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
12	GENERAL FUND	61,807	61,807
13	PROGRAM TOTAL	61,807	61,807
14	Sec. 51. AGENCY NO. 14	4 - PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION	
15	Program No. 19 - Modula	ar Housing Units Program	
16		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
17	CASH FUND	759,622	774,624
18	PROGRAM TOTAL	759,622	774,624
19	SALARY LIMIT	438,365	447,094
20	Sec. 52. AGENCY NO. 14	4 - PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION	
21	Program No. 54 - Enford	cement of Standards - Common Ca	rriers
22		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
23	GENERAL FUND	1,675,563	1,667,864
24	CASH FUND	97,690	121,378
25	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,773,253	1,789,242
26	SALARY LIMIT	1,121,335	1,116,871
27	Sec. 53. AGENCY NO. 14	4 - PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION	
28	Program No. 60 - Grain	Warehouse Surveillance/Moistur	e Testing
29		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
30	CASH FUND	251,454	261,154

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1	PROGRAM TOTAL	251,454	261,154
2	SALARY LIMIT	137,230	143,409
3	Sec. 54. AGENCY NO. 14 - PUBL	IC SERVICE COMMISSION	
4	Program No. 64 - Nebraska Tele	communications Relay S	ystem Fund
5		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
6	CASH FUND	2,990,337	2,994,503
7	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,990,337	2,994,503
8	SALARY LIMIT	126,831	128,682
9	There is included in the appro	priation to this progr	am for FY2025-26
10	\$180,000 Cash Funds for state aid	l, which shall only b	e used for such
11	purpose. There is included in th	ne appropriation to t	his program for
12	FY2026-27 \$180,000 Cash Funds for s	state aid, which shall	only be used for
13	such purpose.		
14	There is included in the appro	priation to this progr	am for FY2025-26
15	\$1,455,000 Cash Funds for the 211 I	Information and Referra	l Network, which
16	shall only be used for such	purpose. There is i	ncluded in the
17	appropriation to this program for F	Y2026-27 \$1,455,000 Ca	sh Funds for the
18	211 Information and Referral Netwo	rk, which shall only H	be used for such
19	purpose.		
20	Sec. 55. AGENCY NO. 14 - PUBL	IC SERVICE COMMISSION	
21	Program No. 583 - Enhanced Wir	eless 911 Fund	
22		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
23	CASH FUND	15,582,814	15,626,651
24	PROGRAM TOTAL	15,582,814	15,626,651
25	SALARY LIMIT	1,040,579	1,065,447

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$8,500,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$8,500,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

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Sec. 56. AGENCY NO. 14 - PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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1	Program No. 686 - Nebraska Telecommunications Universal Service Fund
2	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
3	CASH FUND 85,736,448 85,786,570
4	PROGRAM TOTAL 85,736,448 85,786,570
5	SALARY LIMIT 972,902 999,766
6	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
7	\$84,000,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such
8	purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
9	FY2026-27 \$84,000,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used
10	for such purpose.
11	Sec. 57. AGENCY NO. 14 - PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
12	Program No. 790 - Natural Gas Regulation
13	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
14	CASH FUND 1,755,659 1,771,460
15	PROGRAM TOTAL 1,755,659 1,771,460
16	SALARY LIMIT 307,646 317,382
17	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
18	\$185,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such
19	purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
20	FY2026-27 \$185,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for
21	such purpose.
22	Sec. 58. AGENCY NO. 14 - PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
23	Program No. 792 - Major Oil Pipeline Siting
24	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
25	CASH FUND 6,752,237 6,755,257
26	PROGRAM TOTAL         6,752,237         6,755,257
27	SALARY LIMIT 176,309 176,309
28	Sec. 59. AGENCY NO. 15 - BOARD OF PARDONS AND BOARD OF PAROLE
29	Program No. 358 - Board of Parole
30	FY2025-26 FY2026-27

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1	GENERAL FUND	914,409	935,100
2	PROGRAM TOTAL	914,409	935,100
3	SALARY LIMIT	314,539	323,967
4	The unexpended General Fund	appropriation balance e>	kisting on June
5	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated	l.	
6	Sec. 60. AGENCY NO. 16 - DEP	ARTMENT OF REVENUE	
7	Program No. 102 - Revenue Adm	inistration	
8		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
9	GENERAL FUND	30,693,432	31,435,437
10	CASH FUND	2,910,478	2,947,207
11	PROGRAM TOTAL	33,603,910	34,382,644
12	SALARY LIMIT	20,736,855	21,353,317
13	There is included in the appr	opriation to this progra	m for FY2025-26
14	\$336,404 Cash Funds for staff nec	essary to audit and enf	orce provisions
15	of the tobacco Master Settlement ,	Agreement from the Nebra	ska Health Care
16	Cash Fund. There is included in	the appropriation to th	nis program for
17	FY2026-27 \$336,404 Cash Funds for	r staff necessary to auc	lit and enforce
18	provisions of the tobacco Master	Settlement Agreement fro	om the Nebraska
19	Health Care Cash Fund.		
20	Sec. 61. AGENCY NO. 16 - DEP	ARTMENT OF REVENUE	
21	Program No. 108 - Homestead E	xemption	
22		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
23	GENERAL FUND	159,917,000	170,303,000
24	PROGRAM TOTAL	159,917,000	170,303,000
25	There is included in the appr	opriation to this progra	m for FY2025-26
26	\$159,917,000 General Funds for st	ate aid, which shall on	ly be used for
27	such purpose. There is included in	n the appropriation to t	his program for
28	FY2026-27 \$170,303,000 General Fu	nds for state aid, which	n shall only be
29	used for such purpose.		
30	Sec. 62. AGENCY NO. 16 - DEP	ARTMENT OF REVENUE	
31	Program No. 111 - Motor Fuels		

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1		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
2	CASH FUND	1,786,868	1,829,805
3	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,786,868	1,829,805
4	SALARY LIMIT	1,291,528	1,317,304
5	Sec. 63. AGENCY NO. 16 - DEPARTM	1ENT OF REVENUE	
6	Program No. 112 - Property Assess	sment	
7		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
8	GENERAL FUND	2,046,114	2,114,154
9	CASH FUND	787,004	800,658
10	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,833,118	2,914,812
11	SALARY LIMIT	2,056,982	2,105,206
12	Sec. 64. AGENCY NO. 16 - DEPARTM	1ENT OF REVENUE	
13	Program No. 121 - School Property	/ Tax Credit	
14		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
15	CASH FUND	780,000,000	808,000,000
16	PROGRAM TOTAL	780,000,000	808,000,000
17	There is included in the appropr	iation to this prog	ram for FY2025-26
18	\$780,000,000 Cash Funds for state aid	, which shall only	be used for such
19	purpose. There is included in the	appropriation to 1	this program for
20	FY2026-27 \$808,000,000 Cash Funds for	state aid, which s	hall only be used
21	for such purpose.		
22	Sec. 65. AGENCY NO. 16 - DEPARTM	1ENT OF REVENUE	
23	Program No. 132 - Property Tax C	redit Program	
24		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
25	CASH FUND	445,000,000	460,000,000
26	PROGRAM TOTAL	445,000,000	460,000,000
27	There is included in the appropr	iation to this prog	ram for FY2025-26
28	\$445,000,000 Cash Funds for state aid	, which shall only	be used for such
29	purpose. There is included in the	appropriation to 1	this program for
30	FY2026-27 \$460,000,000 Cash Funds for	state aid, which s	hall only be used

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1	for such purpose.	
2	Sec. 66. AGENCY NO. 16 - DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE	
3	Program No. 160 - Lottery Administration	
4	FY2025-26 FY2026-27	
5	CASH FUND est. 22,837,416 23,271,972	
6	PROGRAM TOTAL         22,837,416         23,271,972	
7	SALARY LIMIT 1,823,118 1,869,033	
8	Cash Fund expenditures shall not be limited to the amount shown. It	
9	is the intent of the Legislature that all expenses of the lottery, both	
10	external and internal, be recorded in the appropriate Cash Fund unless	
11	specifically required by statute to be recorded elsewhere.	
12	Sec. 67. AGENCY NO. 16 - DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE	
13	Program No. 164 - Gamblers Assistance Program	
14	FY2025-26 FY2026-27	
15	CASH FUND 3,208,465 3,216,423	
16	PROGRAM TOTAL         3,208,465         3,216,423	
17	SALARY LIMIT 149,174 153,596	Ì
18	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26	
19	\$1,150,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such	
20	purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for	
21	FY2026-27 \$1,150,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used	
22	for such purpose.	

There is included in the amount shown in this program \$250,000 Cash Funds for FY2025-26 and \$-0- Cash Funds for FY2026-27 from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to be used for compulsive gamblers assistance programs.

27 Sec. 68. AGENCY NO. 16 - DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

28 Program No. 165 - Charitable Gaming

29		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
30	GENERAL FUND	141,870	141,870
31	CASH FUND	2,812,645	2,882,976

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1	PROGRAM TOTAL 2,954,515 3,024,84	6			
2	SALARY LIMIT 1,886,116 1,921,73	5			
3	Sec. 69. AGENCY NO. 18 - DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE				
4	Program No. 78 - Department of Agriculture				
5	FY2025-26 FY2026-2	7			
6	GENERAL FUND 6,711,428 6,711,42	8			
7	CASH FUND 9,792,389 10,219,42	2			
8	FEDERAL FUND est. 4,614,717 4,675,54	9			
9	REVOLVING FUND 441,753 448,28	9			
10	PROGRAM TOTAL         21,560,827         22,054,68	8			
11	SALARY LIMIT 9, 318, 790 9, 579, 42	6			
12	The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor th	е			
13	appropriations and expenditures for this program according to th	е			
14	following program classifications:				
15	No. 27 - Shared Services				
16	No. 57 - Food Safety and Consumer Protection				
17	No. 63 - Animal and Plant Health Protection				
18	No. 564 - Ag Promotion and Development				
19	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-2	6			
20	\$300,000 General Funds and \$420,000 Federal Funds estimate for state aid	,			
21	which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in th	е			
22	appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$300,000 General Funds an	d			
23	\$420,000 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be use	d			
24	for such purpose.				
25	There is included in the amount shown as aid for this progra				
26	\$300,000 General Funds for FY2025-26 and \$300,000 General Funds fo				
27	FY2026-27, for purposes of purchasing assistive technology and equipmen	t			

for farmers and ranchers pursuant to the Nebraska AgrAbility program which does not otherwise qualify for funding by the United States Department of Agriculture.

31 Sec. 70. AGENCY NO. 19 - DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND FINANCE

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1	Program No. 65 - Enforcement of Standards - Financial Institutions				
2		FY2025-26	FY2026-27		
3	CASH FUND	7,993,666	7,993,666		
4	PROGRAM TOTAL	7,993,666	7,993,666		
5	SALARY LIMIT	5,514,668	5,514,668		
6	Sec. 71. AGENCY NO. 19 - DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND FINANCE				
7	Program No. 66 - Enforcement of Sta	ndards - Securities			
8		FY2025-26	FY2026-27		
9	CASH FUND	1,950,792	1,950,792		
10	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,950,792	1,950,792		
11	SALARY LIMIT	1,124,953	1,124,953		
12	Sec. 72. AGENCY NO. 21 - STATE FIR	E MARSHAL			
13	Program No. 193 - Public Protection				
14		FY2025-26	FY2026-27		
15	GENERAL FUND	4,502,492	4,502,492		
16	CASH FUND	4,521,334	4,695,233		
17	FEDERAL FUND est.	545,298	562,112		
18	PROGRAM TOTAL	9,569,124	9,759,837		
19	SALARY LIMIT	4,836,134	4,935,835		
20	The Department of Administrativ	e Services shall mor	nitor the		
21	appropriations and expenditures for	this program accordin	g to the		
22	following program classifications:				
23	No. 225 - General Operations				
24	No. 226 - Pipeline Safety				
25	No. 227 - Underground Storage Tanks				
26	No. 229 - Cigarette Ignition Propensity Testing				
27	No. 230 - Safety Inspection Program				
28	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26				
29	\$55,000 Federal Funds estimate for stat		-		
30	for such purpose. There is included in	the appropriation to th	is program		

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for FY2026-27 \$55,000 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. If federal restrictions prevent using these Federal Funds for state aid, the State Fire Marshal may reallocate available funds in the Underground Storage Tank Fund to provide state aid payments to the affected political subdivisions.

6 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 7 \$20,000 Cash Funds for fireworks testing, which shall only be used for 8 such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 9 FY2026-27 \$20,000 Cash Funds for fireworks testing, which shall only be 10 used for such purpose.

11 Sec. 73. AGENCY NO. 21 - STATE FIRE MARSHAL

12 Program No. 340 - Training Division

13		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
14	GENERAL FUND	1,067,999	1,067,999
15	CASH FUND	1,292,529	1,385,096
16	FEDERAL FUND est.	192,470	228,531
17	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,552,998	2,681,626
18	SALARY LIMIT	759,874	857,048

19 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$1,125,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Opioid Recovery Fund to connect 20 first responders to behavioral health services, supports, and training 21 and for a statewide wellness learning plan that includes anonymous 22 assessments, education, and awareness to promote resiliency development. 23 24 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$1,125,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Opioid Recovery Fund to connect 25 26 first responders to behavioral health services, supports, and training 27 and for a statewide wellness learning plan that includes anonymous assessments, education, and awareness to promote resiliency development. 28

29 Sec. 74. AGENCY NO. 21 - STATE FIRE MARSHAL

30 Program No. 845 - Nebraska Public Safety Communication System

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1	GENERAL FUND	114,570	114,570
2	CASH FUND	87,490	100,834
3	PROGRAM TOTAL	202,060	215,404
4	Sec. 75. AGENCY NO. 22 - DE	PARTMENT OF INSURANCE	
5	Program No. 68 - Medical Pro	fessional Liability	
6		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
7	CASH FUND	137,423	137,423
8	PROGRAM TOTAL	137,423	137,423
9	SALARY LIMIT	69,778	69,778
10	Sec. 76. AGENCY NO. 22 - DE	PARTMENT OF INSURANCE	
11	Program No. 69 - Enforcement	of Standards - Insurance	
12		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
13	CASH FUND	13,123,063	13,123,063
14	FEDERAL FUND est.	1,457,703	1,457,703
15	PROGRAM TOTAL	14,580,766	14,580,766
16	SALARY LIMIT	9,510,470	9,510,470
17	There is included in the app	ropriation to this progra	m for FY2025-26
18	\$664,722 Federal Funds estimate	for state aid, which sha	ll only be used
19	for such purpose. There is inclu	ded in the appropriation	to this program
20	for FY2026-27 \$664,722 Federal Fu	unds estimate for state a	id, which shall
21	only be used for such purpose.		
22	Sec. 77. AGENCY NO. 22 - DE	PARTMENT OF INSURANCE	
23	Program No. 556 - Liquidatio	n of Insurance Companies	
24		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
25	CASH FUND	5,000	5,000
26	PROGRAM TOTAL	5,000	5,000
27	Sec. 78. AGENCY NO. 23 - DE	PARTMENT OF LABOR	
28	Program No. 31 - Division of	Employment	
29		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
30	CASH FUND	13,198,694	13,224,492

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There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$10,000,000 Cash Funds for state aid for workforce development, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$10,000,000 Cash Funds for state aid for workforce development, which shall only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 11 \$349,838 Cash Funds and for FY2026-27 \$359,224 Cash Funds for the 12 administration of the workforce development program.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 14 \$1,160,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such 15 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 16 FY2026-27 \$1,160,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used 17 for such purpose.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$7,904,743 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$7,904,743 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the appropriation to this program Federal Funds 23 made available to the state under section 903(d) and 903(f) of the 24 federal Social Security Act, as amended, in the amount of \$2,500,000 in 25 FY2025-26 and \$2,500,000 in FY2026-27, or so much thereof as may be 26 necessary, to be used for the administration of the Employment Security 27 28 Law and public employment offices, including the administration of one-29 stop career centers to the extent authorized under the federal Social Security Act and the Wagner-Peyser Act and the rules and regulations 30 adopted pursuant thereto. The expenditure or other disposition of section 31

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1	. 903(d) and 903(f) money appropriated in this section shall be acc	counted
2	for in accordance with standards established by the United	States
3	Secretary of Labor. Except as provided in this section, all provision	ions of
4	subsection (2) of section 48-621 except subdivision (2)(a)(i) shall	L apply
5	to this appropriation.	
6	The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance for wo	rkforce
7	development existing on June 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.	
8	Sec. 79. AGENCY NO. 23 - DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	
9	Program No. 194 - Division for Protection of People and Proper	ty
10	FY2025-26 FY2	2026-27
11	GENERAL FUND 764,157	789,452
12	CASH FUND 687,811	703,024
13	FEDERAL FUND est. 822,851 8	344,788
14	PROGRAM TOTAL 2,274,819 2,3	337,264
15	SALARY LIMIT 1,315,258 1,3	346,619
16	Sec. 80. AGENCY NO. 24 - DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES	
17	Program No. 70 - Enforcement of Standards - Motor Vehicles	s/Motor
18	Vehicle Drivers	
19	FY2025-26 FY2	2026-27
20	CASH FUND 54,004,133 43,9	974,046
21	FEDERAL FUND est. 48,446	48,446
22	PROGRAM TOTAL 54,052,579 44,0	922,492
23	SALARY LIMIT 12,898,374 13,2	226,822
24	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2	2025-26
25	\$68,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used fo	r such
26	purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this progr	am for
27	FY2026-27 \$68,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be us	ed for
28	such purpose.	

Sec. 81. AGENCY NO. 24 – DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES
Program No. 90 - Motor Vehicle License Plates

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1		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
2	CASH FUND est.	4,361,698	3,143,114
3	PROGRAM TOTAL	4,361,698	3,143,114
4	Cash Fund expenditures shall not	be limited to th	ne amounts shown.
5	Sec. 82. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTM	ENT OF HEALTH AN	ND HUMAN SERVICES
6	Program No. 30 - Tobacco Preventi	on and Control	
7		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
8	CASH FUND	2,570,000	2,570,000
9	FEDERAL FUND est.	9,000	9,000
10	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,579,000	2,579,000
11	There is included in the appropri	ation to this p.	rogram for FY2025-26
12	\$2,570,000 Cash Funds for tobacco us	se prevention a	nd control from the
13	Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund. There	is included in	the appropriation to
14	this program for FY2026-27 \$2,570,	000 Cash Fund	s for tobacco use
15	prevention and control from the Nebras	ska Health Care	Cash Fund.
16	Sec. 83. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTM	ENT OF HEALTH AN	ND HUMAN SERVICES
17	Program No. 33 - Administration		
18		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
19	GENERAL FUND	198,471,694	207,504,198
20	CASH FUND	50,815,204	51,254,183
21	FEDERAL FUND est.	387,479,932	394,858,558
22	PROGRAM TOTAL	636,766,830	653,616,939
23	SALARY LIMIT	228,131,543	234,382,684
24	(1) The Department of Administ	rative Services	shall monitor the
25	appropriations and expenditures for	this program	according to the
26	following program classifications:		
27	No. 261 - General Operations		
28	No. 262 - Public Health Administr	ation	
29	No. 263 - Medicaid and Long-Term	Care Administrat	tion
30	No. 265 - Protection and Safety		

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2 No. 268 - Behavioral Health Administration

3 No. 269 - Developmental Disabilities Administration

4 (2) There is included in the appropriation to this program for 5 FY2025-26 \$13,688 Cash Funds for regulatory support for out-of-hospital 6 emergency care providers licensing from the Nebraska Health Care Cash 7 Fund. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 8 FY2026-27 \$13,688 Cash Funds for regulatory support for out-of-hospital 9 emergency care providers licensing from the Nebraska Health Care Cash 10 Fund.

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(3) There is included in the appropriation to this program \$404,643
Cash Funds for FY2025-26 and \$404,643 Cash Funds for FY2026-27 from the
Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund for respite services in each of the
service areas designated by the Department of Health and Human Services
and for administrative costs, including personnel costs, associated with
the Nebraska Lifespan Respite Services Program.

17 (4) There is included in the appropriation to this program for 18 FY2025-26 \$6,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund for 19 costs of smoking cessation covered by medicaid. There is included in the 20 appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$6,000 Cash Funds from the 21 Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund for costs of smoking cessation covered by 22 medicaid.

23 (5) There is included in the appropriation to this program for 24 FY2025-26 \$220,000 Cash Funds to operate a satellite office of minority health in the second and third congressional districts to coordinate and 25 administer state policy relating to minority health from the Nebraska 26 Health Care Cash Fund. There is included in the appropriation to this 27 program for FY2026-27 \$220,000 Cash Funds to operate a satellite office 28 of minority health in the second and third congressional districts to 29 coordinate and administer state policy relating to minority health from 30 31 the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund.

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1 (6) There is included in the appropriation to this program for 2 FY2025-26 \$100,000 Cash Funds for staff and operating expenses for public 3 health from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund. There is included in the 4 appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$100,000 Cash Funds for staff 5 and operating expenses for public health from the Nebraska Health Care 6 Cash Fund.

7 (7) Of the unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on
8 June 30, 2025, \$2,250,000 is hereby reappropriated to Agency No. 25,
9 Program 931, YRTC's-Facility Improvements.

Sec. 84. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Program No. 38 - Behavioral Health Aid

12		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
13	GENERAL FUND	70,132,211	70,132,211
14	CASH FUND	23,419,851	23,419,851
15	FEDERAL FUND est.	10,504,971	10,504,971
16	PROGRAM TOTAL	104,057,033	104,057,033

17 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$70,132,211 General Funds, \$23,419,851 Cash Funds, and \$10,504,971 18 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such 19 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 20 FY2026-27 \$70,132,211 General Funds, \$23,419,851 Cash 21 Funds, and \$10,504,971 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be 22 23 used for such purpose.

24 There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program \$6,500,000 Cash Funds for FY2025-26 and \$6,500,000 Cash Funds for 25 26 FY2026-27 from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to be used for community-based mental health and substance abuse services, including 27 intermediate-level residential mental health services. It is the intent 28 of the Legislature that these funds shall be distributed to each of the 29 six behavioral health regions based upon a formula determined by the 30 31 Department of Health and Human Services.

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1	There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program		
2	\$1,500,000 Cash Funds for FY2025-26 and \$1,500,000 Cash Funds for		
3	FY2026-27 from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to be used for the cost		
4	of maintenance and treatment of persons in emergency protective custody		
5	under the Nebraska Mental Health Commitment Act.		
6	The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June		
7	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.		
8	Sec. 85. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES		
9	Program No. 175 - Rural Health Provider Incentive Program		
10	FY2025-26 FY2026-27		
11	GENERAL FUND 680,723 680,723		
12	CASH FUND 3,906,815 3,906,815		
13	FEDERAL FUND est. 450,000 450,000		
14	PROGRAM TOTAL 5,037,538 5,037,538		
15	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26		
16	\$680,723 General Funds, \$3,906,815 Cash Funds, and \$450,000 Federal Funds		
17	estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There		
18	is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$680,723		
19	General Funds, \$3,906,815 Cash Funds, and \$450,000 Federal Funds estimate		
20	for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.		
21	Sec. 86. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES		
22	Program No. 176 - Nursing Incentives		
23	FY2025-26 FY2026-27		
24	CASH FUND 20,000 20,000		
25	PROGRAM TOTAL 20,000 20,000		
26	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26		
27	\$20,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such		
28	purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for		
29	FY2026-27 \$20,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for		
30	such purpose.		
31	Sec. 87. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES		

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1	Program No. 178 - Professional Lic	ensure	
2		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
3	GENERAL FUND	58,103	59,650
4	CASH FUND	12,351,211	12,491,152
5	PROGRAM TOTAL	12,409,314	12,550,802
6	SALARY LIMIT	4,137,657	4,235,179
7	Sec. 88. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTME	NT OF HEALTH AN	ND HUMAN SERVICES
8	Program No. 250 - Juvenile Service	s Operations	
9		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
10	GENERAL FUND	30,516,933	31,231,879
11	CASH FUND	1,283,639	1,310,639
12	FEDERAL FUND est.	922,415	917,860
13	PROGRAM TOTAL	32,722,987	33,460,378
14	SALARY LIMIT	20,146,969	20,663,653
15	The Department of Administrati	ve Services	shall monitor the
16	appropriations and expenditures for	this program	according to the
17	following program classifications:		
18	No. 315 - Office of Juvenile Servi	ces	
19	No. 371 - Youth Rehabilitation and	Treatment Cent	er-Hastings
20	No. 374 - Youth Rehabilitation and	Treatment Cent	cer-Kearney
21	No. 457 - Youth Rehabilitation and	Treatment Cent	er-Lincoln
22	There is included in the appropria	tion to this p	rogram for FY2025-26
23	\$1,000,000 Cash Funds for mental heal	th services to	juvenile offenders
24	under section 43-407 from the Nebraska	a Health Care	Cash Fund. There is
25	included in the appropriation to this	program for H	Y2026-27 \$1,000,000
26	Cash Funds for mental health services t	o juvenile off	enders under section
27	43-407 from the Nebraska Health Care Ca	sh Fund.	
28	Sec. 89. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTME	NT OF HEALTH AN	ND HUMAN SERVICES
29	Program No. 344 - Children's Healt	h Insurance	
30		FY2025-26	FY2026-27

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1	GENERAL FUND	29,952,083	29,989,393
2	CASH FUND	10,085,700	10,085,700
3	FEDERAL FUND est.	105,921,341	106,010,290
4	PROGRAM TOTAL	145,959,124	146,085,383

5 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 6 \$29,952,083 General Funds, \$10,085,700 Cash Funds, and \$105,921,341 7 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such 8 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 9 FY2026-27 \$29,989,393 General Funds, \$10,085,700 Cash Funds, and 10 \$106,010,290 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be 11 used for such purpose.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$6,835,700 Cash Funds for state aid from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$6,835,700 Cash Funds for state aid from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund.

17 There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 up to \$250,000 Cash Funds and for FY2026-27 up to \$250,000 Cash 18 Funds from the Health and Human Services Cash Fund for the state match 19 20 for utilization of the unused administrative cap as allowed under the Children's Health Insurance Program for payments to the Nebraska Regional 21 22 Poison Center funded through the University of Nebraska Medical Center. 23 The match is from Cash Funds transferred from the University of Nebraska 24 Medical Center.

It is the intent of the Legislature that phased-down state contributions to the federal government as defined and required by the federal Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 28 2003 may be made from appropriations to this program.

Sec. 90. AGENCY NO. 25 – DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Program No. 347 - Public Assistance

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5 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 6 \$76,380,054 General Funds, \$5,360,000 Cash Funds, and \$232,207,325 7 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such 8 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 9 FY2026-27 \$76,380,054 General Funds, \$5,360,000 Cash Funds, and 10 \$232,207,325 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be 11 used for such purpose.

12 There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for 13 FY2025-26 \$810,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to 14 aid in carrying out the Nebraska Lifespan Respite Services Program and to 15 provide payment to caregivers to purchase services under the respite 16 subsidy program. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this 17 program for FY2026-27 \$810,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to aid in carrying out the Nebraska Lifespan Respite Services 18 Program and to provide payment to caregivers to purchase services under 19 20 the respite subsidy program.

Sec. 91. AGENCY NO. 25 – DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Program No. 348 - Medical Assistance

23	B FY2025-26	FY2026-27	7
24	GENERAL FUND 1,151,890,827 1,5	194,476,86	7
25	CASH FUND 727,780,910	727,780,910	0
26	5 FEDERAL FUND est. 3,882,403,231 3,	851,304,333	3
27	PROGRAM TOTAL 5,762,074,968 5,	773,562,110	0
28	B The Department of Administrative Services shall mo	onitor the	е
29	appropriations and expenditures for this program according	ng to the	е
30	) following program classification:		

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There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$1,151,890,827 General Funds, \$727,780,910 Cash Funds, and \$3,882,403,231 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$1,194,476,867 General Funds, \$727,780,910 Cash Funds, and \$3,851,304,333 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

9 There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 \$450,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund for 10 a state plan amendment covering tobacco-use cessation in compliance with 11 Title XIX of the federal Social Security Act. There is included in the 12 amount shown as aid for this program for FY2026-27 \$450,000 Cash Funds 13 from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund for a state plan amendment 14 covering tobacco-use cessation in compliance with Title XIX of the 15 16 federal Social Security Act. The smoking cessation funding for FY2025-26 17 and FY2026-27 is for the costs of tobacco-use cessation counseling and tobacco-use cessation pharmaceuticals approved by the federal Food and 18 Drug Administration for such purpose. 19

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 \$1,452,354 Cash Funds from the Medicaid Managed Care Excess Profit Fund for medical assistance. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2026-27 \$1,452,354 Cash Funds from the Medicaid Managed Care Excess Profit Fund for medical assistance.

It is the intent of the Legislature that phased-down state contributions to the federal government as defined and required by the federal Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 28 2003 may be made from appropriations to this program.

The chief executive officer of the Department of Health and Human Services may certify to the budget administrator of the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services FY2025-26 and FY2026-27

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unexpended appropriation balances for Medical Assistance, Program No. 1 2 348, available to transfer to Developmental Disability Aid, Program No. 424, to be used only to maintain individuals with an intellectual or 3 4 developmental disability in a medicaid program that best serves their 5 needs at a cost that does not exceed the cost of services provided in an institution. The budget administrator of the budget division of the 6 7 Department of Administrative Services shall administratively transfer during FY2025-26 and FY2026-27 available appropriations as certified by 8 9 the chief executive officer of the Department of Health and Human Services from Medical Assistance, Program No. 348, to Developmental 10 Disability Aid, Program No. 424. 11

Sec. 92. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Program No. 350 - Child Abuse Prevention

14		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
15	CASH FUND	600,000	600,000
16	PROGRAM TOTAL	600,000	600,000

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$598,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$598,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

Sec. 93. AGENCY NO. 25 – DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Program No. 354 - Child Welfare Aid

24		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
25	GENERAL FUND	182,506,746	182,506,746
26	FEDERAL FUND est.	67,496,793	67,496,793
27	PROGRAM TOTAL	250,003,539	250,003,539

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 S182,506,746 General Funds and \$67,496,793 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$182,506,746 General

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1	Funds and \$67,496,793 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall
2	only be used for such purpose.
3	Of the unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on
4	June 30, 2025, up to \$10,000,000 is hereby reappropriated.
5	Sec. 94. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
6	Program No. 359 - Bridge to Independence
7	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
8	GENERAL FUND 2,600,940 2,604,447
9	FEDERAL FUND est.         2,179,271         2,194,724
10	PROGRAM TOTAL 4,780,211 4,799,171
11	SALARY LIMIT 1,292,107 1,305,590
12	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
13	\$1,281,202 General Funds and \$993,452 Federal Funds estimate for state
14	aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the
15	appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$1,281,202 General Funds and
16	\$993,452 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used
17	for such purpose.
18	Sec. 95. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
19	Program No. 365 - Mental Health Operations
20	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
21	GENERAL FUND 86,100,562 89,938,658
22	CASH FUND 4,502,177 4,512,705
23	FEDERAL FUND est. 5,150,909 5,142,124
24	PROGRAM TOTAL 95,753,648 99,593,487
25	SALARY LIMIT 57,406,654 59,103,222
26	The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the
27	appropriations and expenditures for this program according to the
28	following program classifications:
29	No. 363 - Lincoln Regional Center
30	No. 456 - Whitehall Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility
31	No. 870 - Norfolk Sex Offender Treatment

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1	Sec. 96. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPAR	TMENT OF HEALTH AND	HUMAN SERVICES
2	Program No. 421 - Beatrice State	e Developmental Cent	er
3		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
4	GENERAL FUND	14,309,161	14,545,459
5	CASH FUND	2,733,914	2,718,701
6	FEDERAL FUND est.	26,137,525	26,566,111
7	PROGRAM TOTAL	43,180,600	43,830,271
8	SALARY LIMIT	28,209,983	28,601,791
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9 The chief executive officer of the Department of Health and Human Services shall certify to the budget administrator of the budget division 10 of the Department of Administrative Services the FY2025-26 and FY2026-27 11 12 unexpended appropriation balances for the Beatrice State Developmental 13 Center, Program 421, which are available to transition and maintain persons transferred from the Beatrice State Developmental Center to 14 15 community-based developmental disability or other services. The budget administrator of the budget division of the Department of Administrative 16 Services shall administratively transfer during FY2025-26 and FY2026-27 17 18 available unexpended appropriation balances as certified by the chief 19 executive officer of the Department of Health and Human Services from the Beatrice State Developmental Center, Program 421, to Developmental 20 21 Disability Aid, Program 424, and Medical Assistance, Program 348.

22 Of the unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on 23 June, 30, 2025, \$8,000,000 is hereby reappropriated.

Sec. 97. AGENCY NO. 25 – DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Program No. 424 - Developmental Disability Aid

26		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
27	GENERAL FUND	212,662,155	229,386,103
28	CASH FUND	23,367,913	23,367,913
29	FEDERAL FUND est.	299,496,574	291,402,323
30	PROGRAM TOTAL	535,526,642	544,156,339

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26

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\$212,662,155 General Funds, \$23,367,913 Cash Funds, and \$299,496,574
Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such
purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
FY2026-27 \$229,386,103 General Funds, \$23,367,913 Cash Funds, and
\$291,402,323 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be
used for such purpose.

7 There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 \$16,000,000 Cash Funds and for FY2026-27 \$16,000,000 Cash Funds 8 9 from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to be used for services for persons with developmental disabilities (1) who were on the waiting list 10 for such services prior to July 1, 2001, and began receiving such 11 services on and after such date and (2) who are on the waiting list for 12 such services on and after July 1, 2019, beginning with those who have 13 14 been on the waiting list for the greatest length of time past their date of need. 15

Sec. 98. AGENCY NO. 25 – DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Program No. 502 - Public Health Aid

18		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
19	GENERAL FUND	5,783,060	5,783,060
20	CASH FUND	9,230,000	9,230,000
21	PROGRAM TOTAL	15,013,060	15,013,060

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$5,783,060 General Funds and \$9,230,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$5,783,060 General Funds and \$9,230,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 \$2,100,000 General Funds and for FY2026-27 \$2,100,000 General Funds for the seven community health centers funded through Federal Program 330, Public Law 104-299, the federal Health Centers Consolidation

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Act of 1996. Each of the following centers is to receive \$300,000:
 Charles Drew Health Center, OneWorld Community Health Centers, East
 Central District Health Department – Good Neighbor Community Health
 Center, Community Action Partnership of Western Nebraska, Nebraska
 Medicine Midtown Health Center, Bluestem Health, and Heartland Health
 Center.

7 There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 \$1,400,000 General Funds and for FY2026-27 \$1,400,000 General 8 9 Funds for the seven community health centers funded through Federal Program 330, Public Law 104-299, the federal Health Centers Consolidation 10 Act of 1996 for dental services. Each of the following centers is to 11 receive \$200,000: Charles Drew Health Center, OneWorld Community Health 12 13 Centers, East Central District Health Department - Good Neighbor Community Health Center, Community Action Partnership of Western 14 Nebraska, Nebraska Medicine Midtown Health Center, Bluestem Health, and 15 16 Heartland Health Center.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for 17 FY2025-26 \$325,000 General Funds and \$750,000 Cash Funds from the 18 Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund and for FY2026-27 \$325,000 General Funds 19 and \$750,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund for the 20 seven community health centers funded through Federal Program 330, Public 21 Law 104-299, the federal Health Centers Consolidation Act of 1996. Each 22 23 center is to receive an amount to be distributed proportionally based on 24 the previous fiscal year's number of uninsured clients as reported on the 25 Uniform Data System Report provided to the United States Department of Health and Human Services Bureau of Primary Health Care. The distribution 26 shall be made to Charles Drew Health Center, OneWorld Community Health 27 28 Centers, East Central District Health Department - Good Neighbor Community Health Center, Community Action Partnership of Western Nebraska 29 Health Center, Nebraska Medicine Midtown Health Center, Bluestem Health, 30 31 and Heartland Health Center.

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1 There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 \$1,898,246 General Funds and \$5,605,000 Cash Funds from the 2 Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund for public health departments. There is 3 4 included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2026-27 \$1,898,246 General Funds and \$5,605,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska 5 Health Care Cash Fund for public health departments. There is included in 6 7 the amount shown in this section for FY2025-26 \$200,000 Cash Funds and 8 for FY2026-27 \$200,000 Cash Funds to be distributed equally among the 9 eighteen public health departments.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for 10 FY2025-26 \$31,713 General Funds and \$1,526,000 Cash Funds from the 11 Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund for minority public health services in 12 counties having a minority population equal to or exceeding five percent 13 14 of the total population of the county in the first and third congressional districts as determined by the most recent federal 15 16 decennial census. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this 17 program for FY2026-27 \$31,713 General Funds and \$1,526,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund for minority public health 18 services in counties having a minority population equal to or exceeding 19 five percent of the total population of the county in the first and third 20 congressional districts as determined by the most recent federal 21 22 decennial census. The Department of Health and Human Services shall 23 distribute the funds on a per capita basis for the purpose of 24 implementing a minority health initiative which may target, but shall not limited to, infant mortality, cardiovascular disease, obesity, 25 be diabetes, and asthma. 26

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 \$28,101 General Funds and \$1,349,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to be distributed equally to the community health centers in the second congressional district funded through Federal Program 330, Public Law 104-299, the federal Health Centers

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1 Consolidation Act of 1996. Such funds shall be used for the purpose of 2 implementing a minority health initiative which may target, but shall not infant mortality, cardiovascular disease, obesity, 3 be limited to, 4 diabetes, and asthma. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2026-27 \$28,101 General Funds and \$1,349,000 Cash 5 Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to be distributed equally 6 to the community health centers in the second congressional district 7 funded through Federal Program 330, Public Law 104-299, the federal 8 9 Health Centers Consolidation Act of 1996. Such funds shall be used for the purpose of implementing a minority health initiative which may 10 target, but shall not be limited to, infant mortality, cardiovascular 11 disease, obesity, diabetes, and asthma. 12

Sec. 99. AGENCY NO. 25 – DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Program No. 514 - Health Aid

15		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
16	GENERAL FUND	6,806,907	6,806,907
17	CASH FUND	20,525,817	20,525,817
18	FEDERAL FUND est.	84,079,725	84,079,725
19	PROGRAM TOTAL	111,412,449	111,412,449

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$6,806,907 General Funds, \$20,525,817 Cash Funds, and \$84,079,725 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$6,806,907 General Funds, \$20,525,817 Cash Funds, and \$84,079,725 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program \$653,759 General Funds for FY2025-26 and \$653,759 General Funds for FY2026-27, which shall only be used for the following purposes: Reimbursement for the provision of pap smears, colposcopy, cervical biopsy, cryotherapy, loop electrosurgical excision procedure (LEEP), and such other treatments and procedures as may be developed for the followup

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of abnormal pap smears; the diagnosis and treatment of sexually 1 2 transmitted diseases, including, but not limited to, chlamydia, gonorrhea, HPV (genital warts), and herpes; and associated laboratory and 3 equipment costs and staff training costs relating to the use of 4 5 colposcopy equipment. None of the General Funds provided under this program shall be used to perform or facilitate the performance of 6 7 abortion or to counsel or refer for abortion.

8 There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for 9 FY2025-26 \$200,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund for the Poison Control Center at the University of Nebraska Medical Center, 10 which shall only be used by the medical center for the Poison Control 11 Center. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for 12 13 FY2026-27 \$200,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund for the Poison Control Center at the University of Nebraska Medical Center, 14 which shall only be used by the medical center for the Poison Control 15 16 Center.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 \$500,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to carry out provisions of the Brain Injury Assistance Act. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2026-27 \$500,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to carry out provisions of the Brain Injury Assistance Act.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 \$1,100,000 General Funds for evidence-based early intervention home visitation programs. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2026-27 \$1,100,000 General Funds for evidencebased early intervention home visitation programs.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 up to \$70,000 General Funds and up to \$130,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to contract with the University of Nebraska Medical Center for the Nebraska Perinatal Quality Improvement

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1 Collaborative. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this 2 program for FY2026-27 up to \$70,000 General Funds and up to \$130,000 Cash 3 Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to contract with the 4 University of Nebraska Medical Center for the Nebraska Perinatal Quality 5 Improvement Collaborative.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for 6 7 FY2025-26 \$289,416 General Funds to contract for services for implementation of a statewide drug disposal project. There is included in 8 9 the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2026-27 \$289,416 General 10 Funds to contract for services for implementation of a statewide drug disposal project. 11

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 \$484,750 General Funds for citizen advocacy. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2026-27 \$484,750 General Funds for citizen advocacy.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 up to \$542,000 General Funds for tuition reimbursement for emergency medical services responders' initial and ongoing training. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2026-27 up to \$542,000 General Funds for tuition reimbursement for emergency medical services responders' initial and ongoing training.

22 There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2025-26 \$2,700,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund 23 24 for pediatric cancer research at the University of Nebraska Medical 25 Center, which shall only be used by the medical center for research on pediatric cancer. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this 26 program for FY2026-27 \$2,700,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care 27 28 Cash Fund for pediatric cancer research at the University of Nebraska Medical Center, which shall only be used by the medical center for 29 research on pediatric cancer. 30

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There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for

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1 FY2025-26 \$500,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund for 2 the University of Nebraska Medical Center, which shall only be used to 3 contract with a nonprofit organization located in Nebraska which provides 4 cancer screening, prevention, support, and education for all ninety-three 5 counties in the state. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2026-27 \$500,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health 6 7 Care Cash Fund for the University of Nebraska Medical Center, which shall only be used to contract with a nonprofit organization located in 8 9 Nebraska which provides cancer screening, prevention, support, and 10 education for all ninety-three counties in the state.

11Sec. 100. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES12Program No. 559 - Care Management

13		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
14	GENERAL FUND	2,315,560	2,315,560
15	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,315,560	2,315,560

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$2,315,560 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$2,315,560 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

Sec. 101. AGENCY NO. 25 – DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Program No. 571 - Community-Based Aging Services

23		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
24	GENERAL FUND	9,407,019	9,407,019
25	FEDERAL FUND est.	9,469,241	9,469,241
26	PROGRAM TOTAL	18,876,260	18,876,260

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$9,407,019 General Funds and \$9,469,241 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$9,407,019 General Funds and \$9,469,241 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used

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1 for such purpose.

Sec. 102. AGENCY NO. 25 - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Program No. 621 - Stem Cell Research

4		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
5	CASH FUND	450,000	450,000
6	PROGRAM TOTAL	450,000	450,000
7	SALARY LIMIT	13,500	13,500

8 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 9 \$436,500 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such 10 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 11 FY2026-27 \$436,500 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for 12 such purpose.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 4 \$450,000 Cash Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund. There is 5 included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$450,000 Cash 5 Funds from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund.

Sec. 103. AGENCY NO. 25 – DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Program No. 622 - Cancer Research

19		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
20	CASH FUND	3,799,452	3,799,452
21	PROGRAM TOTAL	3,799,452	3,799,452
22	SALARY LIMIT	111,739	111,739

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 an estimated \$3,291,113 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 an estimated \$3,291,113 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

Sec. 104. AGENCY NO. 25 – DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 Program No. 623 - Biomedical Research

30		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
31	CASH FUND	4,000,000	4,000,000

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4,000,000

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$4,000,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$4,000,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

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7 There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for 8 FY2025-26 \$4,000,000 Cash Funds for biomedical research from the Nebraska 9 Health Care Cash Fund. There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for FY2026-27 \$4,000,000 Cash Funds for biomedical research 10 the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund. Forty percent of 11 from the appropriated funds shall be distributed annually for contracts with 12 postsecondary educational institutions, other than the University of 13 Nebraska, having colleges of medicine in Nebraska and their affiliated 14 research hospitals in Nebraska, and sixty percent for contracts with 15 other postsecondary educational institutions, other than the University 16 17 of Nebraska, having colleges of medicine in Nebraska and their affiliated research hospitals in Nebraska based on the percentage of all funds 18 expended by such institutions from the National Institutes of Health of 19 the United States Department of Health and Human Services in the prior 20 year as contained in a certified report of such expenditures to the 21 Department of Health and Human Services from such institutions, excluding 22 any such funds expended for research involving the use of human fetal 23 24 tissue obtained in connection with the performance of an induced abortion or involving the use of human embryonic stem cells. Each recipient of 25 funds under this section shall report annually to the Legislature and to 26 the Governor regarding the use of such funds received. The report 27 required to be submitted to the Legislature by this section shall be 28 submitted electronically. 29

30 Sec. 105. AGENCY NO. 25 – DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 31 Program No. 624 - Health Information Exchange

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LB261 2025			LB261 2025
1		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
2	GENERAL FUND	4,774,860	4,774,860
3	FEDERAL FUND est.	9,957,274	9,957,274
4	PROGRAM TOTAL	14,732,134	14,732,134
5	Sec. 106. AGENCY NO.	27 — DEPARTMENT OF TRANS	PORTATION
6	Total expenditures by	the Department of Transp	ortation for permanent
7	and temporary salaries and	per diems shall not ex	xceed \$154,201,393 for

8 FY2025-26. Total expenditures by the Department of Transportation for 9 permanent and temporary salaries and per diems shall not exceed 10 \$158,297,289 for FY2026-27.

There is hereby appropriated for FY2025-26 \$543,900,000 from the Highway Cash Fund to the Roads Operations Cash Fund, which fund is hereby appropriated. There is included in the amount appropriated from the Highway Cash Fund to the Roads Operations Cash Fund for FY2025-26 \$6,312,705 for assistance to the local transit authorities program and intercity bus system assistance.

There is hereby appropriated for FY2026-27 \$550,700,000 from the Highway Cash Fund to the Roads Operations Cash Fund, which fund is hereby appropriated. There is included in the amount appropriated from the Highway Cash Fund to the Roads Operations Cash Fund for FY2026-27 \$6,312,705 for assistance to the local transit authorities program and intercity bus system assistance.

Sec. 107. AGENCY NO. 27 – DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Program No. 26 - Administration and Services

 25
 FY2025-26
 FY2026-27

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 CASH FUND est.
 4,392,590
 4,392,590

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 PROGRAM TOTAL
 4,392,590
 4,392,590

Cash Fund expenditures shall not be limited to the amount shown.
 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
 \$40,200 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such
 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for

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LB261 2025	LB261 2025	
1	FY2026-27 \$40,200 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for	
2	such purpose.	
3	Sec. 108. AGENCY NO. 27 - DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
4	Program No. 301 - Public Airports	
5	FY2025-26 FY2026-27	
6	CASH FUND est. 39,348,300 39,348,300	
7	FEDERAL FUND est. 20,000,000 12,000,000	
8	PROGRAM TOTAL 59,348,300 51,348,300	
9	Cash Fund expenditures shall not be limited to the amount shown.	
10	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26	
11	\$37,700,300 Cash Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used	
12	for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program	
13	for FY2026-27 \$37,700,300 Cash Funds estimate for state aid, which shall	
14	only be used for such purpose.	
15	Sec. 109. AGENCY NO. 27 - DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
16	Program No. 305 - Assistance to Local Transit Authorities	
17	FY2025-26 FY2026-27	
18	CASH FUND 6,312,705 6,312,705	
19	PROGRAM TOTAL         6,312,705         6,312,705	
20	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26	
21	\$6,312,705 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such	
22	purpose. There is included within state aid for FY2025-26 \$535,000 Cash	
23	Funds for intercity bus system assistance and \$5,777,705 Cash Funds for	
24	the public transportation assistance program.	
25	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27	
26	\$6,312,705 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such	
27	purpose. There is included within state aid for FY2026-27 \$535,000 Cash	
28	Funds for intercity bus system assistance and \$5,777,705 Cash Funds for	
29	the public transportation assistance program.	

30 Sec. 110. AGENCY NO. 27 - DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

31 Program No. 562 - Nebraska Broadband Office

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LB261 2025	L		LB261 2025
1		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
2	CASH FUND est.	1,717,270	1,718,484
3	FEDERAL FUND est.	139,960,000	93,640,000
4	PROGRAM TOTAL	141,677,270	95,358,484
5	There is included in the appro	priation to this prog	gram for FY2025-26
6	\$139,960,000 Federal Funds est. fo	r state aid, which s	hall only be used
7	for such purpose. There is included	d in the appropriatio	n to this program
8	for FY2026-27 \$93,640,000 Federal	Funds est. for state	aid, which shall
9	only be used for such purpose.		
10	Sec. 111. AGENCY NO. 27 - DEP	ARTMENT OF TRANSPORTA	TION
11	Program No. 568 - Highway Admi	nistration	
12		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
13	CASH FUND est.	24,354,239	25,135,170
14	PROGRAM TOTAL	24,354,239	25,135,170
15	Cash Fund expenditures shall n	ot be limited to the	amount shown.
16	Sec. 112. AGENCY NO. 27 - DEP.	ARTMENT OF TRANSPORTA	TION
17	Program No. 569 - Construction		
18		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
19	CASH FUND est.	1,036,513,917	1,041,229,385
20	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,036,513,917	1,041,229,385
21	Cash Fund expenditures shall n	ot be limited to the	amount shown.
22	It is the intent of the	Legislature that th	ne Department of
23	Transportation shall apply for and	make maximum use of	available federal
24	funding, including discretionary	funding, on all hig	hway construction
25	projects that are eligible for such	assistance.	
26	Sec. 113. AGENCY NO. 27 - DEP.	ARTMENT OF TRANSPORTA	TION
27	Program No. 572 - Service and	Support	
28		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
29	CASH FUND est.	35,743,773	36,169,714
30	PROGRAM TOTAL	35,743,773	36,169,714

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1	Cash Fund expenditures shall not	be limited to the am	ount shown.
2	Sec. 114. AGENCY NO. 27 - DEPAR	TMENT OF TRANSPORTATI	ON
3	Program No. 574 - Maintenance		
4		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
5	CASH FUND est.	186,738,025	189,751,477
6	PROGRAM TOTAL	186,738,025	189,751,477
7	Cash Fund expenditures shall not	be limited to the am	ount shown.
8	Sec. 115. AGENCY NO. 27 - DEPAR	TMENT OF TRANSPORTATI	ON
9	Program No. 596 - State-Owned Ai	rcraft	
10		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
11	CASH FUND est.	526,142	526,142
12	PROGRAM TOTAL	526,142	526,142
13	Cash Fund expenditures shall not	be limited to the am	ount shown.
14	Sec. 116. AGENCY NO. 27 - DEPAR	TMENT OF TRANSPORTATIO	ON
15	Program No. 901 - Facility Impro	ovements	
16	FY2025-	26 FY2026-27	FUTURE
17	CASH FUND -	0- 4,800,000	- 0 -
18	PROGRAM TOTAL -	0- 4,800,000	- 0 -
19	The Department of Transportati	on is hereby authori	zed to prepare
20	program statements on and design and	build the following p	rojects:
21	Facility improvements — Falls Ci	ty maintenance projec.	t
22	Facility improvements — general	maintenance	
23	Sec. 117. AGENCY NO. 28 - DEPAR	RTMENT OF VETERANS' AF	FAIRS
24	Program No. 511 - Veterans' Affa	nirs	
25		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
26	GENERAL FUND	55,426,293	57,014,347
27	CASH FUND	16,083,992	16,133,266
28	FEDERAL FUND est.	27,318,958	27,981,535
29	PROGRAM TOTAL	98,829,243	101,129,148
30	SALARY LIMIT	57,342,166	58,672,461

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1	The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the				
2	appropriations and expenditures for this program according to the				
3	following program classifications:				
4	No. 36 - Departmental Administration				
5	No. 37 - Veterans' Cemeteries				
6	No. 510 - State Service Office				
7	No. 519 - Central Nebraska Veterans' Home				
8	No. 520 - Norfolk Veterans' Home				
9	No. 521 - Western Nebraska Veterans' Home				
10	No. 522 - Eastern Nebraska Veterans' Home				
11	Sec. 118. AGENCY NO. 29 - DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES				
12	Program No. 304 - Nebraska Soil and Water Conservation Fund				
13	FY2025-26 FY2026-27				
14	CASH FUND 2,550,000 2,550,000				
15	PROGRAM TOTAL 2,550,000 2,550,000				
16	The unexpended General Fund and Cash Fund appropriation balance				
17	existing on June 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.				
18	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26				
19	\$2,550,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such				
20	purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for				
21	FY2026-27 \$2,550,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used				
22	for such purpose.				
23	Sec. 119. AGENCY NO. 29 - DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES				
24	Program No. 306 - Water Well Decommissioning				
25	FY2025-26 FY2026-27				
26	CASH FUND 70,000 70,000				
27	PROGRAM TOTAL 70,000 70,000				
28	The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance existing on June 30,				
29	2025, is hereby reappropriated.				
30	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26				
31	\$70,000 Cash Funds, plus any reappropriated amounts, for state aid, which				

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shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the 1 2 appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$70,000 Cash Funds, plus any reappropriated amounts, for state aid, which shall only be used for such 3 4 purpose. 5 Sec. 120. AGENCY NO. 29 - DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES Program No. 307 - Nebraska Resources Development Fund 6 7 The unexpended General Fund and Cash Fund appropriation balances 8 existing on June 30, 2025, are hereby reappropriated. 9 Sec. 121. AGENCY NO. 29 - DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 10 Program No. 309 - Natural Resources Water Quality Fund FY2025-26 11 FY2026-27 12 CASH FUND 1,187,500 1,187,500 PROGRAM TOTAL 13 1,187,500 1,187,500 The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance existing on June 30, 14 15 2025, is hereby reappropriated. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 16 \$1,187,500 Cash Funds plus any reappropriated amounts, for state aid, 17 18 which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the 19 appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$1,187,500 Cash Funds plus any reappropriated amounts, for state aid, which shall only be used for 20 21 such purpose. Sec. 122. AGENCY NO. 29 - DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 22 Program No. 313 - Water Sustainability Fund 23 FY2025-26 24 FY2026-27 25 CASH FUND 10,865,033 10,865,033 26 PROGRAM TOTAL 10,865,033 10,865,033 The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance existing on June 30, 27 28 2025, is hereby reappropriated. 29 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$10,865,033 Cash Funds, plus any reappropriated amounts, for state aid, 30

31 which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the

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1	appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$10,865,033 Cash Funds, p	lus	
2	any reappropriated amounts, for state aid, which shall only be used	for	
3	such purpose.		
4	Sec. 123. AGENCY NO. 29 - DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES		
5	Program No. 314 - Critical Infrastructure Facilities		
6	The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance existing on June 30,		
7	2025, is hereby reappropriated.		
8	Sec. 124. AGENCY NO. 29 - DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES		
9	Program No. 319 - Water Projects		
10	FY2025-26 FY2026	-27	
11	CASH FUND 67,800,000 67,800,	000	
12	PROGRAM TOTAL 67,800,000 67,800,	000	
13	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025	-26	
14	\$67,800,000 Cash Funds from the Perkins County Canal Project Fund. The	ere	
15	is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026	-27	
16	\$67,800,000 Cash Funds from the Perkins County Canal Project Fund.		
17	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025	-26	
18	\$5,000,000 Cash Funds from the Jobs and Economic Development Initiat	ive	
19	Fund. There is included in the appropriation to this program	for	
20	FY2026-27 \$5,000,000 Cash Funds from the Jobs and Economic Developm	ent	
21	Initiative Fund.		
22	Sec. 125. AGENCY NO. 29 - DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES		
23	Program No. 334 - Soil and Water Conservation		
24	FY2025-26 FY2026	-27	
25	GENERAL FUND 10,708,426 10,758,4	426	
26	CASH FUND 9,573,143 9,595,	886	
27	FEDERAL FUND est.2,207,7892,238,	087	
28	PROGRAM TOTAL         22,489,358         22,592,5	399	
29	SALARY LIMIT 8,618,258 8,639,4	456	
30	There is hereby reappropriated an amount certified by the Departm	ent	
31	of Natural Resources to the budget administrator of the budget divis	ion	

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1 of the Department of Administrative Services of the unexpended General 2 Fund and Cash Fund appropriation balances existing on June 30, 2025, that are allocated in budget subprograms 19, 20, 21, and 24 of Program 334. 3 4 Reappropriated funds shall be allocated to the same budget subprogram. 5 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$4,000,000 Cash Funds plus any reappropriated amounts and \$5,000 Federal 6 7 Funds estimate, for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 8 9 \$4,000,000 Cash Funds plus any reappropriated amounts and \$5,000 Federal 10 Funds estimate, for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. 11 Sec. 126. AGENCY NO. 30 - STATE ELECTRICAL BOARD Program No. 197 - Public Protection 12 13 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 14 CASH FUND 2,567,470 2,567,470 PROGRAM TOTAL 2,567,470 2,567,470 15 SALARY LIMIT 1,368,396 16 1,368,396 17 Sec. 127. AGENCY NO. 31 - MILITARY DEPARTMENT Program No. 191 - Governor's Emergency Program - COVID-19 18 There is no salary limitation for this program. 19 20 Cash Fund expenditures shall not be limited to the amount shown. 21 The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance existing on June 30, 22 2025, is hereby reappropriated. 23 Sec. 128. AGENCY NO. 31 - MILITARY DEPARTMENT Program No. 192 - Governor's Emergency Program 24 25 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 GENERAL FUND 5,000,000 5,000,000 26 27 CASH FUND est. 250,000 250,000 28 FEDERAL FUND est. 4,500,000 4,500,000 PROGRAM TOTAL 29 9,750,000 9,750,000 30 There is no salary limitation for this program.

31 Cash Fund expenditures shall not be limited to the amount shown.

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1 The unexpended General Fund and Cash Fund appropriation balances 2 existing on June 30, 2025, are hereby reappropriated. 3 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 4 \$5,000,000 General Funds, \$250,000 Cash Funds estimate, and \$4,500,000 5 Federal Funds estimate for state aid. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$5,000,000 General Funds, 6 \$250,000 Cash Funds estimate, and \$4,500,000 Federal Funds estimate for 7 8 state aid. 9 Expenditures from this program shall not be restricted to state aid 10 if other expenditures are necessary to fulfill the goals of the Governor's Emergency Program. 11 12 Sec. 129. AGENCY NO. 31 - MILITARY DEPARTMENT 13 Program No. 544 - National and State Guard 14 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 15 GENERAL FUND 4,028,893 4,116,342 CASH FUND 475,458 475,729 16 FEDERAL FUND est. 20,364,839 20,691,580 17 20,364,839 18 PROGRAM TOTAL 20,691,580 9,387,344 19 SALARY LIMIT 9,157,866 20 Sec. 130. AGENCY NO. 31 - MILITARY DEPARTMENT Program No. 545 - Emergency Management 21 22 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 23 GENERAL FUND 1,368,139 1,332,391 CASH FUND est. 644,878 655,508 24 25 FEDERAL FUND est. 4,019,891 4,098,760 PROGRAM TOTAL 26 5,997,160 6,122,407 27 SALARY LIMIT 2,620,065 2,689,287 Cash Fund expenditures shall not be limited to the amounts shown. 28 29 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 30 \$1,570,604 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used

31 for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program

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1	for FY2026-27 \$1,570,604 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which			
2	shall only be used for such purpose.			
3	Sec. 131. AGENCY NO. 31 - MILITARY DEPARTMENT			
4	Program No. 548 - Tuition Assistance			
5	FY2025-26 FY2026-27			
6	GENERAL FUND 1,052,793 1,052,793			
7	PROGRAM TOTAL 1,052,793 1,052,793			
8	SALARY LIMIT -00-			
9	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26			
10	\$1,052,793 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such			
11	purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for			
12	FY2026-27 \$1,052,793 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be			
13	used for such purpose.			
14	Sec. 132. AGENCY NO. 31 - MILITARY DEPARTMENT			
15	Program No. 927 - Federal-State Match Construction Projects			
16	FY2025-26 FY2026-27 FUTURE			
17	NEBRASKA CAPITAL			
18	CONSTRUCTION FUND 2,259,305 -00-			
19				
	FEDERAL FUND est.         4,179,320         -0-         -0-			
20	FEDERAL FUND est.       4,179,320       -0-       -0-         PROGRAM TOTAL       6,438,255       -0-       -0-			
20 21				
	PROGRAM TOTAL 6,438,255 -00-			
21	PROGRAM TOTAL 6,438,255 -00- The Military Department is hereby authorized to engage in various			
21 22	PROGRAM TOTAL6,438,255-00-The Military Department is hereby authorized to engage in variousmilitary master capital project agreements with the National Guard			
21 22 23	PROGRAM TOTAL6,438,255-00-The Military Department is hereby authorized to engage in variousmilitary master capital project agreements with the National GuardBureau, including projects at the Greenlief National Guard/Reserve			
21 22 23 24	PROGRAM TOTAL 6,438,255 -00- The Military Department is hereby authorized to engage in various military master capital project agreements with the National Guard Bureau, including projects at the Greenlief National Guard/Reserve Center, the Mead Readiness Center, the Lincoln Readiness Center, the York			
21 22 23 24 25	PROGRAM TOTAL 6,438,255 -00- The Military Department is hereby authorized to engage in various military master capital project agreements with the National Guard Bureau, including projects at the Greenlief National Guard/Reserve Center, the Mead Readiness Center, the Lincoln Readiness Center, the York Readiness Center, the Sidney Readiness Center, and the Joint Forces			
21 22 23 24 25 26	PROGRAM TOTAL 6,438,255 -00- The Military Department is hereby authorized to engage in various military master capital project agreements with the National Guard Bureau, including projects at the Greenlief National Guard/Reserve Center, the Mead Readiness Center, the Lincoln Readiness Center, the York Readiness Center, the Sidney Readiness Center, and the Joint Forces Headquarters Building.			
21 22 23 24 25 26 27	PROGRAM TOTAL 6,438,255 -00- The Military Department is hereby authorized to engage in various military master capital project agreements with the National Guard Bureau, including projects at the Greenlief National Guard/Reserve Center, the Mead Readiness Center, the Lincoln Readiness Center, the York Readiness Center, the Sidney Readiness Center, and the Joint Forces Headquarters Building. Sec. 133. AGENCY NO. 32 – BOARD OF EDUCATIONAL LANDS AND FUNDS			

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1	CASH FUND 52,596 57,387		
2	PROGRAM TOTAL 542,990 557,377		
3	SALARY LIMIT 373,290 382,609		
4	Any General Funds expended for costs associated with the		
5	administration of school lands shall be reimbursed, on a quarterly basis,		
6	to the General Fund by the Board of Educational Lands and Funds.		
7	Sec. 134. AGENCY NO. 32 - BOARD OF EDUCATIONAL LANDS AND FUNDS		
8	Program No. 554 - Disputed Survey Settlements		
9	FY2025-26 FY2026-27		
10	CASH FUND 20,483 20,483		
11	PROGRAM TOTAL 20,483 20,483		
12	Sec. 135. AGENCY NO. 32 - BOARD OF EDUCATIONAL LANDS AND FUNDS		
13	Program No. 582 - School Land Trust		
14	FY2025-26 FY2026-27		
15	CASH FUND est. 21,156,428 21,244,557		
16	PROGRAM TOTAL 21,156,428 21,244,557		
17	Cash Fund expenditures shall not be limited to the amount shown. The		
18	appropriation contained in this program is provided pursuant to section		
19	72-232.02.		
20	Sec. 136. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAME AND PARKS COMMISSION		
21	Program No. 162 - Environmental Trust		
22	FY2025-26 FY2026-27		
23	CASH FUND 26,584,483 26,587,415		
24	PROGRAM TOTAL 26,584,483 26,587,415		
25	SALARY LIMIT 349,379 349,379		
26	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26		
27	\$25,750,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such		
28	purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for		
29	FY2026-27 \$25,750,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used		
30	for such purpose.		

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<b>Sec. 137.</b> AGENCY NO. 33 – O Program No. 330 - Habitat Do CASH FUND	evelopment FY2025-26	FY2026-27
CASH FUND	FY2025-26	FY2026-27
		FY2026-27
	0.050.142	
	9,058,142	9,142,061
FEDERAL FUND EST.	3,902,555	3,904,505
PROGRAM TOTAL	12,960,697	13,046,566
SALARY LIMIT	2,162,492	2,213,933
There is included in the ap	propriation to this progra	am for FY2025-26
\$1,725,000 Cash Funds for state	aid, which shall only be	e used for such
purpose. There is included in	the appropriation to th	is program for
FY2026-27 \$1,725,000 Cash Funds	for state aid, which sha	ll only be used
for such purpose.		
Sec. 138. AGENCY NO. 33 -	GAME AND PARKS COMMISSION	
Program No. 336 - Wildlife	Conservation	
	FY2025-26	FY2026-27
GENERAL FUND	2,072,461	2,072,461
CASH FUND	34,599,480	34,724,393
FEDERAL FUND est.	4,336,114	4,407,304
PROGRAM TOTAL	41,008,055	41,204,158
SALARY LIMIT	19,610,744	20,085,216
There is included in the ap	propriation to this progra	am for FY2025-26
\$585,000 Cash Funds for state	aid, which shall only be	used for such
purpose. There is included in	the appropriation to th	iis program for
FY2026-27 \$585,000 Cash Funds fo	r state aid, which shall o	only be used for
such purpose.		
Sec. 139. AGENCY NO. 33 -	GAME AND PARKS COMMISSION	
Program No. 337 - Administra	ation	
	FY2025-26	FY2026-27
GENERAL FUND	1,010,596	1,010,596
CASH FUND	7,507,380	7,655,864
	<pre>FEDERAL FUND est. PROGRAM TOTAL SALARY LIMIT There is included in the ap \$1,725,000 Cash Funds for state purpose. There is included in FY2026-27 \$1,725,000 Cash Funds for such purpose. Sec. 138. AGENCY NO. 33 - 0 Program No. 336 - Wildlife O GENERAL FUND CASH FUND FEDERAL FUND est. PROGRAM TOTAL SALARY LIMIT There is included in the ap \$585,000 Cash Funds for state purpose. There is included in FY2026-27 \$585,000 Cash Funds for such purpose. Sec. 139. AGENCY NO. 33 - 0 Program No. 337 - Administra GENERAL FUND</pre>	FEDERAL FUND est.3,902,555PROGRAM TOTAL12,960,697SALARY LIMIT2,162,492There is included in the appropriation to this program\$1,725,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be purpose. There is included in the appropriation to the FY2026-27 \$1,725,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be purpose.Sec. 138. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAME AND PARKS COMMISSION Program No. 336 - Wildlife ConservationFY2025-26GENERAL FUND2,072,461CASH FUND34,599,480FEDERAL FUND4,336,114PROGRAM TOTAL41,008,055SALARY LIMIT19,610,744There is included in the appropriation to this program \$585,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be purpose. There is included in the appropriation to the \$585,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be purpose. There is included in the appropriation to the \$585,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be 

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1	PROGRAM TOTAL	8,517,976	8,666,460	
2	SALARY LIMIT	3,911,425	4,000,185	
3	Sec. 140. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAME AND PARKS COMMISSION			
4	Program No. 338 - Niobrara Council			
5		FY2025-26	FY2026-27	
6	GENERAL FUND	52,500	52,500	
7	CASH FUND	1,000	1,000	
8	FEDERAL FUND est.	125,000	125,000	
9	PROGRAM TOTAL	178,500	178,500	
10	The unexpended Cash Fund ap	propriation balance exis	sting on June 30,	
11	2025, is hereby reappropriated.			
12	There is included in the app	ropriation to this prog	ram for FY2025-26	
13	\$52,500 General Funds, \$1,000 (	Cash Funds, and \$125,00	00 Federal Funds	
14	estimate for state aid, which sha	all only be used for suc	ch purpose. There	
15	is included in the appropriation	n to this program for F	Y2026-27 \$52,500	
16	General Funds, \$1,000 Cash Funds, and \$125,000 Federal Funds estimate for			
17	state aid, which shall only be us	ed for such purpose.		
18	<b>Sec. 141.</b> AGENCY NO. 33 - G	AME AND PARKS COMMISSION	J	
19	Program No. 549 - Parks - Ad	ministration and Operati	ion	
20		FY2025-26	FY2026-27	
21	GENERAL FUND	2,816,945	2,816,945	
22	CASH FUND	35,672,890	35,425,504	
23	FEDERAL FUND est.	50,000	50,000	
24	PROGRAM TOTAL	38,539,835	38,292,449	
25	SALARY LIMIT	17,790,788	18,211,762	
26	<b>Sec. 142.</b> AGENCY NO. 33 - G	AME AND PARKS COMMISSION	J	
27	Program No. 550 - Planning a	nd Trails Coordination		
28		FY2025-26	FY2026-27	
29	GENERAL FUND	559,668	559,668	
30	CASH FUND	2,327,625	2,367,878	

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LB261 2025			LB261 2025
1	FEDERAL FUND est.	113,261	115,418
2	PROGRAM TOTAL	3,000,554	3,042,964
3	SALARY LIMIT	1,210,715	1,255,966
4	It is the intent of the Legis.	lature that the amount	expended for the
5	development and maintenance of bou	ndary fences along the	Cowboy Trail be
6	limited to \$64,000 Cash Funds duri	ng each fiscal year.	
7	The unexpended Cash Fund appr	opriation balance exist	ting on June 30,
8	2025, is hereby reappropriated, up	to \$8,300,000 to fund	the MOPAC trail.
9	Any reappropriated amounts a	re hereby designated a	s state aid and
10	shall only be used for such purpos	е.	
11	Sec. 143. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAM	1E AND PARKS COMMISSION	
12	Program No. 617 - Engineering	and Area Maintenance	
13		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
14	GENERAL FUND	1,856,948	1,856,948
15	CASH FUND	2,401,535	2,419,550
16	PROGRAM TOTAL	4,258,483	4,276,498
17	SALARY LIMIT	2,210,638	2,219,073
18	Sec. 144. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAM	1E AND PARKS COMMISSION	
19	Program No. 628 - Credit Card	Discount Sales	
20		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
21	CASH FUND est.	852,205	715,205
22	PROGRAM TOTAL	852,205	715,205
23	Cash Fund expenditures shall r	not be limited to the ar	nount shown.
24	<b>Sec. 145.</b> AGENCY NO. 33 - GAM	1E AND PARKS COMMISSION	
25	Program No. 846 - Nebraska Pul	olic Safety Communicatio	on System
26		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
27	GENERAL FUND	16,029	16,029
28	CASH FUND	318,971	318,971
29	PROGRAM TOTAL	335,000	335,000
30	Sec. 146. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAM	IE AND PARKS COMMISSION	

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1	Program No. 900 - State Pa	ırk System Facil	ity Improvements	
2	F	Y2025-26	FY2026-27	FUTURE
3	CASH FUND 1	,200,000	- 0 -	- 0 -
4	PROGRAM TOTAL 1	,200,000	- 0 -	- 0 -
5	The Game and Parks Commis	sion is hereby	authorized to dev	velop new,
6	maintain, and improve boating f	facilities and f	ishing access amer	nities.
7	Sec. 147. AGENCY NO. 33 -	- GAME AND PARKS	COMMISSION	
8	Program No. 901 - State Pa	rks Facilities	Deferred Maintenan	ice
9	F	Y2025-26	FY2026-27	FUTURE
10	CASH FUND 5	,500,000	5,500,000	- 0 -
11	PROGRAM TOTAL 5	,500,000	5,500,000	- 0 -
12	The Game and Parks Commis	sion is hereby	authorized to make	e deferred
13	repairs and maintenance impro	vements at fac	ilities in the s	tate park
14	system and replace and upgrade	e facilities in	the state park sy	stem with
15	the appropriation to this progr	am.		
16	Sec. 148. AGENCY NO. 33 -	- GAME AND PARKS	COMMISSION	
17	Program No. 965 - Water Re	creation Enhanc	ement	
18		FY202	25-26	FY2026-27
19	CASH FUND		- 0 -	- 0 -
20	PROGRAM TOTAL		- 0 -	- 0 -
21	The unexpended Cash Fund	appropriation ba	alance existing or	June 30,
22	2025, is hereby reappropriated,	up to \$22,000,	000 for projects :	identified
23	in this section.			
24	The Game and Parks Comm	nission is her	eby authorized to	o provide
25	recreational upgrades at Lake M	AcConaughy State	Recreation Area,	Lewis and
26	Clark State Recreation Area, a	und Niobrara Sta	ate Park which may	/ include,
27	but are not limited to, campo	ground expansion	n, road repairs,	and other
28	projects to increase access and			
29	Sec. 149. AGENCY NO. 33 -	- GAME AND PARKS	COMMISSION	

30 Program No. 967 - State Park Improvements

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1	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
2	CASH FUND -00-
3	PROGRAM TOTAL -00-
4	The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance existing on June 30,
5	2025, is hereby reappropriated.
6	The Game and Parks Commission is hereby authorized to complete
7	projects at Fort Robinson State Park, including the removal of the dam at
8	Carter P. Johnson Lake, the restoration of Soldier Creek, and interior
9	upgrades to existing lodging units.
10	The Game and Parks Commission is hereby authorized to renovate the
11	lodge at Eugene T. Mahoney State Park.
12	Sec. 150. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAME AND PARKS COMMISSION
13	Program No. 969 - State Recreation Areas
14	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
15	CASH FUND est. 500,000 500,000
16	PROGRAM TOTAL 500,000 500,000
17	The Game and Parks Commission is hereby authorized to make state
18	recreation area improvements statewide with the appropriation to this
19	program.
20	It is intended that the following projects be undertaken with funds
21	appropriated to this program for FY2025-26:
22	Area improvements to implement master plan - Lake McConaughy and
23	Lake Ogallala State Recreation Areas, \$500,000.
24	It is intended that the following projects be undertaken with funds
25	appropriated to this program for FY2026-27:
26	Area improvements to implement master plan - Lake McConaughy and
27	Lake Ogallala State Recreation Areas, \$500,000.
28	Sec. 151. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAME AND PARKS COMMISSION
29	Program No. 971 - Special Use Areas

31 CASH FUND est. 475,000 365,000

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LB261 LB261 2025 2025 1 PROGRAM TOTAL 475,000 365,000 2 The Game and Parks Commission is hereby authorized to build, maintain, and repair facilities required for holding and studying bighorn 3 4 sheep. 5 Sec. 152. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAME AND PARKS COMMISSION Program No. 972 - Administrative Facilities - IMPR 6 7 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 CASH FUND est. 8 2,610,000 445,000 PROGRAM TOTAL 445,000 9 2,610,000 and Parks Commission is hereby authorized to make 10 The Game improvements to administrative facilities for the Lincoln headquarters. 11 Sec. 153. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAME AND PARKS COMMISSION 12 Program No. 973 - Fish Production 13 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 14 CASH FUND est. 2,500,000 2,500,000 15 PROGRAM TOTAL 16 2,500,000 2,500,000 17 The Game and Parks Commission is hereby authorized to upgrade, 18 maintain, and repair fisheries facilities at the Calamus, North Platte, 19 Rock Creek, and Valentine hatcheries. Sec. 154. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAME AND PARKS COMMISSION 20 Program No. 975 - Emergency Repairs - Parks 21 22 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 FUTURE CASH FUND 500,000 500,000 23 -0-PROGRAM TOTAL 500,000 24 500,000 -0-The Game and Parks Commission is hereby authorized to make emergency 25 repairs statewide to facilities in the state park system with the 26 appropriation to this program. 27 Sec. 155. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAME AND PARKS COMMISSION 28 Program No. 976 - Emergency Repairs - Wildlife 29 30 FY2025-26 FY2026-27

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1	CASH FUND est.	685	,000	151,000
2	PROGRAM TOTAL	685	,000	151,000
3	The Game and Parks Commission is	hereby au	thorized to make	emergency
4	repairs to Oak Valley and George Syla	as facili	ties impacted by	flooding,
5	and match federal funding from the Fec	deral Emer	gency Management	Agency.
6	Sec. 156. AGENCY NO. 33 - GAME A	ND PARKS	COMMISSION	
7	Program No. 979 - Cowboy Trail Em	nergency R	epairs	
8		FY202	5-26	FY2026-27
9	CASH FUND est.	544	,000	250,000
10	PROGRAM TOTAL	544	,000	250,000
11	The Game and Parks Commission	is here	by authorized to	conduct
12	emergency repair and maintenance work	on the Co	wboy trails facil	ities.
13	<b>Sec. 157.</b> AGENCY NO. 33 - GAME A	ND PARKS	COMMISSION	
14	Program No. 981 - Aquatic Habitat	Enhancem	ent and Restorati	on
15	FY2025-2	6	FY2026-27	FUTURE
16	CASH FUND 1,500,00	0	1,500,000	- 0 -
17	PROGRAM TOTAL 1,500,00	0	1,500,000	- 0 -
18	The Game and Parks Commission i	s hereby	authorized to en	hance and
19	rehabilitate aquatic habitat statewi	de with	the appropriation	to this
20	program.			
21	<b>Sec. 158.</b> AGENCY NO. 33 - GAME A	ND PARKS	COMMISSION	
22	It is the intent of the Legi	slature	that the Game a	und Parks
23	Commission may apply for and make ma>	kimum use	of federal fundi	ng on all
24	capital construction projects which a	re eligib	le for such assis	tance. It
25	is the intent of the Legislature that	all fund	s appropriated to	the Game
26	and Parks Commission for capital cons	struction	projects may be	spent for
27	the purpose of the original appropriat	ion.		
28	Sec. 159. AGENCY NO. 34 - NEBRAS	KA LIBRAR	Y COMMISSION	
29	Program No. 252 - Library and Inf	ormation	Services	
30		FY2025	5-26	FY2026-27

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LB261 2025			LB261 2025
1	GENERAL FUND	3,140,282	3,140,282
2	CASH FUND	45,484	45,484
3	FEDERAL FUND est.	1,150,790	1,194,417
4	PROGRAM TOTAL	4,336,556	4,380,183
5	SALARY LIMIT	2,841,411	2,915,673
6	<b>Sec. 160.</b> AGENCY NO. 34 - N	EBRASKA LIBRARY COMMISSION	
7	Program No. 302 - Library De	velopment	
8		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
9	GENERAL FUND	1,481,153	1,481,153
10	FEDERAL FUND est.	515,030	515,030
11	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,996,183	1,996,183
12	There is included in the app	propriation to this program	for FY2025-26
13	\$1,481,153 General Funds and \$5	15,030 Federal Funds estim	nate for state
14	aid, which shall only be used fo	r such purpose. There is i	ncluded in the
15	appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$1,481,153 General Funds and		
16	\$515,030 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used		
17	for such purpose.		
18	Sec. 161. AGENCY NO. 35 - N	EBRASKA LIQUOR CONTROL COM	MISSION
19	Program No. 73 - Licensing a	nd Regulation	
20		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
21	GENERAL FUND	2,009,807	2,009,807
22	CASH FUND	70,719	70,719
23	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,080,526	2,080,526
24	SALARY LIMIT	1,055,475	1,055,475
25	The unexpended General Fund	appropriation balance exi	lsting on June
26	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriate	ed.	
27	Sec. 162. AGENCY NO. 36 - S	TATE RACING AND GAMING COMM	MISSION
28	Program No. 74 - Enforcement	of Standards - Horseracino	9
29		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
30	CASH FUND est.	637,360	640,309

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LB261 2025			LB261 2025
1	PROGRAM TOTAL	637,360	640,309
2	SALARY LIMIT	335,700	337,612
3	There is included in the appro	priation to this pro	gram for FY2025-26
4	\$120,000 Cash Funds for state aid	d, which shall only	be used for such
5	purpose. There is included in th	ne appropriation to	this program for
6	FY2026-27 \$120,000 Cash Funds for s	state aid, which shal	l only be used for
7	such purpose.		
8	Sec. 163. AGENCY NO. 36 - STA	TE RACING AND GAMING	COMMISSION
9	Program No. 81 - Racetrack Gam	ing	
10		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
11	CASH FUND	5,856,615	5,946,200
12	PROGRAM TOTAL	5,856,615	5,946,200
13	SALARY LIMIT	3,580,371	3,631,285
14	Sec. 164. AGENCY NO. 36 - STATE RACING AND GAMING COMMISSION		
15	Program No. 87 - Casino Tax Revenue		
16		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
17	CASH FUND est.	25,000,000	25,000,000
18	PROGRAM TOTAL	25,000,000	25,000,000
19	Cash Fund expenditures shall n	ot be limited to the	amount shown.
20	There is included in the appro	opriation to this pro	gram for FY2025-26
21	\$25,000,000 Cash Funds estimate fo	r state aid, which s	shall only be used
22	for such purpose. There is include	d in the appropriati	on to this program
23	for FY2026-27 \$25,000,000 Cash Fund	ds estimate for stat	e aid, which shall
24	only be used for such purpose.		
25	Sec. 165. AGENCY NO. 37 - NEB	RASKA WORKERS' COMPE	NSATION COURT
26	Program No. 530 - Court Admini	stration	
27		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
28	CASH FUND	5,625,320	5,625,320
29	FEDERAL FUND est.	64,358	64,358
30	PROGRAM TOTAL	5,689,678	5,689,678

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1 SALARY LIMIT 3,212,677 3,294,400 2 It is the intent of the Legislature that the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court submit a report electronically to the Appropriations 3 Committee of the Legislature by December 31, 2027. Such report shall 4 include the following for the most recently completed four fiscal years 5 and a projection for the upcoming two fiscal years: (1) Staffing patterns 6 and number of full-time equivalent employees for the agency; (2) claims 7 8 addressed; (3) cash fund revenue from workers' compensation assessments; 9 (4) expenditures for agency operations; and (5) information regarding workload per employee, including any adjustments to the number of agency 10 employees commensurate with a diminishing of the number of claims over 11 12 time. Sec. 166. AGENCY NO. 39 - NEBRASKA BRAND COMMITTEE 13 Program No. 75 - Nebraska Brand Committee 14 15 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 16 CASH FUND 6,524,146 6,713,941 PROGRAM TOTAL 6,713,941 17 6,524,146 SALARY LIMIT 18 4,036,753 4,127,577 Sec. 167. AGENCY NO. 40 - NEBRASKA MOTOR VEHICLE INDUSTRY LICENSING 19 BOARD 20 Program No. 76 - Enforcement of Standards - Automotive Industry 21 22 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 23 CASH FUND 962,571 989,267 PROGRAM TOTAL 962,571 989,267 24 25 SALARY LIMIT 648,899 662,166 26 Sec. 168. AGENCY NO. 41 - STATE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION 27 Program No. 77 - Enforcement of Standards - Real Estate 28 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 29 CASH FUND 1,534,216 1,534,218 PROGRAM TOTAL 1,534,218 30 1,534,216

1	SALARY LIMIT	762,176	762,176
2	Sec. 169. AGENCY NO. 45 - E	BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS	
3	Program No. 80 - Enforcement	of Standards - Barberin	g
4		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
5	CASH FUND	199,101	199,101
6	PROGRAM TOTAL	199,101	199,101
7	SALARY LIMIT	125,579	125,579
8	Sec. 170. AGENCY NO. 46 - [	DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONA	L SERVICES
9	Program No. 200 - Operations	5	
10		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
11	GENERAL FUND	360,770,509	370,070,652
12	CASH FUND	7,586,125	2,586,125
13	FEDERAL FUND est.	2,296,659	2,296,659
14	REVOLVING FUND est.	22,931,818	23,230,740
15	PROGRAM TOTAL	393,585,111	398,184,176
16	SALARY LIMIT	225,579,347	230,461,610
17	The unexpended General Func	appropriation balance e	existing on June
18	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriate	ed.	
19	There is included in the sa	lary limitations provided	by this section

19 There is included in the salary limitations provided by this section 20 \$5,003,370 for FY2025-26 and \$5,003,370 for FY2026-27 for Revolving Fund 21 salaries for program classifications 390 and 563, that shall not be 22 limited to the amounts shown.

The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the appropriations and expenditures for this program according to the following program classifications:

26 No. 260 - Nebraska Correctional Youth Facility

27 No. 300 - Tecumseh Correctional Center

28 No. 368 - Lincoln Community Corrections Center

29 No. 369 - Omaha Community Corrections Center

30 No. 370 - Central Office

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1	No. 372 - Nebraska State Penitentiary				
2	No. 373 - Nebraska Center for Women - York				
3	No. 375 - Diagnostic and Evaluation Center				
4	No. 376 - Lincoln Correctional Center				
5	No. 377 - Omaha Correctional Center				
6	No. 386 - McCook Incarceration Work Camp				
7	No. 389 - Adult Parole Program				
8	No. 390 - Federal Surplus Property				
9	No. 391 - Reception and Treatment Center				
10	No. 495 - Department Central Warehouse				
11	No. 563 - Correctional Industries				
12	Revolving Fund expenditures shall not be limited to the amounts				
13	shown.				
14	It is intended that the Department of Correctional Services shall				
15	maintain a Department Contingency Fund and a Department Equipment Fund.				
16	16 Sec. 171. AGENCY NO. 46 - DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES				
17	Program No. 213 - Corrections Workforce Recruitment and Development				
18	FY2025-26 FY2026-27				
19	GENERAL FUND 973,465 973,465				
20	PROGRAM TOTAL 973,465 973,465				
21	Sec. 172. AGENCY NO. 46 - DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES				
22	Program No. 214 - Vocational and Life Skills				
23	FY2025-26 FY2026-27				
24	GENERAL FUND 6,251,299 6,313,029				
25	CASH FUND 4,800,000 8,300,000				
26	REVOLVING FUND 116,450 116,450				
27	PROGRAM TOTAL 11,167,749 14,729,479				
28	SALARY LIMIT 1,799,490 1,832,706				
29	(1) There is included in the appropriation to this program for				

30 FY2025-26 \$4,000,000 General Funds and \$4,800,000 Cash Funds for state 31 aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the

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appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$4,000,000 General Funds and \$8,300,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

4 (2) It is the intent of the Legislature that \$500,000 General Funds and \$500,000 Cash Funds of the amounts shown as state aid in both 5 6 FY2025-26 and FY2026-27 be awarded to organizations that provide paid preparatory training programs, preapprenticeship programs, or other paid 7 training that leads directly into a federal registered apprenticeship 8 9 program and that the grants require a minimum one-to-one cash or in-kind matching contribution. Unallocated grant funds held by the Department of 10 11 Correctional Services at the end of the fiscal year shall be reappropriated for the next fiscal year. 12

13 (3) It is the intent of the Legislature that \$4,300,000 Cash Funds 14 of the amount shown as state aid for FY2025-26 and \$7,800,000 Cash Funds of the amount shown as state aid for FY2026-27 be awarded as grants to 15 16 organizations providing the following services: Reentry and restorative justice programming for adult and juvenile offenders who are committed to 17 a facility and for adult and juvenile offenders who are released from 18 commitment; reentry centers; transitional, community, 19 and half-way housing; supportive permanent housing; wrap-around services; facility-20 including unit-based 21 based programming, programing; community corrections; front-end, middle, and back-end services and interventions; 22 23 and family support. Unallocated grant funds held by the Department of 24 Correctional Services at the end of the fiscal year shall be 25 reappropriated for the next fiscal year. It is the intent of the Legislature that grants awarded under this section, except those 26 described in subsection (2) of this section, be paid in advance on a 27 monthly basis. The Department of Correctional Services may require 28 grantees to return unused funds upon documentation that any approved 29 service is not provided or may apply such unused funds to future monthly 30 31 payments.

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LB261 2025	LB261 2025
1	(4) The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance existing on June
2	30, 2025, up to \$4,800,000, is hereby reappropriated for the purpose of
3	state aid.
4	Sec. 173. AGENCY NO. 46 - DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES
5	Program No. 725 - Building Depreciation Charges
6	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
7	GENERAL FUND 71,915 71,915
8	PROGRAM TOTAL 71,915 71,915
9	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
10	\$71,915 General Funds for state building rental depreciation charges,
11	which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the
12	appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$71,915 General Funds for
13	state building rental depreciation charges, which shall only be used for
14	such purpose.
15	Sec. 174. AGENCY NO. 46 - DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES
16	Program No. 905 - Correctional Facilities: Site Selection and
17	Planning
18	FY2025-26 FY2026-27 FUTURE
19	NEBRASKA CAPITAL
20	CONSTRUCTION FUND 135,000,000 10,000,000 -0-
21	PROGRAM TOTAL 135,000,000 10,000,000 -0-
22	The Department of Correctional Services is hereby authorized to
23	continue the process of acquiring property for, designing, constructing,
24	and developing a new multi-custody-level correctional facility with
25	capacity to house approximately one thousand five hundred twelve inmates,
26	with a mix of maximum, medium, and minimum custody beds, including site
27	selection and an option to purchase.
28	Sec. 175. AGENCY NO. 46 - DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES
29	Program No. 913 - Security System Upgrades
30	FY2025-26 FY2026-27 FUTURE
31	NEBRASKA CAPITAL

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LB261 2025	1			LB261 2025
1	CONSTRUCTION FUND	2,500,000	2,500,000	- 0 -
2	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,500,000	2,500,000	- 0 -
3	The Department of Corre	ctional Service	s is hereby author	ized to
4	upgrade security system compor	nents at various	Department of Corre	ectional
5	Services facilities statewide,	including, but	not limited to: Repl	acement
6	of door controls and perimet	er detection sy	stems, upgrade of e	existing
7	video equipment, and upgrade a	nd replacement o	of security camera sy	stems.
8	Sec. 176. AGENCY NO. 46	- DEPARTMENT OF	CORRECTIONAL SERVICE	S
9	Program No. 914 - Infrast	ructure and Main	tenance	
10	I	FY2025-26	FY2026-27	FUTURE
11	NEBRASKA CAPITAL			
12	CONSTRUCTION FUND	4,000,000	4,000,000	- 0 -
13	PROGRAM TOTAL	4,000,000	4,000,000	- 0 -
14	The Department of Corre	ctional Service	s is hereby author	ized to
15	undertake various high priori	ty infrastructu	re and maintenance p	projects
16	related to facility roofing,	electrical, bo	iler/chiller/HVAC, f	ire and
17	life safety, and other needs,	which projects	the Task Force for E	Building
18	Renewal is unable to fully add	ress.		
19	Sec. 177. AGENCY NO. 47	' – NEBRASKA EDU	CATIONAL TELECOMMUN	CATIONS
20	COMMISSION			
21	Program No. 533 - Network	Operations		
22		FY20	25-26 F	(2026-27
23	GENERAL FUND	11,00	4,854 11,	004,854
24	CASH FUND	43	9,717	571,638
25	PROGRAM TOTAL	11,44	4,571 11,	576,492
26	SALARY LIMIT	3,73	3,692 3,	810,035
27	Sec. 178. AGENCY NO. 47	' – NEBRASKA EDU	CATIONAL TELECOMMUN	CATIONS
28	COMMISSION			
29	Program No. 566 - Public	Radio		
30		FY20	25-26 F	2026-27

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LB261 2025			LB261 2025
1	GENERAL FUND	552,703	552,703
2	CASH FUND	35,935	44,528
3	PROGRAM TOTAL	588,638	597,231
4	SALARY LIMIT	176,067	181,107
5	The limitation on expend	itures for permanent	and temporary salaries
6	and per diems contained in	this section does no	t include expenditures
7	from trust funds.		
8	Sec. 179. AGENCY NO. 4	7 — NEBRASKA EDUCATIC	NAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS
9	COMMISSION		
10	Program No. 925 - Transla	ator Replacement	
11		FY2025-26 FY20	26-27 FUTURE
12	NEBRASKA CAPITAL		
13	CONSTRUCTION FUND	150,000	- 0 0 -
14	PROGRAM TOTAL	150,000	- 0 0 -
15	The Nebraska Educationa	l Telecommunications	Commission is hereby
16	authorized to convert three e	xisting VHF televisior	n translators to UHF in
17	northwestern Nebraska.		
18	Sec. 180. AGENCY NO. 48	- COORDINATING COMMIS	SION FOR POSTSECONDARY
19	EDUCATION		
20	Program No. 640 - Postseo	condary Education Coor	dination
21		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
22	GENERAL FUND	1,499,050	1,499,050
23	CASH FUND	60,828	62,298
24	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,559,878	1,561,348
25	SALARY LIMIT	1,078,501	1,107,796
26	There is included in the	appropriation to this	program for FY2025-26
27	an estimated \$115,000 Gener	al Funds and for F	Y2026-27 an estimated
28	\$115,000 General Funds for	Midwestern Higher Ed	ucation Compact state
29	membership dues.		
30	Sec. 181. AGENCY NO. 48	- COORDINATING COMMIS	SION FOR POSTSECONDARY

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1 EDUCATION 2 Program No. 690 - Nebraska Opportunity Grant Program 3 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 GENERAL FUND 4 7,093,430 7,093,430 5 CASH FUND 16,854,872 16,854,872 6 PROGRAM TOTAL 23,948,302 23,948,302 7 There are no personal services included in the appropriations in 8 this section. 9 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 10 \$7,093,430 General Funds and \$16,854,872 Cash Funds for state aid, which 11 shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$7,093,430 General Funds and 12 \$16,854,872 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such 13 14 purpose. 15 Sec. 182. AGENCY NO. 48 - COORDINATING COMMISSION FOR POSTSECONDARY 16 EDUCATION 17 Program No. 691 - Access College Early Scholarship Program 18 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 19 GENERAL FUND 1,500,000 1,500,000 PROGRAM TOTAL 20 1,500,000 1,500,000 21 There are no personal services included in the appropriations in this section. 22 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 23 \$1,500,000 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such 24 25 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 26 FY2026-27 \$1,500,000 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be 27 used for such purpose. Sec. 183. AGENCY NO. 48 - COORDINATING COMMISSION FOR POSTSECONDARY 28 EDUCATION 29

30 Program No. 692 - Higher Education Financial Aid

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FY2026-27

FY2025-26

5 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 6 \$8,000,000 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such 7 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 8 FY2026-27 \$8,000,000 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be 9 used for such purpose.

10 There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program for 11 FY2025-26 \$8,000,000 General Funds for state aid for Nebraska Career Scholarships, of which \$4,000,000 shall be allocated to community 12 13 colleges and \$4,000,000 shall be allocated to private nonprofit Nebraska 14 postsecondary institutions. There is included in the amount shown as aid 15 for this program for FY2026-27 \$8,000,000 General Funds for state aid for 16 Nebraska Career Scholarships, of which \$4,000,000 shall be allocated to 17 community colleges and \$4,000,000 shall be allocated to private nonprofit Nebraska postsecondary institutions. 18

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$4,555,200 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$4,555,200 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

Sec. 184. AGENCY NO. 48 - COORDINATING COMMISSION FOR POSTSECONDARY
 EDUCATION

26 Program No. 695 - Guaranty Recovery Program

27FY2025-26FY2026-2728CASH FUND8,0008,00029PROGRAM TOTAL8,0008,00030There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-2631\$8,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such

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PROGRAM TOTAL

180,953,505

purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 1 2 FY2026-27 \$8,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for 3 such purpose. 4 Sec. 185. AGENCY NO. 50 - BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NEBRASKA STATE 5 COLLEGES Program No. 48 - Nebraska State Colleges - System Office 6 7 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 8 GENERAL FUND 72,780,555 72,780,555 9 CASH FUND est. 45,813,892 45,813,892 FEDERAL FUND est. 52,120,000 52,120,000 10 11 REVOLVING FUND est. 10,239,058 10,239,058

(1) There is included in the appropriation to this program for
FY2025-26 \$4,240,000 General Funds for state aid for Nebraska Career
Scholarships, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is
included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$4,240,000
General Funds for state aid for Nebraska Career Scholarships, which shall
only be used for such purpose.

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19 (2) The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on
 20 June 30, 2025, from the appropriation for the Nebraska Career Scholarship
 21 program is hereby reappropriated.

(3) There is included in the appropriation to this program for
FY2025-26 \$600,000 General Funds for state aid for the Rural Health
Opportunity Program and Public Health Early Admission Student Track
scholarships. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
FY2026-27 \$600,000 General Funds for state aid for the Rural Health
Opportunity Program and Public Health Early Admission Student Track
scholarships.

(4) It is the intent of the Legislature that upon the approval of
the Board of Trustees of the Nebraska State Colleges, the System Office
of the Nebraska State Colleges may divide and distribute the funds

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appropriated to this program among Chadron State College, Peru State
 College, Wayne State College, and the System Office of the Nebraska State
 Colleges.

4 (5) It is the intent of the Legislature that Cash Fund revenue from 5 resident tuition, nonresident tuition, off-campus tuition, and fees 6 separately assessed shall be individually accounted for on the Nebraska 7 Information System.

8 (6) The Legislature reaffirms its intent to utilize the Nebraska 9 Educational Data System created by Laws 1978, LB 897, to support the 10 appropriations and oversight process for postsecondary education. It is 11 further the intent of the Legislature that all institutions provide the 12 data in the precise formats required by the Coordinating Commission for 13 Postsecondary Education.

(7) The Legislature reaffirms its commitment to long-range and 14 short-range computer planning by the Nebraska state colleges. It is the 15 intent of the Legislature that comprehensive computer plans of the 16 Nebraska state colleges be updated biennially and submitted to the 17 Legislative Fiscal Analyst, the Department of Administrative Services, 18 and the Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education on or before 19 October 15 of each odd-numbered year. The plans required to be submitted 20 to the Legislative Fiscal Analyst by this section shall be submitted 21 22 electronically.

(8) The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the
appropriations and expenditures of the Board of Trustees of the Nebraska
State Colleges, Agency No. 50-0, and the Nebraska State Colleges, Agency
Nos. 50-1, 50-3, and 50-4, according to NCHEMS-Program Classification
Structure, Second Edition. Expenditure authority shall be limited to
program appropriations.

(9) It is the intent of the Legislature for the Board of Trustees of
the Nebraska State Colleges to utilize a trust fund to record revenue and
expenses for the Corrections Workforce Development Pathway program at

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Peru State College. 1 2 Sec. 186. AGENCY NO. 50 - BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NEBRASKA STATE 3 COLLEGES 4 Program No. 903 - State College Facilities - Sports Facilities 5 Projects 6 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 FUTURE 7 CASH FUND 300,000 300,000 3,000,000 8 PROGRAM TOTAL 300,000 300,000 3,000,000 The Board of Trustees of the Nebraska State Colleges is hereby 9 10 authorized to and construct or improve facilities for renovate intercollegiate athletics and student fitness, recreation, and sport 11 12 activities at the Nebraska State Colleges. Sec. 187. AGENCY NO. 50 - BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NEBRASKA STATE 13 14 COLLEGES Program No. 919 - State College Facilities Program 15 FY2025-26 16 FY2026-27 FUTURE 17 GENERAL FUND 1,125,000 1,125,000 25,705,000 REVOLVING FUND est. 18 1,440,000 1,440,000 18,720,000 PROGRAM TOTAL 19 2,565,000 2,565,000 44,425,000 The Legislature hereby acknowledges and reaffirms the directive made 20 by sections 85-423, 85-424, and 85-425, which authorizes the Board of 21 22 Trustees of the Nebraska State Colleges to make expenditures from the State College Facilities Program exclusively for projects outlined in 23 24 section 85-424. Sec. 188. AGENCY NO. 50 - BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NEBRASKA STATE 25 26 COLLEGES Program No. 920 - Board Facilities Fee Fund Projects 27 FY2025-26 28 FY2026-27 FUTURE REVOLVING FUND est. 930,000 29 930,000 9,300,000 30 PROGRAM TOTAL 930,000 930,000 9,300,000 31 The Legislature hereby acknowledges and reaffirms provisions of

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section 85-328 which authorize amounts accumulated in the State College Facility Fee Fund to be expended for the purpose of paying the cost of capital improvement projects approved by the Board of Trustees of the Nebraska State Colleges for facilities on campuses or lands owned or controlled by the board.

6 Sec. 189. AGENCY NO. 50 - BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NEBRASKA STATE
7 COLLEGES

Program No. 933 - Chadron State College Math Science Building

9		FY2025-26	FY2026-27	FUTURE
10	GENERAL FUND	2,216,000	2,216,000	17,728,000
11	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,216,000	2,216,000	17,728,000

The board is authorized to renovate and construct an addition to the Math Science Building at Chadron State College. The amount of project costs to be met by appropriations pursuant to this section is estimated at \$24,094,000. The board is further authorized to expend such other amounts as it may secure from other sources for completion of the projects.

Beginning with the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2013, 18 and continuing through the fiscal year ending June 30, 2035, the Legislature 19 shall appropriate each fiscal year from the General Fund an amount not 20 21 less than \$2,216,000 to be used by the board to pay the costs of 22 renovating and constructing an addition to the Math Science Building at Chadron State College. The board may enter into long-term financing 23 contracts with any person, firm, or corporation for the Math Science 24 25 Building project. The payments of the costs of the projects may occur over a contract period not to extend beyond June 30, 2035. 26

The board shall not pledge the credit of the State of Nebraska for the payment of any sum owing on account of such contract, except that there may be pledged for the payment of any such contract any appropriations made by the Legislature for such purpose. No contract shall be entered into pursuant to this section without prior approval by

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resolution by the board. The board may also convey, lease, or lease back 1 2 all or any part of the Math Science Building project and the land on which such project is situated to such person, firm, or corporation as 3 4 the board may contract with pursuant to this section to facilitate the 5 long-term payment of the costs of the Math Science Building project. Any such conveyance or lease shall provide that when the costs of the Math 6 7 Science Building project have been paid, together with interest and other costs thereon, the Math Science Building project and the land on which 8 9 such project is located shall become the property of the board. The board may schedule contractual payments on a monthly, quarterly, or semiannual 10 basis consistent with the state fiscal year. On or before August 31, 11 2035, any funds appropriated from the General Fund for the project held 12 in the state treasury and held by any trustee which are not necessary to 13 14 meet the terms of any long-term financing agreements entered into pursuant to this section shall be transferred to the General Fund. 15

The Legislature finds and determines that the Math Science Building project is of critical importance to the State of Nebraska. It is the intent of the Legislature that the appropriations for the Math Science Building project shall not be reduced until all contracts and securities relating to the construction and financing of the Math Science Building project is completed or paid but in no case shall such appropriations extend beyond the fiscal year ending June 30, 2035.

No amount appropriated pursuant to this section may be applied by the board to a project or financing to complete renovation of and construction of an addition to the Math Science Building until existing financing contracts of the board related to the Rangeland Center and U.S. Conn Library projects have been provided for or paid.

28 Sec. 190. AGENCY NO. 51 - UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

29 Program No. 781 - University - Administration

30 (1) There is hereby appropriated to the Board of Regents of the31 University of Nebraska for expenditure and distribution to the campuses

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by the University of Nebraska Central Administration the following sums
 of money.

3		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
4	GENERAL FUND	684,987,715	684,987,715
5	PROGRAM TOTAL	684,987,715	684,987,715

6 (2) There is included in the appropriation to this program for 7 FY2025-26 \$8,000,000 General Funds for state aid for Nebraska Career 8 Scholarships, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is 9 included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$8,000,000 10 General Funds for state aid for Nebraska Career Scholarships, which shall 11 only be used for such purpose.

12 (3) The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on
 13 June 30, 2025, from the appropriation for the Nebraska Career Scholarship
 14 program is hereby reappropriated.

15 (4) It is intended that the University of Nebraska Central 16 Administration, upon approval of the Board of Regents of the University 17 of Nebraska, divide and distribute the funds appropriated in this section 18 among all the campuses and the central administration, including the 19 Nebraska College of Technical Agriculture at Curtis. At the direction of 20 the board, these funds may be supplemented by Cash Funds, Federal Funds, 21 Revolving Funds, and Trust Funds.

(5) There is included in the appropriation to this program for
FY2025-26 an estimated \$3,711,792 General Funds and for FY2026-27 an
estimated \$3,711,792 General Funds for the Nebraska College of Technical
Agriculture at Curtis.

(6) There is included in the appropriation to this program for
 FY2025-26 an estimated \$2,804,862 General Funds and for FY2026-27 an
 estimated \$2,804,862 General Funds for the Nebraska Forest Service
 Program.

30 (7) There is included in the appropriation to this program for
 31 FY2025-26 \$1,800,000 General Funds and for FY2026-27 \$1,800,000 General

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Funds for pediatric cancer of which \$1,500,000 per year is for pediatric
 cancer research and \$300,000 per year is for pediatric cancer
 specialists.

4 (8) There is included in the appropriation to this program \$400,000 General Funds for FY2025-26 and \$400,000 General Funds for FY2026-27 for 5 the University of Nebraska to partner with the Department of Correctional 6 Services, the regional centers, or both to develop and offer programs for 7 studying to become behavioral health professionals. Such 8 students 9 programs shall include clinical rotations at the Department of 10 Correctional Services, the regional center, or both, clinical supervision, stipends, and student coordination and recruitment services. 11 The University of Nebraska shall include a report on the outcomes of such 12 13 recruitment efforts with its biennial budget request submitted in 2026 14 and 2028. The reports shall include information on whether the students that participated in the clinical rotations subsequently worked in 15 16 Nebraska as behavioral health professionals.

17 (9) There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$500,000 General Funds for the Robert B. Daugherty Water for 18 Food Global Institute to support water and agricultural research and 19 existing collaborative initiatives to implement best practices in water 20 conservation. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 21 FY2026-27 \$500,000 General Funds for the Robert B. Daugherty Water for 22 Food Global Institute to support water and agricultural research and 23 24 existing collaborative initiatives to implement best practices in water 25 conservation.

(10) There is included in the appropriation to this program for
FY2025-26 \$5,000,000 General Funds and for FY2026-27 \$5,000,000 General
Funds for the Behavioral Health Education Center of Nebraska.

(11) It is the intent of the Legislature that the Institute of
 Agriculture and Natural Resources and the Cooperative Extension Service
 are treated fairly in the University of Nebraska 2025-2027 biennial

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1 budget-setting process.

2 (12)(a) There is included in the appropriation to this program for the Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska for FY2025-26 an 3 4 estimated \$11,719,478 General Funds and for FY2026-27 an estimated 5 \$11,719,478 General Funds, to be administered by Central Administration, for the purpose of targeted research activities at the University of 6 7 Nebraska. It is intended that none of these funds be used for new capital construction or renovation, except that a small portion may be used for 8 9 short-term cash flow. Further, it is intended that an estimated \$315,291 10 of the estimated \$11,719,478 for FY2025-26 and an estimated \$315,291 of the estimated \$11,719,478 for FY2026-27 be used in conjunction with the 11 Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (EPSCoR) which is 12 expected to have an increased emphasis on applied research and technology 13 14 transfer.

is intended that faculty teams, research centers, 15 (b) It or individual faculty from the various colleges and departments of all of 16 17 the campuses of the University of Nebraska should present research 18 proposals to the Research Fund Advisory Committee and Central 19 Administration for the various targeted research areas after the FY2025-26 appropriation has been made but prior to August 15, 2025. 20 Inherent in this process is the concept that the best proposals be 21 selected regardless of the campus of origin and that selections be made 22 on a competitive basis. 23

24 (c) It is intended for the EPSCoR Program that faculty teams, 25 clusters, research centers, or individual faculty from the various colleges and departments of all of the campuses of the University of 26 Nebraska and Creighton University should present to the EPSCoR Planning 27 28 Committee research proposals to be funded by the EPSCoR Program. Inherent in this process is the concept that the best proposals be selected 29 regardless of the campus of origin and that selections be made on a 30 competitive basis. Emphasis shall be placed on technology transfer and 31

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the research needs of business and industry. It is intended that the 1 2 EPSCoR Planning Committee shall continue to develop the Nebraska State Science and Technology Transfer Plan as part of the EPSCoR Program. It is 3 4 further intended that the existing Research Fund Advisory Committee and the existing EPSCoR Planning Committee coordinate and integrate the 5 planning and project evaluation criteria and procedures for both the 6 Nebraska Research Initiative Program and the EPSCoR Program. Matching 7 funds for any research grants to Creighton University shall be in the 8 9 form of a contract in which specific services are identified and a time 10 period is specified. Creighton University shall provide an appropriate share of any match. 11

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(13) It is intended that:

(a) The University of Nebraska shall report its expenditures on the
Allotment Status Report and Regular Budget Status Report according to its
internal operational and organizational structure, subject to approval by
the Accounting Administrator and the budget administrator of the budget
division of the Department of Administrative Services;

(b) The University of Nebraska shall report its expenditures on the 18 19 Program Classification Expenditure Report in the NCHEMS-Program Classification Structure, Second Edition, subject to approval by the 20 Accounting Administrator and the budget administrator of the budget 21 22 division of the Department of Administrative Services;

(c) The University of Nebraska shall submit the budget request in
the NCHEMS-Program Classification Structure, Second Edition, for the
University of Nebraska-Lincoln with an informational budget request for
the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources, University of
Nebraska at Omaha, University of Nebraska Medical Center, University of
Nebraska at Kearney, Nebraska College of Technical Agriculture at Curtis,
and University of Nebraska Central Administration;

30 (d) Comprehensive computer plans at the University of Nebraska shall
31 be biennially updated and submitted to the Legislative Fiscal Analyst and

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to the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services on or
 before September 1 of odd-numbered years; and

3 (e) The Nebraska Educational Data System created by Laws 1978, LB 4 897, shall be utilized to support the appropriations and oversight process for postsecondary education. It is further the intent of the 5 Legislature that all institutions shall provide the data in the precise 6 7 formats required by the Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education and that any expenditure of General Funds on the development of 8 9 new information systems, including any student information system, meet the requirements of the Nebraska Educational Data System as determined by 10 the Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education. 11

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Program No. 906 - NU Facilities Renewal

Sec. 191. AGENCY NO. 51 - UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

14		FY2025-26	FY2026-27	FUTURE
15	GENERAL FUND	4,462,928	4,462,928	102,647,344
16	PROGRAM TOTAL	4,462,928	4,462,928	102,647,344

(1) It is the intent of the Legislature that after the terms of any
long-term financing agreements have been met for the Nebraska College of
Technical Agriculture at Curtis Education Center, the annual \$820,000
General Fund appropriation as contained in Laws 2017, LB 330, section 35,
be continued through 2050. The annual \$820,000 General Fund appropriation
shall be used for renewal, renovations, or repair of existing university
facilities.

(2) It is the intent of the Legislature that after the terms of any 24 long-term financing agreements have been met for the College of Nursing 25 the annual \$1,477,000 General Fund 26 Building -Lincoln Division, appropriation as contained in Laws 2017, LB 330, section 37, be continued 27 28 through 2050. The annual \$1,477,000 General Fund appropriation shall be 29 used for renewal, renovations, or repair of existing university 30 facilities.

31 (3) The Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska may enter

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into long-term financing contracts with any person, firm, or corporation 1 to finance university facilities. The Board of Regents may also convey, 2 lease, or lease back all or any part of the university facilities and the 3 4 land on which any such facility is situated to such person, firm, or corporation as the Board of Regents may contract with pursuant to this 5 section to facilitate the long-term payment of the cost of the 6 facilities. Any such conveyance or lease shall provide that when the cost 7 of the facility has been paid, together with interest and other costs 8 9 thereon, the facility and the land on which such facility is located shall become the property of the Board of Regents. The Board of Regents 10 may schedule contractual payments on a monthly, quarterly, or semiannual 11 basis consistent with the state fiscal year. 12

(4) Payment of the costs of the renewal, renovation, or repair of existing university facilities for which the General Fund appropriations described in this section are identified as a repayment source may occur over a contract period not to extend beyond June 30, 2062. The Board of Regents shall not pledge the credit of the State of Nebraska for any such contract, except that there may be pledged for payment of any such contract any appropriations made by the Legislature for such purpose.

(5) It is the intent of the Legislature that the appropriations described in this section shall not be reduced until all contracts and securities relating to the construction and financing of the facilities are completed or paid but in no case shall such appropriations extend beyond the fiscal year ending June 30, 2062.

(6) The Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska, as part of the capital construction budget request, shall include the status of completed and ongoing projects utilizing state funding under this program, and a list of projects planned for the next five years.

(7) The Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska shall provide
to the Task Force for Building Renewal semiannual reports concerning the
status of each project receiving funding from this program.

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1	Sec. 192. AGENCY NO.	51 - UNIVERSITY OF	F NEBRASKA	
2	Program No. 920 - Univ			ogram
3		FY2025-26	FY2026-27	FUTURE
4	GENERAL FUND	13,500,000	13,500,000	526,055,136
5	CASH FUND est.	18,000,000	18,000,000	630,000,000
6	PROGRAM TOTAL	31,500,000	31,500,000	1,156,055,136
7	The Legislature hereby	/ acknowledges and	reaffirms the	directive made
8	by sections 85-420, 85-42	1, and 85-422, wh	nich authorizes	the Board of
9	Regents to make expenditur	es from appropria	ted funds for	the University
10	of Nebraska Facilities Pro	ogram exclusively	for projects	as outlined in
11	section 85-421.			
12	Sec. 193. AGENCY NO.	52 – NEBRASKA STA	TE FAIR BOARD	
13	Program No. 694 - Stat	e Fair Support and	d Improvement	
14		FY2	2025-26	FY2026-27
15	CASH FUND est.	4,5	500,000	4,500,000
16	PROGRAM TOTAL	4,5	500,000	4,500,000
17	Cash Fund expenditures	s shall not be lim:	ited to the amo	unt shown.
18	Sec. 194. AGENCY NO.	53 - REAL PROPERTY	Y APPRAISER BOA	RD
19	Program No. 79 - Appra	iser Licensing		
20		FY2	2025-26	FY2026-27
21	CASH FUND	4	144,285	444,285
22	PROGRAM TOTAL	4	144,285	444,285
23	SALARY LIMIT	2	250,218	257,042
24	It is the intent of	the Legislature t	hat the agency	complies with
25	the provisions of section	s 76-2226 and 76	-3219 on the a	allowed use of
26	money in the Real Property	y Appraiser Fund	and the Apprai	sal Management
27	Company Fund.			
28	Sec. 195. AGENCY NO.	54 – NEBRASKA STA	TE HISTORICAL S	OCIETY
29	Program No. 561 - Semi	quincentennial Cor	nmission	
30		FY2	2025-26	FY2026-27

LB261 2025	LB261 2025
1	CASH FUND 20,000 20,000
2	PROGRAM TOTAL 20,000 20,000
3	Sec. 196. AGENCY NO. 54 - NEBRASKA STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY
4	Program No. 648 - Nebraska State Historical Society
5	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
6	GENERAL FUND 5,286,038 5,286,038
7	CASH FUND 3,095,254 3,262,427
8	FEDERAL FUND est. 966,850 993,771
9	PROGRAM TOTAL 9,348,142 9,542,236
10	SALARY LIMIT 5,108,247 5,108,247
11	The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the
12	appropriations and expenditures for this program according to the
13	following program classifications:
14	No. 43 - Departmental Administration
15	No. 258 - Library/Archives Division
16	No. 541 - Museum Operation
17	No. 542 - Branch Museums
18	No. 543 - Archeology Division
19	No. 552 - Historic Preservation
20	No. 632 - Hall of Fame Commission
21	No. 647 - Skeletal Remains Protection
22	No. 653 - Gerald R. Ford Conservation Center
23	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
24	\$100,000 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used
25	for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program
26 27	for FY2026-27 \$100,000 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.
27	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
20	\$25,000 General Funds and for FY2026-27 \$25,000 General Funds to carry
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31 Skeletal Remains Protection Act, which shall only be used for such

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out obligations of the agency under the Unmarked Human Burial Sites and

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purpose. 1 2 It is the intent of the Legislature that the Nebraska State Historical Society shall continue to budget and account for each of the 3 4 branch museums at the subprogram level within this program. 5 shall only be expended Appropriations for the operation, construction, maintenance, or repair of a gift of real property after 6 7 that property has been approved for acceptance by the Governor and the Legislature as required under section 81-1108.33. 8 9 Sec. 197. AGENCY NO. 56 - NEBRASKA WHEAT DEVELOPMENT, UTILIZATION, 10 AND MARKETING BOARD Program No. 381 - Nebraska Wheat Development, Utilization, and 11 Marketing Board 12 13 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 14 CASH FUND 1,637,900 1,645,281 PROGRAM TOTAL 1,637,900 1,645,281 15 SALARY LIMIT 254,428 260,496 16 17 Sec. 198. AGENCY NO. 57 - NEBRASKA OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION 18 Program No. 335 - Oil and Gas Conservation 19 20 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 GENERAL FUND -0-21 -0-1,419,099 CASH FUND 22 1,446,477 FEDERAL FUND est. 96,730 109,277 23 PROGRAM TOTAL 1,515,829 1,555,754 24 SALARY LIMIT 25 938,140 963,493 26 Sec. 199. AGENCY NO. 58 - BOARD OF ENGINEERS AND ARCHITECTS 27 Program No. 82 - Enforcement of Standards - Engineers and Architects 28 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 CASH FUND 953,937 29 953,937 PROGRAM TOTAL 953,937 953,937 30

LB261 LB261 2025 2025 1 SALARY LIMIT 511,444 523,633 2 Sec. 200. AGENCY NO. 59 - BOARD OF GEOLOGISTS Program No. 159 - Enforcement of Standards - Geologists 3 4 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 CASH FUND 5 35,324 35,892 PROGRAM TOTAL 6 35,324 35,892 7 Sec. 201. AGENCY NO. 60 - NEBRASKA ETHANOL BOARD Program No. 516 - Ethanol 8 9 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 CASH FUND 800,128 10 817,925 PROGRAM TOTAL 800,128 817,925 11 12 SALARY LIMIT 311,321 321,661 Sec. 202. AGENCY NO. 61 - NEBRASKA DAIRY INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT BOARD 13 14 Program No. 114 - Nebraska Dairy Industry Development Board 15 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 CASH FUND 1,640,000 16 1,640,000 PROGRAM TOTAL 1,640,000 1,640,000 17 18 Sec. 203. AGENCY NO. 62 - STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR LAND 19 SURVEYORS 20 Program No. 83 - Enforcement of Standards - Land Surveyors FY2025-26 21 FY2026-27 22 CASH FUND 30,874 30,874 23 PROGRAM TOTAL 30,874 30,874 24 AGENCY NO. 63 - NEBRASKA STATE BOARD OF PUBLIC Sec. 204. ACCOUNTANCY 25 26 Program No. 84 - Enforcement of Standards - Public Accountancy 27 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 CASH FUND 480,274 480,274 28 29 **PROGRAM TOTAL** 480,274 480,274 SALARY LIMIT 251,334 258,286 30

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1	Sec. 205. AGENCY NO. 64 - NEBRASKA STATE PATRO	-
2	Program No. 100 - Public Protection	
3	FY2025-26	FY2026-27
4	GENERAL FUND 89,325,513	89,325,513
5	CASH FUND 11,016,211	11,121,869
6	FEDERAL FUND est. 1,032,003	1,177,933
7	PROGRAM TOTAL 101,373,727	101,625,315
8	SALARY LIMIT 59,355,500	60,798,108
9	The unexpended General Fund appropriation bala	nce existing on June

10 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.

11 The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the 12 appropriations and expenditures for this program according to the 13 following program classifications:

14 No. 189 - Command and Support

15 No. 190 - Criminal Investigations

16 No. 195 - Road Operations

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 17 \$150,000 General Funds and \$100,000 Federal Funds from the Byrne Criminal 18 19 History Improvement set-aside funds, subject to available federal 20 appropriation, which shall only be expended for criminal justice 21 information systems improvements. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$150,000 General Funds and \$100,000 Federal 22 23 Funds from the Byrne Criminal History Improvement set-aside funds, subject to available federal appropriation, which shall only be expended 24 25 for criminal justice information systems improvements. Federal Funds 26 transferred to the Nebraska State Patrol pursuant to this section shall 27 be expended consistent with all applicable federal laws, rules, and regulations pertaining to Byrne Criminal History Improvement set-aside 28 29 funds.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 31 \$489,979 Cash Funds and for FY2026-27 \$489,979 Cash Funds, which

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appropriation amounts shall only be expended to provide law enforcement 1 2 coverage along state road construction zones. The Department of Transportation shall contract with the Nebraska State Patrol for such law 3 enforcement coverage and shall pay for such services from the Roads 4 5 Operations Cash Fund to the Nebraska State Patrol Cash Fund in four equal quarterly amounts to be transferred by the State Treasurer on or before 6 July 15, October 15, January 15, and April 15, for both FY2025-26 and 7 8 FY2026-27. 9 Sec. 206. AGENCY NO. 64 - NEBRASKA STATE PATROL 10 Program No. 205 - Carrier Enforcement FY2025-26 11 FY2026-27 12 CASH FUND 13,317,621 13,645,196 13 FEDERAL FUND est. 4,169,061 4,317,543 14 PROGRAM TOTAL 17,486,682 17,962,739 15 SALARY LIMIT 11,126,470 11,358,533 16 Sec. 207. AGENCY NO. 64 - NEBRASKA STATE PATROL 17 Program No. 325 - Operational Improvements FY2025-26 FY2026-27 18 CASH FUND 19 1,900,380 1,893,380 20 PROGRAM TOTAL 1,900,380 1,893,380 21 SALARY LIMIT 53,400 53,440 Expenditures from this program shall be restricted to the Public 22 23 Safety Cash Fund, the Treasury Agency Forfeitures Cash Fund, and the

Nebraska State Patrol Drug Control and Education Cash Fund. These Cash 24 Funds shall not be expended from any other budget programs, except that 25 26 the Public Safety Cash Fund may also be expended from administratively 27 created budget Program No. 575, for the purpose of providing the required state match for federal Byrne grants awarded to the Nebraska State Patrol 28 29 and from Program No. 850 for the Nebraska Public Safety Communication 30 System. Expenditures from these two Cash Funds shall be made from separate budget subprograms. 31

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1 As funds become available, the Superintendent of Law Enforcement and 2 Public Safety shall submit proposed lists of projects in writing to the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services, which shall 3 4 forward them to the Governor for approval or rejection, except that no new projects shall be submitted by the superintendent or approved by the 5 Governor during FY2025-26 or FY2026-27 until the Nebraska State Patrol 6 7 has first reserved the full Cash Fund appropriations and Cash Fund balances necessary to completely meet all active and outstanding 8 9 operational improvement project balances remaining unexpended as of June 10 30, 2025.

11 Sec. 208. AGENCY NO. 64 – NEBRASKA STATE PATROL

12 Program No. 630 - State Capitol Security

13		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
14	GENERAL FUND	294,568	294,568
15	REVOLVING FUND	1,986,146	2,052,504
16	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,280,714	2,347,072
17	SALARY LIMIT	1,318,550	1,353,911

18 The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June19 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.

Any security agreements entered into by the Nebraska State Patrol, on behalf of the state capitol security division, shall require that all such revenue be credited directly to the Capitol Security Revolving Fund.

For budgeting purposes only, the amount of projected revenue to be received from security agreements entered into by the Nebraska State Patrol, on behalf of the state capitol security division, to be credited directly to the Capitol Security Revolving Fund is estimated to be \$532,460 for FY2025-26 and \$532,460 for FY2026-27.

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28 Sec. 209. AGENCY NO. 64 - NEBRASKA STATE PATROL

29 Program No. 850 - Nebraska Public Safety Communication System

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31 GENERAL FUND

1,119,592

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1,119,592

LB261 2025			LB261 2025
1	CASH FUND	5,976,771	5,575,496
2	PROGRAM TOTAL	7,096,363	6,695,088
3	SALARY LIMIT	251,250	257,968
4	The unexpended General Fund	d appropriation balar	nce existing on June
5	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriat	ed.	
6	Sec. 210. AGENCY NO. 65 - 1	DEPARTMENT OF ADMINIS	TRATIVE SERVICES
7	Program No. 49 - Departmenta	al Administration	
8		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
9	REVOLVING FUND	4,833,238	4,952,481
10	PROGRAM TOTAL	4,833,238	4,952,481
11	SALARY LIMIT	3,005,195	3,070,326
12	Sec. 211. AGENCY NO. 65 - I	DEPARTMENT OF ADMINIS	TRATIVE SERVICES
13	Program No. 171 - Materiel I	Division	
14		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
15	CASH FUND	98,999	99,301
16	REVOLVING FUND	18,926,579	19,216,380
17	PROGRAM TOTAL	19,025,578	19,315,681
18	SALARY LIMIT	3,849,129	3,922,782
19	Sec. 212. AGENCY NO. 65 - DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES		
20	Program No. 174 - OCIO Opera	ations	
21		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
22	REVOLVING FUND	136,998,838	138,293,749
23	PROGRAM TOTAL	136,998,838	138,293,749
24	SALARY LIMIT	33,152,697	34,114,867
25	The Department of Admin:	istrative Services	shall monitor the
26	appropriations and expenditure	s for this agency	for FY2025-26 and
27	FY2026-27 according to the follo	wing program classifi	cations:
28	No. 101 - Chief Information	Officer	
29	No. 170 - Statewide Computer	r Network	
30	No. 172 - Information Manage	ement Services	

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LB261 2025			LB261 2025
1	No. 173 - Communications [	Division	
2	No. 245 - Public Safety Co	ommunications System	
3	Sec. 213. AGENCY NO. 65 -	- DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATI	VE SERVICES
4	Program No. 180 - Transpor	tation Services Bureau	
5		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
6	REVOLVING FUND	11,984,662	12,298,179
7	PROGRAM TOTAL	11,984,662	12,298,179
8	SALARY LIMIT	689,004	707,948
9	Sec. 214. AGENCY NO. 65 -	- DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATI	VE SERVICES
10	Program No. 509 - Budget [	Division	
11		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
12	GENERAL FUND	1,990,412	1,990,412
13	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,990,412	1,990,412
14	SALARY LIMIT	1,468,424	1,495,047
15	5 The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June		
16	30, 2025, is hereby reappropria	ated.	
17	Sec. 215. AGENCY NO. 65 - DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES		
18	Program No. 535 - Risk Mar	nagement Division	
19		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
20	REVOLVING FUND	531,759	537,911
21	PROGRAM TOTAL	531,759	537,911
22	SALARY LIMIT	221,575	225,387
23	Sec. 216. AGENCY NO. 65 -	- DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATI	VE SERVICES
24	Program No. 560 - State Bu	uilding Division	
25		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
26	GENERAL FUND	230,055	230,055
27	CASH FUND	933,457	933,457
28	REVOLVING FUND	93,130,995	53,684,224
29	PROGRAM TOTAL	94,474,507	54,847,736
30	SALARY LIMIT	8,892,234	9,081,703

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1 Charges assessed by the Department of Administrative Services 2 pursuant to provisions of subdivision (4)(b) of section 81-1108.17 for the Ferguson House shall not annually exceed an amount calculated as 3 4 follows: 5 (1) Multiply the insured replacement value of the Ferguson House 6 property by two one-hundredths; 7 (2) Divide the amount of tenant-occupied gross square feet of Ferguson House space by the Ferguson House gross square feet of total 8 9 space; and 10 (3) Multiply the amount computed in subdivision (1) of this section by the amount computed in subdivision (2) of this section. 11 Sec. 217. AGENCY NO. 65 - DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES 12 Program No. 567 - Accounting Division 13 FY2025-26 14 FY2026-27 15 REVOLVING FUND 11,362,362 11,491,507 PROGRAM TOTAL 11,362,362 11,491,507 16 17 SALARY LIMIT 3,301,541 3,381,197 Sec. 218. AGENCY NO. 65 - DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES 18 Program No. 573 - Task Force for Building Renewal 19 20 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 CASH FUND 21 596,354 608,371 22 PROGRAM TOTAL 596,354 608,371 23 SALARY LIMIT 419,140 426,813 24 Sec. 219. AGENCY NO. 65 - DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES 25 Program No. 591 - Tort Claims 26 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 27 GENERAL FUND 210,000 210,000 170,000 28 CASH FUND 170,000 PROGRAM TOTAL 380,000 380,000 29 (1) The following amounts are hereby transferred to the Tort Claims 30

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1 Fund from the respective agency fund balances: 2 (a) \$797 from the Nebraska Brand Committee; (b) \$4,487 from the Department of Motor Vehicles; 3 4 (c) \$22,691 from the Game and Parks Commission; 5 (d) \$30,934 from the Department of Transportation; and (e) \$660 from the Board of Trustees of the Nebraska State Colleges. 6 7 Such sum shall be transferred to the risk management and state claims division no later than August 1, 2025, or in four equal payments 8 9 on August 1, October 1, January 1, and April 1, at the discretion of the 10 Risk Manager. (2) The following amounts are hereby transferred to the Tort Claims 11 Fund from the respective agency fund balances: 12 13 (a) \$797 from the Nebraska Brand Committee; (b) \$4,487 from the Department of Motor Vehicles; 14 (c) \$22,691 from the Game and Parks Commission; 15 (d) \$30,934 from the Department of Transportation; and 16 17 (e) \$660 from the Board of Trustees of the Nebraska State Colleges. Such sum shall be transferred to the risk management and state 18 claims division no later than August 1, 2026, or in four equal payments 19 on August 1, October 1, January 1, and April 1, at the discretion of the 20 21 Risk Manager. 22 It is the intent of the Legislature that transfers specified in this section for FY2026-27 be adjusted by the One Hundred Ninth Legislature, 23 24 Second Session, 2026, in accordance with information available after July 25 1, 2025. Sec. 220. AGENCY NO. 65 - DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES 26 Program No. 592 - Indemnification Claims 27 28 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 29 GENERAL FUND 750,000 750,000 30 **REVOLVING FUND** 150,000 150,000 PROGRAM TOTAL 900,000 900,000 31

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1	Sec. 221. AGENCY NO. 65 - DE	PARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIV	E SERVICES
2	Program No. 593 - Workers' Co	mpensation Claims	
3		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
4	REVOLVING FUND	22,952,296	22,952,296
5	PROGRAM TOTAL	22,952,296	22,952,296

6 It is the intent of the Legislature that state agencies, boards, and commissions make the workers' compensation insurance premium payments to 7 the Workers' Compensation Claims Revolving Fund, which are hereby 8 appropriated for FY2025-26 in this program under the authority of 9 sections 81-8,239.02 and 81-8,239.03, to the risk management and state 10 claims division no later than August 1, 2025, or in four equal payments 11 on August 1, October 1, January 1, and April 1, at the discretion of the 12 13 Risk Manager.

14 It is the intent of the Legislature that state agencies, boards, and commissions make the workers' compensation insurance premium payments to 15 the Workers' Compensation Claims Revolving Fund, which are hereby 16 appropriated for FY2026-27 in this program under the authority of 17 sections 81-8,239.02 and 81-8,239.03, to the risk management and state 18 claims division no later than August 1, 2026, or in four equal payments 19 on August 1, October 1, January 1, and April 1, at the discretion of the 20 21 Risk Manager.

22 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 an amount not to exceed \$25,000 Revolving Funds, which may be used to 23 24 contract for rehabilitation services to assist worker rehabilitation in relation to workers' compensation cases. There is included in the 25 appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 an amount not to exceed 26 \$25,000 Revolving Funds, which may be used to contract for rehabilitation 27 28 services to assist worker rehabilitation in relation to workers' 29 compensation cases.

Sec. 222. AGENCY NO. 65 - DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES 30 Program No. 594 - State Insurance 31

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1		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
2	REVOLVING FUND	13,544,411	13,544,411
3	PROGRAM TOTAL	13,544,411	13,544,411
4	Sec. 223. AGENCY NO. 65	- DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATI	VE SERVICES
5	Program No. 605 - Personn	el Division	
6		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
7	GENERAL FUND	1,592,263	1,592,263
8	REVOLVING FUND	9,549,565	9,549,565
9	PROGRAM TOTAL	11,141,828	11,141,828
10	SALARY LIMIT	8,525,582	8,796,060
11	Sec. 224. AGENCY NO. 65	- DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATI	VE SERVICES
12	Program No. 606 - Benefit	s Administration	
13		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
14	CASH FUND	2,737,174	2,761,274
15	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,737,174	2,761,274
16	SALARY LIMIT	397,528	409,119
17	Sec. 225. AGENCY NO. 65	- DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATI	VE SERVICES
18	Program No. 608 - Employe	e Relations Division	
19		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
20	GENERAL FUND	374,437	374,437
21	PROGRAM TOTAL	374,437	374,437
22	SALARY LIMIT	275,024	282,830
23	The unexpended General F	und appropriation balance ex	xisting on June
24	30, 2025, is hereby reappropri	ated.	
25	Sec. 226. AGENCY NO. 65	- DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATI	VE SERVICES
26	Program No. 685 - Office	of the Nebraska Capitol Comm	ission
27		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
28	GENERAL FUND	5,154,156	5,450,812
29	CASH FUND	60,243	60,243
30	REVOLVING FUND	4,750	4,750

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LB261 LB261 2025 2025 1 PROGRAM TOTAL 5,219,149 5,517,686 2 SALARY LIMIT 1,861,349 1,900,608 The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June 3 4 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated. It is the intent of the Legislature that any reappropriated balance, other than Capitol Heating, Ventilating, 5 6 and Air Conditioning Systems Replacement project manager reappropriation, 7 be used for unexpected increases in utility expenses. Sec. 227. AGENCY NO. 65 - DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES 8 Program No. 922 - Capitol Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning 9 10 Systems Replacement 11 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 FUTURE 12 NEBRASKA CAPITAL 13 CONSTRUCTION FUND 5,886,886 -0--0-14 PROGRAM TOTAL 5,886,886 -0--0-The Legislature hereby acknowledges and reaffirms the directive made 15 16 by Laws 2014, LB905, which authorizes the Office of the Nebraska Capitol 17 Commission to continue planning for and undertake replacement of the 18 existing heating, ventilating, and air conditioning systems serving the 19 Nebraska State Capitol as well as associated infrastructure, fire 20 protection, life safety, and architectural improvements identified in the Nebraska State Capitol HVAC Master Plan Amendment, dated September 20, 21 2013. The Legislature hereby acknowledges and reaffirms its intent to 22 23 appropriate future amounts from the General Fund for completion of the project as follows: \$5,886,886 for FY2025-26. The total project cost, 24 25 including the appropriation in Program number 685 for the Capitol Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning Systems Replacement project 26 27 manager, shall not exceed \$131,296,113. 28 Sec. 228. AGENCY NO. 65 - DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES 29 Program No. 940 - Task Force for Building Renewal

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 FY2025-26
 FY2026-27
 FUTURE

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 CASH FUND
 21,273,930
 21,273,930
 42,547,860

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1 PROGRAM TOTAL 21,273,930 21,273,930 42,547,860 2 The Legislature hereby acknowledges and reaffirms the directive made 3 by section 77-2602, which is to place amounts from the special privilege tax on cigarettes in the Building Renewal Allocation Fund for FY1997-98 4 and continuing each fiscal year until all the purposes of the Deferred 5 Building Renewal Act have been fulfilled. The Legislature hereby further 6 acknowledges and reaffirms directives made by sections 81-188.01, 7 8 81-188.03, and 81-188.05 to utilize amounts from certain depreciation 9 charges credited to the State Building Renewal Assessment Fund, University Building Renewal Assessment Fund, and State College Building 10 Renewal Assessment Fund for purposes as provided in the Deferred Building 11 Renewal Act. 12

The appropriation to this program is for the purpose of carrying out 13 the provisions of the Deferred Building Renewal Act which includes 14 deferred repair, fire and life safety projects, and compliance with the 15 federal Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990. Funds may also be 16 17 spent on projects related to energy conservation. There is hereby appropriated any available federal funds, plus investment income thereon, 18 for this program for FY2025-26 and FY2026-27. There is included in the 19 appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 an amount not to exceed 20 \$200,000 cash funds and for FY2026-27 an amount not to exceed \$200,000 21 cash funds for building maintenance and renewal training, roof scans and 22 other testing procedures, and consulting work. 23

The funds appropriated in this section for actual deferred repair, fire and life safety, compliance with the federal Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and energy conservation shall be matched by federal, private, and agency General, Cash, and Revolving Funds as determined by the Task Force for Building Renewal.

None of the funds appropriated to this program shall be used for operating budget compliance with the federal Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. Expenditures for deferred repair, fire and life safety

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projects, and compliance with the federal Americans with Disabilities Act 1 2 of 1990 may be made through the same program on the Allotment Status Report in the Nebraska Information System, except that expenditures for 3 4 deferred repair, fire and life safety projects, and compliance with the 5 federal Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 shall each be kept separate by subprogram on the Budget Status Report in the Nebraska 6 7 Information System or through the use of the Grant Project Status Report or some other accounting mechanism. 8 9 Sec. 229. AGENCY NO. 66 - ABSTRACTERS BOARD OF EXAMINERS 10 Program No. 58 - Enforcement of Standards - Abstracters FY2025-26 11 FY2026-27 12 CASH FUND 56,266 56,266 13 PROGRAM TOTAL 56,266 56,266 32,066 SALARY LIMIT 14 32,066 15 Sec. 230. AGENCY NO. 67 - EQUAL OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION 16 Program No. 59 - Enforcement of Standards 17 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 18 GENERAL FUND 1,456,854 1,456,854 FEDERAL FUND est. 19 1,088,807 1,111,829 20 PROGRAM TOTAL 2,545,661 2,568,683 21 SALARY LIMIT 1,629,196 1,670,767 22 Sec. 231. AGENCY NO. 68 - COMMISSION ON LATINO-AMERICANS Program No. 537 - Commission on Latino-Americans 23 24 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 25 GENERAL FUND 299,086 299,086 5,000 26 CASH FUND 5,000 27 PROGRAM TOTAL 304,086 304,086 SALARY LIMIT 209,164 28 209,164 29 The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated. 30

1	Sec. 232. AGENCY NO. 69	– NEBRASKA ARTS COUNCIL	
2	Program No. 326 - Promoti	on and Development of the Arts	5
3		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
4	GENERAL FUND	779,570	779,570
5	CASH FUND	72,669	85,719
6	FEDERAL FUND est.	236,640	253,233
7	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,088,879	1,118,522
8	SALARY LIMIT	715,126	732,924
9	Sec. 233. AGENCY NO. 69	– NEBRASKA ARTS COUNCIL	
10	Program No. 327 - Aid to	the Arts	
11		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
12	GENERAL FUND	1,849,209	1,849,209
13	CASH FUND	325,000	325,000
14	FEDERAL FUND est.	545,800	545,800
15	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,720,009	2,720,009
10	There is included in the		

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$1,849,209 General Funds, \$314,000 Cash Funds, and \$545,800 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$1,849,209 General Funds, \$314,000 Cash Funds, and \$545,800 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for this program \$943,863 General Funds for FY2025-26 and \$943,863 General Funds for FY2026-27 for a competitive grant program as provided for in subdivision (1)(h) of section 82-313.

26	Sec. 234. AGENCY NO. 69	– NEBRASKA ARTS COUNCIL	
27	Program No. 329 - Arts ar	nd Humanities Preservation	
28		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
29	CASH FUND	1,452,022	1,454,348
30	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,452,022	1,454,348

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1 SALARY LIMIT 48,251 50,271 2 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$1,372,500 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such 3 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 4 FY2026-27 \$1,372,500 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used 5 for such purpose. 6 7 The budget division of the Department of Administrative Services 8 shall only allot state aid funds appropriated to this program if the 9 Nebraska Arts Council provides evidence of dollar-for-dollar matching funds derived from nonstate sources, as required in section 82-332. 10 Sec. 235. AGENCY NO. 70 - FOSTER CARE REVIEW OFFICE 11 Program No. 116 - Foster Care Review Office 12 13 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 14 GENERAL FUND 2,586,432 2,586,432 15 CASH FUND 5,700 5,700 FEDERAL FUND est. 16 521,561 521,561 17 PROGRAM TOTAL 3,113,693 3,113,693 18 SALARY LIMIT 2,056,067 2,056,067 19 Sec. 236. AGENCY NO. 70 - FOSTER CARE REVIEW OFFICE Program No. 317 - Court Appointed Special Advocate State Aid 20 21 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 22 GENERAL FUND 500,000 500,000 23 PROGRAM TOTAL 500,000 500,000 24 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$500,000 General Funds for court appointed special advocate state aid, 25 26 which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$500,000 General Funds for 27 28 court appointed special advocate state aid, which shall only be used for 29 such purpose.

30 Sec. 237. AGENCY NO. 70 - FOSTER CARE REVIEW OFFICE
 31 Program No. 353 - Nebraska Children's Commission

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1		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
2	CASH FUND	208,894	208,894
3	PROGRAM TOTAL	208,894	208,894
4	SALARY LIMIT	124,136	124,136
5	There is included in th	he appropriation to this	program for FY2025-26

6 \$208,894 Cash Funds and for FY2026-27 \$208,894 Cash Funds from the
7 Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund.

Sec. 238. AGENCY NO. 72 - DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
 Program No. 601 - Community and Rural Development

10		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
11	GENERAL FUND	6,064,942	6,064,942
12	CASH FUND	26,027,460	26,075,071
13	FEDERAL FUND est.	54,570,835	54,629,094
14	PROGRAM TOTAL	86,663,237	86,769,107
15	SALARY LIMIT	3,327,827	3,379,850

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$5,350,762 General Funds, \$23,429,410 Cash Funds, and \$50,530,110 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$5,350,762 General Funds, \$23,429,410 Cash Funds, and \$50,530,110 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for FY2025-26 \$470,000 General Funds to provide aid funding to development districts formed under sections 13-1901 to 13-1907. There is included in the amount shown as aid for FY2026-27 \$470,000 General Funds to provide aid funding to development districts formed under sections 13-1901 to 13-1907.

There is included in the amount shown as aid for FY2025-26 \$4,880,762 General Funds to provide aid for mentorship programs for nonprofit organizations that meet eligibility requirements designed by the Department of Economic Development to improve reading levels for elementary students. There is included in the amount shown as aid for

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FY2026-27 \$4,880,762 General Funds to provide aid for mentorship programs for nonprofit organizations that meet eligibility requirements designed by the Department of Economic Development to improve reading levels for elementary students.

5 The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance for unexpended 6 obligations existing on June 30, 2025, for the Rural Workforce Housing 7 Investment Act, the Middle Income Workforce Housing Investment Act, the 8 Nebraska Affordable Housing Act, and the Nebraska Rural Projects Act, is 9 hereby reappropriated.

Sec. 239. AGENCY NO. 72 - DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
 Program No. 603 - Industrial Recruitment

12		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
13	GENERAL FUND	12,007,036	12,084,936
14	CASH FUND	33,113,234	3,119,264
15	FEDERAL FUND est.	21,183,691	21,188,167
16	PROGRAM TOTAL	66,303,961	36,392,367
17	SALARY LIMIT	4,591,076	4,713,573

The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June 30, 2025, from the appropriation for the Nebraska Career Scholarship program is hereby reappropriated.

The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance for unexpended obligations existing on June 30, 2025, for the Site and Building Development Act, is hereby reappropriated.

24 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$15,020,352 General Funds, \$31,932,927 Cash Funds, and \$20,741,887 25 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such 26 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for 27 FY2026-27 \$15,020,352 General Funds, \$1,932,927 Cash 28 Funds, and \$20,746,363 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be 29 used for such purpose. 30

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There is included in the amount shown as aid to this program for

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1 FY2025-26 \$250,000 General Funds for the Nebraska Developing Youth Talent Initiative, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included 2 in the amount shown as aid to this program for FY2026-27 \$250,000 General 3 4 Funds for the Nebraska Developing Youth Talent Initiative, which shall 5 only be used for such purpose. The Department of Economic Development shall establish a separate budget subprogram to account for the 6 7 expenditure of funds appropriated for the Nebraska Developing Youth Talent Initiative. It is the intent of the Legislature that the 8 9 Department of Economic Development shall select industry partners or industry consortiums each fiscal year from regional industries identified 10 by the department to participate in the initiative, which shall be in 11 collaboration with public schools. The initiative shall be designed to 12 13 reach students beginning in the seventh and eighth grades. An annual evaluation report detailing the outcomes of the initiative shall be 14 provided to the Legislature electronically and to the Governor, not later 15 16 than September 15 of each year.

Sec. 240. AGENCY NO. 72 - DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
 Program No. 604 - Business Incentives

19		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
20	GENERAL FUND	2,460,522	2,460,522
21	PROGRAM TOTAL	2,460,522	2,460,522
22	SALARY LIMIT	1,329,007	1,329,007

The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance existing on June 30,
2025, is hereby reappropriated.

Sec. 241. AGENCY NO. 72 – DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
 Program No. 611 - Economic Recovery

	2026-27
	365,914
29         PROGRAM TOTAL         31,307,276         31,	365,914
30 SALARY LIMIT 2,623,541 2,	656,452

31 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26

\$27,438,770 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such
purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
FY2026-27 \$27,438,770 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used
for such purpose.

5 The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June The 6 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated. unexpended Cash Fund 7 appropriation balance existing June 30, 2025, is hereby on 8 reappropriated.

9 The unexpended Federal Fund appropriation balance existing on June 30, 2025, from funds allocated to the State of Nebraska from the United 10 States Economic Development Administration's American Rescue Plan Travel, 11 Tourism and Outdoor Recreation program, is hereby reappropriated. The 12 13 unexpended Federal Fund appropriation balance existing on June 30, 2025, from funds allocated to the State of Nebraska from the federal 14 Coronavirus Capital Projects Fund pursuant to the federal American Rescue 15 16 Plan Act of 2021, 42 U.S.C. 804, is hereby reappropriated.

Sec. 242. AGENCY NO. 72 – DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
 Program No. 655 - Civic and Community Center Financing Fund

19		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
20	CASH FUND	5,522,742	5,526,327
21	PROGRAM TOTAL	5,522,742	5,526,327
22	SALARY LIMIT	86,646	89,376

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$5,397,775 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$5,397,775 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

Sec. 243. AGENCY NO. 73 – STATE BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS
 Program No. 597 - State Board of Landscape Architects
 FY2025-26 FY2026-27
 CASH FUND 30,214 30,214

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1	PROGRAM TOTAL	30,214	30,214
2	Sec. 244. AGENCY NO. 74 - NER	BRASKA POWER REVIEW B	OARD
3	Program No. 72 - Enforcement o	of Standards	
4		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
5	CASH FUND	781,649	797,931
6	PROGRAM TOTAL	781,649	797,931
7	SALARY LIMIT	322,920	330,410
8	Sec. 245. AGENCY NO. 75 - NER	BRASKA INVESTMENT COU	NCIL
9	Program No. 610 - Investments	Administration	
10		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
11	CASH FUND	3,839,706	3,919,706
12	PROGRAM TOTAL	3,839,706	3,919,706
13	SALARY LIMIT	1,548,559	1,592,105
14	Sec. 246. AGENCY NO. 76 - COM	MMISSION ON INDIAN AF	FAIRS
15	Program No. 584 - Commission (	on Indian Affairs	
16		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
17	GENERAL FUND	295,530	295,530
18	CASH FUND	40,000	40,000
19	PROGRAM TOTAL	335,530	335,530
20	SALARY LIMIT	207,519	207,519
21	It is the intent of the Legi	slature that the Com	mission on Latino-
22	Americans, the Commission on In	dian Affairs, and t	the Commission on
23	African American Affairs maintain	parity with respect t	o compensation for
24	the executive directors of	such commissions,	with additional
25	consideration for years of experie		
26	Sec. 247. AGENCY NO. 77 - COM		L RELATIONS
27	Program No. 490 - Commissione		
28		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
29	GENERAL FUND	64,331	64,331
30	PROGRAM TOTAL	64,331	64,331

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LB261 LB261 2025 2025 1 SALARY LIMIT 58,000 58,000 2 Sec. 248. AGENCY NO. 77 - COMMISSION OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS Program No. 531 - Administration 3 4 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 269,651 5 GENERAL FUND 269,651 PROGRAM TOTAL 6 269,651 269,651 7 SALARY LIMIT 170,974 170,974 8 Sec. 249. AGENCY NO. 78 - NEBRASKA COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT 9 AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE Program No. 150 - Juvenile Services Act 10 11 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 GENERAL FUND 709,326 12 710,708 PROGRAM TOTAL 13 709,326 710,708 SALARY LIMIT 14 80,749 81,688 15 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$564,300 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such 16 17 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$564,300 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be used 18 for such purpose. 19 20 The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance, less aid, 21 existing on June 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated. 22 Sec. 250. AGENCY NO. 78 - NEBRASKA COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT 23 AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE 24 Program No. 155 - County Juvenile Services Aid FY2025-26 FY2026-27 25 GENERAL FUND 6,878,445 6,892,000 26 PROGRAM TOTAL 6,878,445 27 6,892,000 28 SALARY LIMIT 292,822 299,955 29 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$5,798,000 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such 30

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purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
 FY2026-27 \$5,798,000 General Funds for state aid, which shall only be
 used for such purpose.

The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance, less aid,
existing on June 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.

6 Sec. 251. AGENCY NO. 78 - NEBRASKA COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT
7 AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

8 Program No. 198 - Central Administration

9		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
10	GENERAL FUND	623,487	650,513
11	CASH FUND	51,787	53,899
12	FEDERAL FUND est.	5,585,015	5,593,140
13	PROGRAM TOTAL	6,260,289	6,297,552
14	SALARY LIMIT	871,743	891,421

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$492,919 General Funds and \$4,520,673 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$492,919 General Funds and \$4,520,673 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$327,736 General Funds to operate a victim notification system, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$327,736 General Funds to operate a victim notification system, which shall only be used for such purpose.

The budget division of the Department of Administrative Services shall administratively transfer Salary Limits among Programs 150, 155, 198, 201, 215, and 220 within Agency 78, upon written certification by the executive director that the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice has determined that such transfer is necessary for

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1	the efficient functioning of agency	operations.	
2	The unexpended General Fund	appropriation	balance, less aid,
3	existing on June 30, 2025, is hereby	reappropriated.	
4	Sec. 252. AGENCY NO. 78 - NE	BRASKA COMMISSIO	N ON LAW ENFORCEMENT
5	AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE		
6	Program No. 199 - Nebraska Law	Enforcement Trai	ning Center
7		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
8	GENERAL FUND	5,687,150	5,720,419
9	CASH FUND	640,852	666,813
10	FEDERAL FUND est.	75,136	75,298
11	PROGRAM TOTAL	6,403,138	6,462,530
12	SALARY LIMIT	1,344,565	1,378,110

The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June
30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.

15 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$855,258 General Funds for Training Center building rental charges to be 16 paid to the state building division of the Department of Administrative 17 18 Services, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$855,258 General Funds 19 for Training Center building rental charges to be paid to the state 20 21 building division of the Department of Administrative Services, which shall only be used for such purpose. 22

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 23 \$344,748 General Funds for the annual depreciation charge to be paid to 24 25 the state building division of the Department of Administrative Services, 26 which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$344,748 General Funds for 27 the annual depreciation charge to be paid to the state building division 28 of the Department of Administrative Services, which shall only be used 29 for such purpose. 30

31 All food service charges for students shall be separate and distinct

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1 from tuition and fee charges assessed, and such food service charges
2 shall not be included or commingled for purposes of establishing annual
3 tuition and fee rates.

Any rules, regulations, or operating instructions adopted by the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice shall be consistent with the provisions of this section.

Sec. 253. AGENCY NO. 78 - NEBRASKA COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT
 8 AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Program No. 201 - Victim-Witness Assistance

10		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
11	GENERAL FUND	176,137	176,137
12	FEDERAL FUND est.	12,600,810	12,613,790
13	PROGRAM TOTAL	12,776,947	12,789,927
14	SALARY LIMIT	586,549	593,813

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$50,457 General Funds and \$11,172,294 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$50,457 General Funds and \$11,172,294 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance, less aid, existing on June 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.

Sec. 254. AGENCY NO. 78 - NEBRASKA COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT
 AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

25 Program No. 202 - Crime Victims' Reparations

26		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
27	GENERAL FUND	27,176	27,481
28	CASH FUND	441,474	441,474
29	FEDERAL FUND est.	128,400	128,400
30	PROGRAM TOTAL	597,050	597,355
31	SALARY LIMIT	46,292	46,387

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1 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 2 \$19,200 General Funds, \$353,474 Cash Funds, and \$121,980 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There 3 4 is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$19,200 5 General Funds, \$353,474 Cash Funds, and \$121,980 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. 6 7 The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance, less aid, existing on June 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated. 8 9 Sec. 255. AGENCY NO. 78 - NEBRASKA COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT 10 AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE Program No. 203 - Jail Standards Board 11 12 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 13 GENERAL FUND 387,001 397,039 CASH FUND 58,000 58,000 14 PROGRAM TOTAL 445,001 455,039 15 SALARY LIMIT 285,192 16 291,132 17 The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June 18 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated. AGENCY NO. 78 - NEBRASKA COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT 19 Sec. 256. AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE 20 Program No. 204 - Office of Violence Prevention 21 22 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 23 GENERAL FUND 748,981 750,424 24 CASH FUND 35,500 35,500 PROGRAM TOTAL 784,481 785,924 25 26 SALARY LIMIT 92,560 93,643 27 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$591,160 General Funds and \$25,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall 28 29 only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$591,160 General Funds and \$25,000 Cash Funds 30

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for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.

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1	The unexpended General Fund app	propriation balance,	less aid,
2	existing on June 30, 2025, is hereby rea	ppropriated.	
3	Sec. 257. AGENCY NO. 78 - NEBRAS	KA COMMISSION ON LAW	ENFORCEMENT
4	AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE		
5	Program No. 210 - State Agency Byrne	e Grants	
6		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
7	FEDERAL FUND est.	1,329,951	1,329,951
8	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,329,951	1,329,951
9	SALARY LIMIT	-0-	- 0 -

10 The budget division of the Department of Administrative Services 11 shall create a separate budget program within each agency receiving funds 12 from the appropriation to this program to properly account for such 13 funds. The expenditure limitation for permanent and temporary salaries 14 and per diems may be increased within these administratively created 15 programs to allow for the expenditure of personal services.

16 At the direction of the budget administrator of the budget division 17 of the Department of Administrative Services, any funds appropriated to this program shall be administratively transferred to the appropriate 18 19 state agencies that have been awarded federal Byrne grants by the 20 Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice. The Nebraska 21 Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice shall certify to the 22 budget division of the Department of Administrative Services the federal 23 fund appropriations to be transferred pursuant to this section.

24 Sec. 258. AGENCY NO. 78 - NEBRASKA COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT 25 AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

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Program No. 215 - Criminal Justice Information System 27 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 28 GENERAL FUND 249,591 256,807 29 FEDERAL FUND est. 630,064 634,856 30 PROGRAM TOTAL 879,655 891,663 SALARY LIMIT 234,079 240,005 31

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1	The unexpended General Fund app	propriation balance exis	sting on June
2	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.		
3	Funds appropriated to this progr	ram shall be used to sup	oport criminal
4	justice information systems projects	s for state law enforce	ment agencies
5	and to assist with the sharing o	of criminal justice ir	nformation by
6	federal, state, and local agencies.		
7	<b>Sec. 259.</b> AGENCY NO. 78 - NEE	3RASKA COMMISSION ON LA	W ENFORCEMENT
8	AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE		
9	Program No. 220 - Community Corr	ections Division	
10		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
11	GENERAL FUND	151,469	152,030
12	CASH FUND	644,869	651,139
13	PROGRAM TOTAL	796,338	803,169
14	SALARY LIMIT	141,547	145,018
15	The unexpended General Fund app	propriation balance exis	sting on June
16	30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.		
17	Sec. 260. AGENCY NO. 81 - CO	MMISSION FOR THE BLIND	AND VISUALLY
18	IMPAIRED		
19	Program No. 357 - Blind and Visu	ally Impaired	
20		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
21	GENERAL FUND	2,895,443	3,006,695
22	CASH FUND	148,746	148,746
23	FEDERAL FUND est.	4,526,974	4,542,406
24	PROGRAM TOTAL	7,571,163	7,697,847
25	SALARY LIMIT	3,653,902	3,721,006
26	There is included in the appropr	riation to this program	for FY2025-26
27	\$381,871 General Funds, \$10,000 Cas	h Funds, and \$916,189	Federal Funds
28	estimate for state aid, which shall	only be used for such p	ourpose. There
29	is included in the appropriation to	this program for FY202	6-27 \$381,871
30	General Funds, \$10,000 Cash Funds,	and \$916,189 Federal F	unds estimate

for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. 31

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Sec. 261. AGENCY NO. 82 - COMMISSION FOR THE DEAF AND HARD OF
HEARING
Program No. 578 - Deaf and Hard of Hearing
FY2025-26 FY2026-27
GENERAL FUND 1,243,354 1,276,257
CASH FUND 36,600 36,600
PROGRAM TOTAL 1,279,954 1,312,857
SALARY LIMIT 840,999 857,547
Sec. 262. AGENCY NO. 83 - AID TO COMMUNITY COLLEGES
Program No. 151 - Aid to Community Colleges
FY2025-26 FY2026-27
GENERAL FUND 114,116,711 114,116,711
PROGRAM TOTAL 114,116,711 114,116,711
There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
\$111,054,477 General Funds for general state aid, which shall only be
used for such purpose and which shall be distributed to community college
areas pursuant to the Community College Aid Act. There is included in the
appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$111,054,477 General Funds
for general state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose and
which shall be distributed to community college areas pursuant to the
Community College Aid Act.

There is also included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$3,062,234 General Funds for state aid for dual enrollment, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is also included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$3,062,234 General Funds for state aid for dual enrollment, which shall only be used for such purpose.

Appropriations for dual enrollment shall be distributed to community college areas in direct proportion to the most recent available threeyear average full-time-equivalent enrollment in dual credit courses delivered by the respective community college areas based upon dual enrollment credit hour enrollment data reported to the Coordinating

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1 Commission for Postsecondary Education by the respective community 2 college areas. 3 For purposes of this section, dual enrollment course means a course delivered to high school students for whom credit shall be reported on 4 5 the student's postsecondary educational institution transcript. It is the 6 intent of the Legislature that amounts distributed to each community college area in proportion to enrollment in dual credit courses be 7 8 applied to support discounting of tuition assessed for enrollment in such 9 courses. Sec. 263. AGENCY NO. 83 - AID TO COMMUNITY COLLEGES 10 Program No. 152 - Community College Levy Reduction 11 12 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 CASH FUND est. 13 265,988,849 279,288,291 14 PROGRAM TOTAL 265,988,849 279,288,291 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 15 \$265,988,849 Cash Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used 16 for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program 17 for FY2026-27 \$279,288,291 Cash Funds estimate for state aid, which shall 18

19 only be used for such purpose.

20 Cash Fund expenditures for this program shall not be limited to the 21 amounts shown and shall be no greater than the amount certified pursuant 22 to subsection (3) of section 85-1543.

Sec. 264. AGENCY NO. 84 – DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY
 Program No. 106 - Energy Office Administration

25		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
26	CASH FUND	1,096,808	1,099,720
27	FEDERAL FUND est.	13,637,050	13,680,601
28	PROGRAM TOTAL	14,733,858	14,780,321
29	SALARY LIMIT	1,500,395	1,527,402

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$564,562 Cash Funds and \$11,788,428 Federal Funds estimate for state aid,

PROGRAM TOTAL

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1	which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the
2	appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$564,562 Cash Funds and
3	\$11,788,428 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be
4	used for such purpose.
5	Sec. 265. AGENCY NO. 84 - DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY
6	Program No. 513 - Environmental Quality
7	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
8	GENERAL FUND 5,593,323 5,593,323
9	CASH FUND 39,988,699 40,271,997
10	FEDERAL FUND est. 45,762,396 46,118,927
11	PROGRAM TOTAL 91, 344, 418 91, 984, 247
12	SALARY LIMIT 18,766,522 19,129,105
13	The Department of Administrative Services shall monitor the
14	appropriations and expenditures for this program according to the
15	following program classifications:
16	No. 513 - Administration
17	No. 586 - Water Quality
18	No. 587 - Land Quality
19	No. 588 - Air Quality
20	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
21	\$18,645,601 Cash Funds and \$24,538,513 Federal Funds estimate for state
22	aid, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the
23	appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$18,645,601 Cash Funds and
24	\$24,529,499 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be
25	used for such purpose.
26	Sec. 266. AGENCY NO. 84 - DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY
27	Program No. 523 - Wastewater Loan Fund
28	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
29	FEDERAL FUND est. 9,089,000 9,089,000

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26  $\,$ 31

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1 \$9,089,000 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used 2 for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$9,089,000 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which 3 4 shall only be used for such purpose. 5 Funds set aside for grants to small communities shall not be commingled with funds deposited in the Wastewater Treatment Facilities 6 7 Construction Loan Fund. 8 Sec. 267. AGENCY NO. 84 - DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY 9 Program No. 528 - Drinking Water Facilities Loan Fund 10 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 FEDERAL FUND est. 12,990,000 12,990,000 11 PROGRAM TOTAL 12 12,990,000 12,990,000 13 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 14 \$12,990,000 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be 15 used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$12,990,000 Federal Funds estimate for state aid, 16 17 which shall only be used for such purpose. Sec. 268. AGENCY NO. 85 - PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT BOARD 18 19 Program No. 41 - Administration of Retirement Systems and Deferred 20 Compensation 21 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 CASH FUND 22 8,838,027 8,838,027 23 PROGRAM TOTAL 8,838,027 8,838,027 24 SALARY LIMIT 3,523,028 3,616,481 25 Sec. 269. AGENCY NO. 85 - PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT BOARD 26 Program No. 42 - Board Member Expenses 27 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 28 CASH FUND 38,112 38,112 29 PROGRAM TOTAL 38,112 38,112 SALARY LIMIT 10,500 10,500 30 It is the intent of the Legislature that all expenses of the members 31 -133-

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1	of the Public E	mployees Retirement	Board, including conferen	ce
2	registration expense	es, be paid exclusively	from this program.	
3	Sec. 270. AGEN	ICY NO. 85 - PUBLIC EMPL	OYEES RETIREMENT BOARD	
4	Program No. 515	5 - Public Employees Ret	tirement	
5		F	Y2025-26 FY2026-	27
6	GENERAL FUND	69	0,021,344 69,512,0	00
7	PROGRAM TOTAL	69	0,021,344 69,512,0	00

8 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 9 \$50,118,963 General Funds to provide additional funding to the School 10 Employees Retirement System of the State of Nebraska, which shall only be 11 used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this 12 program for FY2026-27 \$51,400,000 General Funds to provide additional 13 funding to the School Employees Retirement System of the State of 14 Nebraska, which shall only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$10,607,612 General Funds to provide additional funding to the Omaha School Employees Retirement System, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$10,600,000 General Funds to provide additional funding to the Omaha School Employees Retirement System, which shall only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 \$6,834,870 General Funds to provide additional funding to the Nebraska State Patrol Retirement System, which shall only be used for such purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 \$6,000,000 General Funds to provide additional funding to the Nebraska State Patrol Retirement System, which shall only be used for such purpose.

There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26 30 \$1,459,899 General Funds to provide additional funding to the Nebraska 31 Judges Retirement System, which shall only be used for such purpose.

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There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2026-27 1 2 \$1,512,000 General Funds to provide additional funding to the Nebraska 3 Judges Retirement System, which shall only be used for such purpose. 4 Pursuant to section 84-1319.01, each state agency participating in the State Employees Retirement System of the State of Nebraska shall 5 contribute an amount to the State Equal Retirement Benefit Fund to 6 7 provide all similarly situated male and female members with equal benefits. It is the intent of the Legislature that the Public Employees 8 9 Retirement Board notify each state agency of the amount to be paid to the 10 fund for FY2025-26 and FY2026-27. Sec. 271. AGENCY NO. 86 - DRY BEAN COMMISSION 11 Program No. 137 - Dry Bean Commission 12 13 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 CASH FUND 669,525 14 672,395 PROGRAM TOTAL 669,525 672,395 15 SALARY LIMIT 86,655 88,466 16 AGENCY NO. 87 - NEBRASKA ACCOUNTABILITY AND DISCLOSURE 17 Sec. 272. COMMISSION 18 19 Program No. 94 - Nebraska Political Accountability 20 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 GENERAL FUND 21 521,377 521,377 CASH FUND 324,900 347,804 22 PROGRAM TOTAL 846,277 23 869,181 SALARY LIMIT 618,568 630,873 24 AGENCY NO. 88 - CORN DEVELOPMENT, UTILIZATION, AND 25 Sec. 273. 26 MARKETING BOARD Program No. 384 - Corn Development, Utilization, and Marketing Board 27 28 FY2025-26 FY2026-27 CASH FUND 12,186,541 29 13,387,714 PROGRAM TOTAL 12,186,541 13,375,714 30

1	1 SALARY LIMIT 591,56	606,947
2	2 Sec. 274. AGENCY NO. 90 - COMMISSION ON AFRI	ICAN AMERICAN AFFAIRS
3	3 Program No. 863 - African American Commissior	1
4	4 FY2025-2	6 FY2026-27
5	5 GENERAL FUND 287,76	60 287,760
6	6 CASH FUND 25,00	0 25,000
7	7 PROGRAM TOTAL 312,76	312,760
8	8 SALARY LIMIT 190,00	190,005
9	9 It is the intent of the Legislature that th	e Commission on Latino-
10	0 Americans, the Commission on Indian Affairs,	and the Commission on
11	1 African American Affairs maintain parity with res	pect to compensation for
12	2 the executive directors of such commissi	ons, with additional
13	3 consideration for years of experience.	
14	4 The unexpended General Fund appropriation b	alance existing on June
15	5 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.	
16	6 Sec. 275. AGENCY NO. 91 - NEBRASKA TOURISM (	COMMISSION
17	7 Program No. 618 - Tourism Promotion	
18	8 FY2025-2	6 FY2026-27
19	9 CASH FUND 7,583,74	7,583,744
20	0 PROGRAM TOTAL 7,583,74	4 7,583,744
21	1 SALARY LIMIT 1,096,29	1,096,297
22	2 There is included in the appropriation to the	is program for FY2025-26
23	3 \$852,600 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall	only be used for such
24	4 purpose. There is included in the appropriatio	on to this program for
25	5 FY2026-27 \$852,600 Cash Funds for state aid, whic	h shall only be used for
26	6 such purpose.	
27	7 Sec. 276. AGENCY NO. 92 - GRAIN SORGHUM DE	EVELOPMENT, UTILIZATION,
28	8 AND MARKETING BOARD	

29 Program No. 406 - Grain Sorghum Development

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FY2025-26 FY2026-27

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1	CASH FUND	286,673	290,219
2	PROGRAM TOTAL	286,673	290,219
3	SALARY LIMIT	65,382	67,107
4	Sec. 277. AGENCY NO. 93 - TA	X EQUALIZATION AND REVIEW	COMMISSION
5	Program No. 115 - Operations		
6		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
7	GENERAL FUND	1,464,617	1,509,077
8	CASH FUND	86,789	86,789
9	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,551,406	1,595,866
10	SALARY LIMIT	1,089,754	1,120,330
11	<b>Sec. 278.</b> AGENCY NO. 94 - CO	MMISSION ON PUBLIC ADVOCA	ſСY
12	Program No. 425 - Operations		
13		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
14	CASH FUND	1,616,482	1,616,482
15	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,616,482	1,616,482
16	SALARY LIMIT	1,021,209	1,021,209
17	<b>Sec. 279.</b> AGENCY NO. 94 - CO	MMISSION ON PUBLIC ADVOCA	кСХ
18	Program No. 426 - Legal Servi	ces Aid	
19		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
20	CASH FUND	3,402,355	3,402,355
21	PROGRAM TOTAL	3,402,355	3,402,355
22	There is included in the appr	opriation to this program	n for FY2025-26
23	\$3,402,355 Cash Funds for state	aid, which shall only be	used for such
24	purpose. There is included in t	the appropriation to thi	s program for
25	FY2026-27 \$3,402,355 Cash Funds f	or state aid, which shal	l only be used
26	for such purpose.		
27	Sec. 280. AGENCY NO. 94 - CO	MMISSION ON PUBLIC ADVOCA	CY
28	Program No. 429 - Civil Legal	Services	
29		FY2025-26	FY2026-27
30	CASH FUND	290,000	290,000

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1	PROGRAM TOTAL 290,000 290,000
2	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
3	\$290,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such
4	purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
5	FY2026-27 \$290,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for
6	such purpose.
7	Sec. 281. AGENCY NO. 94 - COMMISSION ON PUBLIC ADVOCACY
8	Program No. 430 - Rural Practice Loan Repayment Assistance
9	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
10	CASH FUND 150,000 150,000
11	PROGRAM TOTAL 150,000 150,000
12	There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2025-26
13	\$150,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for such
14	purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
15	FY2026-27 \$150,000 Cash Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for
16	such purpose.
17	Sec. 282. AGENCY NO. 94 - COMMISSION ON PUBLIC ADVOCACY
18	Program No. 455 - DNA Testing
19	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
20	CASH FUND 75,000 75,000
21	PROGRAM TOTAL 75,000 75,000
22	Sec. 283. AGENCY NO. 95 - DRY PEA AND LENTIL COMMISSION
23	Program No. 862 - Dry Pea and Lentil Commission
24	FY2025-26 FY2026-27
25	CASH FUND 144,211 144,211
26	PROGRAM TOTAL 144,211 144,211
27	SALARY LIMIT 38,585 38,585
28	Sec. 284. AGENCY NO. 97 - COMMISSION ON ASIAN AMERICAN AFFAIRS
29	Program No. 866 - Asian American Commission
30	FY2025-26 FY2026-27

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1	GENERAL FUND	287,760	287,760
2	PROGRAM TOTAL	287,760	287,760
3	SALARY LIMIT	191,853	191,853

4 Sec. 285. CASH FUNDS.

5 The receipts for FY2025-26 and FY2026-27 inuring to the several Cash 6 Funds, together with any amounts held in account by the State Treasurer 7 on June 30, 2025, are hereby credited to each of the funds respectively.

Expenditure of Cash Funds appropriated in this act shall be limited 8 9 to the amount shown by program except when specific exceptions are made. The amounts appropriated in this act include the following funds: 10

(1) Legislative Council: Nebraska Legislative Shared Information 11 12 System Cash Fund, Donations/Contributions Cash Fund, Nebraska Statutes Cash Fund, Clerk of the Legislature Cash Fund, Biotechnology Development 13 14 Cash Fund, Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund;

(2) Supreme Court: Supreme Court Reports Cash Fund, Court Appointed 15 Special Advocate Fund, Nebraska Statutes Distribution Cash Fund, Supreme 16 Court Attorney Services Cash Fund, Probation Program Cash Fund, Probation 17 18 Cash Fund, State Probation Contractual Services Cash Fund, Dispute 19 Resolution Cash Fund, Counsel for Discipline Cash Fund, Supreme Court Education Fund, Supreme Court Automation Cash Fund, Parenting Act Fund, 20 21 Public Guardianship Cash Fund, Administrative Office of the Courts Cash 22 Fund, Bar Commission Cash Fund;

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(3) Governor: Governor's Policy Research Cash Fund;

(4) Secretary of State: Records Management Cash Fund, Secretary of 24 25 State Cash Fund, Election Administration Fund;

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(5) Auditor of Public Accounts: Cooperative Audit Cash Fund;

(6) Attorney General: Motor Vehicle Fraud Cash Fund, Department of 27 28 Justice Natural Resources Enforcement Fund, State Settlement Cash Fund, 29 Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund, State Medicaid Fraud Control Unit Cash 30 Fund;

(7) State Treasurer: State Treasurer Administrative Fund, Unclaimed 31

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Property Cash Fund, Mutual Finance Assistance Fund, College Savings Plan
 Administrative Fund, College Savings Plan Expense Fund, Convention Center
 Support Fund, State Disbursement Unit Cash Fund, Treasury Management Cash
 Fund, Sports Arena Facility Support Fund, Political Subdivision Recapture
 Cash Fund, Inland Port Authority Fund, College Savings Incentive Cash
 Fund;

7 (8) State Department of Education: State Department of Education Cash Fund, Certification Fund, Professional Practices Commission Fund, 8 9 School Technology Fund, Tuition Recovery Cash Fund, Private Postsecondary Career Schools Cash Fund, School District Reorganization Fund, Early 10 Childhood Education Endowment Cash Fund, Nebraska Education Improvement 11 Fund, High School Equivalency Grant Fund, Expanded Learning Opportunity 12 Grant Fund, Education Future Fund, Behavioral Training Cash Fund, Mental 13 14 Health Training Cash Fund, College Pathway Program Cash Fund, School Safety and Security Fund, Computer Science and Technology Education Fund; 15

(9) Public Service Commission: Nebraska Grain Warehouse Surveillance 16 17 Cash Fund, Nebraska Telecommunications Relay System Fund, Public Service Commission Housing and Recreational Vehicle Cash Fund, 18 Nebraska Telecommunications Universal Service Fund, Moisture Testing Examination 19 Grain Warehouse Auditing Fund, Municipal Rate Negotiations 20 Fund, Revolving Loan Fund, Public Service Commission Pipeline Regulation Fund, 21 22 911 Service System Fund, Transportation Network Company Regulation Cash Fund, 211 Cash Fund; 23

24 (10) Department of Revenue: Department of Revenue Enforcement Fund, State Lottery Operation Cash Fund, Marijuana and Controlled Substances 25 Tax Administration Cash Fund, Waste Reduction and Recycling Incentive 26 Fees Collection Fund, Petroleum Release Remedial Action Collection Fund, 27 Litter Fee Collection Fund, Severance Tax Administration Fund, Charitable 28 Gaming Operations Fund, Tobacco Products Administration Cash Fund, 29 Nebraska Incentives Fund, Motor Fuel Tax Enforcement and Collection Cash 30 Fund, Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund, State Athletic Commissioner's Cash 31

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Fund, Department of Revenue Property Assessment Division Cash Fund,
 Property Tax Credit Cash Fund, Nebraska Advantage Transformational
 Tourism and Redevelopment Act Cash Fund, Airline and Carline Cash Fund,
 Compulsive Gamblers Assistance Fund;

(11) Department of Agriculture: Fertilizers and Soil Conditioners 5 Administrative Fund, Commercial Feed Administration Cash Fund, Pure Milk 6 7 Cash Fund, Soil and Plant Analysis Laboratory Cash Fund, Livestock Auction Market Fund, Nebraska Potato Development Fund, Weights and 8 9 Measures Administrative Fund, Nebraska Poultry and Egg Development, 10 Utilization, and Marketing Fund, Agricultural Products Marketing Information Cash Fund, Pure Food Cash Fund, Nebraska Agricultural 11 Products Marketing Cash Fund, State Apiary Cash Fund, Weed Book Cash 12 Fund, Pesticide Administrative Cash Fund, Nebraska Seed Administrative 13 Cash Fund, Plant Protection and Plant Pest Cash Fund, Tractor Permit Cash 14 Fund, Nebraska Origin and Premium Quality Grain Cash Fund, Animal Damage 15 Control Cash Fund, Noxious Weed Cash Fund, Buffer Strip Incentive Fund, 16 17 Winery and Grape Producers Promotional Fund, Commercial Dog and Cat Operator Inspection Program Cash Fund, Domesticated Cervine Animal Cash 18 Fund, Agricultural Laboratory Testing Services Cash Fund, Agricultural 19 Suppliers Lease Protection Cash Fund, Nebraska Beer Industry Promotional 20 Fund, Animal Health and Disease Control Act Cash Fund; 21

(12) Department of Banking and Finance: Financial Institution
Assessment Cash Fund, Securities Act Cash Fund, Department of Banking and
Finance Settlement Cash Fund;

(13) State Fire Marshal: Nebraska Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Cash
Fund, State Fire Marshal Cash Fund, Underground Storage Tank Fund,
Training Division Cash Fund, Reduced Cigarette Ignition Propensity Fund,
Boiler Inspection Cash Fund, Mechanical Safety Inspection Fund, Nebraska
Opioid Recovery Trust Fund;

30 (14) Department of Insurance: Department of Insurance Cash Fund;
 31 (15) Department of Labor: Employment Security Special Contingent

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Fund, Nebraska Training and Support Cash Fund, Contractor and
 Professional Employer Organization Registration Cash Fund, Sector
 Partnership Program Fund, Workforce Development Program Fund, Employment
 Security Administration Fund;

(16) Department of Motor Vehicles: Motor Carrier Division Cash Fund, 5 Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund, Department of Motor Vehicles 6 Ignition Interlock Fund, License Plate Cash Fund, Vehicle Title and 7 Registration System Replacement and Maintenance Cash Fund, Operator's 8 9 License Services Fund, System Replacement and Maintenance Fund, Highway Tax Fund, Motor Carrier Services System Replacement and Maintenance Fund; 10 (17) Department of Health and Human Services: Health and Human 11 Services Cash Fund, School District Reimbursement Fund, Nebraska Child 12 Abuse Prevention Fund, Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund, Childhood Care 13 Cash Fund, University of Nebraska Medical Center Medical Education 14 15 Revolving Fund, Behavioral Health Services Fund, Professional and Occupational Credentialing Cash Fund, Rural Health Professional Incentive 16 Fund, Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness and Education Fund, Prescription 17 Drug Monitoring Program Fund, ICF/DD Reimbursement Protection Fund, 18 19 Nebraska Emergency Medical System Operations Fund, Radiation Transportation Emergency Response Cash Fund, Nursing Facility Quality 20 Assurance Fund, Health Care Homes for the Medically Underserved Fund, 21 Nursing Faculty Student Loan Cash Fund, Nursing Facility Penalty Cash 22 Fund, Homeless Shelter Assistance Trust Fund, Patient Safety Cash Fund, 23 24 Medicaid Managed Care Excess Profit Fund, Nebraska Opioid Recovery Trust 25 Fund, HCBS Enhanced FMAP Fund;

(18) Department of Transportation: Highway Cash Fund, Grade Crossing 26 Protection Fund, State Recreation Road Fund, Roads Operations Cash Fund, 27 State Highway Capital Improvement Fund, Transportation Infrastructure 28 29 Bank Fund, Aeronautics Cash Fund, Department of Transportation 30 Aeronautics Capital Improvement Fund;

31 (19) Department of Veterans' Affairs: Veteran Cemetery Construction

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Fund, Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund, Department of
 Veterans' Affairs Cash Fund, Veterans' Home Building Fund, Pets for Vets
 Cash Fund, Veterans Employment Program Fund, Military Installation
 Development and Support Fund;

(20) Department of Natural Resources: Water Resources Cash Fund, 5 Small Watersheds Flood Control Fund, Nebraska Resources Development Fund, 6 Nebraska Soil and Water Conservation Fund, Natural Resources Water 7 Quality Fund, Water Well Decommissioning Fund, Water Resources Trust 8 9 Fund, Department of Natural Resources Cash Fund, Water Sustainability Fund, Critical Infrastructure Facilities Cash Fund, Dam Safety Cash Fund, 10 Perkins County Canal Project Fund, Jobs and Economic Development 11 Initiative Fund, Surface Water Irrigation Infrastructure Fund; 12

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(21) State Electrical Board: Electrical Division Fund;

14 (22) Military Department: Military Department Cash Fund, Governor's
15 Emergency Cash Fund, Nebraska Emergency Management Agency Cash Fund,
16 Nebraska Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Cash Fund;

17 (23) Board of Educational Lands and Funds: Surveyors' Cash Fund,
18 Board of Educational Lands and Funds Cash Fund, Survey Record Repository
19 Fund;

(24) Game and Parks Commission: State Game Fund, State Park Cash 20 Revolving Fund, Nebraska Habitat Fund, Nebraska Aquatic Habitat Fund, 21 22 Nebraska Snowmobile Trail Cash Fund, Nebraska Outdoor Recreation 23 Development Cash Fund, Wildlife Conservation Fund, Nebraska Environmental Trust Fund, Cowboy Trail Fund, Game Law Investigation Cash Fund, Niobrara 24 25 Council Fund, Nebraska Environmental Endowment Fund, Ferguson House Fund, Hunters Helping the Hungry Cash Fund, Game and Parks Commission Capital 26 Maintenance Fund, Game and Parks State Park Improvement and Maintenance 27 28 Fund, Game and Parks Commission Educational Fund, Josh the Otter-Be Safe Around Water Cash Fund, Trail Development and Maintenance Fund, Water 29 Recreation Enhancement Fund, Museum Construction and Maintenance Fund; 30

31 (25) Nebraska Library Commission: Nebraska Library Commission Cash

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1 Fund;

2 (26) Nebraska Liquor Control Commission: Nebraska Liquor Control
3 Commission Rule and Regulation Cash Fund;

4 (27) State Racing and Gaming Commission: Racing and Gaming
5 Commission's Racing Cash Fund, Racing and Gaming Commission's Racetrack
6 Gaming Fund, Track Distribution Fund;

7 (28) Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court: Compensation Court Cash8 Fund;

9 (29) Nebraska Brand Committee: Nebraska Brand Inspection and Theft
10 Prevention Fund;

(30) Nebraska Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board: Nebraska Motor
 Vehicle Industry Licensing Fund;

13 (31) State Real Estate Commission: State Real Estate Commission's14 Fund;

15 (32) Board of Barber Examiners: Board of Barber Examiners Fund;

16 (33) Department of Correctional Services: Department of Correctional
17 Services Facility Cash Fund, Reentry Cash Fund, Vocational and Life
18 Skills Programming Fund, Prison Overcrowding Contingency Fund, Parole
19 Program Cash Fund;

20 (34) Nebraska Educational Telecommunications Commission: State
 21 Educational Telecommunications Fund, NEB\*SAT Cash Fund;

(35) Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education:
Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education Cash Fund, Nebraska
Opportunity Grant Fund, Guaranty Recovery Cash Fund, Excellence in
Teaching Cash Fund, Door to College Scholarship Fund, Community College
Gap Assistance Program Fund;

(36) Nebraska State Colleges: Chadron Cash Fund, Peru Cash Fund,
Wayne Cash Fund, Chadron State College Designated Cash Fund, Peru State
College Designated Cash Fund, Wayne State College Designated Cash Fund,
Board of Trustees Cash Fund, State Colleges Sport Facilities Cash Fund;

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Nebraska:

Financial

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Cash Fund,

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University of

1 University Cash Fund, Temporary University Fund, University of Nebraska at Omaha Cash Fund, University of Nebraska Medical Center Cash Fund, 2 University of Nebraska at Kearney Cash Fund, University of Nebraska 3 4 Central Administration Designated Cash Fund, University of Nebraska-5 Lincoln Designated Cash Fund, University of Nebraska at Omaha Designated Cash Fund, University of Nebraska Medical Center Designated Cash Fund, 6 7 University of Nebraska at Kearney Designated Cash Fund, State Anatomical Board Cash Fund; 8

9 (38) Nebraska State Fair Board: Nebraska State Fair Support and 10 Improvement Cash Fund;

(39) Real Property Appraiser Board: Real Property Appraiser Fund,
 Appraisal Management Company Fund;

(40) Nebraska State Historical Society: Historical Society Fund,
Historical Landmark Cash Fund, Nebraska Job Creation and Mainstreet
Revitalization Fund, Nebraska 150 Sesquicentennial Plate Proceeds Fund,
Willa Cather National Statuary Hall Cash Fund, Willa Cather Historical
Building Cash Fund, Semiquincentennial Commission Fund;

18 (41) Nebraska Wheat Development, Utilization, and Marketing Board:
19 Nebraska Wheat Development, Utilization, and Marketing Fund;

20 (42) Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission: Oil and Gas
21 Conservation Fund, Carbon Dioxide Storage Facility Administrative Fund;

(43) Board of Engineers and Architects: Engineers and ArchitectsRegulation Fund;

24 (44) Board of Geologists: Geologists Regulation Fund;

(45) Nebraska Ethanol Board: Agricultural Alcohol Fuel Tax Fund,
Ethanol Production Incentive Cash Fund;

27 (46) Nebraska Dairy Industry Development Board: Nebraska Dairy
28 Industry Development Fund;

(47) State Board of Examiners for Land Surveyors: Land Surveyor
 Examiner's Fund;

31 (48) Nebraska State Board of Public Accountancy: Certified Public

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(49) Nebraska State Patrol: Nebraska State Patrol Cash Fund,
Investigation Petty Cash Fund, Carrier Enforcement Cash Fund, Nebraska
State Patrol Drug Control and Education Cash Fund, Public Safety Cash
Fund, Nebraska State Patrol Vehicle Replacement Cash Fund, Nebraska
Public Safety Communication System Cash Fund, Combined Law Enforcement
Information Network Cash Fund, State DNA Sample and Data Base Fund,
Treasury Agency Forfeitures Cash Fund;

9 (50) Department of Administrative Services: Building Renewal Allocation Fund, State Building Renewal Assessment Fund, University 10 Building Renewal Assessment Fund, State College Building Renewal 11 Assessment Fund, Capitol Restoration Cash Fund, Vacant Building and 12 Excess Land Cash Fund, Resource Recovery Fund, Tort Claims Fund, 13 Information Technology Infrastructure Fund, Health and Life Benefit 14 Administration Cash Fund, Rural Broadband Task Force Fund, Community 15 College State Dependents Fund; 16

17 (51) Abstracters Board of Examiners: Abstracters Board of Examiners18 Cash Fund;

19 (52) Commission on Latino-Americans: Hispanic Awareness Cash Fund,
20 Commission on Latino-Americans Cash Fund;

(53) Nebraska Arts Council: Nebraska Arts Council Cash Fund,
Nebraska Arts and Humanities Cash Fund, Support the Arts Cash Fund;

23 (54) Foster Care Review Office: Foster Care Review Office Cash Fund,
24 Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund;

(55) Department of Economic Development: Job Training Cash Fund,
Administrative Cash Fund, Affordable Housing Trust Fund, Civic and
Community Center Financing Fund, Rural Workforce Housing Investment Fund,
Bioscience Innovation Cash Fund, Nebraska Film Office Fund, Customized
Job Training Cash Fund, ImagiNE Nebraska Cash Fund, Middle Income
Workforce Housing Investment Fund, ImagiNE Nebraska Revolving Loan Fund,
Nebraska Transformational Project Fund, Site and Building Development

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Fund, Economic Recovery Contingency Fund, Innovation Hub Cash Fund,
 Nebraska Rural Projects Fund, Shovel-Ready Capital Recovery and
 Investment Fund, Panhandle Improvement Project Cash Fund, Youth Outdoor
 Education Innovation Fund;

5 (56) State Board of Landscape Architects: State Board of Landscape
6 Architects Cash Fund;

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(57) Nebraska Power Review Board: Nebraska Power Review Fund;

8 (58) Nebraska Investment Council: State Investment Officer's Cash9 Fund;

10 (59) Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice:
 11 Nebraska Law Enforcement Training Center Cash Fund, Law Enforcement
 12 Improvement Fund, Victim's Compensation Fund, Community Corrections
 13 Uniform Data Analysis Cash Fund, Violence Prevention Cash Fund;

(60) Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired: Commission forthe Blind and Visually Impaired Cash Fund;

16 (61) Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing: Commission for the17 Deaf and Hard of Hearing Fund;

18 (62) Community College Aid: Nebraska Community College Aid Cash
19 Fund, Community College Future Fund;

(63) Department of Environment and Energy: Integrated Solid Waste 20 Management Cash Fund, Nebraska Litter Reduction and Recycling Fund, 21 22 Environmental Cash Fund, Chemigation Costs Fund, Low-Level Radioactive Waste Cash Fund, Petroleum Release Remedial Action Cash Fund, Wastewater 23 24 Treatment Operator Certification Cash Fund, Local Site Selection Cash 25 Fund, Local Monitoring Committee Cash Fund, Waste Reduction and Recycling Incentive Fund, Wastewater Treatment Facilities Construction Loan Fund, 26 Remedial Action Plan Monitoring Fund, Livestock Waste Management Cash 27 Fund, Drinking Water Administration Fund, Clean Air Title V Cash Fund, 28 Air Quality Permit Cash Fund, Superfund Cost Share Cash Fund, Private 29 Onsite Wastewater Treatment System Certification and Registration Cash 30 Fund, Solid Waste Landfill Closure Assistance Fund, Private Onsite 31

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Wastewater Treatment System Permit and Approval Cash Fund, State Energy 1 2 Cash Fund, Clean-burning Motor Fuel Development Fund, Volkswagen 3 Settlement Cash Fund, Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Fund, Engineering 4 Plan Review Cash Fund, Environmental Safety Cash Fund, Nebraska 5 Environmental Response Cash Fund, Water Well Standards and Contractors' Licensing Fund, Safe Drinking Water Act Cash Fund, Dredge and Fill Cash 6 7 Fund, Lead Service Line Cash Fund;

8 (64) Public Employees Retirement Board: School Expense Fund, Judges 9 Expense Fund, State Patrol Expense Fund, Deferred Compensation Expense 10 Fund, State Employees Retirement System Expense Fund, County Employees 11 Retirement System Expense Fund, State Cash Balance Expense Fund, County 12 Cash Balance Expense Fund, Class V School Employees Retirement System 13 Management Work Plan Fund;

14 (65) Dry Bean Commission: Dry Bean Development, Utilization,15 Promotion, and Education Fund;

16 (66) Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission: Nebraska
 17 Accountability and Disclosure Commission Cash Fund;

(67) Corn Development, Utilization, and Marketing Board: Nebraska
 Corn Development, Utilization, and Marketing Fund;

20 (68) Commission on Indian Affairs: Commission on Indian Affairs Cash
21 Fund, Chief Standing Bear National Statuary Hall Cash Fund, Native
22 American Scholarship and Leadership Fund;

(69) Nebraska Tourism Commission: State Visitors Promotion Cash
 Fund, Tourism Conference Cash Fund, Nebraska Tourism Commission
 Promotional Cash Fund;

(70) Grain Sorghum Development, Utilization, and Marketing Board:
 Grain Sorghum Development, Utilization, and Marketing Fund, Grain Sorghum
 National Checkoff Fund;

(71) Tax Equalization and Review Commission: Tax Equalization and
 Review Commission Cash Fund;

31 (72) Commission on Public Advocacy: Legal Education for Public

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Service and Rural Practice Loan Repayment Assistance Fund, Commission on
 Public Advocacy Operations Cash Fund, Legal Aid and Services Fund, Civil
 Legal Services Fund;

4 (73) Dry Pea and Lentil Commission: Dry Pea and Lentil Fund; and
5 (74) Commission on African American Affairs: Commission on African
6 American Affairs Cash Fund.

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Sec. 286. FEDERAL FUNDS.

8 The receipts for FY2025-26 and FY2026-27 inuring to the several 9 Federal Funds, together with any amounts held in account by the State 10 Treasurer on June 30, 2025, are hereby credited to each of the funds 11 respectively. Expenditure of Federal Funds appropriated in this act shall 12 not be limited to the amount shown.

Any Federal Funds, not otherwise appropriated, any additional Federal Funds made available to the credit of the State Treasurer, and any amounts on hand in any such Federal Funds on June 30, 2025, are hereby appropriated to the expending agency designated by the federal government or, if none is designated, to such expending agency as may be designated by the Governor.

For any capital construction project for which federal funds are allocated, any federal funds not otherwise appropriated, any additional funds made available to the credit of the State Treasurer, and any unexpended balances in federal funds on the operative date of this act are hereby appropriated and reappropriated to the agency and project.

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Sec. 287. REVOLVING FUNDS.

The receipts for FY2025-26 and FY2026-27 inuring to the several Revolving Funds, together with any amounts held in account by the State Treasurer on June 30, 2025, are hereby credited to each of the funds respectively. Expenditure of Revolving Funds appropriated in this act shall be limited to the amount shown by program except when specific exceptions are made. The amounts appropriated in this act include the following funds:

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1 (1) Governor: Governor's Policy Research Office Revolving Fund;

2 (2) Secretary of State: Records Management Micrographics Services
3 Revolving Fund;

4 (3) Attorney General: Department of Justice Revolving Fund;

5 (4) State Department of Education: State Department of Education6 Revolving Fund;

7 (5) Department of Agriculture: Management Services Expense Revolving8 Fund;

9 (6) Department of Correctional Services: Correctional Industries
10 Revolving Fund, Federal Surplus Property Fund, Department of Correctional
11 Services Warehouse Revolving Fund;

(7) Nebraska State Colleges: The money accruing to the Auxiliary
Enterprise Revolving Funds for student activity fees, dormitory rentals,
dormitory operations and maintenance, cafeteria operations, and student
union operations at Chadron, Peru, and Wayne State Colleges, and the
State College Capital Improvement Fund;

(8) University of Nebraska: University of Nebraska-Lincoln Revolving
Fund, University of Nebraska at Omaha Revolving Fund, University of
Nebraska Medical Center Revolving Fund, University of Nebraska Medical
Center Medical Education Revolving Fund, University of Nebraska at
Kearney Revolving Fund, University Tractor Test Revolving Fund;

22 (9) Nebraska State Patrol: Capitol Security Revolving Fund; and

23 Department of Administrative Services: Department (10)of 24 Administrative Services Revolving Fund, Materiel Division Revolving Fund, Communications Revolving Fund, Transportation Services Bureau Revolving 25 Fund, Capitol Buildings Parking Revolving Fund, State Building Revolving 26 Fund, Central Stores Revolving Fund, State Surplus Property Revolving 27 28 Fund, Information Management Revolving Fund, Temporary Employee Pool Revolving Fund, State Insurance Fund, State Self-Insured Indemnification 29 Fund, Accounting Division Revolving Fund, Intergovernmental Data Services 30 Program Revolving Fund, Workers' Compensation Claims Revolving Fund, 31

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Personnel Division Revolving Fund, Training Revolving Fund, Nebraska
 Public Safety Communication System Revolving Fund, Shared Services
 Revolving Fund, Capital Commission Revolving Fund.

4 Sec. 288. TRUST FUNDS.

5 The receipts for FY2025-26 and FY2026-27 inuring to the several 6 trust funds, together with any amounts held in account by the State 7 Treasurer on June 30, 2025, are hereby credited to each of the funds 8 respectively, which funds are hereby appropriated for FY2025-26 and 9 FY2026-27:

10 (1) Attorney General: State Settlement Trust Fund, Nebraska Opioid
 11 Recovery Fund;

(2) State Treasurer: Highway Trust Fund, Highway Tax Trust Fund, 12 13 Bessey Memorial Fund, Common School Fund, Highway Revenue Bonds Redemption Trust Fund, Revenue-Sharing Trust Fund, Michael B. Amos 14 Educational Trust Fund, James M. Amos Educational Trust Fund, Excess 15 16 Liability Fund, Insurance Investments Inc. Trust Fund, Financial Responsibility Act Trust Fund, Importing Dealers Trust Fund, Special Fuel 17 Dealers Trust Fund, Nebraska Cultural Preservation Endowment Fund, 18 College Savings Plan Program Fund, Escheat Trust Fund, life insurance 19 corporation demutualization trust fund, Agricultural College Endowment 20 21 Fund;

(3) State Department of Education: State Department of Education
 Trust Fund, temporary school fund;

(4) Public Service Commission: Public Service Commission Elevator
 Trust Fund;

(5) Department of Revenue: State Lottery Operation Trust Fund, State
 Lottery Prize Trust Fund, Municipal Equalization Fund;

(6) Department of Insurance: Premium and Retaliatory Tax SuspenseFund;

30 (7) Department of Labor: State Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund;
31 (8) Department of Motor Vehicles: Motor Vehicle Responsibility Act

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1 Fund;

(9) Department of Health and Human Services: Dormant Trust Funds,
Institution Canteen Amusement Trust Funds, Alcoholism Contribution Trust
Fund, Visual Impairment Trust Fund, Finance and Support Trust Fund, State
Wards Accounts Trust Fund, Medically Handicapped Children Trust Fund,
Store and Canteen Accounts Trust Fund, Welfare and Club Accounts Trust
Fund, Juvenile Trust Fund, Nebraska Tobacco Settlement Trust Fund,
Nebraska Medicaid Intergovernmental Trust Fund;

9 (10) Department of Transportation: Aeronautics Trust Fund, Highway
10 Restoration and Improvement Bond Fund;

(11) Department of Veterans' Affairs: Veterans' Aid Income Fund,
 Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Endowment Fund;

(12) Board of Educational Lands and Funds: Nebraska Veterans' Aid
Fund, Permanent University Fund, permanent school fund, Normal School
Endowment Investment Fund, Agricultural Endowment Fund, Agricultural and
University Land Lease Fund;

17 (13) Nebraska Library Commission: Nebraska Library Commission Trust18 Fund;

19 (14) Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court: Workers' Compensation20 Trust Fund;

(15) Department of Correctional Services: Store and Canteen Accounts
 Trust Fund, Welfare and Club Accounts Trust Fund, Inmate Trust Fund;

(16) Nebraska Educational Telecommunications Commission: Public
 Radio Nebraska Foundation Trust Fund, Nebraska Educational
 Telecommunications Trust Fund;

26 (17) Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education:
 27 Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education Trust Fund, SUN-MART
 28 Scholarship Trust Fund;

(18) Board of Trustees of the Nebraska State Colleges: State College
Endowment Fund, Education Enhancement Trust Fund, LB 1100 Construction
Trust Fund, Davis Scholarship Trust Fund;

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1 (19) Nebraska State Colleges: Student Activity Trust Funds at 2 Chadron, Peru, and Wayne State Colleges, Wayne State Bequests Trust Fund, 3 Wayne State College Electronic Funds Transfer Loan Trust Fund, Peru State 4 Construction Trust Fund, Peru State College Corrections Workforce 5 Development Pathway Trust Fund, Risk Loss Trust;

(20) University of Nebraska: University Trust Fund, University of 6 Nebraska at Omaha Trust Fund, University of Nebraska Medical Center Trust 7 Fund, University of Nebraska at Kearney Trust Fund, University of 8 9 Nebraska-Lincoln Federal Student Loan Trust Fund, University of Nebraska Medical Center Student Loan Trust Fund, University of Nebraska at Omaha 10 Electronic Funds Transfer Trust Fund, University of Nebraska at Omaha 11 Federal Student Loan Trust Fund, Deferred Maintenance Project Trust Fund, 12 13 Nebraska College of Technical Agriculture at Curtis Scholarship Trust Fund, UNMC RHOP Loan Trust Fund, UNL Minority Students Scholarship Trust 14 Fund, UNMC Capital and Program Reserve Trust Fund; 15

16 (21) Nebraska State Historical Society: Hall of Fame Trust Fund,
17 Library Archives Trust Fund, Nebraska State Historical Society
18 Collections Trust Fund, Bridge Book Sale Trust Fund;

19 (22) Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission: Oil and Gas20 Conservation Trust Fund;

(23) Department of Administrative Services: Master Lease Program
 Trust Fund, NIS Operating Trust Fund, Flexible Spending Fund, State
 Employees Insurance Fund, Capitol Preservation, Restoration, and
 Enhancement Endowment Fund;

(24) Nebraska Arts Council: Nebraska Arts Council Trust Fund,
Nebraska Cultural Preservation Endowment Fund;

(25) Department of Environment and Energy: Hazardous Waste Sites
Trust Fund, Leaking Underground Storage Tanks Trust Fund, Wastewater
Treatment Facilities Construction Loan Fund, Drinking Water Facilities
Loan Fund, Drinking Water State Revolving Fund, Recycled Principal Fund,
Nebraska Energy Settlement Fund; and

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1 (26) Public Employees Retirement Board: Annuity Reserve Fund, 2 Nebraska Retirement Fund for Judges, Contingent Fund, School Employees Savings Fund, State Patrol Retirement Fund, School Employers Deposit 3 4 Fund, Service Annuity Fund, Retired Teachers Supplementary Benefits Fund, State Equal Retirement Benefit Fund, County Equal Retirement Benefit 5 Fund, County Employees Retirement Fund, Judges Contingent Trust Fund, 6 State Patrol Contingent Trust Fund, School Operating Trust Fund, School 7 Retirement Fund, State Cash Balance Retirement Fund, County Cash Balance 8 9 Retirement Fund, Class V Retirement System Payment Processing Fund.

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Sec. 289. REFUND AND DISTRIBUTIVE FUNDS.

11 The receipts for FY2025-26 and FY2026-27 inuring to the several 12 refund and distributive funds, together with any amounts held in account 13 by the State Treasurer on June 30, 2025, are hereby credited to each of 14 the funds respectively, which funds are hereby appropriated for FY2025-26 15 and FY2026-27:

16 (1) State Treasurer: Car Line Refund Fund, Insurance Tax Fund,
17 Highway Allocation Fund, Aircraft Fuel Tax Fund, Severance Tax Fund,
18 Suspense Fund, State Treasurer's Land Sales Distributive Fund;

19 (2) State Department of Education: Public Grazing Fund, Forest
 20 Reserve Fund, Flood Control Fund, Insurance Tax Fund;

21 (3) Department of Labor: Income Tax Setoff Fund;

(4) Department of Motor Vehicles: International Registration Plan
 Distributive Fund, International Fuel Tax Agreement Fund;

(5) Department of Health and Human Services: Child Support
Operations Distribution Fund, Supplemental Security Income Distribution
Fund, Food Distribution Fund;

27 (6) Department of Transportation: State Aid Bridge Fund;

28 (7) Nebraska Library Commission: NEBASE Fund;

29 (8) Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education: State
30 Student Incentive Grant Match Fund;

31 (9) Department of Administrative Services: Imprest Payroll

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(10) Public Employees Retirement Board: Deferred Compensation Fund.

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Sec. 290. GENERAL FUND TRANSFERS.

4 (1) The State Treasurer shall make the transfers specified in this section from the General Fund to the designated fund, in the amounts 5 indicated. Unless otherwise noted, transfers for FY2025-26 shall occur on 6 7 July 1, 2025, or as soon thereafter as administratively possible, and transfers for FY2026-27 shall occur on July 1, 2026, or as soon 8 9 thereafter as administratively possible. All agencies with administrative responsibilities for these funds shall assist the State Treasurer as 10 needed in implementing the transfers. 11

12 (2) Transfers from the General Fund for FY2025-26 shall include13 transfers to:

(a) The Nebraska State Patrol Cash Fund: \$115,000 14 less the unexpended balance existing on June 30, 2025, in (i) the Nebraska State 15 Patrol Cash Fund, (ii) the Investigation Petty Cash Fund, (iii) any 16 17 special checking account or accounts used by the Nebraska State Patrol, and (iv) the possession of agency personnel involved in investigations, 18 when the unexpended balances resulted from General Fund transfers to the 19 Nebraska State Patrol Cash Fund or from General Fund appropriations. Any 20 transfers made shall be subject to a final reconciliation of available 21 22 investigation cash fund balances as of June 30, 2025, by the Nebraska State Patrol. 23

It is the intent of the Legislature that the Nebraska State Patrol have available a total of \$115,000 from the General Fund for FY2025-26 to be used in making drug purchases, for enforcing Nebraska laws relating to felonies, for enforcing the Nebraska liquor laws, and for payment of investigative expenses;

(b) The Property Tax Credit Cash Fund: \$422,000,000 on or before
December 15, 2025, on such date as directed by the budget administrator
of the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services; and

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(c) Commission on Public Advocacy Operations Cash Fund: \$1,000,000
 on or before December 31, 2025, on such dates and in such amounts as
 directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of the
 Department of Administrative Services.

5 (3) Transfers from the General Fund for FY2026-27 shall include6 transfers to:

7 (a) The Nebraska State Patrol Cash Fund: \$115,000 less the unexpended balance existing on June 30, 2026, in (i) the Nebraska State 8 9 Patrol Cash Fund, (ii) the Investigation Petty Cash Fund, (iii) any 10 special checking account or accounts used by the Nebraska State Patrol, and (iv) the possession of agency personnel involved in investigations, 11 when the unexpended balances resulted from General Fund transfers to the 12 13 Nebraska State Patrol Cash Fund or from General Fund appropriations. Any transfers made shall be subject to a final reconciliation of available 14 investigation cash fund balances as of June 30, 2026, by the Nebraska 15 State Patrol. 16

17 It is the intent of the Legislature that the Nebraska State Patrol 18 have available a total of \$115,000 from the General Fund for FY2026-27 to 19 be used in making drug purchases, for enforcing Nebraska laws relating to 20 felonies, for enforcing the Nebraska liquor laws, and for payment of 21 investigative expenses;

(b) The Property Tax Credit Cash Fund: \$442,000,000 on or before
December 15, 2026, on such date as directed by the budget administrator
of the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services; and

(c) Commission on Public Advocacy Operations Cash Fund: \$1,000,000
on or before December 31, 2026, on such dates and in such amounts as
directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of the
Department of Administrative Services.

Sec. 291. CASH, REVOLVING, AND TRUST FUND LAPSES AND TRANSFERS.
 The State Treasurer shall make the transfers specified in this
 section between funds, in the amounts indicated. Unless otherwise noted,

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1 transfers for FY2025-26 shall occur on July 1, 2025, or as soon 2 thereafter as administratively possible, and transfers for FY2026-27 3 shall occur on July 1, 2026, or as soon thereafter as administratively 4 possible. All agencies with administrative responsibilities for these 5 funds shall assist the State Treasurer as needed in implementing the 6 transfers.

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(1) Transfers for FY2025-26 shall include:

8 (a) From the Health and Human Services Cash Fund to the University 9 of Nebraska Eppley Institute for Research in Cancer and Allied Diseases 10 Cash Fund: \$500,000 pursuant to section 81-638;

(b) From the Roads Operations Cash Fund to the Carrier Enforcement
Cash Fund: \$11,413,021 less the unexpended balance existing on June 30,
2025, in the Carrier Enforcement Cash Fund. Transfers shall be made in
four equal quarterly amounts on or before July 15, October 15, January
15, and April 15;

(c) From the State Building Revolving Fund to the Capitol Security
Revolving Fund: \$1,429,602 less the unexpended, unobligated balance
existing on June 30, 2025, in the Capitol Security Revolving Fund.
Transfers shall be made in four equal quarterly amounts on or before July
15, October 15, January 15, and April 15. Transfers shall be made to pay
non-General-Fund costs associated with the operation of the state capitol
security division of the Nebraska State Patrol;

(d) From the Highway Trust Fund to the Motor Fuel Tax Enforcement
and Collection Cash Fund: \$1,400,000. Transfers shall be made in twelve
equal monthly amounts;

(e) From the Highway Trust Fund to the Motor Carrier Division Cash
Fund: Up to a maximum of \$1,400,000. Transfers shall be made as required
by the Department of Motor Vehicles to operate the Division of Motor
Carrier Services;

30 (f) From the Civic and Community Center Financing Fund to the
 31 Department of Revenue Enforcement Fund: \$43,900 on July 1, 2025, or as

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soon thereafter as administratively possible, as provided for in sections
 13-2704 and 77-5601;

3 (g) From the Highway Trust Fund to the License Plate Cash Fund:
4 \$3,554,058. Transfers shall be made as required by the Department of
5 Motor Vehicles to meet the expenditures of plate and sticker production;

(h) From the Flexible Spending Trust Fund to the Health and Life 6 7 Benefit Administration Cash Fund: \$140,000 except that if the total available unobligated balance of forfeitures in the Flexible Spending 8 9 Trust Fund as of June 30, 2025, is less than \$140,000 then the State Treasurer shall transfer the difference, not to exceed \$140,000 from the 10 State Employees Insurance Fund. Transfers shall be made to pay the costs 11 associated with the administration of the Flexible Spending Account 12 13 program;

(i) From the State Employees Insurance Fund to the Health and Life
Benefit Administration Cash Fund: \$1,097,174 less the June 30, 2025,
unobligated Health and Life Benefit Administration Cash Fund balance;

17 (j) From the Severance Tax Fund to the Municipal Rate Negotiations
18 Revolving Loan Fund: \$10,000 pursuant to section 57-705;

(k) From the Severance Tax Fund to the State Energy Cash Fund:
\$300,000 pursuant to section 57-705. Transfers shall be made in twelve
equal monthly amounts;

(1) From the Nebraska Training and Support Cash Fund to the Sector
Partnership Program Fund: \$300,000 on or before July 15, 2025, on such
date as directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of
the Department of Administrative Services;

(m) The State Treasurer shall transfer up to \$1,500,000 from the Petroleum Release Remedial Action Cash Fund to the Superfund Cost Share Cash Fund on or before June 30, 2026, on such dates and in such amounts as directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services. Transfers shall be made as required by the Department of Environment and Energy and used pursuant to

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1 subdivision (2)(i) of section 66-1519;

2 (n) From the State Settlement Cash Fund to the General Fund:
3 \$295,957 on or before June 30, 2026, on such dates and in such amounts as
4 directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of the
5 Department of Administrative Services;

6 (o) From the State Settlement Cash Fund to the Legal Education for 7 Public Service and Rural Practice Loan Repayment Assistance Fund: 8 \$150,000 on or before July 15, 2025, on such date as directed by the 9 budget administrator of the budget division of the Department of 10 Administrative Services;

(p) From the State Settlement Cash Fund to the Nebraska State Patrol Cash Fund: \$200,000 on or before June 30, 2026, on such dates and in such amounts as directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services;

(q) From the Nebraska Environmental Trust Fund to the Water Sustainability Fund: \$5,000,000 on or before June 30, 2026, on such dates and in such amounts as directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services; and

(r) From the Nebraska Environmental Trust Fund to the Nebraska Soil and Water Conservation Fund: \$2,500,000 on or before June 30, 2026, on such dates and in such amounts as directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services.

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(2) Transfers for FY2026-27 shall include:

(a) From the Health and Human Services Cash Fund to the University
of Nebraska Eppley Institute for Research in Cancer and Allied Diseases
Cash Fund: \$500,000 pursuant to section 81-638;

(b) From the Roads Operations Cash Fund to the Carrier Enforcement
Cash Fund: \$11,806,490. Transfers shall be made in four equal quarterly
amounts on or before July 15, October 15, January 15, and April 15;

30 (c) From the State Building Revolving Fund to the Capitol Security31 Revolving Fund: \$1,482,214. Transfers shall be made in four equal

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1 quarterly amounts on or before July 15, October 15, January 15, and April 2 15. Transfers shall be made to pay non-General-Fund costs associated with 3 the operation of the state capitol security division of the Nebraska 4 State Patrol;

5 (d) From the Highway Trust Fund to the Motor Fuel Tax Enforcement 6 and Collection Cash Fund: \$1,400,000 less the unobligated balance in the 7 Motor Fuel Tax Enforcement and Collection Cash Fund on June 30, 2026. 8 Transfers shall be made in twelve equal monthly amounts;

9 (e) From the Highway Trust Fund to the Motor Carrier Division Cash 10 Fund: Up to a maximum of \$1,400,000. Transfers shall be made as required 11 by the Department of Motor Vehicles to operate the Division of Motor 12 Carrier Services;

(f) From the Civic and Community Center Financing Fund to the
Department of Revenue Enforcement Fund: \$43,900 on July 1, 2026, or as
soon thereafter as administratively possible, as provided for in sections
13-2704 and 77-5601;

(g) From the Highway Trust Fund to the License Plate Cash Fund: Up to a maximum of \$2,592,174. Transfers shall be made as required by the Department of Motor Vehicles to meet the expenditures of plate and sticker production;

(h) From the Flexible Spending Trust Fund to the Health and Life 21 Benefit Administration Cash Fund: \$140,000 except that if the total 22 available unobligated balance of forfeitures in the Flexible Spending 23 24 Trust Fund as of June 30, 2026, is less than \$140,000 then the State Treasurer shall transfer the difference, not to exceed \$140,000 from the 25 State Employees Insurance Fund. Transfers shall be made to pay the costs 26 27 associated with the administration of the Flexible Spending Account program; 28

(i) From the State Employees Insurance Fund to the Health and Life
Benefit Administration Cash Fund: \$1,121,274;

31 (j) From the Severance Tax Fund to the Municipal Rate Negotiations

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1 Revolving Loan Fund: \$10,000 pursuant to section 57-705;

2 (k) From the Severance Tax Fund to the State Energy Cash Fund:
3 \$300,000 pursuant to section 57-705. Transfers shall be made in twelve
4 equal monthly amounts;

5 (1) From the Nebraska Training and Support Cash Fund to the Sector 6 Partnership Program Fund: \$300,000 on or before July 15, 2026, on such 7 date as directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of 8 the Department of Administrative Services;

9 (m) The State Treasurer shall transfer up to \$1,500,000 from the 10 Petroleum Release Remedial Action Cash Fund to the Superfund Cost Share 11 Cash Fund on or before June 30, 2027, on such dates and in such amounts 12 as directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of the 13 Department of Administrative Services. Transfers shall be made as 14 required by the Department of Environment and Energy and used pursuant to 15 subdivision (2)(i) of section 66-1519;

(n) From the State Settlement Cash Fund to the General Fund:
\$295,957 on or before June 30, 2027, on such dates and in such amounts as
directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of the
Department of Administrative Services;

(o) From the State Settlement Cash Fund to the Legal Education for
Public Service and Rural Practice Loan Repayment Assistance Fund:
\$150,000 on or before July 15, 2026, on such date as directed by the
budget administrator of the budget division of the Department of
Administrative Services;

(p) From the State Settlement Cash Fund to the Nebraska State Patrol
Cash Fund: \$200,000 on or before June 30, 2027, on such dates and in such
amounts as directed by the budget administrator of the budget division of
the Department of Administrative Services;

(q) From the Nebraska Environmental Trust Fund to the Water
Sustainability Fund: \$5,000,000 on or before June 30, 2027, on such dates
and in such amounts as directed by the budget administrator of the budget

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1 division of the Department of Administrative Services; and

2 (r) From the Nebraska Environmental Trust Fund to the Nebraska Soil
3 and Water Conservation Fund: \$2,500,000 on or before June 30, 2026, on
4 such dates and in such amounts as directed by the budget administrator of
5 the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services.

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Sec. 292. REAPPROPRIATION OF STATE AGENCY BYRNE GRANTS.

The unexpended General Fund, Cash Fund, and Federal Fund
appropriation balances existing on both June 30, 2025, and June 30, 2024,
are hereby reappropriated for the following agencies and programs:

10 (1) Agency 11 – Program No. 575;

11 (2) Agency 46 - Program No. 575;

12 (3) Agency 64 – Program No. 575; and

13 (4) Agency 78 – Program No. 575.

**Sec. 293.** There is hereby appropriated, unless otherwise specified, for FY2023-24 and for FY2024-25 from undisbursed balances existing on June 30, 2023, and on June 30, 2024, respectively, to each agency for each program from the respective funds for capital construction as follows:

19 (1) Agency No. 25 – Department of Health and Human Services

20 Program Nos. 919, 931, and 936.

21 (2) Agency No. 27 – Department of Transportation

Program No. 901, except that the unobligated biennium appropriation balance shall lapse once all projects funded in that biennium are completed, postponed to a future biennium, or indefinitely postponed.

25 (3) Agency No. 28 - Department of Veterans' Affairs

26 Program Nos. 936 and 938.

27 (4) Agency No. 31 – Military Department

28 Program Nos. 913, 914, 925, 927, 990, and 992.

29 (5) Agency No. 33 – Game and Parks Commission

30 Program Nos. 900, 901, 902, 919, 924, 955, 960, 965, 966, 967, 968,

31 969, 971, 972, 973, 975, 976, 977, 979, 981, and 987.

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1 (6) Agency No. 46 – Department of Correctional Services

Program Nos. 905, 906, 913, 914, 921, 927, 928, and 929.

3 (7) Agency No. 47 – Nebraska Educational Telecommunications
 4 Commission

5 Program Nos. 908, 920, 928, 930, 931, 932, and 991.

6 (8) Agency No. 50 – Board of Trustees of the Nebraska State Colleges 7 Program Nos. 903, 906, 919, 920, 921, 931, 933, 940, 953, 955, and 8 996, and any additional construction programs administratively created 9 relating to the Board of Trustees of the Nebraska State Colleges and its 10 campuses which are funded through cash funds, federal funds, revolving 11 funds, or private gifts or donations.

12 (9) Agency No. 51 – University of Nebraska

13 Program Nos. 901, 902, 903, 906, 910, 911, 912, 913, 916, 917, 918, 920, 922, 923, 924, 925, 928, 929, 931, 932, 933, 934, 939, 941, 944, 14 945, 954, 955, 977, 980, 983, 984, 985, 987, 990, 993, and 994, and any 15 additional construction programs administratively created relating to the 16 17 University of Nebraska-Lincoln, the University of Nebraska at Omaha, the University of Nebraska Medical Center, the University of Nebraska at 18 19 Kearney, the Nebraska College of Technical Agriculture at Curtis, and the University of Nebraska Central Administration which are funded through 20 cash funds, federal funds, revolving funds, or private gifts or 21 22 donations.

23 (10) Agency No. 64 – Nebraska State Patrol

24 Program No. 904.

25 (11) Agency No. 65 – Department of Administrative Services

26 Program Nos. 901, 917, 922, 980, 986, and 994.

Appropriations to program numbers pertaining to funding for the Deferred Building Renewal Act other than Program number 940 are hereby reappropriated.

30 (12) Agency No. 78 – Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and
 31 Criminal Justice

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1 Program No. 903.

2 Sec. 294. The One Hundred Ninth Legislature acknowledges that 3 Article III, section 22, of the Constitution of Nebraska provides that 4 each Legislature shall make appropriations for the expenses of the 5 government. Consistent with this provision, any appropriations enacted by 6 prior Legislatures for fiscal years beginning after June 30, 2025, are 7 null and void unless specifically reaffirmed by this Legislature.

8 Sec. 295. This act becomes operative on July 1, 2025.

9 Sec. 296. Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect when
10 passed and approved according to law.