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# FLOOR REPORT OF THE 2023-2024 BUDGET



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### OVERVIEW

## 2023-24 California State Budget Package

This version of the Floor Report reflects final actions of the 2023 legislative year, including 12 bills adopted in September.

2023 was a year of uncertainty that followed the record surpluses of 2021 and 2022 that reflected the COVID-19 pandemic the economic recovery. While economists and Wall Street braced for a recession, revenue collections for the prior fiscal year appeared to underperform expectations. However, these setbacks were severe enough to force a major retrenchment of the multi-year investment plans put forward in the 2022 historic surplus budget.

The 2023-24 budget package was designed to bridge a \$26.5 billion two-year budget gap. The final budget package was able to address this problem without revisiting key state investments. Much of this budget hole was covered in cost shifts and delays that mostly impacted the State's massive multi-year climate investment and shifted some higher education facility project to bonds, but largely left these investments intact. The budget also included \$5.6 billion in reductions, most of which were ambitious attempts to reduce state liabilities, like the unemployment insurance fund, with one-time extra payments that the State could no longer afford. The package also included \$3.6 billion in new revenue, mostly from the re-authorization of the Managed Care Organization tax.

But bridging the budget gap only partly defuse the uncertainty facing the State. In January of 2023, the Internal Revenue Service's delayed income tax payments for most of California until October because of the impact of winter storms on the state. As the State conformed to this delay, the budget process was crafted without April collection data to base decisions upon.

To offset this uncertainty, the Governor and the Legislature agreed that budget reserves need to be maintained. The Budget Stabilization Account was remained \$22.5 billion and total reserves of \$37.8 million were preserved in the final budget package.

Additionally, the state budget package includes the Assembly's proposal to give the administration power to delay, with notice to the Legislature, one-time spending items in departmental line items of the 2023-24 budget to no later than March 1, 2024. This authority, if exercised by the administration, would allow the Legislature to consider additional reductions and delays to budgeted one-time spending—in addition to those already approved in this year's budget packages—in response to possible revenue deterioration in the coming months. The Assembly's key budgetary goal—shared with the Senate and the Governor—is to keep protecting the state's core ongoing programs in education, health care, the human services safety net, wildfire protection, public safety, housing, and natural resources, among others.

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In addition to higher reserves, below are other highlights of the June 27 budget package:

- Schools and Community Colleges: Provides a total Proposition 98 General Fund funding level of \$110.6 billion in 2021-22, \$107.4 billion in 2022-23, and \$108.3 billion in 2023-24. Provides an increase of \$3.4 billion in Proposition 98 funding for the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF), reflecting Universal Transitional Kindergarten (UTK) enrollment and an 8.22% percent cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) in 2023-24. Total Budget Year LCFF is estimated at \$79.8 billion.
- **Early Childhood Education:** Provides a total of up to \$2.83 billion in one-time funds for child care reimbursement increases: \$1.673 billion from various federal and general fund sources one-time, and up to \$1.158 billion Proposition 98 one-time, through the 2024-25 fiscal year to increase all child care and preschool rates, subject to collective bargaining. Reduces family fees for childcare and preschool to 1% of total family income, for families making at least 75 percent of the state median income, beginning October 1, 2023, and appropriates \$78.4 million from non-Proposition 98 general fund and Proposition 98.
- Higher Education: Provides 5 percent ongoing increases to UC and CSU, supports 12,000 more spots for Californians at UC and CSU, including continuing to replace nonresidents with Californians at UC, avoids cuts and delays to infrastructure and student housing projects by shifting costs to bonds, approves projects that will add about 4,100 new beds at campuses, expands financial aid programs to provide debt free college to foster youth, and provides ongoing increases to student support programs.
- Housing and Homelessness: Continues funding local homelessness efforts with over \$1 billion in 2023-24 and language expressing intent to provide additional rounds of funding. Requires a regional homelessness action plan. In total, over \$3 billion of 2023-24 housing and homelessness-related expenditures, including funding for the Multifamily Housing Program, adaptive reuse, the Infill Infrastructure Grant Program, CalHome, accessory dwelling units, and the State Low Income Housing Tax Credit Program.
- **Public Transit:** Provides \$5.1 billion for transit capital funding across three years (including restoring Transit and Intercity Rail Capital Program funding proposed for reductions by the Governor), with flexibility to shift funds to operating expenses subject to accountability guidelines to help ensure that state subsidies are temporary and nonrecurring.
- *Medi-Cal and MCO:* Provides \$2.7 billion of reimbursement rate increases and other investments annually beginning in 2025 through 2029, from the managed care organization (MCO) funding mechanism. The MCO package also includes \$50 million

one-time for assistance for small rural hospital seismic improvements and \$150 million more (in addition to \$150 million previously appropriated) for the Distressed Hospital Loan Fund.

- **CoveredCA:** Provides \$82.5 million (\$165 million ongoing) from penalty funds to lower copays and deductibles of CoveredCA plans beginning January 1, 2024.
- **CalWORKs Grants.** Provides \$500 million in ongoing funds beginning in 2024-25 to turn temporary 10 percent grant increase into a permanent grant increase to support California families struggling the most.
- **Safety Net Reserve:** Rejects proposed use of the Safety Net Reserve for purposes not intended for the reserve.
- Prison Policy. Reflects the Legislature's intent to close additional prisons, specifically by requiring the administration to produce a preliminary (August 15, 2023) and final (November 15, 2023) assessment of state prison operational and housing requirements to assist the Legislature in making future decisions concerning prison facilities.
- **Resources and Climate:** Protects key investments in coastal resilience, community resilience, dam safety, and sustainable agriculture.
- *Helping Communities.* Among over \$1 billion for important community projects funded in the plan, the June 27 budget package—like the June 15 legislative budget—includes funding to assist the communities of Pajaro (\$20 million) and Planada (\$20 million) in recovering from this year's flooding, available for various purposes to help those in the communities regardless of documentation and citizenship status. Providing help to these communities was a key Assembly priority in this year's budget negotiations.
- **Strengthens Out-Year Commitments:** Continues to protect California's hard-won budget progress with actions for key programs:
  - Specifies intent that local funding to combat the homelessness crisis will continue into 2024-25.
  - Provides \$289 million for the Middle Class Scholarship program in 2024-25 to maintain current level of the program in that school year.

As mentioned above, makes temporary CalWORKs grant increase permanent, beginning in 2024-25.

## SUMMARY CHART

#### 2023 Budget Act General Fund Budget Summary

(Dollars in Millions)

	2022-23	2023-24
Prior Year Balance	\$55,810	\$26,352
Revenues and Transfers	\$205,134	\$208,688
Total Resources Available	\$260,944	\$235,040
Non-Proposition 98 Expenditures	\$156,475	\$147,533
Proposition 98 Expenditures	\$78,117	\$78,395
Total Expenditures	\$234,592	\$225,928
Fund Balance	\$26,352	\$9,112
Reserve for Liquidation of Encumbrances	\$5,272	\$5,272
Special Fund for Economic Uncertainties	\$21,080	\$3,840
Public School System Stabilization Account	\$9,929	\$10,831
Safety Net Reserve	\$900	\$900
Budget Stabilization Account/Rainy Day Fund	\$22,252	\$22,252
Note: Numbers may not add due to rounding.		

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#### HEALTH

#### California Health and Human Services Agency

- Approves of expenditure authority for \$1.13 million and 6.0 limited-term positions, originally appropriated in 2021 and reappropriated in 2022, to implement the California Emergency Medical Services Data Resource System (Budget Change Proposal) at the Emergency Medical Services Authority.
- Approves \$13,243,000 (\$10,273,000 988 State Suicide and Behavioral Health Crisis Services Fund [988 Fund], \$2,197,000 Managed Care Fund, and \$773,000 federal funds) in 2023-24, \$16,041,000 (\$13,228,000 988 Fund, \$2,085,000 Managed Care Fund, and \$728,000 federal funds) in 2024-25, and \$16,258,000 (\$13,228,000 988 Fund, \$2,302,000 Managed Care Fund, and \$728,000 federal funds) in 2025-26 and ongoing to implement AB 988 (Bauer-Kahan, 2022) at the California Health and Human Services Agency, Department of Health Care Services, and the Department of Managed Health Care (Budget Change Proposal).
- Adopts trailer bill to amend AB 988 (Bauer-Kahan, 2022), to: 1) protect the fund set up for 988 activities which prioritizes the call centers and mobile crisis teams; 2) align the behavioral health coverage for commercial and Medi-Cal plans; 3) clarify the reporting requirements laid out in AB 988; 4) delay the implementation of various reporting requirements to July 1, 2025 and January 1, 2030; and 5) conform the AB 988 language with existing federal 988 regulations and requirements.
- Approves provisional language to provide flexibility for the California Health and Human Services Agency to implement requirements of AB 988 (Bauer-Kahan) through June 30, 2028 by exempting contracts from requirements contained in the Public Contracts Code and the State Administrative Manual and from approval by the Department of General Services (Spring Finance Letter).
- Approves of the reappropriation of up to \$8.8 million Mental Health Services Fund, (originally General Fund appropriated through the 2021 Budget Act), to allow these funds to be expended from June 30, 2022 until June 30, 2025 for subject matter expertise and evaluation for the Children and Youth Behavioral Health Initiative (Spring Finance Letter Issue #056).
- Approves \$665,000 one-time (California Health and Human Services Automation Fund) and 3 ongoing positions to provide project management support to the Emergency Medical Services Authority for the California Emergency Medical Services Data Resource System Project planning efforts.

- Approves of the reappropriation of up to \$2.5 million General Fund from the 2021 Budget Act to expand equity training opportunities to staff of CalHHS departments and offices to create transformative change toward a more equitable state. Extends the availability of these funds from June 30, 2022 to June 30, 2024 (Spring Finance Letter).
- Approves of \$42 million General Fund in 2023-24 and \$32 million General Fund in 2024-25 to establish the Health and Human Services Innovation Accelerator Initiative, a public-private partnership to create an environment for researchers and developers to create solutions to health challenges.

#### **Emergency Medical Services Authority**

- Approves of \$84,000 General Fund in 2023-24, 2024-25 and 2025-26 to implement AB 2130 (Cunningham, 2022) which requires training of emergency medical technicians and paramedics on issues relating to human trafficking (Budget Change Proposal).
- Adopts trailer bill to remove the requirement to integrate the Advance Health Care Directive (AHCD) Registry into the Physician Orders for Life-Sustaining Treatment (POLST) Registry with the understanding that EMSA will modify the POLST to allow people to indicate if they have filed their AHCD with the Secretary of State.
- Adopts trailer bill to remove the statutory requirement for the EMSA Director to be a medical doctor, and establishes a separate Chief Medical Officer (CMO) within EMSA, with clarifications on the authority of the new CMO. Makes the director and CMO appointments subject to Senate confirmation.
- Approves 1.0 permanent position and \$312,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing to establish a Chief Medical Officer position at EMSA (Spring Finance Letter Issue #17).
- Approves of a \$29,000 ongoing General Fund increase to the Governor's Budget proposal to support indirect costs associated with the appointment of a Chief Medical Officer (May Revise).
- Approves \$100,000 General Fund in 2023-24 to contract with a consultant to assist in the development of a Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Strategic Plan (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves \$4.9 million General Fund in 2023-24 and \$185,000 in 2024-25 for the maintenance and operations of the California Emergency Medical Services Information System (CEMSIS) (Spring Finance Letter Issue #15).

- Approves 4 positions and \$775,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing to allow EMSA to properly align staff allocation and reporting structure requirements mandated by the California Department of Human Resources (Spring Finance Letter Issue #18).
- Approves the redirection of \$190,000 General Fund from the California Emergency Medical Advancement Project to support planning efforts for the Central Registry.

#### Department of Health Care Access and Information

- Includes \$300 million (\$150 million General Fund, \$150 million MCO tax) and trailer bill to create and fund the Distressed Hospital Loan Program.
- Approves \$100,000 General Fund annually for 2023-24 through 2027-28 to contract with an external organization to conduct the annual evaluations of the Abortion Practical Support Fund as required by SB 1142 (Caballero, Skinner, 2022) (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 1.0 position and \$120,000 from the Hospital Building Fund for 2023-24 and ongoing to implement AB 1882 (Robert Rivas, Nazarian, Rodriguez, 2022), which requires HCAI to identify on its website hospital buildings that may not be repairable or functional following an earthquake, but do not significantly jeopardize life (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves of 2 positions, with existing administrative resources, to staff the Health Workforce Education and Training Council (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves modified trailer bill to delay a subset of proposed 2022 workforce investments, and approves of \$100 million General Fund (GF) and \$182.4 million Mental Health Services Fund (MHSF) in order to not delay these investments as follows:
  - Social Work Initiative -- \$51.9 million (MHSF)
  - Addiction Psychiatric/Medicine Fellowships -- \$48.5 million (MHSF)
  - University/College Behavioral Health Workforce Grants -- \$52 million (MHSF)
  - Masters in Social Work Slots at Public Universities/Colleges -- \$30 million (MHSF)
  - Nursing Initiative Grants -- \$70 million (GF)
  - Community Health Workers Initiative Grants -- \$15 million (GF)
  - Song-Brown Program Nurses -- \$15 million (GF)
- Replaces \$14 million General Fund with \$14 million Mental Health Services Fund for loan repayments for psychiatrists.

- Approves 6.0 positions, and \$1,452,000 from the Hospital Building Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing to implement AB 2511 (Irwin, 2022), which requires skilled nursing facilities to have an alternative power source for at least 96 hours during any type of power outage (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves the transfer and reappropriation of a one-time 2021-22 appropriation of \$1.184 million General Fund from the California Health and Human Services Agency to HCAI, and trailer bill, to support implementation of SB 852 (Pan, 2020), the "California Affordable Drug Manufacturing Act of 2020" (Spring Finance Letter Issues #40 and #57).
- Approves \$2,000,000 General Fund (Budget Act of 2022) to be reappropriated through June 30, 2028, from and for the Capital Infrastructure Security Program, and also for these funds to be used for reproductive health care, if necessary.
- Adopts trailer bill to add pharmacists to the definition of "reproductive health care professionals," for purposes of implementing AB 1918 (Petrie-Norris, 2022) which includes: "recruiting, training and retaining a diverse workforce of reproductive health care professionals who will be part of the reproductive health care teams to work in underserved areas."
- Approves \$30 million one-time from the Opioid Settlements Fund to be used to support development, manufacturing, or procurement of a low-cost naloxone nasal product.
- Approves \$2.8 million ongoing General Fund for the California Medicine Scholars Program.
- Approves \$10 million one-time General Fund for the Promotoras de Salud Program.
- Shifts the Public Health Nurses Certification Fee Waiver Program from HCAI to the Department of Consumer Affairs. Reduces HCAI's \$3.33 million General Fund in 2022-23; appropriates \$6.66 million General Fund to DCA in 2023-24; and the remaining \$3.34 million General Fund planned in the 2024 Budget Act to be appropriated to DCA.
- Adopts trailer bill to authorize the CalRx program, within HCAI, to develop "over-thecounter" naloxone products (in addition to prescription naloxone products).

#### Department of Managed Health Care

• Approves of resources for the implementation of SB 923 (Wiener, 2022), which requires health plans, and their delegate staff who are in direct contact with enrollees, to complete evidence-based cultural competency training so they can proficiently

provide trans-inclusive health care to individuals who identify as transgender, gender diverse, or intersex (TGI) (Budget Change Proposal), as follows:

- Department of Managed Health Care: limited-term expenditure authority in 2023-24 through 2026-27 (equivalent to 0.5 staff) and 4.5 positions and \$1,196,000 from the Managed Care Fund in 2023-24, 7.0 positions and \$1,732,000 in 2024-25, 9.0 positions and \$2,284,000 in 2025-26, \$2,251,000 in 2026-27, \$2,233,000 in 2027-28 and ongoing;
- California Health and Human Services Agency: \$400,000 one-time General Fund in 2023-24; and
- Department of Health Care Services: 11.0 permanent positions, three year limitedterm resources equivalent to 3.0 positions and expenditure authority of \$2,696,000 (\$1,348,000 General Fund (GF)); \$1,348,000 Federal Fund (FF)) in 2023-24, \$3,570,000 (\$1,785,000 GF; \$1,785,000 FF) in 2024-25, \$2,070,000 (\$1,035,000 GF; \$1,035,000 FF) in 2025-26, and \$1,575,000 (\$788,000 GF; \$787,000 FF) in 2026-27 and ongoing.
- Approves a decrease of \$350,000 to reflect the correct amount proposed one-time at the Governor's Budget for consultant services within the California Health and Human Services Agency related to the Gender Affirming Care Fund, a component of the Budget Change Proposal to implement SB 923 (Spring Finance Letter Issue #48).
- Approves 2.0 positions and \$499,000 in 2023-24 and \$483,000 in 2024-25 through 2027-28 from the Managed Care Fund to implement SB 245 (Gonzalez, 2022), which requires full-service health plans to cover abortion and abortion-related services, including pre-abortion and abortion follow-up services, without a co-payment, deductible, or any type of cost-sharing requirement (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 2.0 positions and \$343,000 in 2023-24, \$323,000 in 2024-25, \$333,000 in 2025-26 and annually thereafter from the Managed Care Fund to implement AB 2352 (Nazarian, 2022), which requires a health plan to provide specified information about a prescription drug upon request by an enrollee or a prescribing provider (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 40.5 positions and \$12,570,000 in 2023-24, \$9,510,000 in 2024-25, \$9,562,000 in 2025-26, \$9,618,000 in 2026-27, \$9,678,000 in 2027-28, \$9,715,000 in 2028-29 and annually thereafter from the Managed Care Fund to implement the requirements of SB 858 (Wiener, 2022), which revises the administrative and civil penalty provisions of the Knox-Keene Act and increases various specified penalty amounts assessed against health plans and others for violations of the Knox-Keene Act (Budget Change Proposal).

- Approves 3.0 positions and \$572,000 in 2023-24, \$547,000 in 2024-25 and annually thereafter from the Managed Care Fund to implement SB 1419 (Becker, 2022), which requires health plans to establish and maintain a provider directory application programing interface (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 14.5 positions and \$2,676,000 in 2023-24, \$2,553,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Managed Care Fund to fund the activities identified in the Office of Financial Review Workload Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves \$400,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Managed Care Fund to support legal representation by the California Department of Justice, Attorney General's Office (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 5.0 positions and \$3,459,000 in 2023-24, \$3,432,000 in 2024-25, \$3,467,000 in 2025-26, \$3,482,000 in 2026-27, \$3,608,000 in 2027-28 and ongoing from the Managed Care Fund to address critical information technology gaps including security and privacy (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 0.5 position and \$27,000 in 2023-24, \$186,000 in 2024-25, \$177,000 in 2025-26 and ongoing from the Managed Care Fund to implement AB 2581 (Salas, 2022), which requires health plans, that provide coverage for mental health and substance use disorder treatment and credential health care providers, to complete the credentialing process within 60 days of receiving a completed provider credentialing application (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves \$2,981,000 and 8 positions in 2023-24, decreasing to \$2,900,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Managed Care Fund to complete focused behavioral investigations and incorporate long-range behavioral health focused assessments into the routine medical survey process (Spring Finance Letter Issue #42).
- Approves 19.5 permanent positions in 2023-24 and ongoing to support the staff resources necessary for various activities detailed in, and funded through, the Governor's Budget Workload Budget Change Proposal (Spring Finance Letter Issue #41).
- Approves a technical adjustment of -62.6 Full Time Equivalent (FTE) in 2023-24 to correct the FTE display error in Hyperion and the Galley (Spring Finance Letter Issue #45).
- Adopts trailer bill and approves 1.0 position and limited-term expenditure authority (equivalent to 2.0 staff) and \$1,254,000 in 2023-24, \$1,229,000 in 2024-25, \$258,000 in 2025-26 and ongoing from the Managed Care Fund to implement the mandatory

use of standardized forms that describe the benefits of an enrollee's health plan product (Spring Finance Letter Issue #46).

Approves a reduction in expenditure authority of \$368,000 in 2023-24, \$376,000 in 2024-25, \$402,000 in 2025-26, \$422,000 in 2026-27, \$445,000 in 2027-28, \$471,000 in 2028-29 and ongoing via the withdrawal of the Enforcement Investigations and eDiscovery Software Application Budget Change Proposal, included in the 2023-24 Governor's Budget, as these resources were inadvertently duplicated in another proposal (Spring Finance Letter Issue #47).

#### Department of Health Care Services

- Approves the May Revise Medi-Cal Estimate, modified to reflect all actions in the final 2023 Budget Act.
- Approves the May Revise Family Health Estimate (California Children's Services, Genetically Handicapped Persons Program, and Every Woman Counts), modified to reflect all actions in the final 2023 Budget Act.
- Approves of \$200 million (\$15 million General Fund, \$185 million federal funds) in 2024-25 to implement the proposed Reproductive Health Services 1115 Waiver.
- Approves of adding transitional rent to the CalAIM Community Supports that Medi-Cal managed care plans may provide to their enrollees.
- Adopts trailer bill to: 1) authorize increases to Medi-Cal reimbursement rates for primary care, obstetric care and behavioral health services, as required by the federal government for participation in the Designated State Health Programs; and 2) delay the transition of Intermediate Care Facilities for the Developmentally Disabled (ICF-DD) and subacute services into the Medi-Cal managed care delivery system from July 1, 2023, to January 1, 2024.
- Approves of the proposed delay to buying back the existing two-week checkwrite hold for Medi-Cal fee-for-service providers for \$378 million in General Fund savings.
- Approves conversion of 4.0 limited-term (LT) funded resources to permanent positions, and the establishment of 2.0 new permanent positions, and \$1,766,000 (\$443,000 General Fund (GF); \$1,323,000 Federal Fund (FF)) in 2023-24, \$1,748,000 (\$438,000 GF; \$1,310,000 FF) in 2024-25 and ongoing, to oversee a procurement effort and contract transition to secure a new Fiscal Intermediary Dental Information Technology Maintenance and Operations contract for the Medi-Cal Dental Fee-for-Service delivery system (Budget Change Proposal).

- Approves 3.0 permanent positions and \$455,000 (\$228,000 General Fund (GF); \$227,000 Federal Fund (FF)) in 2023-24 and \$428,000 (\$214,000 GF; \$214,000 FF) in 2024-25 and ongoing to implement SB 523 (Leyva, 2022), which requires DHCS to determine which contraceptive services may need to be carved out to the Fee-For-Service delivery system due to federal impermissibility, and facilitate those carve outs (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves of a one-time appropriation of \$7,450,000 (Special Deposit Fund) in 2023-24 to reimburse local educational agencies for excess administrative withholds associated with the Local Educational Agency Medi-Cal Billing Option Program (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 7.0 permanent positions, two-year limited-term (LT) resources equivalent to 6.0 positions; the Office of the Agency Information Officer is requesting 1.0 permanent position, and contract expenditure (LT) authority of \$7,797,000 (\$1,379,000 General Fund (GF); \$6,418,000 Federal Fund (FF)) in 2023-24, \$4,509,000 (\$716,000 GF; \$3,793,000 FF) in 2024-25, and \$1,580,000 (\$337,000 GF; \$1,243,000 FF) in 2025-26 for ongoing support of the DHCS Medi-Cal Enterprise Systems modernization efforts (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 16.0 permanent positions, five-year limited-term (LT) resources equivalent to 5.0 positions, the conversion of 3.0 LT resources to permanent positions, expenditure authority of \$3,807,000 (\$1,904,000 General Fund (GF); \$1,903,000 Federal Fund (FF)) in fiscal year (FY) 2023-24, \$3,654,000 (\$1,827,000 GF; \$1,827,000 FF) in FY 2024-25 through 2027-28 and \$2,959,000 (\$1,480,000 GF; \$1,479,000 FF) in FY 2028-29 and ongoing to support the activities identified in the DHCS Program Workload Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves 2.0 permanent positions and \$523,000 (\$193,000 General Funds (GF); \$330,000 Federal Funds (FF)) in 2023-24, \$505,000 (\$187,000 GF; \$318,000 FF) in 2024-25 and ongoing to provide clinical and legal expertise in reviewing proposed State Fair Hearing (SFH) decisions and assisting the director in drafting alternative SFH decisions, as required by AB 1355 (Levine, 2022) (Budget Change Proposal).
- Adopts trailer bill related to Acute Inpatient Intensive Rehabilitation Services to update state law to conform to evidence-based practice, federal Medicare policy and current DHCS policy on medical necessity by removing the provisions related to initial evaluation (7-10 days) and the 14-day trial program.
- Adopts trailer bill to require all qualified Medi-Cal providers participating in presumptive eligibility programs to report the births of any Medi-Cal eligible infant born in their facilities, including hospitals and birthing centers or other birthing settings, within 72 hours after birth through the Newborn Hospital Gateway.

- Adopts trailer bill which updates and conforms statutory requirements related to the Medi-Cal Local Assistance Estimate with recent program changes in Medi-Cal and reorganizes the Estimate budget act information to reflect current budgeting practices, while still displaying fee-for-service rates.
- Adopts trailer bill to set the Medical Provider Interim Payment loan authority at 10
  percent of the amount appropriated from the General Fund and 6 percent of the
  amount appropriated from the Federal Trust Fund for Medi-Cal benefit costs in the
  Budget Act from the most recent fiscal year, instead of a fixed \$2 billion, in the event
  there is a deficiency in budget authority.
- Approves the delay of \$235 million General Fund for the Behavioral Health Bridge Housing Program from 2023-24 to 2024-25 and delays the expenditure of \$50 million General Fund from 2022-23 to 2023-24.
- Approves the delay of \$480.7 million General Fund for the Behavioral Health Continuum Infrastructure Program from 2022-23 to 2024-25 and 2025-26.
- Approves an estimated \$109.7 million total funds (\$39.1 million General Fund) in 2023-24 for the CalAIM inmate pre-release program, called the "Justice Involved Initiative."
- Approves of \$711.9 million (\$271.2 million General Fund, \$356 million federal funds, and \$84.7 million special funds and reimbursements) in 2022-23 and \$599.9 million (\$272 million General Fund, \$300 million federal funds, and \$28 million special funds and reimbursements) in 2023-24 for the Medi-Cal Providing Access and Transforming Health (PATH) initiative which provides pre-release care and coordination with justice agencies.
- Adopts trailer bill, including May Revision updates, to establish a continuously appropriated special fund, titled Medi-Cal County Behavioral Health Fund, to support the non-federal share of behavioral health services provided by counties under the implementation of the CalAIM Behavioral Health Payment Reform initiative which transitions county behavioral health plans from a certified public expenditure protocol to intergovernmental transfers.
- Approves of a \$250 million one-time General Fund appropriation for counties in 2023-24 to initially fund the non-federal share of behavioral health-related services at the start of CalAIM behavioral health payment reform.
- Approves 2.0 permanent positions and expenditure authority for \$304,000 (\$152,000 General Fund (GF) and \$152,000 Federal Fund (FF)) for 2023-24 and \$286,000 (\$143,000 GF and \$143,000 FF) for 2024-25 and ongoing to implement AB 2242

(Santiago, 2022), which requires DHCS to develop a statewide model care coordination plan for implementation by all facilities designated by the counties and approved by DHCS, for the involuntary detainment, evaluation and treatment of adults or minors (Budget Change Proposal).

- Approves 15.0 permanent positions, and \$2,565,000 (\$1,223,000 General Fund (GF) and \$1,342,000 Federal Funds (FF)) in 2023-24, \$2,639,000 (\$1,262,000 GF and \$1,377,000 FF) in 2024-25 and ongoing to implement AB 2317 (Ramos, 2022), which requires DHCS to establish and oversee a new licensing category, Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility (PRTF), for children and youth requiring inpatient psychiatric services (Budget Change Proposal).
- Adopts trailer bill that revises various provisions included in AB 2317 (Ramos, Chapter 589, Statutes of 2022), including revising the required membership of the interdisciplinary team serving children and youth in licensed residential psychiatric treatment facilities. Authorizes the disclosure of mental health and developmental services information and records without the consent of the patient or their guardian under specified circumstances.
- Approves 2.0 permanent positions and expenditure authority of \$5,000,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing to implementation the Community Assistance, Recovery and Empowerment (CARE) Act Supporter Program adopted through SB 1338 (Umberg, Eggman, 2022) (Budget Change Proposal).
- Adopts provisional language that requires DHCS, in consultation with the Judicial Council, to develop a reporting schedule for the submission of specified CARE Act data from each trial court implementing the CARE Act. Requires DHCS to provide an implementation report, based on this data, to the Legislature by December 2024.
- Approves 10.0 permanent positions and \$2,400,000 (\$1,200,000 General Fund (GF); \$1,200,000 Federal Fund (FF)) in 2023-24 and \$1,560,000 (\$780,000 GF; \$780,000 FF) in 2024-25 and ongoing to implement SB 929 (Eggman, 2022), which mandates the collection of comprehensive data to determine what is working well and help identify best practices pertaining to the implementation of the Lanterman-Petris-Short Act (Budget Change Proposal).
- Adopts trailer bill to expand Lanterman-Petris-Short (LPS) Act data reporting requirements primarily by: 1) requiring counties to collect and report data quarterly to DHCS from their local entities implementing LPS involuntary holds rather than those entities reporting directly to DHCS; and 2) authorizing DHCS to levy civil money penalties against facilities and counties for failure to submit data timely. Subjects the civil money penalties to an appeals process and deposits penalty revenue into a new

continuously appropriated special fund to support DHCS implementation of SB 929 (Eggman, 2022).

- Approves 2.0 permanent positions and \$310,000 (\$155,000 General Fund (GF); \$155,000 Federal Fund (FF)) in 2023-24 and \$292,000 (\$146,000 GF; \$146,000 FF) in 2024-25 and ongoing to implement SB 1207 (Portantino, 2022), which expands the maternal mental health program requirements beyond only applying to Knox-Keene licensed health plans, overseen and regulated by the Department of Managed Health Care, to all managed care plans, including County Organized Health Systems (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 5.0 permanent full time positions and \$1,443,000 (\$722,000 General Fund (GF); \$721,000 Federal Fund (FF)) in 2023-24 and \$2,098,000 (\$1,049,000 GF; \$1,049,000 FF) in 2024-25 and ongoing to implement SB 1019 (Gonzalez, 2022), which requires Medi-Cal Managed Care Plans (MCPs), starting no later than January 1, 2025, to conduct annual outreach and education to members regarding mental health benefits covered by MCPs (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves \$32,000,000 in 2023-24, \$23,000,000 in 2024-25, and \$12,000,000 in 2025-26 through 2026-27 from the Opioid Settlements Fund to support the Naloxone Distribution Project (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 5.0 permanent positions and \$764,000 (\$382,000 General Fund (GF); \$382,000 Federal Fund (FF)) in 2023-24, and \$719,000 (\$360,000 GF; \$359,000 FF) in 2024-25 and ongoing, to implement AB 1051 (Bennett, 2022), which revises statutory requirements governing the presumptive transfer of foster children placed in group homes, community treatment facilities, Children's Crisis Residential Programs, or short-term residential therapeutic programs outside of their county of original jurisdiction, and to ensure these children access to Specialty Mental Health Services in a timely manner (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves but modifies the following request to reflect a phased-in fee increase: 12.0 permanent positions and expenditure authority of \$3.9 million General Fund in 2023-24 and \$1,904,000 Residential and Outpatient Program Licensing Fund (ROPLF) in 2024-25 and ongoing to strengthen compliance oversight and establish a new mandatory certification for outpatient substance use disorder programs (Budget Change Proposal).
- Adopts trailer bill to make ongoing changes to the Residential Outpatient Licensing Fee (ROPLF) program to strengthen compliance oversight and establish a new mandatory certification for outpatient substance use disorder programs. Implements a licensing fee increase for residential and outpatient substance abuse treatment providers by 20 percent per year, until reaching a 75 percent increase, after which

authorizes DHCS to increase fees annually by a maximum of 5 percent or seek legislative approval to increase them more. Requires DHCS to develop a hardship fee waiver application process for substance abuse treatment providers.

- Adopts trailer bill to change the Drug Medi-Cal claim timeliness from six months to twelve months to create parity and be consistent with the claim timeliness requirements for Medi-Cal fee-for-service, Specialty Mental Health Services and federal regulations.
- Approves 3.0 permanent positions, four-year limited term resources equivalent to 1.0 position, and expenditure authority of \$1,062,000 (\$458,000 General Fund (GF); \$604,000 Federal Fund (FF)) in 2023-24, \$726,000 (\$292,000 GF; \$434,000 FF) in 2024-25 through 2026-27, and \$581,000 (\$219,000 GF; \$362,000 FF) in 2027-28 and ongoing to implement SB 987 (Portantino, 2022), which requires Medi-Cal managed care plans to make good-faith efforts to include at least one cancer center within their contracted and subcontracted provider networks within each county in which they operate for the provision of medically necessary services to members diagnosed with a complex cancer diagnosis (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves a three-year extension of 2.0 limited-term positions and \$286,000 General Fund in 2024-25 through 2026-27 to continue to implement and maintain the workload of the temporary, state-funded California Community Transitions Program created by SB 214 (Dodd, 2020) and extended by SB 281 (Dodd, 2022) (Budget Change Proposal). Also adopts Supplemental Report Language requesting information and data related to participation, costs and expenditures in the program.
- Approves 10.0 permanent positions and \$1,678,000 (\$713,000 General Fund (GF); \$965,000 Federal Fund (FF)) in 2023-24 and \$1,588,000 (\$674,000 GF; \$914,000 FF) in 2024-25 and ongoing to support the administration, operation, monitoring, and oversight of the Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) Program (Budget Change Proposal).
- Adopts trailer bill to align long-term care policy with federal guidelines, including specifically how DHCS describes the cost sharing provisions for individuals subject to the Post-Eligibility Treatment of Income and spenddown of excess income to become eligible for Medi-Cal, and Notices of Action for individuals in long-term care.
- Approves the extension of 9.0 existing two-year limited-term resources and \$1,483,000 (\$148,000 General Fund; \$1,335,000 Federal Fund) in 2023-24 and 2024-25 to implement and plan for the new interoperability rules required by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (Spring Finance Letter Issue #203).

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- Approves 2.0 permanent positions and expenditure authority of \$1,332,000 (\$666,000 General Fund (GF); \$666,000 Federal Fund (FF)) in 2023-24, and \$1,314,000 (\$657,000 GF; \$657,000 FF) in 2024-25 and ongoing to implement three new skilled nursing facility financing programs authorized by AB186 (2022 budget trailer bill): Workforce & Quality Incentive Program, Workforce Standards Program, and Accountability Sanctions Program (Spring Finance Letter Issue #205).
- Approves \$308,000 General Fund in 2023-24, and \$772,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing to support 5 permanent positions, and an increase of \$625,000 federal funds in 2023-24 and \$1,566,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing to support 10 permanent positions for the administrative, operational, monitoring and oversight needs for the expansion of the Assisted Living Waiver program (May Revise).
- Approves an increase of \$755,000 General Fund in 2023-24, \$2,475,000 annually in 2024-25 and 2025-26, \$1,908,000 in 2026-27, and \$1,090,000 in 2027-28, and an increase of \$755,000 federal funds in 2023-24, \$2,475,000 annually in 2024-25 and 2025-26, \$1,907,000 in 2026-27, and \$1,090,000 in 2027-28 to support 11 positions to extend the Contingency Management Pilot (May Revise).
- Approves of increases of \$42.75 million in 2023-24, \$12.75 million annually in 2024-25 and 2025-26, and \$12,067,000 in 2026-27 Opioid Settlements Fund, which is \$15.25 million per year less than requested, to expand the distribution of naloxone through the Naloxone Distribution Project (NDP), and redirects the reduced funding to the Overdose Prevention and Harm Reduction Initiative within the California Department of Public Health (May Revise). Adopts provisional language that authorizes the backfilling of this \$61 million reduction in the NDP with future Opioid Settlement Fund dollars once they become available.
- Approves that item 4260-004-0942 be increased by \$650,000 and Item 4260-001-0890 be decreased by \$650,000 ongoing for a net-zero shift of expenditure reductions associated with Control Section 4.05 of the Budget Act of 2021 (May Revise).
- Approves \$20 million one-time (Mental Health Services Fund) to support behavioral health modernization efforts (May Revise), and rejects the related proposal to move the Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission to the California Health and Human Services Agency.
- Approves of \$10 million one-time (Mental Health Services Fund), in fiscal year 2023-24 for a 3<sup>rd</sup> party administrator to begin the development and implementation of the infrastructure for providers, billing, and claiming management for behavioral health services provided to students by school-linked providers as part of the Children and Youth Behavioral Health Initiative (May Revise).

- Approves an increase of \$15,209,000 one-time from the federal Community Mental Health Services Block Grant and an increase of \$5,848,000 one-time from the federal Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant to support mental health and substance use disorder services (May Revise).
- Adopts trailer bill that reauthorizes the renewal of the Managed Care Organization Provider Tax to support the Medi-Cal program and maintain a balanced budget (May Revise).
- Adopts trailer bill to implement rate increases and other improvements to the Medi-Cal program between 2025 and 2029, to be funded with MCO Tax revenue, that reflects the following plan:
  - Rate increases for primary care and specialty care -- \$1.65 billion annually
  - Emergency and Inpatient Services -- \$555 million annually
  - Behavioral Health -- \$300 million annually
  - Graduate Medical Education (University of California) -- \$75 million annually
  - o Medi-Cal Workforce Pool (Labor Management Committee) -- \$75 million annually
  - Distressed Hospital Loan Program -- \$150 million one-time
  - Small and Rural Hospital Relief for Seismic Assessment and Construction -- \$50 million one-time
- Approves of \$10 million one-time General Fund for the Department of Health Care Services Navigator program.
- Approves of \$40 million one-time General Fund for the CalAIM Providing Access and Transforming Health (PATH) program to build out Enhanced Care Management and Community Supports.
- Approves of an increase of \$4,497,000 General Fund, a decrease of \$87.5 million Mental Health Services Fund and an increase of \$104,062,000 federal funds, over five years, to reflect updated Behavioral Health CONNECT costs, formerly known as the California Behavioral Health Community-Based Continuum Demonstration (May Revise).
- Approves of replacing \$265 million General Fund with Mental Health Services Fund (MHSF) for 2023-24 and denies replacing an additional \$235 million General Fund

with MHSF, proposed to be delayed one year, thereby leaving a one-year delay of this funding for the Behavioral Health Bridge Housing Program (May Revise).

- Approves \$50.5 million Mental Health Services Fund for CalHOPE (May Revise).
- Approves of \$15 million one-time (988 State Suicide and Behavioral Health Crisis Services Fund) to provide additional support to 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline centers and approves provisional language to provide contract exemption authority for administering or implementing federal grants that support the 988 centers (May Revise).
- Approves modified trailer bill to expand the Whole Child Model and mandate the enrollment of foster care children into managed care in single-plan counties (January Budget and May Revise).
- Adopts trailer bill to authorize Driving-Under-the-Influence Programs to offer services in virtual settings and authorize the Department of Health Care Services to issue guidance and compliance standards for these programs in virtual settings (May Revise).
- Adopts trailer bill to shift reimbursement for specified long-term care facilities from an August to July rate year basis to a calendar rate year basis, effective January 1, 2024, to align with the managed care rate timeline as these facilities transition onto managed care (May Revise).
- Adopts trailer bill to extend the timeline of the Doula Stakeholder Workgroup to examine implementation of the doula benefit in the Medi-Cal program from April 1, 2022 through December 31, 2023, to April 1, 2023 through June 30, 2025, to align with implementation of the benefit one year later than originally anticipated (May Revise).
- Adopts trailer bill to extend the expenditure authority of the Medical Interpreter Pilot Project for a period of 12 months, from June 30, 2024, to June 30, 2025 (May Revise).
- Approves of provisional language to shift \$15 million one-time General Fund to Los Angeles County to plan and prepare to implement the Community Assistance, Recovery, and Empowerment Act, for a total of \$22.8 million between fiscal year 2022-23 and fiscal year 2023-24 (May Revise).
- Approves of extending the timeline for all programs in the Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) Spending Plan to the maximum time allowed by the federal government, with expenditures permitted through and until December 30, 2024, making corresponding changes to the provisional language (May Revise).

- Approves of \$11 million in 2023-24 and \$23 million General Fund in 2024-25 and ongoing for the Indian Health Program.
- Approves of \$6 million one-time General Fund for the distribution of fentanyl test strips through the Naloxone Distribution Program.
- Adopts trailer bill to delay the implementation of AB 1051 (Bennett, 2022), which addresses presumptive transfers of foster children between counties, from July 1, 2023 until July 1, 2024, to ensure that the counties, Department of Social Services, and Department of Health Care Services can fully implement CalAIM.
- Adopts Supplemental Report Language on:
  - o data on the California Community Transitions Program;
  - o options for a new federal Medicaid waiver to cover the cost of diapers for infants and toddlers in Medi-Cal; and
  - o options for a new federal Medicaid waiver to cover the cost of period products for Medi-Cal beneficiaries.
- Adopts "clean-up" trailer bill language on the elimination of the Medi-Cal assets test.
- Approves approximately \$1 million General Fund and trailer bill for a temporary rate increase for Stand Alone Pediatric Subacute Facilities, to hold them harmless from increased federal funding ending with the end of the Public Health Emergency.
- Increases Federal Trust Fund authority by \$39.7 million for the Mental Health Services Block Grant and Crisis Counseling Assistance and Training Program Grant.
- Increases Federal Trust Fund authority by \$56.2 million for the Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant.

#### California Department of Public Health

- Approves of increased expenditure authority of \$7.4 million in 2023-24, \$11.6 million in 2024-25, \$7 million in 2025-26, \$4.9 million in 2026-27, and \$3.9 million in 2027-28 and ongoing from the Infant Botulism Treatment and Prevention Fund to enable CDPH to meet manufacturing costs associated with the production of Lot 8 of its licensed orphan drug BabyBIG® (Human Botulism Immune Globulin), used for the treatment of infant botulism (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 3 positions and \$915,000 in 2023-24, and 3 positions and \$453,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing General Fund to implement AB 1797 (Akilah Weber, 2022) which

increases the types of organizations and providers required to report immunizations to the CDPH registry (Budget Change Proposal).

- Approves of \$563,000 one-time General Fund in 2023-24 to implement AB 2436 (Bauer-Kahan, Cervantes, 2022) which upgrades the death certificate content in the California Integrated Vital Records System (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 4 positions and \$3.5 million in 2023-24, \$3.3 million in 2024-25 and 2025-26, and \$2.7 million in 2026-27 and ongoing from the Genetic Disease Testing Fund to expand newborn screening to include mucopolysaccharidosis type II and guanidinoacetate methyltransferase deficiency (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves General Fund expenditure authority of \$260,000 in 2023-24, \$632,000 in 2024-25 and 2025-26, and \$316,000 in 2026-27 to establish and administer a three-year Childhood Drowning Data Collection Pilot Program per SB 855 (Newman, 2022) (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves of proposed COVID-19 response expenditures for 2022-23, reflecting a \$614 million decrease in 2022-23 from the 2022 Budget Act appropriation of \$1,782,036,000.
- Approves of proposed COVID-19 response expenditures for 2023-24 of \$51.3 million, (Budget Change Proposal and May Revise update).
- Approves of \$900,000 General Fund in 2023-24, 2024-25, and 2025-26 to support security and translation services to optimize maintenance of the COVID-19 website (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves of \$74.4 million General Fund one-time in 2023-24 for maintenance and operations of infectious diseases data systems related to the implementation of the SMARTER Plan (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves of 1 position and \$615,000 in General Fund authority in 2023-24 and 2024-25, an additional 31 positions and \$5.5 million in expenditure authority from the Lead-Related Construction Fund in 2025-26, and \$5.2 million in 2026-27 and ongoing to implement SB 1076 (Archuleta, 2022) which establishes the Lead Renovation, Repair, and Painting Program (Budget Change Proposal), consistent with the May Revise updates.
- Approves of \$425,000 General Fund one-time in 2023-24 to implement AB 1704 (Chen, 2022) which establishes a new limited podiatric radiography permit (Budget Change Proposal).

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- Approves 1 position and \$193,000 in 2023-24, \$290,000 in 2024-25 and 2025-26, \$380,000 in 2026-27, and \$193,000 in 2027-28 and ongoing General Fund to implement AB 2298 (Mayes, 2022), which requires CDPH to adopt regulations on the sanitation and safety of wave basins (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 1 position and \$357,000 in 2023-24, \$403,000 in 2024-25, \$335,000 in 2025-26 and \$193,000 in 2026-27 and ongoing General Fund to implement AB 351 (Christina Garcia, Robert Rivas, 2022), which requires CDPH to adopt rules and regulations prescribing the standards for human reduction chambers (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 9 positions and \$1.4 million General Fund ongoing to provide oversight and enforcement of AB 1632 (Akilah Weber, 2022) which guarantees access to restrooms for people with specified medical conditions (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 1 position and \$210,000 in 2023-24 and \$176,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Fund to implement SB 1267 (Pan, 2022) which creates a new licensure for Clinical Laboratory Geneticists and Clinical Reproductive Biologists (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves of the AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP) Estimate included in the May Revise, modified to reflect all actions in the final Budget Act.
- Approves of the Genetic Disease Screening Program Estimate included in the May Revise, modified to reflect all actions in the final Budget Act.
- Approves of the Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program Estimate included in the May Revise, modified to reflect all actions in the final Budget Act.
- Approves \$7.5 million in 2023-24, \$3.5 million in 2024-25, and \$1.5 million in 2025-26 and 2026-27 from the Opioid Settlements Fund, with provisional language extending encumbrance or expenditure authority through June 30, 2027, to support six one-time competitive grants to reduce fentanyl overdoses and use per the requirements of AB 2365 (Patterson, 2022), and two one-time competitive grants to support innovative approaches to make fentanyl test strips and naloxone more widely available (Budget Change Proposal).
- Adopts trailer bill to amend AB 2365 (Patterson, 2022) to make changes to the reporting requirements and timeline of a grant program to reduce fentanyl overdoses and use, and to specify CDPH as the entity responsible for implementing the grant program and required report.

- Approves the transfer of \$182,000 General Fund and1.0 permanent AGPA position to CDPH from the Health and Human Services Agency to perform a retrospective analysis of the intersection of the COVID-19 pandemic and health disparities and equity, per the Equity Centered Programs Budget Change Proposal. Also approves of provisional language to require CDPH to provide possible strategies for pandemic readiness to the Legislature based on this analysis.
- Approves \$321,000 in 2023-24, 2024-25, and 2025-26 from the Licensing and Certification Program Fund to implement SB 107 (Wiener, 2022), which expands the Confidentiality of Medical Information Act by adding additional protections for a child receiving gender-affirming health care (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves 2 positions and \$9.7 million in 2023-24, 2024-25, and 2025-26 and \$6.1 million in 2026-27 and ongoing from the Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Fund to provide services to children with blood lead levels that meet or exceed the Centers for Disease Control's updated Blood Lead Reference Value and to support new lead poisoning prevention activities (Spring Finance Letter Issue #315).
- Approves 2 positions and \$369,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing to implement AB 2238 (Luz Rivas, Eduardo Garcia, Cristina Garcia, 2022) to support the creation of a statewide extreme heat ranking system and development of a public communication plan for the extreme heat ranking system (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves of the proposed reversion of \$25 million for public health regional climate planning, subject to potentially being restored via a trigger in January of 2024.
- Approves \$5 million in 2023-24, \$5 million in 2024-25, and \$3 million in 2025-26 from the Federal Health Facilities Citation Penalties Account to support projects benefitting nursing home residents, and also provisional language allowing for encumbrance or expenditure through June 30, 2027 (Budget Change Proposal).
- Adopts trailer bill to remove the cap on penalty fund revenue in the Federal Health Facilities Citation Penalties account that may be used to improve the quality of care and life for long-term care facility residents.
- Approves \$286,000 in 2023-24, 2024-25, and 2025-26 from the Licensing and Certification Program Fund to implement AB 1502 (Muratsuchi, 2022) which revises the license application, review, and approval process for skilled nursing facilities, specifically the applications for change of ownership and change of management (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves a net-zero shift of \$939,000 in expenditure authority and 6 positions from the Licensing and Certification Program Fund to General Fund reimbursement authority (from the Department of Health Care Services) in 2023-24 and ongoing to

align budget authority with the correct funding source (Spring Finance Letter Issue #318).

- Approves \$4 million General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing to support the ongoing workload of the Staffing Audits Section for minimum staffing requirement audits of skilled nursing facilities (Spring Finance Letter Issue #319).
- Approves provisional language that authorizes the Department of Finance to augment expenditure authority to support quality improvement activities, upon review of a request from CDPH, from the Internal Departmental Quality Improvement Account, which collects revenue from penalties assessed on facilities (Spring Finance Letter).
- Approves 3.0 positions in 2023-24 and ongoing, and \$926,000 in 2023-24, \$759,000 in 2024-25, \$698,000 in 2025-26, and \$615,000 in 2026-27 and ongoing from the Licensing and Certification Program Fund to implement AB 2673 (Irwin, 2022), which extends the general moratorium on hospice licensure and increases CDPH's regulatory oversight over hospice services (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves a reappropriation of \$1.2 million General Fund included in the 2022 Budget Act, and associated provisional language, to implement the regulation of Industrial Hemp (IH) products mandated in AB 45 (Aguiar-Curry, 2021) (Spring Finance Letter Issue #313).
- Adopts trailer bill to: 1) revise the denial, suspension, and revocation procedures associated with certain licenses and certifications authorized by CDPH's Radiologic Health Branch so that they are in alignment with the criteria used by the California Podiatric Medicine Board, Pharmacy Board, Physical Therapy Board, and CDPH's Clinical Laboratory Technologist and Nursing Assistant certification programs; and 2) expand the civil penalty authority included in the Radiologic Technology Act to cover all statutory and regulatory violations related to medical radioactive material and Xray machine use (Spring Finance Letter).
- Approves the Center for Health Care Quality (Licensing and Certification) May Revise Estimate, reflecting all changes included in the final 2023 Budget Act.
- Approves amendments to provisional language to augment the Information Technology, Data Science, and Informatics Framework for a 21st Century Public Health System by up to \$15,882,000 one-time, upon approval of enterprise planning and strategy documents (May Revise).
- Approves a \$50 million one-time General Fund reduction for 2023-24 and amendments to provisional language to reduce the amount provided for COVID-19 response (May Revise).

- Approves a General Fund increase of \$19,872,000 in 2023-24 and 2024-25, \$3.2 million in 2025-26, and \$928,000 in 2023-24 and 2024-25, and provisional language to restore limited-term investments for public health workforce training and development programs (May Revise).
- Approves General Fund increases of \$546,000 and 2 positions in 2023-24, \$6,000 in 2024-25, and \$621,000 and 1 position in 2025-26 and 2026-27, and a decreases of \$5,511,000 and 32 positions in 2025-26, \$5,188,000 in 2026-27, and \$41,000 and 1 position in 2027-28 and ongoing for the Lead Renovation, Repair, and Painting Program created by SB 1076 (Archuleta, Chapter 507, Statutes of 2022) (May Revise).
- Denies trailer bill language to make adjustments to the Lead Renovation, Repair, and Painting Program (SB 1076) and directs the administration to work with the SB 1076 author on the language (May Revise).
- Approves a \$27,000 one-time decrease in the Breast Cancer Research, Breast Cancer Fund (May Revise).
- Approves May Revision adjustments to Proposition 99 expenditures, including:
  - o Item 4265-001-0231 be increased by \$3,407,000 one-time.
  - o Item 4265-001-0234 be decreased by \$18,000 one-time.
  - o Item 4265-001-0236 be decreased by \$57,000 one-time.
  - Item 4265-111-0231 be increased by \$1,899,000 one-time.
- Approves \$68,000 ongoing special funds to support increased program expenditures in the Vector-Borne Disease Section (May Revise).
- Approves a decrease of \$135,000 ongoing for state operations and an increase of \$135,000 ongoing for local assistance to increase support for community-based organizations performing domestic violence prevention activities (May Revise).
- Approves amendments to provisional language to specify the amounts associated with the reversion of Climate and Health Resilience Planning Grants (May Revise).
- Approves of \$61 million (\$15.25 million per year for 4 years) Opioid Settlements Fund and provisional language for operational expenses of harm reduction organizations through the Overdose Prevention and Harm Reduction Initiative.

- Approves of \$10 million one-time General Fund for Hepatitis C Virus Equity Access to the Cure.
- Adopts trailer bill to extend the moratorium on new hospice provider licenses for an additional year.
- Adopts trailer bill that delays the implementation deadlines included in SB 1076 (Archuleta, Chapter 507, Statutes of 2022) including the requirement to possess a lead-based paint-related work certificate from January 1, 2024 to July 1, 2027, and the requirement on CDPH to do education and outreach to those with lead-based paint certificates from July 1, 2023 to July 1, 2026.

#### **Department of State Hospitals**

- Approves \$1,038,000 General Fund for the working drawings phase to provide upgrades to the sewer collection system, installation of a screening system, and connection to the City of Atascadero's wastewater treatment system at Atascadero State Hospital (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves \$1.9 million in General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing to address ongoing increased costs due to the Department of General Services Statewide Surcharge to cover the costs of central services (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves \$21.5 million General Fund and 40.2 positions in 2023-24, and \$22.3 million General Fund and 58.0 positions ongoing to complete remaining planning activities, complete the System Integrator procurement and initiate the activities needed for the transition into implementation of the Continuum Electronic Health Record System (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves \$847,000 General Fund to support 5.5 positions, ongoing, that were included in the 2021 Budget Act with limited-term funding which expires in June 2023, to address the sustained increase in workload of court hearings at which DSH attorneys are required to appear and the sustained increase in workload of Public Records Act (PRA) requests to which DSH must respond (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves \$1,863,000 General Fund for the working drawings phase of the Metropolitan State Hospital Central Utility Plant replacement (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves \$536,000 General Fund for the working drawings phase of the Metropolitan State Hospital Fire Water Line Connection project to provide the capacity of water required for the fire sprinkler system to comply with current fire code requirements related to fire flow (Budget Change Proposal).

#### FLOOR REPORT OF THE 2023-24 BUDGET

- Approves 7.0 positions in 2023-24 and ongoing and \$6.5 million in 2023-24, \$7.1 million in 2024-25, \$7.3 million in 2025-26, \$7.7 million in 2026-27 and \$8.3 million in 2027-28 and ongoing General Fund for the development and implementation of pipeline, recruitment, and retention initiatives to sustain and grow DSH's psychiatric workforce (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves \$598,000 to support 2.0 permanent, full-time positions and contracted resources in 2023-24, and ongoing, to implement SB 1034 (Atkins, 2022), which requires: 1) DSH to convene, for each sexually violent predator patient approved for conditional release, a committee of specified county representatives to obtain relevant assistance and consultation regarding securing suitable housing; and 2) the committed person's county of domicile to petition the court only after specific tasks are completed and specified criteria has been met (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves \$2.1 million General Fund and 15.0 positions in 2023-24 and ongoing to establish permanent resources for managing teleservices for patient visitation and court hearings (Budget Change Proposal).
- Adopts placeholder trailer bill to provide DSH access to necessary Criminal Offender Record Information (CORI) data to conduct research and evaluation to evaluate programs, polices, and services for individuals found IST on felony charges and other individuals committed to DSH with serious mental illnesses and engaged in the criminal justice system.
- Approves \$615,000 General Fund in 2023-24 to support 5.0 positions, included in the 2021 Budget Act, with limited-term funding which expires in June 2023, to continue processing invoices and payments from external medical providers containing Protected Health Information in compliance with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) (Spring Finance Letter Issue #60).
- Approves \$100,000 Federal Fund authority in 2023-24 and ongoing to support special education and vocational education programs at DSH that had previously been collected as reimbursement from the Department of Development Services (Spring Finance Letter Issue #62).
- Approves of a reappropriation of \$26,176,000 General Fund for the construction phase of the Coalinga State Hospital Hydronic Loop Replacement project (Spring Finance Letter Capital Outlay).
- Approves a decrease of \$3,193,000 in 2023-24 one-time to reflect Enhanced Treatment Program staffing delay to reflect unit activation delay due to delayed construction schedule (May Revise).

- Approves of decreasing reimbursements by \$27,419,000 ongoing to align county bed billing reimbursement authority with the current Lanterman-Petris-Short caseload (May Revise).
- Approves an increase of \$6,072,000 in 2023-24 ongoing and an increase of \$2,462,000 in 2022-23 to support the patient driven operating expenses and equipment, reflecting increased patient census projections (May Revise).
- Approves a decrease of \$9,216,000 in 2023-24 one-time and a decrease of \$19,724,000 in 2022-23 to reflect adjustments in COVID-19 infection control measures and practices (May Revise).
- Approves adding Item 4440-490 to reappropriate up to \$107,020,000 from the 2022 Budget Act to reflect updated implementation timelines across Incompetent to Stand Trial (IST) related programming, including Community Inpatient Facilities, Community Based Restoration, Diversion, Early Access and Stabilization Services, and Jail Based Competency Treatment. Extends the availability of these funds from June 30, 2023 to June 30, 2025. Approves five ongoing positions to support increased IST referrals. Approves the shift of \$129,473,000 from 2022-23 to 2025-26 to align the funding across fiscal years to better reflect anticipated expenditures based on program implementation plans. Approves \$1,543,000 be shifted to program 4400-Administration from 4430-Contracted Patient Services (May Revise).
- Approves of Item 4440-490 being added to reappropriate up to \$24 million from the 2018 Budget Act to allow counties time to expend the remaining balances of their pilot diversion program funding and meet their contracted number of individuals to be diverted under their contracts (May Revise).
- Approves of Item 4440-492 being added to reappropriate up to \$60,000 General Fund from the 2021 Budget Act and up to \$60,000 General Fund from the 2022 Budget Act to support the completion of the Napa Memorial Project. Extends the availability of these funds from June 30, 2022 and June 30, 2023 to June 30, 2024 (May Revise).
- Adopts placeholder trailer bill to reinstate provisions of SB 1223 which was in conflict with the 2022 budget health trailer bill and was signed by the Governor first (May Revise).
- Approves a one-time decrease of \$1,028,000 in 2022-23 for the Mission Based Review Direct Care Nursing due to delays in hiring (May Revise).
- Approves a one-time decrease of \$4,766,000 in 2022-23 for the Mission Based Review Protective Services due to delays in hiring (May Revise).

- Approves a one-time decrease of \$3,971,000 in 2022-23 for the Mission Based Review Treatment Team and Primary Care due to delays in hiring (May Revise).
- Approves a one-time decrease of \$3,857,000 in 2022-23 for the Metropolitan Increase Secure Bed Capacity due to a miscalculation of projections at Governor's Budget (May Revise).
- Approves a one-time decrease of \$2,946,000 in 2022-23 for the DSH Coalinga Intermediate Care Facility Conversion for personnel services savings due to a twomonth delay from fire suppression system repairs and subsequent regulatory approval (May Revise).
- Approves a one-time decrease of \$13,525,000 in 2022-23 for the CONREP-Non-SVP due to program activation adjustments (May Revise).
- Approves a decrease of \$8 million in 2022-23 to reflect unspent workers' compensation funding previously authorized for COVID-19 related claims (May Revise).
- Approves provisional language that expresses legislative intent to prioritize the hiring
  or state civil service psychiatry staff over external contracted staff, and adopts
  Supplemental Report Language to require the department to provide data on the costs
  of contracted staff, vacancy rates, and other related data.

#### Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission

- Approves 2.0 permanent positions and \$435,000 Mental Health Services Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing, to create an Information Technology (IT) and Security unit to address increased IT and security workload (Budget Change Proposal).
- Approves of a reappropriation of up to \$2 million from the Mental Health Services Fund, originally appropriated in the 2019 Budget Act, for the Allcove Youth Drop-In Centers Program (Spring Finance Letter).
- Approves of a reappropriation of \$1,675,000 from the Mental Health Services Fund, originally appropriated through the 2019 Budget Act, for the Early Psychosis Intervention Plus Program (Spring Finance Letter).
- Approves of a reappropriation of \$16,499,000 from the Mental Health Services Fund, originally appropriated through the 2017, 2019 and 2020 Budget Acts, for the Mental Health Wellness Program, formerly known as the Triage Grant Program, to support hospital emergency psychiatric assessment, treatment and healing units (Spring Finance Letter).

 Approves of \$15 million in reimbursement authority from funding appropriated in the 2022 Budget Act to the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) for the Children and Youth Behavioral Health Initiative's Evidence-Based Practices grant program, associated with an Inter-Agency Agreement between DHCS and the Commission.

#### **Covered California (Health Benefit Exchange)**

- Adopts trailer bill and budget bill that:
  - Approves the 2022 reversion of \$304 million (2022 Budget Act) from the Health Care Affordability Reserve Fund (HCARF) leaving \$333.4 million in the reserve.
  - Shifts penalty collections revenue in 2023-24 and ongoing from the General Fund to the HCARF (\$361 million in 2023-24 and increasing based on forecasted penalty revenue).
  - Approves a \$600 million loan from the HCARF to the General Fund, to be repaid in 2025-26, leaving \$10 million in the Fund.
  - Approves \$82.5 million (HCARF) in 2023-24 and \$165 million (HCARF) annually thereafter for cost sharing.
- Approves \$350,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing to support the One-Dollar Premium Subsidy Program given an estimated 29,000 additional enrollees (Spring Finance Letter Issue #20).
- Approves up to \$2 million in Health Care Affordability Reserve Fund to provide health insurance coverage for striking workers.

#### **HUMAN SERVICES**

#### Department of Social Services

#### Food and Hunger

- Approves the California Food Assistance Program (CFAP) Expansion: Automation, Outreach, and Revised Timeline May Revision Request and continuation of work towards implementing the CFAP expansion for income-eligible individuals aged 55 years or older, regardless of their immigration status (this initiative is also called "Food For All"). The Governor's Budget had previously indicated that the program may begin food benefits issuance in January 2027, instead of the planned January 2025 date. Automation is now anticipated to begin in July 2023 and food benefits issuance is now anticipated to begin in October 2025. The May Revision included \$40 million General Fund for automation and outreach efforts.
- Approves the California Food Assistance Program (CFAP) Expansion Governor's January Budget Change Proposal, with \$3.3 million General Fund on-going and 18 permanent positions.
- Approves the Federal Reimbursement of Food Benefit Theft May Revision Request of \$42.9 million in federal financial participation for associated administration and automation activities related to the federal reimbursement of food benefit theft. The federal Consolidated Appropriation Act of 2023 mandated the federal reimbursement of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program food benefit theft.
- Approves the County CalFresh Administration Rebase May Revision request of \$406.5 million (\$159.5 million General Fund) to reflect a revised budgeting methodology for county CalFresh administration activities, pursuant to Chapter 537, Statutes of 2022 (AB 207). This methodology and appropriation update was highly anticipated for this May Revision to assure the needed level of funding to administer critical food benefits to low-income Californians.
- Approves the May Revision request of \$47 million (\$23.5 million General Fund) for Summer Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) Program outreach and automation costs to phase in this program for children who qualify for free or reduced-price school meals beginning summer 2024 and continuing in summer 2025. Additionally approves Trailer Bill Language requiring the California Department of Social Services (CDSS) to work in partnership with the State Department of Education (CDE) and share data to maximize participation in the Summer EBT benefit program.
- Approves \$9.9 million General Fund (\$500,000 for state operations costs and \$9.4 million for local assistance) one-time, with corresponding Trailer Bill Language, for the

CalFresh Fruit and Vegetable Pilot, extending the sunset and making other statutory modifications that align to this investment.

- Approves the CalFresh Military Housing Allowance Disregard (Senate Bill [SB] 950) January Proposal.
- Approves the CalFresh Employment & Training (CalFresh E&T) Increased Engagement and Technical Performance Governor's Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the CalFresh Federally Mandated Workloads Governor's Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the CalFresh for College Students Act (SB 641) Governor's Budget Change Proposal, with Budget Bill Language requiring the workgroup established under subdivision (a) of Section 18901.14 of the Welfare and Institutions Code to identify possible data-sharing options for the purpose of identifying potentially CalFresheligible students and increasing enrollment of eligible students into CalFresh.
- Approves the CalFresh Oral Notice of Work Rules May Revision Request, with Supplemental Report Language requiring meetings between Legislative staff, client representatives, counties, anti-poverty/anti-hunger stakeholders, and the Administration to review implementation details toward understanding how the state is ensuring that the rules are being read only to the subset of CalFresh recipients to whom the federal rule applies, to avoid a chilling effect, and that this implementation is conducted in a trauma-informed manner, and is unbiased, inoffensive, and respectful to the recipient population impacted. The meeting shall occur on or before December 15, 2023.
- Approves the Work Number Contract May Revision Request.
- Approves \$915,000 General Fund for automation and other implementation costs necessary to initiate the CalFresh Minimum Nutrition Benefit Pilot Program to provide eligible households with a minimum monthly CalFresh benefit of \$50, and adopts Trailer Bill Language to achieve this. The Budget plan also includes \$15 million General Fund in the 2024-25 Budget Year for the purposes of the Pilot.
- Approves \$3 million General Fund one-time to continue the CalFresh Safe Drinking Water Pilot Program, and adopts Trailer Bill Language to achieve this, extending the sunset for the Pilot.

#### CalWORKs

- Approves the May Revision request, revised from the Governor's Budget, of a projected 3.6 percent increase to CalWORKs Maximum Aid Payment (MAP) levels, effective October 1, 2023, with an estimated cost of \$111.2 million in 2023-24. These increased costs are funded entirely by the Child Poverty and Family Supplemental Support Subaccount of the 1991 Local Revenue Fund. MAP levels today remain for most families under 50 percent of the Federal Poverty Level, known as "deep poverty" when accounting for actual family size.
- Approves the CalWORKs AB 85 Maximum Aid Payment Increase May Revision Request as described above, with Trailer Bill Language removing parts of WIC 11450.027 that make the ten percent grant increase that took effect on October 1, 2022 short-term and subject to a cut on September 30, 2024. This change assures the \$500 million General Fund in continued CalWORKs grants support that would have otherwise been in jeopardy under current law. Additionally requires the display on grants against federal poverty levels to account for households where the Assistance Unit does not account for all the people in the family, which applies to 60 percent of CalWORKs households.
- Approves a reversion of \$288 million General Fund from the 2021-22 CalWORKs Single Allocation, which is \$8 million more than the Governor's May Revision reversion proposal.
- Approves the CalWORKs Federal Compliance and New Policy Support for Domestic Abuse Survivors Governor's Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the CalWORKs: Pregnancy and Homeless Assistance (SB 1083) Governor's Budget Change Proposal.
- Rejects the CalWORKs Unrelated Adult Disclosure Requirements Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language.
- Adopts the Home Visiting Program (HVP) Pregnancy Eligibility Alignment Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language.
- Adopts the Reminder Notice for CalWORKs Redetermination Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language.
- Adopts a modified version of the Guaranteed Income Pilot Program May Revision Governor's Trailer Bill Language requiring that the pilot's evaluation also include, to the extent feasible within existing resources and evaluation design, the applicability of the lessons learned from the pilot program for the state's CalWORKs program, with

the objective of reaching the goals of improved outcomes for families and children living in poverty.

- Adopts Supplemental Report Language requesting a comprehensive estimate on the cost to change the name of the CalWORKs program, to be submitted to the Legislature by March 1, 2024, with preliminary information provided by the Legislature as early as possible in the fall of 2024.
- Adopts Supplemental Report Language requesting sharing of information about the needs and barriers of CalWORKs recipients and program statistics, including reporting on the take-up rate, which is intended to capture the number of eligible families enrolled in the program against the number of eligible families estimated in the population, percentage of caseload without a high school diploma or GED, and the number of people and households receiving supportive services. CDSS will provide the information on at least an annual basis, starting February 1, 2024.
- Approves the Victims of Abuse Waiver (AB 2277) January Proposal.
- Approves the CalWORKs Family Reunification Automation and County Administration Funding May Revision Request.

#### Housing and Homelessness

- Approves the Housing and Homelessness Expanded Programs and Permanent Position Funding Governor's Budget Change Proposal.
- Adopts the Home Safe Program Technical Changes Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language.
- Adopts the Housing and Disability Advocacy Program (HDAP) Technical Changes Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language.
- Adopts a modified version of the Housing Investment Power and Duties Technical Changes Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language, with more specific and comprehensive implementation reporting, including trend data, and provides a second allocation of \$10.5 million General Fund from the 2022 Budget Act funds for this same purpose to support Technical Assistance service contracts.
- Adopts the Bringing Families Home Program Technical Changes Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language.

# Anti-Hate, Humanitarian Services, and Equity

- Approves the May Revision request of an additional \$10 million General Fund, for a new total of \$50 million to support services for victims and survivors of hate crimes and their families and facilitate hate crime prevention measures in consultation with the Commission on Asian and Pacific Islander American Affairs. Further augments this funding with \$30 million one-time General Fund, for a new total of \$80 million General Fund. Adopts corresponding Budget Bill Language to expand the purposes of the funds to statewide coalition building and for payment of a language differential for direct service professionals whose primary job responsibilities include communicating in a language or medium other than English.
- Approves the Rapid Response Program Augmentation May Revision Request for onetime \$150 million General Fund in 2023-24, with added Budget Bill Language, based on language adopted with prior appropriations for these purposes, requiring the department to provide quarterly written updates to the Legislature on expenditures made to support these services and supports, including partnerships with local providers, the remaining available funding, and the plan to expend the remaining funds. The humanitarian mission will continue to fund respite sheltering for migrants and support their safe passage through border regions.
- Approves \$5 million General Fund on a one-time basis for a three-year period, with expenditure authority through June 30, 2026, for the Opportunities for Youth program, serving Undocumented, Unaccompanied Minors (UUM). Of the total \$5 million General Fund, \$1.9 million is required for state operations to support various aspects of the program.
- Approves the Equity Programs Workload Rightsizing Governor's Budget Change Proposal.
- Adopts the Grant Option for Deaf Access Program Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language.
- Adopts the Extension of Flexibility in Allocation and Award of Federal Refugee Resettlement Funds Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language.
- Adopts the Immigration Legal Services Clean Up Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language.

# Supplemental Security Income/State Supplementary Payment (SSI/SSP)

• Approves the May Revision request of \$146 million General Fund in 2023-24 and \$292 million ongoing for an additional, planned State Supplementary Program (SSP)

increase of approximately 8.6 percent, effective January 1, 2024. Adopts the May Revision Governor's Trailer Bill Language.

 Adopts Trailer Bill Language to require a report by CDSS by February 1, 2024 that describes the process that would need to occur in order to switch the method the state uses to meet the federal maintenance of supplementary payment levels requirement for the State Supplementary Program for the Aged, Blind and Disabled from the current supplementary payment level method to the total expenditures method.

# In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS)

- Approves the May Revision request of \$60.7 million (\$27.9 million General Fund) ongoing to increase access to authorized services and better serve the IHSS program's minor recipients and their families. Approves Trailer Bill Language for this proposal.
- Further modifies the Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) Spending Plan timeline in the May Revision for programs administered by the Department of Social Services, such as the IHSS Career Pathways Program, extending the timeline for all programs in the HCBS Spending Plan to the maximum time allowed by the federal government, with expenditures permitted through and until December 31, 2024, making corresponding changes to the Budget Bill Language in Control Section 11.95.
- Approves the IHSS Phase-In of Undocumented Immigrants Age 50 Years and Above January Proposal.
- Approves the IHSS Permanent Backup Provider System Update January Proposal.
- Adopts the Adults: In-Home Supportive Services Wage Supplement Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language.
- Approves \$1.5 million General Fund one-time, with corresponding Budget Bill Language, requiring the CDSS to analyze the costs and benefits of approaches that transition collective bargaining with In-Home Supportive Services providers from the current model to a statewide and/or regional model and to provide the analysis no later than January 1, 2025 to the committees on the state budget of the Assembly and Senate.
- Approves Trailer Bill Language permitting the potential penalty for a county that fails to reach a collective bargaining agreement for its IHSS program, and after a process specified in statute, to be increased from seven to ten percent and to become an on-going penalty until the county enters into a collective bargaining agreement.

 Adopts Supplemental Report Language on monitoring outcomes of Medi-Cal Redeterminations for IHSS consumers and providing this to the Legislature on a quarterly basis, beginning September 1, 2023. The language additionally requires meetings with legislative staff, the first of which will take place by or before November 1, 2023. The Legislature's intent is to maximize retention of full scope Medi-Cal for IHSS consumers subject to the resumption of Medi-Cal redeterminations.

# Foster Care and Child Welfare

- Approves \$1 million in 2023-24, \$200,000 in 2024-25, and \$18.8 million in 2025-26 and on-going, all General Fund, with corresponding Trailer Bill Language, to provide a housing supplement for foster youth in Supervised Independent Living Placements (SILPs).
- Approves the May Revision request of an additional \$163.7 million (\$83.4 million General Fund) for the Child Welfare Services-California Automated Response and Engagement System (CWS-CARES) Project, in alignment with Special Project Report 6, to support ongoing project development costs, and authority to access an additional \$36.6 million (\$18.3 million General Fund) should project activities accelerate. The CWS-CARES will replace the existing case management system to benefit state, local and tribal child welfare agencies and will align with state and federal requirements. Approves Budget Bill Language and Trailer Bill Language to facilitate oversight and accountability regarding CWS-CARES development. See more on this item under the "California Health and Human Services Agency" section.
- Approves the Adoption Facilitator Program Unit Governor's Budget Change Proposal, conforming a modified, related Trailer Bill Language proposal. The modified Trailer Bill Language prohibits adoption facilitators and creates an enforcement mechanism. Additionally approves provisional language on this issue requested at the May Revision.
- Approves the Foster Youth Bill of Rights Translation (AB 1735) Governor's Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Behavioral Health Community-Based Organized Networks of Equitable Care and Treatment (BH-CONNECT) Implementation Date Change for Child and Family Teams Meetings for Child Maintenance Cases May Revision Request. The Legislature has expressed its desire to see trailer bill language associated with this proposal adopted prior to the implementation of this policy.
- Approves the Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System (AFCARS) Compliance Penalties May Revision Request.

- Adopts the Children's: Children's Crisis Continuum Pilot Program Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language.
- Adopts the Tribal Dependency Representation Program Revised Methodology May Revision Governor's Trailer Bill Language, and additionally adopts Trailer Bill Language to modify statute related to Tribally Approved Homes to enable more tribes to access funding in the current year.
- Adopts the Kin-GAP Program Alignment and Technical Clarifications May Revision Governor's Trailer Bill Language.
- Approves \$8 million General Fund one-time, with corresponding Budget Bill Language, for the Foster Family Agency (FFA) Bridge Funding.
- Adopts Supplemental Report Language regarding stakeholder and Legislative consultation on the timeline for implementation of the pending Level of Care permanent rate structure, requiring CDSS to include a schedule for stakeholder input and consultation prior to April 1, 2024. CDSS had agreed to provide a summary of the stakeholder consultation meetings, highlighting concerns and opportunities associated with the Administration's proposal, with the 2024 May Revision, and no later than May 14, 2024.

# Community Care Licensing

- Approves the Home Care Fund Stabilization Governor's Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Medical Foster Homes (AB 2119) Governor's Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Preventing Transfer Trauma During Facility Closure Governor's Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Reinforce the Caregiver Background Check System and Background Check Resources Governor's Budget Change Proposal, with \$900,000 General Fund, over a limited-year time span, and Budget Bill Language requiring quarterly updates to Legislative staff, including the Legislative Analyst's Office, on the status of the backlog, beginning August 1, 2023. Additionally approves \$4 million General Fund over four years for increased staff to reduce the background check backlog.
- Adopts a modified version of the Home Care Fund Stabilization Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language, specifying reporting requirements to monitor the progress of the Home Care Program.

• Adopts the Community Care Licensing: Administrator Certification Section Training Updates May Revision Governor's Trailer Bill Language.

## Automation and Technology

- Approves the CalSAWS Workload Resources Governor's Budget Change Proposal, with Supplemental Report Language regarding improved stakeholder engagement related to the California Statewide Automated Welfare System (CalSAWS) publicfacing technology.
- Approves the CalSAWS Migration and Ongoing Support April 1 Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Statewide Verification Hub Staff and Technical Resources April 1 Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Governor's Budget proposals for \$50 million (\$17.1 million General Fund) in 2023-24, \$23 million (\$7.9 million General Fund) in 2024-25, and \$3.5 million (\$1.2 million General Fund) in 2025-26 for fraud mitigation and upgrades to enhanced security features for Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) to safeguard CalWORKs and CalFresh clients' access to benefits. To protect clients and prevent theft of EBT benefits, CDSS will pursue security upgrades and EBT card technology enhancements. California would be the first state in the nation to use these.
- Approves the May Revision request of \$25 million General Fund, available over two fiscal years, to develop a bi-directional interface between the California Statewide Automated Welfare System (CalSAWS) Interface and CWS-CARES that allows for data exchange necessary to make Title IV-E eligibility determinations.
- Approves the BenefitsCal Enhancements May Revision Request.

# Additional for CDSS

- Approves the Contract Funds for Physical Accessibility Review of County Welfare Department (CWD) Offices January Proposal.
- Approves the Facility Management System (FMS) Project Planning Resources April 1 Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Promise Neighborhood State Operations Funding Shift April 1 Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the May Revision Caseload Adjustments May Revision Request.

- Approves the 2023 Winter Storms May Revision Request.
- Approves the Safely Surrendered Baby and Special Olympics Funds Abolishment May Revision Request.
- Approves various reappropriations of 2021 and 2022 funds as proposed in the May Revision for the Department of Social Services programs, with an informal agreement with the department to receive updates on the status of expenditures and implementation for these programs with the January 10, 2024 Governor's Budget.
- Rejects the Safety Net Reserve Withdrawal May Revision Governor's Trailer Bill Language.

### **Department of Child Support Services**

- Approves the May Revision request for an implementation date of April 2024 for the Child Support Pass-Through to Formerly Assisted Families, with an informal agreement between the Legislature and the department to receive updates toward the April 2024 implementation date. Pursuant to existing law, implementation of this change is contingent upon completing necessary automation changes in the Child Support Enforcement System. The Department of Child Support Services states that the additional time is necessary due to a greater degree of system change complexity than previously anticipated. The revised implementation date results in approximately \$70 million of General Fund revenue in the May Revision.
- Approves the Cyber Security Governor's Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Local Child Support Agencies Administration Augmentation January Proposal.

### **Department of Developmental Services**

- Approves the Governor's Budget request of \$28.7 million (\$22.1 million General Fund) to expand safety net services to further support individuals with complex needs. Additional detail on related actions are below.
- Approves the Stabilization Training Assistance Reintegration (STAR) Home Staffing Adjustments and Intermediate Care Facility (ICF) Licensure Governor's Budget Proposal, with on-going General Fund of \$9.8 million (\$15.9 million total funds) for these purposes. Adopts modified trailer bill language with statutory protections regarding admittance into and exits from STAR homes and prohibits the use of nonemergency restraints and seclusion in these homes.

- Approves the Complex Needs Residential Program Governor's Budget Proposal, with start-up resources of \$10.5 million General Fund for this purpose. Adopts modified trailer bill language to establish the Complex Needs Residential Program, authorizing three homes not to exceed five beds each, and a length of stay not to exceed 18 months. The language includes a clear prohibition on the use of non-emergency restraints and seclusion in these homes.
- Approves \$102.1 million (\$68.5 million General Fund) to reduce the caseload ratios for children ages 0-5, which was a Governor's Budget Proposal.
- Approves the Rate Model Adjustment for Mileage Rate Governor's Budget Proposal.
- Approves the Trauma-Informed Care for Dually Served Youth in Foster Care Governor's Budget Proposal, with \$1.6 million (\$1.1 million General Fund) funding 15 additional regional center specialists.
- Approves the Fairview Warm Shutdown Governor's Budget Proposal.
- Approves the Delay of Preschool Inclusion Grants Governor's Budget Proposal. Approves the Governor's Budget request of a delay for two years, from 2022-23 to 2024-25, for the implementation of an annual \$10 million General Fund grant program to support preschool inclusion efforts such as facility modifications or staff training. The Budget maintains the grant program on an ongoing basis beginning in 2024-25.
- Approves the Autism Services Branch Budget Change Proposal, with \$1 million (\$826,000 General Fund) and Budget Bill Language that outlines reporting on outcomes and trend analysis to the Legislature on a regular, periodic basis.
- Approves the Disparities within the Developmental Services System (AB 1957) Budget Change Proposal, with action on the related trailer bill included on this list.
- Approves the Electronic Visit Verification Phase II Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Enhancements to Risk Management Data Collection and Tracking Budget Change Proposal, with Trailer Bill Language requiring the department to provide annual updates on special incident trends as part of quarterly legislative updates pursuant to WIC 4474.17.
- Approves the Information Security Office Support Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Protective Proceedings (AB 1663) Budget Change Proposal.

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- Approves the Uniform Fiscal System Modernization (UFSM) and the Consumer Electronic Records Management System (CERMS) Project Planning Budget Change Proposal, with \$12.7 million (\$12.2 million General Fund) and Supplemental Report Language requiring the department to provide quarterly written updates to the Legislature on (1) project development, scope, goals and timelines, (2) engagement with stakeholders, including individuals and families served by the Regional Center system, (3) how the projects will work with the Regional Centers to prepare for any potential business process changes and resources they will need to incorporate the new systems into their current operations, and (4) identified project risks and issues and plans to mitigate them to ensure development and implementation progression on time and within budget.
- Approves the Compliance with Federal Home and Community-Based Services Requirements April 1 Budget Change Proposal, with \$5.4 million (\$3.8 million General Fund).
- Approves the Headquarters Position Authority April 1 Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Information Security Office Support April 1 Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Porterville Developmental Center Facility Support April 1 Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the State-Operated Facilities Enhanced Federal Funding May Revision Request.
- Approves the May Revision request of \$18 million (\$10.8 million General Fund) to continue funding the Coordinated Family Support pilot program through June 2024, which is currently funded through the Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) Spending Plan. The program is designed to assist adults living with their families in coordinating the receipt and delivery of multiple services, including generic services.
- Approves the May Revision request of \$15 million (\$8.5 million General Fund) beginning January 2024 to adjust Independent Living Services rate assumptions. Resources increase to an estimated ongoing \$60 million (\$34 million General Fund) beginning in 2024-25. Additionally adopts Budget Bill Language specifying that these funds are appropriated for the purpose of adjusting Independent Living Services rate model assumptions, by January 2024, to align the types of services provided with more equivalent occupations, such as teachers, social and human service assistants, and rehabilitation counselors.
- Approves the Regional Centers Provisional Eligibility for Ages 0-2 May Revision Request, and adopts the related May Revision Trailer Bill Language.

- Approves the Regional Centers Caseload and Utilization May Revision Request.
- Approves the Regional Centers Enhanced Federal Funding May Revision Request.
- Approves the Regional Centers Minimum Wage Adjustments May Revision Request with \$78.2 million (\$46.4 million General Fund).
- Approves the Section 11.95 HCBS Allocation May Revision 2023 Adjustment, General Fund May Revision Request.
- Approves the Language Only Change Regarding General Fund Loan Authority Adjustment May Revision Request.
- Approves the Reappropriation 2020-21 Community Placement Plan Funding May Revision Request, with Budget Bill Language requiring written reporting to the Legislature by April 1, 2024 and at least annually thereafter, through the full expenditure of these funds, on activities funded, including the use of any vendor or other contracted service, details on housing projects and units in development and completed, and impacts for persons served, including demographic and ethnic/racial breakdowns. These updates may be conveyed to Legislative staff as part of the quarterly briefings conducted by the department pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code Section 4474.17.
- Approves the START Training May Revision Request.
- Further modifies the Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) Spending Plan timeline in the May Revision for programs administered by the Department of Developmental Services, extending the timeline for all programs in the HCBS Spending Plan to the maximum time allowed by the federal government, with expenditures permitted through and until December 31, 2024, making corresponding changes to the Budget Bill Language in Control Section 11.95.
- Adopts the Adjusting Rate Models to Reflect Increases in the Minimum Wage Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language. Additionally, adopts Trailer Bill Language clarifying implementation of quality incentives for DDS rate models and providing for a baseline rate of January 1, 2023 for all rate models, to assure that no provider risks a reduced rate below what was in place prior to the service model increases that started in the 2021-22 fiscal year.
- Adopts modified Technical Clean-up: HIPAA and Information Deidentification Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language to add requirements for the department to aggregate the data on a regional basis and consult with stakeholders twice a year to review purchase of services data and identify barriers to equitable access to services

and supports. Requires purchase of service data to be deidentified in a manner that maximizes transparency.

- Rejects the Extension of 10 incompetent to stand trial (IST) Waitlist Beds at Porterville Developmental Center Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language, which was budgeted with \$4.9 million General Fund on a one-time basis.
- Modifies the Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language regarding the Extension of 10 Crisis Beds at Canyon Springs Community Facility and extends the deadline for the prohibition of admission to Canyon Springs Community Facility from June 30, 2023 to June 30, 2024, or the opening of completed and licensed complex needs homes identified in the safety net plan and approved for development in the Budget Act of 2023.
- Adopts a modified version of the Parental Participation Requirement in Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) or Intensive Behavioral Intervention May Revision Governor's Trailer Bill Language to clarify that lack of parent participation cannot be a basis for denial or delay of ABA or intensive behavioral intervention services.
- Adopts a modified version of the Remote Individualized Family Service Plan (IFSP) and Individual Program Plan (IPP) Meetings May Revision Governor's Trailer Bill Language to allow for these remote meetings through the 2023-24 fiscal year, until June 30, 2024.
- Adopts the Rate Study Update Family Home Agencies May Revision Governor's Trailer Bill Language.
- Approves a modified version of the May Revision request to continue the suspension of the Annual Family Program Fee and the Family Cost Participation Program extending the suspension through the 2023-24 fiscal year, until June 30, 2024. Prior to the 2022 Budget Act, both programs had been suspended during the COVID-19 Pandemic through department directive.
- Adopts the Cleanup: HCBS Final Rule Directive Authority Cross-Reference Correction May Revision Governor's Trailer Bill Language.
- Adopts a modified version of the Expanding Participant-Directed Services to Include Social Recreation and Camping Services May Revision Governor's Trailer Bill Language.
- Approves \$6.2 million General Fund one-time to improve service access and equity for individuals with developmental disabilities, toward the goal of increased equity in system service provision, while enhancing the experience of individuals and families.

The adopted trailer bill changes include multiple changes for DDS and Regional Centers regarding uniform intake and assessment, standardized definitions, data collection, vendorization procedures, and reporting on options to improve the coordination of generic services. The Governor's trailer bill proposals on Generic Services and Directive Authority were modified and incorporated into this larger equity-focused trailer bill language.

• Adopts the Federal Education Grant Funding Distribution May Revision Governor's Trailer Bill Language.

# State Council on Developmental Disabilities

- Approves the Reimbursement Authority Increase May Revision Request.
- Approves the Reappropriation of Federal Funds and Reimbursements May Revision Request.

### Department of Rehabilitation

- Approves the Disability Innovation Fund California Subminimum Wage to Competitive Integrated Employment Project April 1 Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Additional Federal Fund Authority for Vocational Rehabilitation Program May Revision Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves Trailer Bill Language to eliminate the sunset for the Limited Examination and Appointment Program.
- Adopts trailer bill language to codify the Business Enterprises Program for the Blind (BEP) worker's compensation self-insurance program.

### Department of Community Services and Development

- Approves the California Arrearage Payment Program (CAPP) Reversion January Proposal and May Revision Adjustment requesting a \$549,358,000 reversion of energy utility arrearage funding that was appropriated in the 2022 Budget and is currently unspent. There is an informal agreement for the Administration to notify the Legislature on the ultimate amount of reverted funds once the process completes.
- Approves the Reappropriation of Greenhouse Gas Reduction Funds for Low-Income Weatherization Program in the May Revision, to allow additional time for full expenditure of these funds.

• Conforms to appropriations made in the Resources area for CSD programs. Please see that section for additional detail.

# California Department of Aging

- Approves the Governor's Budget proposal to delay implementation of the Mello-Granlund Older Californians Act Modernization Pilot Program, with corresponding savings scored in the multi-year. This results in \$37.2 million annually across five years starting in 2022-23 for pilot programs supporting community-based services programs, senior nutrition support, family and caregiver supports, senior volunteer development, and/or aging in place. This reflects \$186 million General Fund spent over five years instead of across three years as originally planned in the 2022 Budget Act.
- Approves the Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program (HICAP) Modernization Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Master Plan for Aging, Phase III Infrastructure and Capacity Budget Change Proposal, with \$1.8 million General Fund and 10 positions, with Budget Bill Language that specifies how this Budget Change Proposal will manifest and further Equity goals in the Master Plan for Aging.
- Further modifies the Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) Spending Plan timeline in the May Revision for programs administered by the California Department of Aging, extending the timeline for all programs in the HCBS Spending Plan, such as the Senior Nutrition Infrastructure Program, to the maximum time allowed by the federal government, with expenditures permitted through and until December 31, 2024, making corresponding changes to the Budget Bill Language in Control Section 11.95.
- Approves the Administrative Efficiencies for Area Agency on Aging Funding April 1 Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the CalFresh Healthy Living Program Expansion April 1 Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Statewide No Wrong Door Feasibility Assessment April 1 Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Technical Clean-up April 1 Request for 4170-102-0942.
- Approves a modified version of the May Revision proposal on Advancing Older Adult Behavioral Health, with \$39.5 million over three years to continue Master Plan for

Aging efforts to advance older adult behavioral health, including local grants for older adult behavioral health capacity building and the continued operation of the statewide Older Adult Friendship Line. Includes Budget Bill Language requiring reporting on implementation until the funds are fully expended.

## California Health and Human Services Agency

- For programs impacted across the Agency, modifies the Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) Spending Plan Changes May Revision Request by extending the timeline for all programs in the HCBS Spending Plan to the maximum time allowed by the federal government, with expenditures permitted through and until December 31, 2024, making corresponding changes to the Budget Bill Language in Control Section 11.95.
- Establishes an Employment First Office within the Agency with \$1 million General Fund in 2024-25 (Budget Year + 1) and on-going, reflecting an effective date of July 1, 2024 for this new office, and adopts Trailer Bill Language establishing the Employment First Office, specifying roles and responsibilities.
- Approves Trailer Bill Language for the Office of Systems Integration (OSI) name change to the Office of Technology and Solutions Integration as proposed in the Governor's Budget.
- Defers the Center for Data Insights and Innovation (CDII) Data Exchange Framework Support Governor's Budget Trailer Bill Language to the policy process, without prejudice.
- Approves the Case Management Information and Payrolling System (CMIPS) Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Electronic Visit Verification Phase II Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Statewide Automated Welfare System (CalSAWS) Ongoing Support Budget Change Proposal, with Supplemental Report Language regarding improved stakeholder engagement related to the California Statewide Automated Welfare System (CalSAWS) public-facing technology.
- Approves the Office of the Agency Information Officer and Office of Systems Integration Enterprise Resources April 1 Budget Change Proposal.
- Approves the Employee Compensation Technical Program Adjustment April Finance Letter.

- Approves the May Revision request of an additional \$163.7 million (\$83.4 million General Fund) for the Child Welfare Services-California Automated Response and Engagement System (CWS-CARES) Project, in alignment with Special Project Report 6, to support ongoing project development costs, and authority to access additional funds should project activities accelerate. Adopts modified Budget Bill Language to reference a definition of "verified satisfactory progress" that is detailed in corresponding Trailer Bill Language and increases the amount of project funding subject to Department of Finance's approval and written notification to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee based on verification of satisfactory progress made on project development and implementation.
- Approves the May Revision request for Short-Term General Fund Loan Authority for Cashflow April 1 and associated Trailer Bill Language.
- Additional actions for the California Health and Human Services Agency are included in the Health section of this Floor Report.

# Safety Net Reserve

• Rejects the May Revision proposal to withdraw \$450 million from the Safety Net Reserve.

# **TK-12 EDUCATION AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION**

### **TK-12 Public Education:**

- Provides a total Proposition 98 General Fund funding level of \$110.6 billion in 2021-22, \$107.4 billion in 2022-23, and \$108.3 billion in 2023-24.
- Provides \$597 million above the Test One guarantee level in 2023-24 for Universal Transitional Kindergarten enrollment growth, and fully funds quality UTK standards launching in the 2025-26 school year for 10:1 class ratios, teachers, and classroom aides.
- Increases the projected Proposition 98 "Rainy Day" fund (PSSSA) to \$10.829 billion through the Budget year. The current Rainy Day fund balance continues to trigger the statutory 10% cap on local school district reserves, and would reach the state constitutional cap.
- Provides an increase of \$3.4 billion in Proposition 98 funding for the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF), reflecting Universal Transitional Kindergarten (UTK) enrollment and an 8.22% percent cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) in 2023-24. Total Budget Year LCFF is estimated at \$79.8 billion.
- Reduces the one-time surplus available for the Arts, Music, and Instruction Materials Block Grant by \$200 million.
- Delays \$1.2 billion of the one-time surplus available in the current year for the Learning Recovery Emergency Block Grant, for planned restoration over the 2024-25, 2025-26, and 2026-27 fiscal years.
- Delays the one-time surplus for the un-awarded Electric School Bus competitive grant programs from the 2021-22 budget year by a total of \$1 billion to the 2024-25 and 2025-26 Budget Years.
- Implements the voter-approved Arts and Music in Schools Act funding, \$933 million General Fund in the 2023-24 Budget. Adopts implementation trailer bill language.
- Authorizes a new, ongoing \$300 million LCFF equity multiplier and LCAP accountability system changes, to target low-performing student groups. Provides \$2 million for an associated System of Support proposal. Amends the May Revision proposal to allocate Equity Multiplier funds based on a school site's Socio-Economic Disparity rate and Non-Stability Factor, as defined.

- Provides \$556.298 million for an 8.22 percent COLA to statutorily-required TK-12 programs.
- Provides \$2.0 billion in additional General Fund support for school facilities after the exhaustion of bond funds for new construction and modernization.
- Provides \$762 million to expand Universal Transitional Kindergarten (UTK) access including:
  - \$597 million General Fund to "rebench" the Proposition 98 guarantee for an estimated 42,000 new universal TK enrollments in 2023-24.
  - \$165 million Proposition 98 to maintain decreased UTK ratios at 1:12, adults to children. Adopts a 1:10 ratio beginning 2025-26.
  - Allows early Transitional Kindergarten enrollment at 1:10 ratio, in the Budget Year.
  - Sunrises UTK increased lead teacher quality standards in 2025-26.
  - Maintains the state's 2025-26 goal for full UTK implementation.
- Maintains \$4 billion in on-going Proposition 98 funding for the Expanded Learning Opportunity Program (ELOP) for after school and summer options for all students. Provides May Revision encumbrance flexibility and modifies ELOP reporting to Community Care Licensing and Resource & Referral agencies.
- Delays \$550 million in 2023-24 State Preschool, Transitional Kindergarten, Full Day Kindergarten facility funding to the 2024-25 Budget.
- Authorizes major new funding formula and \$80 million ongoing for County Offices of Education court and alternative schools. Amends the May Revision proposal to create new standards for court school intake and transition plans, higher education offerings, and data reporting.
- Authorizes \$100,000 base increase to County Offices of Education for Differentiated Assistance.
- Increases California's early literacy initiative:
  - \$250 million one-time Proposition 98 funding for Literacy Coaches.
  - \$1 million one-time General Fund for a state Literacy Roadmap.

- \$1 million for reading screening assessments and new mandate.
- Increases the CalNEW program with \$1.9 million in on-going Proposition 98 funding.
- Appropriates a \$110 million increase in the 2022-23 Budget Year, and \$154 million increase in the 2023-24 Budget Year, to cover the full costs of California's universal meal program.
- Provides \$1 million to address opioid overdoses in middle and high schools, and provides LEA access to resources from the State Opioid Settlement.
- Increases the California College Guidance Initiative by \$2 million in ongoing Proposition 98 funding.
- Increases the K-12 High Speed Network funding by \$3.8 million in ongoing Proposition 98 funding.
- Provides \$119.6 million one-time federal funds for California's Multi-Tiered System of Support initiative on school climate and safety.
- Provides \$20 million one-time for extending the Bilingual Teacher Professional Development Program.
- Defines long-term English learner, for purposes of the State Dashboard and accountability system, to mean a pupil who has not attained English language proficiency within 7 years of initial classification as an English learner.
- Provides \$15 million one-time for commercial dishwashers in School Kitchens.
- Provides \$7 million one-time to support Restorative Justice best practice implementation.
- Provides \$3 million, one-time federal funds, to Save the Children for rural after school program support.
- Provides \$2 million, one-time to support the State School for the Deaf, Fremont.
- Reappropriates \$2 million for an Alternative Dispute Resource lead agency.
- Reappropriates \$552,000 for basic aid school districts impacted by the 2020 wildfires.
- Approves statutory reporting and evaluation changes for the Literacy Coaches & Reading Specialist program.

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- Increases funding for the Golden State Teacher Grant Program with \$6 million onetime federal funds for special education teacher candidates in high need schools.
- Appropriates \$1.5 million General Fund for the California Teachers Collaborative for Holocaust and Genocide Education to continue its work to develop and provide curriculum resources related to genocide and Holocaust education.
- Provides an additional \$1 million for a total of \$3 million to reflect an increase for the Los Angeles County Office of Education to contract with the Simon Wiesenthal Center to support professional development and leadership training for education professionals related to antibias education.
- Increases the Fiscal Crisis and Management Assistance Team (FCMAT) funding by \$750,000 for a new Chief Business Officer mentorship and professional development initiative, and baseline cost increases, and \$2.1 million ongoing for an increase for the California School Information Services division.
- Adopts statutory changes to Special Education funding, to extend a moratorium on new single-district Special Education Local Plan Areas, require funding pass-through minimums in the Budget Year, and require the Department of Education to post local fiscal documents.
- Adopts statutory changes to the Teacher Residency Grant Program, to require salaries or stipends, and extend service requirement deadlines.
- Adopts various May Revision educator credentialing flexibilities.
- Allows the California School Finance Authority (CSFA) to intercept local revenues for basic aid districts that would like to request Tax Revenue Anticipation Notes from CSFA.
- Amends Community School statute to clarify that DREAM schools qualify for funding.
- Extends existing law, until July 1, 2024, for the authorization for any holder of a credential or permit issued by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing for a substitute teaching assignment aligned with their authorization, including for staff vacancies, for up to 60 cumulative days for any one assignment.
- Approves various State Special Schools capital and planning expenditures.
- Approves various federal fund adjustments and one-time carryover, consistent with fund availability for local assistance.

- Approves various federal fund adjustments, consistent with fund availability for local assistance.
- Approves 45 new positions across various programs at the California Department of Education.
- Approves 10 new positions for the Office of Cradle to Career, in GovOps.

### Early Education and Child Care:

- Provides a total of \$1.7 billion in one-time funds for child care reimbursement increases from various federal, general fund, and Proposition 98 sources one-time, through the 2024-25 fiscal year to increase all child care and preschool rates with a regional "cost of care plus rate," beginning January 1, 2024.
- Reduces family fees for childcare and preschool to 1% of total family income, for families making at least 75 percent of the state median income, beginning October 1, 2023, and appropriates \$78.4 million from non-Proposition 98 general fund and Proposition 98.
- Changes the definitions for part time care in all early education and child care programs to fewer than twenty five hours of service in a week. Changes the definitions for full time care to twenty five or more hours of service in a week.
- Extends enrollment-based funding through June 30, 2025 for all child care and preschool programs.
- Appropriates \$80.1 million in General Fund for purposes of the Child Care Providers United California (CCPU) agreement terms for a health care trust.
- Allocates \$100.1 million in General Fund for purposes of the CCPU agreement terms for a retirement trust
- Allocates \$15 million for child care provider training, consistent with the CCPU agreement.
- Requires the Departments of Social Services and Education contractors to provide plans for timely payments to child care and preschool providers, as specified, based on submission of required documentation, including but not limited to daily and monthly documentation.
- Adopts streamlined eligibility for the California State Preschool Program (CSPP) for three year olds, and four year olds newly eligible for Early Transitional Kindergarten.
- Streamlines childcare eligibility determination for families with variable work schedules.

- Adds CSPP and Expanded Learning Opportunities Program reporting to Community Care Licensing and Resource & Referral agencies.
- Provides the child care nutrition programs an 8.22 percent COLA.
- Provides \$1,870,000 one-time general fund and \$4 million one-time federal funds for the CalSPARK child care data system development.
- Authorizes the Department of Social Services to develop an Alternative Methodology for child care and preschool program reimbursement rate deliberation.
- Requires reporting on Department of Social Services progress to obtain a federal waiver for an Alternative Methodology for all child care and preschool reimbursement rate policies, and implementation of the state federal plan.
- Requires a single reimbursement rate structure to apply to subsidized childcare and development programs under the Department of Social Services and state preschool programs under the State Department of Education.
- Authorizes statutory changes to various child care programs for interagency transfers and provider reporting.
- Approves Universal Preschool Workgroup extension, and adds Expanded Learning standards recommendations.
- Approves 22 new positions across various child care-related programs at the California Department of Social Services.
- Ratifies the June 2023 agreement, between the state and Child Care Providers United

   California, and includes necessary appropriation authority and statutory changes to
   further that agreement.

# **HIGHER EDUCATION**

### **University of California**

- Provides \$215.5 million ongoing General Fund to support a 5% base increase, and includes language requiring a report on how funds were spent.
- Approves Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$30 million ongoing General Fund to continue the 5-year program to replace nonresident students with California students at the Berkeley, Los Angeles and San Diego campuses.
- Sets an enrollment target of 7,800 additional full-time equivalent students in 2023-24 and includes intent language that UC increase enrollment through 2026-27.
- Approves May Revise proposal to shift support for three capital outlay projects agreed to in the 2022 Budget Act to UC bonds, with the state providing funding for debt service. Provides \$33.3 million ongoing General Fund to cover debt service for campus expansion projects at Merced and Riverside and the Berkeley Clean Energy Campus Project.
- Rejects the Governor's Budget requirement for UCLA to participate in the Transfer Admissions Guarantee and Associate Degree for Transfer programs in order to receive state funding and defers transfer issue to the policy process.
- Shifts support for student housing projects from General Fund to UC bond funding, including joint projects with California Community Colleges. Provides \$50.7 million ongoing General Fund to cover debt service payments for these projects.
- Approves trailer bill language approving three joint UC and community college student housing projects: UC Merced and Merced College, UC Riverside and Riverside College, and UC Santa Cruz and Cabrillo College.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to provide \$5 million one-time General Fund to the UCLA Ralph J. Bunche Center for African-American Studies and includes intent language to provide \$3 million ongoing General Fund for the center beginning in 2024-25.
- Provides \$4 million one-time General Fund to support the Cal Bridge Initiative to improve faculty diversity.
- Provides a \$800,000 ongoing General Fund increase for student basic needs. Support will now be \$15.8 million ongoing General Fund.

- Provides \$1.5 million ongoing General Fund to support increased services for students with disabilities.
- Provides a \$1 million ongoing General Fund increase for mental health services for students. Support will now be \$21.3 million ongoing General Fund.
- Provides a \$200,000 ongoing General Fund increase for the Rapid Rehousing program. Support will now be \$3.7 million ongoing General Fund.
- Approves the Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$6.5 million ongoing General Fund to support debt service for the Medical School Project at the Riverside campus.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to provide \$2 million ongoing General Fund to support operational costs at the UC Riverside School of Medicine.
- Includes budget bill language to require campuses to report on how many campuses have data-sharing agreements with counties to improve student access to the Cal Fresh program, and what efforts are underway to enact such agreements.
- Provides \$7 million one-time General Fund to support the University of California, in
  partnership with the State Department of Public Health and the FIRESCOPE Cancer
  Prevention Subcommittee at the Office of Emergency Services (CalOES), to establish
  a fire service community based participatory research program examining bio-markers
  of carcinogenic exposure and effect in order to identify the biological mechanisms that
  cause cancer in firefighters and to reduce the incidence of cancer among California
  firefighters.
- Provides \$5 million one-time General Fund to support the UC Davis Equine Performance and Rehabilitation Center.
- Provides \$250,000 one-time General Fund for a study of oil and gas industry contraction on local services and jobs by UC Merced Labor Center.
- Provides \$6.87 million one-time General Fund to support the launch of a public database of police use of force and misconduct cases.
- Approves Governor's Budget changes to the funding timeline for the Institute for Immunology and Immunotherapy at UCLA by providing \$100 million one-time General Fund for the institute in 2022-23, \$100 million in 2023-24, and intent language to provide \$300 million in 2024-25.
- Approves May Revise adjustments to funding for breast cancer research and tobacco research based on revenue estimates.

- Adopts trailer bill language to extend a program to allow institutional aid for specified students who do not qualify for federal aid.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to shift \$4.8 million ongoing General Fund from UC's main appropriation to UC's Agriculture and Natural Resources Division.
- Approves a May Revise proposal to provide \$2 million one-time General Fund for the UC Global Entrepreneurs program.
- Amends funding for a UC San Diego capital outlay project authorized in the 2021 Budget Act. Funding will be for the UCSD Student Health, Mental Health and Well-Being Building.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to provide \$10.9 million ongoing General Fund to backfill revenue for the Proposition 56 graduate medical education program.

# California State University

- Provides \$227.3 million ongoing General Fund to support a 5% base increase, and includes language requiring a report on how funds were spent.
- Sets an enrollment target of 4,057 additional full-time equivalent students in 2023-24 and includes intent language that CSU increase enrollment by 9,866 students in 2024-25 and 10,161 in 2025-26.
- Provides \$99.7 million ongoing General Fund to support debt service costs related to the following capital projects:
  - The construction of the California State University, Bakersfield, Energy Innovation Center.
  - The infrastructure development of the San Diego State Brawley Center in Imperial Valley.
  - The construction of the California State University, Fullerton, Engineering and Computer Science Innovation Hub Project.
  - The expansion of the California State University, San Bernardino, Palm Desert Campus Project.
  - The construction of affordable student housing at California State University campuses authorized under the Higher Education Student Housing Grant Program.

- The infrastructure development and rebuilding efforts at Swanton Pacific Ranch, Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo.
- The infrastructure development and capital outlay projects associated with the transition of Humboldt State University into a polytechnic university.
- The construction of the Human Identification Laboratory at California State University. Chico.
- The capacity and infrastructure expansion for the Master of Science in Physician Assistant Program at California State University, San Bernardino.
- Approves trailer bill language approving student housing projects on the following campuses:
  - Sacramento State University
  - San Jose State University
  - Stanislaus State University
- Provides a \$1.3 million ongoing General Fund increase for student basic needs. Support is now \$26.3 million ongoing General Fund.
- Provides \$3 million one-time General Fund to support the Cal Fresh Outreach Research Hub at the Center for Healthy Communities at Chico State University.
- Provides \$800,000 ongoing General Fund increase for mental health services for students. Support is now \$15.8 million ongoing General Fund.
- Provides \$300,000 ongoing General Fund increase for the Rapid Rehousing program. Support is now \$6.8 million ongoing General Fund.
- Provides \$1 million ongoing General Fund to increases services for students with disabilities.
- Adopts budget bill language to require campuses to report on how many campuses have data-sharing agreements with counties to improve student access to the Cal Fresh program, and what efforts are underway to enact such agreements.
- Adopts budget bill language to make changes to the Project Rebound program, including to distribute funding to campuses based on program participation.

- Provides \$1 million one-time General Fund to improve and expand California State University's Title IX and Discrimination, Harassment and Retaliation (DHR) programs.
- Provides \$15 million one-time General Fund to support improvements to the Dominguez Hills campus.

### California Community Colleges

- Approves the May Revise proposal to provide \$678 million Proposition 98 General Fund to support an 8.22% cost-of-living adjustment for apportionments.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to provide \$95.5 million Proposition 98 General Fund to support an 8.22% cost-of-living adjustment for select categorical programs.
- Provides \$16.9 million Proposition 98 General Fund to support an 8.22% cost-of-living adjustment for basic needs centers, mental health services, rapid rehousing, NextUp, MESA, Puente, Umoja and veterans resource centers.
- Reduces 2022-23 funding for student retention and recruitment activities from \$150 million one-time Proposition 98 General Fund to \$94.6 million one-time Proposition 98 General Fund.
- Provides \$50 million one-time Proposition 98 General Fund for student retention and recruitment activities.
- Reduces funding for the 2022-23 deferred maintenance and instructional equipment program by \$494.3 million one-time Proposition 98 General Fund, leaving \$346.4 million.
- Rejects the May Revision proposal to reduce funding for the COVID 19 Block Grant.
- Approves trailer bill language to allow colleges to use remaining funds from the COVID 19 Block Grant, student retention and recruitment, and deferred maintenance and instructional equipment for any of these purposes. The amount available for these activities is about \$1.1 billion.
- Approves the Department of Finance Proposition 98 General Fund revenue estimates and the Legislative Analyst Office's property tax revenue estimates.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to provide \$26.4 million to support 0.5% Enrollment Growth.

- Provides \$61.5 million ongoing General Fund to support debt service for student housing projects in 2023-24 and 2024-25. Includes intent language stating that a state lease revenue bond will be created in or before the June 2024 Budget Act to support these housing projects.
- Adopts trailer bill language to approve the following community college student housing projects: UC Merced and Merced College, UC Riverside and Riverside College, UC Santa Cruz and Cabrillo College, Cerritos College, College of the Redwoods, College of San Mateo, and San Diego City College.
- Approves the Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$14 million one-time Proposition 98 General Fund to support workforce training grants in collaboration with the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection.
- Approves the Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$275,000 Proposition 98 General Fund, with \$200,000 ongoing, to develop the Chief Business Officer Mentorship Program.
- Provides \$10 million one-time Proposition 98 General Fund in each of next three years to support LGBTQ+ student support centers and includes budget bill language increasing the maximum amount allowed per district to \$900,000.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to provide \$2.5 million one-time Proposition 98 General Fund to support the East Los Angeles Community College Entrepreneurship and Innovation Center.
- Rejects the May Revise proposal to allow colleges to flexibly use funding for the Student Equity and Achievement Program, Financial Aid Administration and Student Mental Health services.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to expand the use of Strong Workforce program funding to support student grants for third-party certifications and work-based learning programs.
- Approves the May Revise proposals to adjust Education Protection Account, Property Tax Revenue, Student Fee Revenue, Apprenticeship, Financial Aid Administration, Student Success Completion Grant and Perkins Grant programs to reflect revised estimates.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to provide \$4.3 million one-time Proposition 98 General Fund to support the Equal Employment Opportunity Program.

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- Provides \$500,000 one-time Proposition 98 General Fund to review outcomes and costs associated with online courses and programs, and develop recommendations for the state and system to ensure an appropriate mix of online and in-person programs and courses, and that online programs and courses are designed to support student success and equitable outcomes.
- Adopts trailer bill language to allow students who serve on the Board of Governors to receive \$4,000 in financial assistance each semester from the Chancellor's Office.
- Amends budget bill language to allow county juvenile halls, in addition to state prisons, to be eligible for online textbook funding.
- Adopts trailer bill language to implement recommendations made by the State Auditor to improve colleges' use of funding to increase full-time faculty, and to further implement equal employment opportunity practices.
- Adopts trailer bill language to require campuses to report on how many campuses have data-sharing agreements with counties to improve student access to the Cal Fresh program, and what efforts are underway to enact such agreements.
- Approves May Revise proposal to support two new capital outlay projects and three continuing projects using bond funds.
- Approves trailer bill language to provide former foster youth with expanded financial aid to cover the total cost of attendance through the Student Success and Completion Grant program.
- Provides \$60 million Proposition 98 General Fund in 2024-25 and each year through the 2028-29 fiscal year to expand nursing programs and Bachelor of Science in nursing partnerships to grow, educate, and maintain the next generation of registered nurses through the community college system, subject to future legislation.

# Student Housing Revolving Loan Fund

 Provides \$200 million one-time General Fund for the Student Housing Revolving Loan Fund and includes intent language to provide \$300 million each year through 2028-29. Of this funding, 75% will be available for university projects, while 25% will be available for community college projects. Also includes trailer bill language that would allow a shift in unused funds toward a segment with higher demand.

### California Student Aid Commission

- Approves the Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$227 million one-time General Fund for the Middle Class Scholarship program and assumes \$289 million one-time General Fund in 2024-25.
- Adopts placeholder trailer bill language to exclude emergency aid and institutional merit aid from Middle Class Scholarship calculation.
- Provides \$5.2 million ongoing General Fund and adopts trailer bill language to cover the total cost of attendance for former foster youth at UC and CSU through the Middle Class Scholarship program.
- Approves the Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$1.4 million General Fund, with \$469,000 ongoing, and two positions to support cybersecurity activities.
- Approves the Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$241,000 ongoing General Fund to support one human resources position.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to eliminate the Golden State Education and Training Program.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to allow the Cal Grant level for students attending private, non-profit institutions to remain at \$9,358.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to provide \$397,000 ongoing General Fund and 4 positions to support CSAC operations.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to provide \$103,000 ongoing General Fund to support the Cash for College program.
- Approves the May Revise proposals to adjust Cal Grant, Law Enforcement Personnel Dependents Scholarship Award, Chafee Foster Youth Program, Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Middle Class Scholarship, and GI Bill Award Program to reflect updated caseload estimates.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to adopt trailer bill language requiring Cal Grant participating institutions to use 2020 cohort default rates in determining eligibility.
- Approves the May Revise proposal to provide \$451,000 for the Public Interest Attorney Loan Repayment Program, and provides \$216,000 and one position to support the program.

• Approves placeholder trailer bill language to extend the Cal Grant deadline by one month in 2024 if the federal Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is not available by Oct. 1, 2023.

### Scholarshare Investment Board

- Rejects Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$1 million one-time General Fund to support marketing efforts for the CalKIDS college savings account program. Instead provides \$8 million in unspent program funds to support a statewide marketing and outreach campaign.
- Approves Governor's Budget proposal to use program savings to increase newborn incentive payments in the CalKIDS college savings account program from \$25 to \$100.
- Approves May Revision proposal to provide \$158,000 ongoing General Fund and one position to increase support for CalKIDS program.
- Approves May Revise proposal to reduce funding by \$30 million General Fund to reflect revised participation estimates.
- Approves May Revise proposal to adjust funding in the program to support staff benefit costs.
- Creates a pilot program to allow Scholarshare to enter into data-sharing agreements with the Riverside County Office of Education and the Los Angeles Unified School District to increase outreach and participation in the CalKIDS program.

### California State Library

- Approves Governor's Budget proposal to delay \$100 million one-time General Fund to support library infrastructure projects in 2023-24, and instead provides \$33 million in 2024-25, 2025-26 and 2026-27. Also approves reappropriation of unspent funds and allows more flexibility in local matching requirements.
- Approves Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$462,000 ongoing General Fund to support and expand the Witkin State Law Library.
- Approves Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$597,000 General Fund, \$357,000 of which is ongoing, to expand the California History Room Special Collections.
- Approves Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$168,000 ongoing General Fund to support a State Library Audit Program.

- Approves a change in reporting date for the Lunch at the Library program and requires libraries to identify learning outcomes.
- Approves a change in the California Newspaper Projects program to support multiple projects.

### UC College of the Law, San Francisco

- Approves Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$2.2 million ongoing General Fund to support a 3% base increase.
- Approves Governor's Budget proposal to provide \$3 million over three years to continue supporting a campus safety program.

# **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

#### **Environmental Protection Agency**

- Adopts California Accidental Release Prevention /Hazardous Materials Business Plan Programs trailer bill.
- Approves \$268,000 in permanent funding from the CalEPA Reimbursements account and 1 new permanent civil service position to administer CalEPA's Geographic Information Systems (GIS) environment and develop strategies, policies, and common GIS frameworks for CalEPA's Boards Divisions and Offices.
- Adopts \$4.3 million from the Unified Program Account in 2023-24 to implement a technology refresh on the California Environmental Reporting System. This includes continued funding for the five permanent positions approved in the 2022 Budget Act.
- Approves \$719,000 from the Unified Program Account and 4.0 permanent positions in 2023-24 to support growing legal need in the Unified Hazardous Waste and Hazardous Materials Regulatory Program and to support inspection and enforcement authority of the Hazardous Materials Business Plan and Accidental Release Prevention programs.
- Adopts permanent funding in the amount of \$1.0 million from the CalEPA Reimbursements account and 2.0 permanent civil service positions, resources, technology services, and software licenses and \$300,000 to acquire Project Portfolio Management software tools in 2023-24.

### State Water Resources Control Board

- Appropriates \$4.8 million General Fund in 2023-24 and 2024-25 to support the State Water Board's oversight roles for basins deemed inadequate, as required by the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA).
- Funds \$25 million to reduce lead in schools through testing, filters, and faucet replacements contingent on enactment of AB 249 (Holden).
- Cuts PFAS Cleanup by \$45 million and delays \$30 million from 2023-2024 to 2024-2025.
- Cuts Recycled Water by \$278 million.
- Eliminates funding for water refilling stations at schools, which was previously agreed to at \$5 million General Fund in 2022-23.

- Allocates \$31.5 million General Fund one-time in 2023-24 to continue development of the Updating Water Rights Data for California Project to enhance California's water management capabilities.
- Adopts budget bill language and trailer bill language to allow water agencies to access \$606 million of unspent funds for water arrearages at the State Water Resources Control Board and reappropriates \$200 million that was appropriation to Community Services Development to the Water Board for this purpose.
- Adopts trailer bill language on establishing fees for recycled water.
- Adopt a 3 year encumbrance extension for the 2019 Oxnard Wastewater Treatment plant allocation.
- Delays \$200 million of wastewater/drinking water infrastructure funds from 2021-2022 until 2024-2025.
- Approves \$16.22 million Federal Trust Fund in 2023-24 (\$2.84 million in ongoing funding for 14.0 new positions and 2.0 existing positions previously funded by the Safe Drinking Water Account and \$13.38 million in contract funding). An additional \$18.33 million in contract funding over 4 years (\$7.8 million in 2024-25, \$7 million in 2025-26, \$2 million in 2026-27, and \$1.5 million in 207-28) is requested to support the development of a database to intake lead and copper data in compliance with the federal revised Lead and Copper Rule Revision.
- Approves an additional \$300 million in 2023-24 from the Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Fund for reimbursing costs associated with the cleanup of contamination from leaking petroleum underground storage tanks. The request will provide a total of \$380 million for this purpose in 2023-24. (2) A one-time transfer of \$30 million from the Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Fund to the Orphan Site Cleanup Fund for reimbursing costs associated with the cleanup of contaminated leaking petroleum underground storage tanks where there is no financial responsible party, and the applicant is not eligible for the Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Fund program.
- Adopts 1.0 permanent position and \$280,000 ongoing from the Cost of Implementation Account to collaborate with California Air Resources Board to implement a unified permit application process for the construction and operation of Carbon Capture, Utilization, and Storage projects and to provide technical expertise to ensure these projects are protective of groundwater resources to implement SB 905.
- Authorizes 94 positions phased in over three years continue the Cannabis Cultivation Program. The request by fiscal year is as follows: In 2023-24: \$12 million various funds

(\$5,227,000 Waste Discharge Permit Fund, \$6,396,000 Cannabis Control Fund, and \$432,000 Water Rights Fund) to support 58 existing and 4 new positions. In 2024-25: \$19.1 million various funds (\$5,578,000 Waste Discharge Permit Fund, \$13,100,000 Cannabis Tax Fund, and \$432,000 Water Rights Fund) to support 62 existing and 30 new positions as well as aerial imagery and related tools. In 2025-26: \$19.7 million various funds (\$6,150,000 Waste Discharge Permit Fund, \$13,100,000 Cannabis Tax Fund; and \$432,000 Waste Discharge Permit Fund, \$13,100,000 Cannabis Tax Fund; and \$432,000 Waste Discharge Permit Fund, \$13,100,000 Cannabis Tax Fund; and \$432,000 Waste Discharge Permit Fund, \$13,100,000 Cannabis Tax Fund; and \$432,000 Waste Discharge Permit Fund, \$13,100,000 Cannabis Tax Fund; and \$432,000 Water Rights Fund) to support 92 existing and 2 new positions as well as aerial imagery and related tools.

- Approves 15.0 permanent positions and \$2.3 million ongoing from various special funds (Waste Discharge Permit; Safe Drinking Water Account; Underground Storage Tank Clean Up; State Water Quality Control Fund; Federal Trust Fund; Water Rights Fund; Safe and Affordable Drinking Water Fund; and the Cannabis Tax Fund) for administrative services support.
- Funds \$5,163,000 one-time General Fund in 2023-24 for the repair of critical infrastructure at Leviathan Mine.
- Authorizes 19.0 permanent positions and \$4,730,000 (\$4,230,000 and 19 positions and \$500,000 in one-time contract funding from the Waste Discharge Permit Fund), in fiscal year 2023-24 to staff to plan and permit new water supplies.

# Department of Pesticide Regulation

- Allocates \$1.9 million Department of Pesticide Regulation Fund and \$1.4 million ongoing, with 7 positions, to improve and streamline the Department's registration and reevaluation processes, identify alternatives to high-risk fumigants, and lead strategic collaborations with stakeholders and agency partners to develop plans and programs to support implementation of sustainable pest management in agricultural, urban, and wildland settings.
- Adopts \$3.3 million Department of Pesticide Regulation Fund for 2023-24: \$2.9 million in one-time funding and \$371,000 ongoing funding for 2 permanent CalPEST staff to continue the CalPEST design, development, and implementation.

# Department of Toxic Substances Control

• Provides \$67.3 million from the Lead-Acid Battery Cleanup Fund over two years, including \$40.4 million in 2023-24 and \$26.9 million in 2024-25, to clean up 6,425 parkways surrounding the former Exide Technologies facility identified with high levels of lead and/or other metals.

- Authorizes loans from the following funds to address temporary projected shortfalls from fee reforms, which will be paid back over three years if not sooner:
  - A budgetary loan of \$100 million from the Beverage Container Recycling Fund to the General Fund.
  - A budgetary loan of \$40 million from the Beverage Container Recycling Fund to the Hazardous Control Waste Account.
  - A \$15 million loan from the Toxic Substances Control Account.
- Adopts the Environmental Justice Forum Per Diem Trailer Bill.
- Approves a transfer of \$13.7 million from the Toxic Substances Control Account to the Site Remediation Account and \$13.7 million expenditure authority from the Site Remediation Account in 2023-24 to fund the state's National Priorities List obligations.
- Adds 6.0 permanent positions and \$1.4 million in 2023-24 and annually thereafter to implement needed oversight of 22 National Priority List projects during the investigation, remedy construction, and long-term Operation and Maintenance. The positions will be funded by the Toxic Substances Control Account and potential federal reimbursement for these costs through the MultiSite Cooperative Agreement federal grant fund.
- Approves \$593,000 in 2023-24 and \$590,000 ongoing from the Toxic Substances Control Account and 3 permanent positions to manage the extension request process and to ensure manufacturer compliance with the motor vehicle brake friction materials law.
- Approves \$7 million General Fund over five fiscal years; \$1.2 million in 2023-24, \$1.7 million in 2024-25, \$1.5 million in 2025-26, \$1.2 million in 2026-27, and \$1.4 million in 2027-28 for United States Environmental Protection Agency mandated removal and remedial action to continue characterization of the Stringfellow Superfund Hazardous Waste Site.

# California Air Resources Board

- Funds \$75 million for Funding Agricultural Replacement Measures for Emission Reductions (FARMER) Program.
- Adopts trailer bill language to repeal the Air Resource's Boards regulations on credit card readers on EV charging stations and moves future authority to the Energy Commission.

- Appropriates \$80 million for Clean Cars 4 All & Other Equity Projects at CARB.
- Provides \$80 million for zero emission drayage trucks.
- Funds \$60 million for Community-Based Plans, Projects and Support / Sustainable Community Strategies at CARB and CalSTA.
- Approves \$629,000 for three years from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund (GGRF) for 3 temporary positions to undertake statutorily required duties providing policy and technical support to agencies administering ten new California Climate Investments programs established through the 2022 Budget Act along with other duties regarding the oversight and administration of California Climate Investments.
- Approves 9 temporary, three year positions, to implement SB 905 from the Cost of Implementation Account, with budget bill language.
- Authorizes 3.0 permanent positions and \$451,000 in 2023-24 and on-going from the Cost of Implementation Account to address the growing workload of the Low Carbon Fuel Standard program.
- Adopts trailer bill delaying AB 2446 (Holden, 2022) implementation.
- Approves \$5.7 million Cost of Implementation Account (COIA) and 15 permanent positions for 2023-24 and 2024-25, and \$4.5 million COIA in 2025-26 and ongoing. The costs include \$2.5 million per year for the first two years and \$1.3 million annually thereafter for contracts to develop and implement a framework to reduce embodied carbon emissions from building materials pursuant to AB 2446.
- Approves 1.0 Air Pollution Specialist and \$711,000 (\$210,000 ongoing), including \$500,000 in one-time contract funds, from the Air Pollution Control Fund starting in 2023-24 for its Environmental Justice Program. These resources will be used to fulfill the requirements of Chapter 361, Statutes of 2022 (SB 1020, Laird).
- Adopts \$1.9 million from the Air Pollution Control Fund in 2023-24 and \$1.1 million ongoing for 5.0 permanent positions to operate, audit, and maintain the monitoring stations and equipment, which includes \$128,000 ongoing funding for operational costs and \$787,000 in one-time funding for equipment and supplies.
- Rejects a reversion of \$3 million from the mobile air monitoring dollars for technical assistance.
- Shifts funding of 1.75 existing Transport Refrigeration Unit Program positions from the Motor Vehicle Account to Certification and Compliance Fund.

- Approves \$14.1 million in 2023-24 to implement and enforce the Heavy- Duty Inspection and Maintenance program as required by Chapter 298, Statutes of 2019 SB 210. The resource request includes 19 new, permanent, on-going positions starting in 2023-24 and 4.0 new, permanent, on-going positions starting in 2024-25, as well as contract funding of \$10.3 million for 2023-24, \$10.2 million for 2024-25, \$10.5 million for 2025-26, and \$10.7 million in ongoing funding for 2026-27 and beyond.
- Approves \$1.2 million in ongoing funds from the Cost of Implementation Account for 4.0 permanent positions (\$909,000) and \$250,000 annually for contract funding to develop and implement a zero-emission space and water heater measure identified in the 2022 Scoping Plan Update.
- Adopts \$3.1 million Cost of Implementation Account and 4.0 permanent positions in 2023-24, including \$2.3 million in one-time contract funding to develop and publish an evaluation and provide policy recommendations on the use of hydrogen, and specifically the use of green hydrogen, as required by SB 1075.
- Approves \$1.65 million from the Air Pollution Control Fund (APCF) and 10.0 permanent positions in 2023-24, \$1.69 million in 2024-25, and \$1.64 million in 2025-26 and ongoing to implement and enforce the In-Use Locomotive Regulation. Additionally shifts funding for 6.6 existing positions from the Motor Vehicle Account to APCF in 2023-24.
- Approves 12.0 positions and \$4.1 million Cost of Implementation Account in 2023-24 and ongoing, including \$1.5 million in contract funds, to meet the requirements of AB 1757.
- Adopts \$8.2 million from Air Pollution Control Fund (APCF) and 7.0 positions in 2023-24, including \$6.7 million in one-time contract funding, and \$1.5 million APCF in 2024-25 and ongoing for a staffing augmentation of the Project Management Office to transition from a contract-heavy to a state employee-centric unit.
- Adopts \$1,000,000 Cost of Implementation Account in one-time contract funding to support the development of the Transportation Fuels Transition Plan required by SB x2.
- Approves \$211,000 in ongoing funding from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund and 1.0 permanent position to implement Chapter 354, Statutes of 2022, Assembly Bill 2700.
- Adopts \$7.6 million in 2023-24 from the Air Pollution Control Fund for 32.5 three-year limited term positions to comply with the proposed Advanced Clean Fleets Regulation.

# CalRecycle

- Reduces Composting Opportunities by \$4.8 million General Fund in 2021-22, or 38 percent.
- Eliminates the recycling feasibility grant, \$2 million General Fund in 2021-22 and \$13 million in 2022-23.
- Reduces the Recycling Market Development Zone Loan Program by 9 percent with \$4.5 million General Fund in 2022-23.
- Approves \$2 million from various special funds for a statewide zero waste plan with budget bill language.
- Provides \$40 million Beverage Container Recycling Fund for Plastic Market Development Payments.
- Provides \$500,000 to expand the San Francisco bottle bank program.
- Adopts the Pharmaceutical and Sharps Stewardship Fund Trailer Bill.
- Adopts 14.0 permanent ongoing positions (PY) to be phased in over three fiscal years to implement SB 1215 (Chapter 370, Statutes of 2022). This request includes 12.0 PYs to begin in 2023-24 with annual costs of \$2 million from the Covered Battery-Embedded Waste Recycling Fee Subaccount (Subaccount) in 2023-24, and 2024-25, with an additional 2.0 PYs to start in 2025-26 with ongoing costs of \$2.2 million for all 14.0 positions. In addition, CalRecycle requests budget bill language to provide loan authority of \$6.2 million in 2023-24 from the Electronic Waste Recovery and Recycling Account to the Subaccount to ensure that adequate cash is available to implement SB 1215 and support all direct appropriations drawing from the fund.
- Adopts 44 permanent ongoing positions phased in over two years, and 15 two-year limited term positions with costs of \$6.9 million in 2023-24, \$8.1 million in 2024-25, and \$6.3 million ongoing from the Beverage Container Recycling Fund to implement SB 1013 (Ch. 610, Statutes of 2022).
- Approves \$8.4 million in continued project funding in 2023-24 for the CalRecycle Integrated Information System project and to make the four temporary positions approved in 2022-23 permanent ongoing positions with ongoing costs of \$780,000 from the Beverage Container Recycling Fund.
- Adopts \$2,649,000 from the Solid Waste Disposal Site Cleanup Trust Fund for 2023-

24 to complete required site restoration work on the Lee Vining Burn Dump.

- Approves 3.0 permanent, fulltime positions and \$400,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing to implement the prequalified bidder requirements under SB 978 (Chapter 472, Statutes of 2022) for Disaster, Debris Removal for wildfires.
- Authorizes 18.0 permanent ongoing positions to be phased in over two fiscal years (11.0 positions in 2023-24 and 7.0 positions in 2024-25) with total ongoing costs of \$2,995,000 from the Covered Battery Recycling Fund (CBRF). In addition, CalRecycle requests budget bill language to provide loan authority of \$2,001,000 in 2023-24, \$2,995,000 in 2024-25 and 2025-26 from the Electronic Waste Recovery and Recycling Account to the CBRF to ensure that adequate cash is available to implement AB 2440 and support all direct appropriations drawing from the fund.

#### Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment

Adopts \$2.2 million and 4.0 permanent positions in 2023-24 and \$2.4 million and an additional 1.0 permanent position in 2024-25 to develop and maintain the statewide extreme heat ranking system and to develop a mobile phone application for the ranking system. Beginning in 2025-26, \$1.2 million ongoing, which includes 5.0 permanent positions and \$200,000 in contract funding to implement AB 2238.

# **CLIMATE CHANGE**

- Rejects Control Section 3.94 General Fund Trigger Restoration for all items related to climate, natural resources, environmental protection, and energy.
- Rejects Control Section 15.14 (c) authorizing the Department of Finance to spend Greenhouse Gas Reduction Funds.
- Adopts trailer bill language to amend AB 1279 (2022) to streamline LAO reporting requirements.
- Funds \$2.3 million for a Zero Emission Jobs Roadmap at the Office of Planning and Research.
- Lowers Extreme Heat and Community Resilience Program at the Office of Planning and Research by \$39.915 million.
- Cuts Regional Climate Resilience funding at the Office of Planning and Research by \$200 million of the \$250 million total.
- Reverts \$160 million of \$270 million total from the Community Resilience Centers program at the Strategic Growth Council in 2023-2024, with \$85 million delayed to 2024-2025 for a net reduction of \$75 million.
- Lowers Transformative Climate Communities funding at the Strategic Growth Council by \$205 million of the \$400 million total.
- Eliminates the Sustainable Agriculture Climate Catalyst Fund at GO-BIZ with a full \$25 million reduction.
- Reduces the Wildfire Climate Catalyst Fund at GO-BIZ by \$16 million.

#### Zero Emission Vehicles

- Adopts trailer bill language to repeal the Air Resource's Boards regulations on credit card readers on EV charging stations and moves future authority to the Energy Commission.
- Reduces 2023 ZEV spending from \$1,111 billion in 2023 to \$847 million with \$1.4 billion in 2024, \$1.4 billion in 2025, and \$906 million in 2026, for a package total of \$10.085 billion over multiple years. The 2023 allocations consist of:
  - \$80 million for Clean Cars 4 All & Other Equity Projects at CARB.
  - \$100 million for Equitable At-home Charging at CEC.

- \$165 million for zero emission drayage trucks and infrastructure at CARB and CEC.
- \$220 million for transit buses and infrastructure at CaISTA.
- \$145 million for Clean Trucks, Buses and Off-Road Equipment infrastructure at CEC.
- \$60 million for Community-Based Plans, Projects and Support / Sustainable Community Strategies at CARB and CalSTA.
- \$77 million of federal funds at CalSTA.

# **Department of Parks**

- Rejects trailer bill language to address the structural deficit in the Harbors and Watercraft Revolving Fund by increasing fees on boats.
- Cuts \$6 million per year from the Harbors and Watercraft Revolving Fund for boat launching grants.
- Cuts \$5.3 million per year for Aquatic Invasive Species program from the Harbors and Watercraft Revolving Fund.
- Reduces Statewide Parks Program by \$182.6 million of the previous \$380 million with \$11.6 million in 21-22 \$75 million in 22-23, \$2 million in 23-24, \$69 million in 24-25, and \$25 million in 25-26.
- Reverts \$110 million from the Natural Resources and Parks Perseveration Fund to the General Fund. This reversion includes \$95 million for future phases of the California Indian Heritage Center project and \$15 million for unspecified future capital outlay projects.
- Appropriates \$5.8 million one-time and \$3.3 million ongoing General Fund to establish and open Dos Rios Ranch as a new state park and create recreation opportunities and park access to historically underserved communities in the Central Valley. Funds initially appropriated for the acquisition of a new state park in the 2020 Budget Act will be used for planning and acquisition costs.
- Adopts trailer bill language to allow a contract extension of up to 30 years at Old Town San Diego State Park.
- Funds \$23,200,000 one-time General Fund to complete additional Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) improvements under the Tucker Consent Decree.'

ASSEMBLY BUDGET COMMITTEE

#### FLOOR REPORT OF THE 2023-24 BUDGET

- Adopts \$1,300,000 in reimbursement authority from the State Parks and Recreation Fund and \$1,886,000 in spending authority from the Natural Resources and Parks Preservation Fund for the construction phase of the continuing El Capitan State Beach: Entrance Improvements project in Santa Barbara County.
- Approves \$119 million General Fund phased over four-years and \$94,000,000 in reimbursement authority for the 2023 Winter Storm Damage – Statewide Repairs and Adaptation project. This request includes five positions, two vehicles and \$1,000,000 in ongoing reimbursement authority, funded by federal reimbursements. Federal Emergency Management Agency funding will be the source of the reimbursements for this proposal.
- Approves \$1 million for Border Field State Park: Monument Mesa Day Use and Interpretive Area.
- Allocates \$30 million in fiscal year 2023-24 from the Off-Highway Vehicle (OHV) Trust Fund for local assistance grants.
- Adopts provisional language to authorize the Department of Finance to increase expenditure authority in the State Parks and Recreation Fund (SPRF) by up to \$11,904,000 for use at Oceano Dunes State Vehicular Recreation Area from January 1, 2024, through June 30, 2024, in the event that off-highway motor vehicle recreation activities at Oceano Dunes State Vehicular Recreation Area are ceased.
- Appropriates \$12,575,000 from available California Drought, Water, Parks, Climate, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access for All Act of 2018 (Proposition 68) bond funds for the working drawings phase of the Lake Perris State Recreation Area (SRA) Replace Lifeguard Headquarters project in Riverside County.
- Approves \$2,612,000 in reimbursement authority from the State Parks and Recreation Fund for the construction phase of the Mount Diablo State Park (SP): Visitor Center.
- Adopts \$7,296,000 from available California Drought, Water, Parks, Climate, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access For All Act of 2018 (Proposition 68) bond funds for the construction phase of the continuing Malibu Creek State Park (SP): New Stokes Creek Bridge project in Los Angeles County.
- Provides \$1,046,000 in reimbursement authority for the working drawings phase of the Kings Beach State Recreation Area (SRA): Recreational Pier Replacement and Support buildings project in Placer County

#### FLOOR REPORT OF THE 2023-24 BUDGET

- Allows \$3,000,000 in reimbursement authority, four positions, and four vehicles in fiscal years 2023-24, 2024-25 and 2025-26 from the State Parks and Recreation Fund to manage the open space park lands within the Sonoma Developmental Center.
- Approves \$3,208,000 from the State Park Contingent Fund for the construction phase of the Humboldt Redwoods State Park: Founders Grove Parking Lot & Restroom Replacement. This is the result of additional donated funds for the construction phase of this project. Also approves \$4,052,000 from Safe Drinking Water, Water Quality and Supply, Flood Control, River and Coastal Protection Fund of 2006 (Proposition 84).
- Approves \$904,000 in 2023-24 and \$859,000 ongoing for five additional positions from the Federal Trust Fund to meet grant program delivery obligations for the Land and Water Conservation Fund program, Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership program, and the Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan.
- Adopts \$324,000 from the California Drought, Water, Parks, Climate, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access For All Fund (Proposition 68) for the working drawings phase of the Old Sacramento State Historic Park: Riverfront project in Sacramento County.
- Allocates \$4,694,000 one-time in 2023-24, seven permanent positions, 12 vehicles, and \$1,166,000 ongoing from General Fund for Federal Endangered Species Act, Section 10 compliance as specified in the Habitat Conservation Plan and deed covenants that stipulate the Department's obligations for lands referred to as Ford Ord Dunes State Park.
- Appropriates \$2,123,000 from the California Drought, Water, Parks, Climate, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access Fund (Proposition 68) for the construction phase of the Picacho State Recreation Area Park Power System Upgrade project in Imperial County.
- Approves \$724,000 in fiscal year 2023-24 and \$724,000 ongoing from the General Fund, for four permanent positions to address the increase of federal and state reviews performed by the Office of Historic Preservation.
- Adopts \$443,000 in one-time funding and three positions in fiscal year 2023-24 and \$416,000 ongoing from the General Fund to handle increased workload in the Office of Historic Preservation from the implementation of the State Historic Rehabilitation Tax Credit enacted by Chapter 703, Statutes of 2019 (SB 451).
- Allocates \$500,000 from California Drought, Water, Parks, Climate, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access For All Fund (Proposition 68) bond funds for the working drawings phase of the Silver Strand SB: Low-Cost Accommodations project.

 Approves \$469,000 one-time Winter Recreation Fund to accommodate unmet visitor services workload at SNO-Parks, as well as project backlogs and cost increases for U.S. Forest Service projects.

## Natural Resources Agency

- Appropriates \$2.1 million General Fund for renovations of the Museum of Tolerance to enhance diversity training for education and criminal justice professionals.
- Appropriates \$24.5 million of Prop. 68 funds for Salton Sea Restoration.
- Reduces Salton Sea Restoration funding from \$119 million of \$220 million General Fund. The reductions consist of \$89 million in 2022-2023 and \$30 million in 2023-2024.
- Lowers Urban Greening by \$175 million of \$250 million total.
- Funds \$10 million for the Museum of Latin American Art.
- Funds \$7 million for the Dolores Huerta Peace and Justice Cultural Center.
- Provides \$9.5 million for an Intertidal Biodiversity DNA Barcode Library to the Ocean Protection Council.
- Cuts Recreational Trails and Greenways funding by \$25 million of \$35 million.
- Funds \$1.5 million for the Women's Twentieth Century Club.
- Provides \$5 million for development of conservation easements on the lands surrounding the Diablo Canyon Power Plant, including tribal outreach.
- Adopts \$792,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and 2024-25 and \$432,000 General Fund ongoing to implement the requirements of Chapter 349, Statutes of 2022 (AB 2278). Of this amount, CNRA requests 2 permanent positions and \$432,000 in 2023-2024 and ongoing, and the Ocean Protection Council requests funding for two limited-term positions, totaling \$360,000 of the request in 2023-24 and 2024-25. This funding request will support prioritization of certain 30x30 implementation actions as established by AB 2278 and annual reporting on the progress toward achieving the 30x30 goal.
- Approves \$500,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing to update the California Climate Adaptation Strategy as required by Chapter 338, Statutes of 2022 (AB 1384).

- Authorizes 5 permanent positions to be funded from savings within the baseline budget, various reimbursement agreements, and administrative allowances from recent investments that have significantly increased the size of the agency.
- Funds \$433,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and 2024-25, \$183,000 General Fund in 2025-26 and ongoing, and one permanent position, and for the Native American Heritage Commission \$75,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and 2024-25 to implement the requirements of Chapter 479, Statutes of 2022 (AB 2022).
- Adopts \$3.52 million one-time General Fund in 2023-24, \$4.1 million ongoing Cost of Implementation Account, and \$873,000 ongoing General Fund and 16 permanent positions to implement AB 1757 (Chapter 341, Statutes of 2022).

# **Department of Forestry Fire Protection (CalFIRE)**

- Cuts \$10 million General Fund in 2022-23 and \$15 million in 2023-24 for the Stewardship of State Owned Lands, about 8 percent.
- Cuts \$30 million for Urban Forestry.
- Reduces \$5 million for defensible space inspectors.
- Reduces \$15 million General Fund in 2023-24 for workforce training, which is partially offset by a shift of \$14 million to Proposition 98 for similar purposes.
- Approves \$116 million for July-December firefighters.
- Approves \$645,000 for the study phase of a new training center with specified study criteria, but rejects acquisition funding.
- Approve \$8.9 million in 2023-24 and \$8.6 million annually through 2027-28 for leasing and operating two temporary facilities and rejects ongoing positions for a new training center.
- Approves \$4,548,000 General Fund for the working drawings phase of the Growlersburg Conservation Camp: Replace Facility project, to replace the existing facility, located in El Dorado County.
- Adopts Public Works Contracts trailer bill.
- Appropriates \$5.16 million General Fund in 2024-25, and \$5.32 million in 2025-26, to support two optional years of fixed-wing pilot and mechanics contract cost increases, as well as \$6.17 million General Fund in 2023-24, \$6.88 million in 2024-25, \$7.66 million in 2025-26, \$11.98 million in 2026-27, and \$16.73 million in 2027-28 to support

three firm years and two optional years of the increased contractual costs of a followon aviation parts and logistics contract.

- Adds an additional \$5,044,000 Public Buildings Construction Fund for the construction phase of the Bieber Forest Fire Station/Helitack Base: Relocate Facility project, located in Lassen County.
- Provides \$1,500,000 General Fund for the acquisition phase of the Hayfork Fire Station: Replace Facility project, located in Trinity County.
- Appropriates \$18.4 million General Fund and 12 positions starting in 2023-24, varying amounts in 2024-25 through 2026-27 and \$13.3 million General Fund ongoing, phased in over four years, to ensure compliance with revisions made to the California Code of Regulations, title 8, Article 10.1 Safety Orders: Personal Protective Clothing and Equipment for Fire Fighters.
- Funds \$50,000 General Fund for the working drawings phase of the L.A. Moran Reforestation Center Improvements project, located in Yolo County.
- Approves \$1,500,000 General Fund for the acquisition phase of the Land Acquisition: Almaden Fire Station project, located in Santa Clara County.
- Provides \$3.2 million (\$2.9 million Reimbursements, \$262,000 General Fund, and \$13,000 Special Funds) and 13.0 permanent positions starting in fiscal year 2023-24, and \$2.8 million (\$2.6 million Reimbursements, \$259,000 General Fund, and \$13,000 Special Funds) in 2024-25 and ongoing to support the Office of the State Fire Marshal's Fire and Life safety Division.
- Allows \$4,000,000 General Fund for the acquisition phase of three properties: Camp Fox (San Diego County), Boys Ranch (Sacramento County), and Sierra Elementary (Fresno County).
- Reverts \$27,269,175 General Fund for the Lake/Napa Unit Auto Shop and Warehouse: Replace Facility and Lake Napa Unit Headquarters and St. Helena Fire Station: Relocate Facility projects, to allow a change in site location.
- Approves \$60,000 General Fund for the preliminary plans phase and working drawings phase of the Rohnerville Air Attack Base: Replace Fuel System project, located in Humboldt County.
- Adopts \$1,000,000 General Fund for the working drawings phase of the Self-Generating Power Projects in Tehama-Glenn and Fresno-Kings Units project.

- Allows \$43.2 million Federal Trust Fund and 8.0 positions across fiscal years 2023-24 through 2027-28 (\$8.1 million and 6.1 positions in 2023-24) to implement urban forestry grants from federal funding awarded by the United States Forest Service through the Inflation Reduction Act.
- Adopts \$1.5 million (\$1.3 million General Fund, \$62,000 Special Funds, and \$211,000 Reimbursements) and 6.0 positions starting in fiscal year 2023-24, and \$964,000 (\$719,000 General Fund, \$36,000 Special Funds, and \$209,000 Reimbursements) ongoing to address the statutory requirements set forth by Chapter 758, Statutes of 2022 (AB 1751) and Chapter 835, Statutes of 2022 (SB 1127).

# Department of Conservation

- Reduces Multi Benefit Land Repurposing by \$20 million of the \$110 million total.
- Eliminates funding for the Sustainable Agricultural Lands Conservation Program by cutting \$25 million.
- Reduces Climate Smart Land Management Program by \$4 million of the \$20 million total.
- Adopts SB 1295 cleanup trailer bill language and all budget change proposals.
- Approves thirteen (13.0) permanent positions for the California Geologic Energy Management Division (CalGEM) to perform increased workload associated with its mandated responsibilities to carry out the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).
- Adopts \$3,682,000 from the Cost of Implementation Account, Air Pollution Control Fund (COIA) and 4 permanent positions to create a Geologic Carbon Sequestration Group (Group) to support the statutory mandate set forth in Senate Bill 905 (SB 905).
- Approves \$1.4 million General Fund for high priority stream gages to implement SB 19 (Statutes of 2019, Chapter 361).

# Department of Fish and Wildlife

- Adopts the Western Joshua Tree Conservation Act trailer bill and adopts \$5 million for environmental organizations to participate in conservation efforts.
- Adopts budget bill language 2022 wetlands appropriation to allow up to \$2 million for non-lethal beaver removal.

- Appropriates \$15,000 to continue the California Monitoring Program for Salmon.
- Reduces \$6 million for Natural Community Conservation Program Planning and Land Acquisition.
- Provides \$2 million (one-time General Fund) in 2022-23 and \$1.3 million ongoing and five permanent positions to establish two new programs to support the management of fish and wildlife, recreational opportunities, and Tribal partnerships before and after removal of the Klamath Dam.
- Funds \$932,000 for high priority stream gages to implement SB 19 (Statutes of 2019, Chapter 361).
- Authorizes 40.0 permanent positions and \$10.2 million in General Fund in Fiscal Year (FY) 2023-24 and \$9.6 million ongoing to expedite environmental review workload, including pre-consultation with project proponents, for priority energy and water infrastructure projects throughout the State.
- Approves 49.0 permanent positions and \$7.98 million (\$4.21 million Fish and Game Preservation Fund – Lake and Streambed Dedicated Account (FGPF-LSA) and \$3.77 million Cannabis Control Fund) in Fiscal Year (FY) 2023-24, \$7.98 million (\$4.21 Fish and Game Preservation Fund – Lake and Streambed Dedicated Account (FGPF-LSA) and \$3.77 million Cannabis Tax Fund) in FY 2024-25 and ongoing to permanently support the Department's Cannabis Regulatory and Enforcement Program.
- Adopts 2.0 permanent positions, \$596,000 Distributed Administration in Fiscal Year (FY) 2023-24, and \$579,000 ongoing to create an Information Security and Privacy Office.
- Approves various adjustments to the Fish and Game Preservation Fund's (FGPF) dedicated accounts, Hatcheries and Inland Fisheries Fund (HIFF), and Department of Fish and Wildlife California Environmental Quality Act Fund (CEQAF) resulting in an increase of \$6.87 million and 23.0 permanent positions.
- Approves 16.0 permanent positions, \$2.98 million Reimbursement authority in Fiscal Year 2023-24, and \$2.79 million ongoing to complete the new workload associated with the State Water Project Incidental Take Permit.
- Allows 5.0 permanent positions, \$1.97 million General Fund in Fiscal Year 2023-24, \$1.38 million in FY 2024-25, and \$1.35 million ongoing to establish two new programs: the Upper Klamath River Fisheries Monitoring Program and the management of Parcel B Lands.

- Appropriates \$2.92 million General Fund in Fiscal Year 2023-24, \$2.82 million in FY 2024-25, and \$2.82 million in FY 2025-26 to continue the Nutria Eradication Program.
- Adopts \$1.25 million Oil Spill Prevention and Administration Fund in FY 2023-24, and \$896,000 ongoing to perform operations related to oil spill response and support.
- Provides 6 positions, \$1.7 million in Fiscal Year 2023-24 and \$1.6 million ongoing from the Salton Sea Restoration Fund for the Salton Sea Management Program.
- Adopts 8.0 permanent positions and \$1.98 million General Fund in Fiscal Year 2023-24 and ongoing to address the workload associated with the implementation of AB 2344 (2022) on wildlife connectivity.

# Wildlife Conservation Board

• Reduces the Protecting Fish and Wildlife from Changing Conditions allocation at the Wildlife Conservation Board by \$35 million General Fund in 2023-24, or 10 percent.

# **Department of Water Resources**

- Allocates \$75 million General Fund for the Flood Control Subventions Program.
- Appropriates \$17.02 million General Fund for high priority stream gages.
- Cuts Sustainable Groundwater Management Act funding by \$60 million of \$353 million.
- Delays \$72 million for watershed resilience to 2024-25.
- Cuts \$15 million General Fund in 2021-22 for aqueduct solar panels.
- Reduces \$24.5 million General Fund for the Delta Salinity Barrier.
- Reverts \$25 million General Fund for the Landflex program.
- Adopts \$40.6 million General Fund for ongoing Delta levee projects that reduce risk of levee failure and flooding, provide habitat benefits, and reduce the risk of saltwater intrusion contaminating water supplies.
- Provides \$25 million General Fund to support projects that will reduce the risk of flooding for Central Valley communities while contributing to ecosystem restoration and agricultural sustainability.

- Approves trailer bill language to exempts specified activities regarding the diversion of flood flows for groundwater recharge from specified notification and permitting requirements and provide a limited CEQA exemption for projects to comply with the Colorado River settlement.
- Adopts trailer bill language for the Dam Safety program.
- Adopts trailer bill language to increase fees for the Division of Safety of Dams and tie annual increases to inflation.
- Delays \$230 million for the Oroville Pumped Hydro project until 2024.
- Funds \$43,713,000 from Proposition 13, Safe Drinking Water, Clean Water, Watershed Protection, and Flood Protection Act, and Proposition 50, Water Security, Clean Drinking Water, Coastal and Beach Protection Act of 2002, for the State's share of costs for the implementation of the South Delta Permanent Operable Gates project.
- Funds \$25 million General Fund in 2023-24 for the Paradise Cut Multi-Benefit Project and Yolo Bypass Fix-In-Place Projects.
- Provides \$135.5 million in General Fund, including \$90 million to support state costshare of critical United States Army Corps of Engineers projects and Urban Flood Risk Reduction projects and \$10 million for State Operations, and \$35 million General Fund in 2024-25.
- Adopts \$14 million ongoing General Fund to fund 11 new positions and the support for 29 existing positions to address the emerging needs associated with Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA) implementation.
- Approves \$7 million in General Fund to support State Operations over four years, beginning in FY 2023-24, to implement the legislative requirements established by Senate Bill 1157 (Statutes 2022, Chapter 679, Hertzberg).
- Adopts \$36.91 million in General Fund in the following fiscal years: \$4.41 million (\$3.998 million for DWR and \$0.412 million for Central Valley Flood Protection Board (CVFPB) for 2023-24, \$11 million in 2024-25, \$11.5 million in 2025-26, and \$10 million in 2026-27 for the 2027 Update to the Central Valley Flood Protection Plan and Conservation Strategy.
- Provides \$3.35 million in one-time General Fund funding for the State cost-share of the US Army Corps of Engineers Yolo Bypass Comprehensive Study and continued development of the Yolo Bypass-Cache Slough Master Plan.

- Authorizes \$623,000 in General Fund for three engineer positions dedicated to noncompliant encroachments in the flood control system.
- Approves \$3.178 million in ongoing funding from the Dam Safety Fund to support 12 new positions in Fiscal Year 2023-24 for the implementation of an Enforcement Program (6 positions/ \$1.594 million) for new statutory authorities provided by Senate Bill 92 (2017) and to address workload increases related to new dam construction projects, enlargements, repairs/remediations, and removals (6 positions/\$1.584 million).
- Allows \$50 million, \$10 million per year for 5 years, of additional federal reimbursement authority for the Federal Emergency Managements Agency's (FEMA) Federal Rehabilitation of High Hazard Potential Dams Grant Program.
- Provides \$13.2 million one-time General Fund and \$27.4 million in Proposition 1 funding for levee maintenance, repairs, improvement, habitat mitigation and enhancement projects in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.
- Approves \$655,000 ongoing General Fund and position authority of two full-time permanent positions to address increased workload and to continue providing critical flood maintenance and operations support.
- Authorizes 3 positions from existing funds to support the Salton Sea Management Program.
- Approves \$4,773,000 in General Fund in Fiscal Year 2023-24 for one-time costs for Department of General Services expenses related to the relocation of the state/federal Joint Operations Center from the current location on El Camino Avenue to a new facility.
- Approves 6 positions from existing funds to implement drought funding. .
- Authorizes \$20 million of Federal Reimbursement Authority for 2023-24 to be reimbursed from the Department of Interior's funding provided by the Inflation Reduction Act for Salton Sea Restoration.
- Adopts \$2.5 million in 2023-24 and \$600,000 annually in 2024-25 through 2027-28 (a total of \$4.9 million) to enable Groundwater Sustainability Agencies and local public agencies to complete water rights applications for groundwater recharge.
- Allows 5 new permanent full-time positions to enhance the financial stability of the State Water Project.

# California Coastal Commission

 Approves \$463,000 annually ongoing from the State Coastal Conservancy Fund, Violation Remediation Account to continue and reclassify 2.0 Headquarters Enforcement Program positions to speed the resolution of California Coastal Act violation cases.

## State Coastal Conservancy

- Reduces Explore the Coast funding by \$1 million of the \$14 million total.
- Cuts \$10 million for nature-based solutions.
- Eliminates funding for the San Francisco Bay Wetlands was \$10.4 million General Fund in 2022-23.
- Cuts \$182.8 million for various coastal protection and sea level rise programs at the State Coastal Conservancy with \$175 million cut in 2022-2023, \$1 million increase in 2023-2024, and \$9 million cut in 2024-2025.

# Delta Stewardship Council

• Authorizes \$373,000 ongoing General Fund for 2.0 permanent positions to provide technical support for mandated Delta Plan implementation efforts.

# **Baldwin Hills Conservancy**

- Allocates \$575,000 one-time General Fund to study the potential environmental and recreational uses of the Baldwin Hills, southern Ballona Creek Watershed, and Upper Dominguez Channel area. The study will inform site opportunities and constraints for a watershed and open space plan.
- Reduces Nature-Based Solutions funding by \$2.083 million General Fund in 2023-24.

#### San Joaquin River Conservancy

• Reduces Nature-Based Solutions funding by \$2.083 million General Fund in 2023-24.

#### Tahoe Conservancy

- Reduces Nature-Based Solutions funding by \$8.375 million General Fund in 2023-24.
- Approves 2 positions for forest management workload support.

 Adopts \$290,000 ongoing Lake Tahoe Science and Lake Improvement Account and 0.5 permanent position to support the Tahoe Science Advisory Council and aquatic invasive species control and public access projects at Lake Tahoe, consistent with legislative mandates. This request includes \$110,000 ongoing for CNRA and \$180,000 (\$150,000 state operations and \$30,000 local assistance) and 0.5 position ongoing for the Conservancy.

# California Conservation Corps

- Approves position authority for 5 positions.
- Rejects cuts to local conservation corps of \$23.5 million.
- Adopts \$1,123,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and \$841,000 ongoing to fund one position, various Operating Expenses & Equipment costs, and special repairs necessary to ensure compliance with revisions made to the California Code of Regulations, Title 8, Article 10.1 Safety Orders: Personal Protective Clothing and Equipment for Fire Fighters.

# Colorado River Board

• Adopts \$136,000 ongoing to support the provision of accounting and budgeting services by the Department of General Services' Contracted Fiscal Services division. The CRB's annual expenses are fully reimbursed by local water and power agencies.

# State Lands Commission

• Approves \$3,660,000 one-time General Fund for the Platform Holly Caretaker Program.

#### San Francisco Bay Conservation & Development Commission

- Authorizes \$170,000 General Fund one-time to cover increased litigation costs anticipated in 2023-24.
- Adopts \$150,000 General Fund ongoing to fund increased salaries and benefits costs for two existing CEA positions (Director of Regulatory and Director of Planning).

#### Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

• Reduces Nature-Based Solutions funding by \$13.25 million General Fund in 2023-24.

 Increases spending authority of its Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Fund be increased from \$200,000 to \$1.5 million to allow the Conservancy to process the Regional Forest and Fire Capacity Program grant it has been awarded and to pass the funding through to its sub-grantees to effectuate the award.

#### Sierra Nevada Conservancy

• Reduces Nature-Based Solutions funding by \$26.25 million General Fund in 2023-24.

# San Diego River Conservancy

• Reduces Nature-Based Solutions funding by \$12.25 million General Fund in 2023-24.

#### Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Conservancy

• Reduces Nature-Based Solutions funding by \$7.375 million General Fund in 2023-24.

# Coachella Valley Conservancy

• Reduces Nature-Based Solutions funding by \$5.083 million General Fund in 2023-24.

#### San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Rivers and Mountains Conservancy

- Reduces Nature-Based Solutions funding by \$13.25 million General Fund in 2023-24.
- Authorizes ongoing reimbursement authority of \$30,000 for the California Environmental License Plate Fund and \$8 million General Fund in increased reimbursement authority through fiscal year 2024-25 to accommodate grants from the California Natural Resources Agency and Wildlife Conservation Board for the Rio Hondo Confluence Signature Project and West Coyote Hills Phase II Acquisition Project, respectively. These requests will result in a net zero cost to the conservancy.
- Extends and revises an authorized position to support the Lower San Gabriel River Recreation and Park District implementation efforts through 2025-26.
- Approves 2.0 permanent full-time Associate Governmental Program Analyst positions to oversee multi-year agreements with the Department of Conservation and 1.0 permanent full-time Associate Personnel Analyst position for the Human Resources unit. These positions will be funded with existing funding authority.

# Department of Food and Agriculture

- Rejects AB 1499 trailer bill language and instead appropriates \$2.5 million ongoing General Fund to retain existing fairs staffing.
- Appropriates \$5 million General Fund to the California Underserved and Small Producer Program.
- Cuts \$15 million from the Healthy Soils program in 2022-2023.
- Cuts \$8.9 million from the Sustainable California Grown Cannabis pilot program.
- Cuts \$14.5 million from the Pollinator Habitat Program in 2022-2023.
- Funds \$35 million for the California Nutrition Incentive Program.
- Funds \$5 million for Organics Transition.
- Allocates \$25 million for the Enteric Fermentation Incentive Program.
- Decreases State Water Efficiency and Enhancement Program (SWEEP) funding by \$40 million General Fund in 2022-23.
- Cuts \$4.7 million from Research in Agriculture Greenhouse Gas Emission Reductions from the \$10 million total.
- Reverts \$21.5 million from the Technical Assistance and Conservation Management Plans program in 2022-2023.
- Approves \$841,000 General Fund in 2023-24, and \$858,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing to keep the Plant Pest Diagnostics Center laboratory facility operational to meet the state's diagnostic needs and maintain national and international standards.
- Adopts 4.0 permanent positions in 2023-24 and ongoing to support mission critical enhancement of the Shipping Point Inspection Program and 0.5 positions and \$77,000 in distributed administration funding in 2023-24 and ongoing to perform a variety of support functions related to the new positions, including financial services, human resources, and budgeting.
- Approves \$1.5 million General Fund in 2023- 24 to perform Statewide Information Management Manual 19B – Stage Gate 2 Alternative Analysis planning for the Licensing and Payment Portal Project.

- Approves \$482,000 in Cannabis Control Fund authority in 2023-24 and ongoing to provide additional authority needed for the OCal Cannabis Certification Program and Cannabis Appellations Program.
- Appropriates \$363,000 General Fund and 2.0 positions in 2023-24 and ongoing to provide adequate staffing for the activities required by AB 1757, including updating the Natural and Working Lands Climate Smart Strategy.
- Approves \$536,000 General Fund in 2023-24, 2024-25, and 2025-26 to fund the transition to an Information Technology Enterprise Solution.
- Allocates \$6,685,000 (\$4,212,000 General Fund [GF] and \$2,473,000 Department of Food and Agriculture Fund [AF]) and 3.0 positions in 2023- 24, \$12,138,000 (\$7,647,000 GF and \$4,491,000) in 2024-25 and 2025-26, \$6,672,000 (\$4,204,000 GF and \$2,468,000 AF) in 2026-27 and \$5,073,000 ongoing (\$3,196,000 GF and \$1,877,000 AF) to implement a replacement of the existing legacy Emerging Threats Information Management System for the Animal Health and Food Safety Services division.
- Approves \$516,000 General Fund (GF) and \$77,000 in distributed administration authority in 2023-24, \$506,000 GF and \$77,000 in distributed administration authority in 2024-25 and ongoing, and 2.5 permanent positions to build a dedicated Emergency Management Program.
- Allocates \$2,759,000 General Fund to begin the Working Drawings phase for the Blythe Border Protection Station Relocation Project.

# ENERGY

- Adopts \$100 million General Fund for the Clean Energy Reliability Investment Plan (CERIP):
  - \$32 million for Department of Water Resources for a central procurement function.
  - \$11 million for Go-Biz for permitting and interconnection best practices support.
  - \$4 million for the Energy Commission to do transmission planning.
  - \$1 million for the Energy Commission for administration overhead.
  - \$19 million for the Energy Commission for the Demand Side Grid Support program.
  - \$33 million for the Public Utilities Commission to subsidize community solar under AB 2316 (Ward, 2022).
  - Defers appropriating out years of the CERIP Plan and trailer bill.
- Defers central procurement, capacity payments, and transmission rebuttable presumption portions of the energy trailer bill to summer, but adopts clean-up provisions.
- Reverts \$549.4 million in California Emergency Relief Funds in 2022-23 to the General Fund, based on updated savings figures from the California Arrearage Payment Program at the Department of Community Services and Development due to actual applications received and approved for funding.
- Approves funds to implement SB x1-2 including:
  - \$5.9 million from the Energy Resources Program Account and 14 positions on an ongoing basis for the CEC to collect new data, analyze and track trends in the petroleum supply chain and pricing, produce required reports, and establish a new oversight division, which will collectively help maintain a reliable supply of affordable and safe transportation fuels in California. Additionally, the Commission will redirect 10 existing positions internally to support the new Division of Petroleum Market Oversight.
  - \$1 million one-time Cost of Implementation Account for the California Air Resources Board to support development of the Transportation Fuels Transition Plan.

 \$286,000 Occupational Safety and Health Fund and 1 position for the Department of Industrial Relations to support analysis on managing refinery turnaround and maintenance schedules to prevent price spikes.

## California Public Utilities Commission

- Rejects the Modification to User Fee Statutes trailer bill.
- Adopts trailer bill language to reimburse utilities for another year of energy imports.
- Reverts \$5 million from the Distributed Electricity Backup Assets Program from 2021.
- Adopts \$100 million fund shift from the Distributed Electricity Backup Assets Program to energy imports for summer 2023.
- Adopts trailer bill language for SB 1020 cleanup.
- Approves a reduction of \$230 million from the Self-Generation Incentive Program (SGIP) at the California Public Utilities Commission and reduces an additional \$350 million in 2023 which is delayed to \$125 million in 2024 and \$225 million in 2025 with budget bill language allowing a reservation list.
- Adopts trailer bill language to limit Self Generation Incentive Program to low income customers when funded by General Fund.
- Allocates \$419,461,000 for fiscal year 2023-24 from the Universal LifeLine Telephone Service Trust Administrative Committee Fund (0471) to provide low-income California households with basic, high-quality wireless and wireline services at affordable rates.
- Adopts \$2,988,000 through fiscal year 2025-26 and \$1,902,000 in ongoing budget authority from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (Fund 0462) for three (3.0) positions, and other related program contracts, computers, devices, licenses, training subscriptions, and hardware to continue the CalSPEED program.
- Allocates \$626,000 in ongoing budget authority for three positions to develop, implement, enforce, and support new Service Quality rules for Incarcerated Persons Calling Services providers, as mandated by Chapter 827, Statutes of 2022 (Senate Bill 1008).

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- Approves \$1,000,000 in fiscal year 2023-24 and \$200,000 ongoing from the Digital Divide Account to distribute funds to the Digital Divide Grant Program award recipients, as per CPUC Decision 21-10-020, CPUC Resolution T-17770, and Public Utilities Code Section 280.5, enacted in 2003 by Chapter 820, Statutes of 2003 (Assembly Bill 855).
- Adopts \$1,500,000 in budget authority per year for three years from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (Fund 0462) and position authority for five (5.0) positions to continue CPUC advocacy for California ratepayers at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC).
- Allocates \$3,313,000 from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (PUCURA, Fund 0462): \$1,825,000 for eight (8.0) positions; \$400,000 per year for four years; and \$1,000,000 ongoing for consulting services, \$28,000 for software licenses and \$60,000 in one-time funding for training. This funding is to implement multiple requirements from four pieces of recently enacted legislation: Senate Bill (SB) 1174, SB 887, SB 1158, and SB 1020.
- Appropriates \$1,435,000 in ongoing budget authority for six (6.0) positions; \$182,000 in limited-term funding; and \$900,000 one-time funding allocated over two years for consulting services from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (Fund 0462) to implement Chapter 819, Statutes of 2022 (Senate Bill 884).
- Adopts \$1,109,000 in ongoing budget authority for five (5.0) positions; \$523,000 in limited-term funding; \$500,000 per year for two years for technical engineering consultants; and \$85,000 ongoing for specialized field equipment and training from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (Fund 0462) to implement Chapter 725, Statutes of 2022 (Senate Bill 1383).
- Approves \$1,300,000 (\$650,000 in fiscal year 2023-24 and \$650,000 in 2024-25) from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (PUCURA) to extend a legal services contract with outside counsel who represents the CPUC in active litigation before Federal Electric Regulatory Commission (FERC) and Federal Courts of Appeal.
- Allows \$815,000 ongoing budget authority for four (4.0) positions and \$500,000 onetime funding over two years for information technology (IT) consulting services from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (Fund 0462) to fulfill

the mandates of Chapter 840, Statutes of 2022 (Senate Bill 1208) by developing a concurrent application process for income-qualified programs.

- Funds \$1,347,000: \$319,000 in ongoing budget authority for two positions; \$179,000 in limited-term funding; \$750,000 ongoing for a consultant for outreach to mandatory reporters to collect the required reporting information for the CPUC; and \$200,000 one-time over two years for a consultant to support the development of a statewide residential distributed energy resources legislative report from the California Public Utilities Commission Reimbursement Account (Fund 0462) to implement Chapter 774, Statutes of 2022 (Assembly Bill 2143).
- Allows \$6,342,000 in ongoing budget authority for twenty-nine (29.0) positions from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (PUCURA) to ensure continued legal, ratemaking, and administrative support of the various wildfire prevention, cost recovery, and enforcement mandates; and CPUC reform measures mandated in Chapter 626, Statutes of 2018 (Senate Bill 901); Chapter 79, Statutes of 2019 (Assembly Bill 1054); and Chapter 81, Statutes of 2019 (Assembly Bill 111).
- For the Public Advocates Office at the California Public Utilities Commission, approves an increase of one permanent, full-time Public Utilities Regulatory Analyst (PURA) III position and \$171,000 to the Public Utilities Commission Public Advocates Office Account (PUCPAOA) to address ongoing workload stemming from the increased need to analyze geographic information systems (GIS) data when reviewing electric and gas utilities safety-related proposals and projects.
- Adopts \$1,103,000 ongoing budget authority for five positions; \$500,000 one-time over two years; and \$10,000 for four years from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (Fund 0462) to implement Chapter 350, Statutes of 2022 (Assembly Bill 2316).
- Approves \$365,000 ongoing budget authority from various special funds (Distributed Administration) to provide sustained support for necessary maintenance of Information Technology (IT) infrastructure in its San Francisco headquarters.
- Adopts \$592,000 in ongoing budget authority for two (2.0) positions from various special funds (Distributed Administration) to strengthen its administrative oversight of its programs, and improve support of and compliance within the Administrative Services Division and Legal Division.

- Allows \$210,000 in ongoing budget authority from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (PUCURA) and position authority for eight (8.0) positions to fulfill statutory mandates and operational needs in functional areas under the CPUC's regulatory oversight of communications services in California.
- Allocates \$300,000 in ongoing budget authority for cloud services from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (Fund 0462) to store data related to Chapter 354, Statutes of 2022 (Assembly Bill 2700).
- Allows \$419,000 per year for three years from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (PUCURA) for CPUC Water Division compliance and enforcement actions.
- Appropriates \$950,000 ongoing authority for four (4.0) positions from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (Fund 0462) to implement Chapter 890, Statutes of 2022 (Senate Bill 1469).

# California Energy Commission

- Rejects trailer bill language to address the Energy Resources Program Account (ERPA) structural deficit to raise the statutory cap on the ERPA surcharge, tie the statutory cap to the Consumer Price Index, and extend the surcharge to apply to behind-the-meter electricity ratepayers.
- Adopts SB x1-2 cleanup trailer bill.
- Delays \$198 million in the current year and the budget year to 2026-27 for the Climate Innovation Program.
- Reduces the Long Duration Energy Storage Program by \$50 million General Fund, or 13 percent.
- Decreases the Carbon Removal Program by \$25 million, a 25 percent reduction.
- Decreases the Transmission Financing Program at the California Infrastructure Bank by \$25 million in 2023-2024, or 10 percent.
- Reduces the Food Production Investment Program by \$10 million in 2022-2023, or 13 percent.

- Cuts the Industrial Grid Support and Decarbonization Program by \$10 million in 2022-23, or 10 percent.
- Appropriates \$10 million for Building Energy Benchmarking Program.
- Appropriates \$10 million for technical assistance for federal tax credits.
- Adopts trailer bill language to repeal the Air Resource's Boards regulations on credit card readers on EV charging stations and moves future authority to the Energy Commission.
- Provides \$100 million for Equitable At-home Charging.
- Adopts \$145 million for Clean Trucks, Buses and Off-Road Equipment infrastructure.
- Provides \$85 million for zero emission drayage truck infrastructure.
- Delays \$360 million of funds in the current year and the budget year to future years for the Equitable Building Decarbonization Program.
- Adopts trailer bill language on raises for Commissioners at the Energy Commission.
- Authorizes \$422,000 Energy Resources Programs Account ongoing for 2 staff to implement SB 1112 (Becker, 2022).
- Approves \$351,000 annually from the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Fund for 2.0 permanent positions to implement the requirements of Chapter 345, Statutes of 2022 (Assembly Bill 2061).
- Adopts \$1 million of onetime funds from the Cost of Implementation Account to implement SB 1020 (Laird, 2022).
- Approves \$214,000 Energy Resources Programs Account and 1.0 permanent position to lead SB 1158 (Becker, 2022) rulemaking activities.
- Authorizes \$373,000 annually from the Energy Resources Programs Account for 2.0 permanent positions to implement the requirements of load management standards program.
- Adopts \$238,000 from the Cost of Implementation Account in 2023-24 and ongoing for 1.0 permanent position to implement the requirements of AB 2446 (Holden).

- Approves \$391,000 from the Cost of Implementation Account annually and 1.0 permanent position as part of its new requirements under Chapter 354, Statutes of 2022 (AB 2700).
- Adopts a four-year limited-term direct appropriation of \$1,281,000 from the Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (PUCURA, Fund 0462) to fund the CEC's Solar Equipment List Program and replace the current Interagency Agreement (IA) funding mechanism.

# Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety

- Adopts placeholder trailer bill language on operational efficiencies.
- Approves 18 permanent positions and \$4,021,000 Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (PUCURA) in 2023-24 and ongoing for SB 884.
- Adopts 58 positions and \$12,269,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing (\$11,435,000 Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (PUCURA) and \$834,000 Safe Energy Infrastructure and Excavation Fund (SEIEF)).
- Provides \$1,205,000 (\$928,000 Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (PUCURA) and \$277,000 Safe Energy Infrastructure and Excavation Fund (SEIEF) in fiscal year 2023-24, \$420,000 ongoing (\$323,000 PUCURA and \$97,000 SEIEF), and 8.0 permanent positions to transition its human resources and procurement services in-house.
- Adopts \$717,000 and 1.0 permanent position starting in fiscal year 2023-24 (\$552,000 from Public Utilities Commission Utilities Reimbursement Account (PUCURA) and \$165,000 from Safe Energy Infrastructure and Excavation Fund (SEIEF)), and \$250,000 (\$192,000 (PUCURA) and \$58,000 (SEIEIF)) ongoing for information technology services.

# TRANSPORTATION

#### California State Transportation Agency

#### Transit Relief

- Provides \$5.1 billion for transit across 2023-24, 2024-25, 2025-26 and 2026-27. (\$410 million in 2023-24, \$230 million in each 2024-25, 2025-26 and 2026-27).
  - Restores the \$4 Billion General Fund to CalSTA across 2023-24 and 2024-25 for the Transportation and Intercity Rail Capital Program.
  - Provides an additional \$1.1 billion to CalSTA across 2023-24, 2024-25, 2025-26, and 2026-27 Transit Zero Emission Vehicle (ZEV) Bus and Infrastructure funding from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund.
  - Provides both programs 100 percent flexibility for capital and operations expenses and is contingent on meeting specified accountability provisions.

#### Transit Accountability

- Requires CalSTA to develop and administer an accountability program for the distribution of funds from the Zero-Emission Transit Capital Program and Transit and Intercity Rail Capital Program (General Fund).
- Requires a regional transportation planning agency to submit a regional short-term financial plan to CaISTA, in order to receive moneys from these funding sources.
- Requires a regional transportation planning agency to submit a long-term financial plan by June 26, 2026. A regional transportation planning agency is ineligible to receive future grants under the Transit and Intercity Rail Capital Program in the 2026– 27 fiscal year, or any subsequent fiscal years, unless CalSTA approves their longterm financial plan.

#### Transit Statutory Relief

• Extends trailer bill language to continue COVID-19 relief programs previously authorized by the Legislature and creates a task force to examine the ways to improve transit and increase ridership in the long term, including reforming the transportation development act.

#### **Other Provisions**

• Approves \$600 million over three years for the Port and Freight Infrastructure Program

scheduled for 2023-24 and the May Revision proposal to reduce a portion of the General Fund scheduled to be provided to the Port and Freight Infrastructure Program in 2023-24 by \$150 million and to backfill the decrease with an equal amount from State Highway Account (SHA).

- Extends the encumbrance period for the Port of Oakland until June 30, 2027, and available for liquidation until June 30, 2030.
- Adopts 3.0 positions and \$1.3 million (special funds) in 2023-24, and ongoing to meet the new IT security standards outlined in the Cal-Secure roadmap.

#### **Department of Transportation**

- Adopts the following elements of the Governor's Transportation Infrastructure Package:
  - Approve proposed fund shifts for Climate Adaptation Program;
  - Approves the proposed delay to the Grade Separations Program.
  - Rejects the proposed reduction to the Active Transportation Program and maintains funding at \$500 million consistent with the 2022 Budget Act.
- Adopts one-time increase of \$422,000 in operating expenses (State Highway Account) to complete Project Approval Lifecycle Stage 4 for the Enterprise Data Governance Technology Solutions project.
- Provides 11 positions and resources totaling \$5.812 million in 2023-24, for Transportation System Network Replacement (TSNR) Year 3 project costs.
- Approves Alternative 2 in the Budget Change Proposal which includes 9 limited-term positions, \$1,900,000 in Personal Services, and \$700,000 in Operating Expenses for a total of \$2,600,000 in 2023-24 and \$2,600,000 in 2024-25 for Traffic Operations to implement LPI traffic signal timing pursuant to AB 2264. Approves 1 permanent position starting in 2023-24 at a cost of \$198,000 combined PS and OE annually and \$610,000 in Operating Expenses after limited-term positions expire in 2025-26).
- Approves \$224,000 (\$119,000 State Highway Account, \$105,000 Public Transportation Account) for one limited-term position for three years and \$300,000 (\$159,000 State Highway Account, \$141,000 Public Transportation Account) for a one-time consultant contract to implement the provisions of SB 1121 (Chapter 508, Statutes of 2022) relating to the development of a State and local transportation system needs assessment.

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- Approves the biennial zero-based-budget (ZBB) for Project Initiation Documents (PIDs) that requests a total of 420 positions and \$81 million (\$77.3 million in personal services and \$3.8 million in operating expenses) for each fiscal year to develop, review, and approve PIDs. This request represents a net increase of 50 positions, equating to a total increase of \$8.9 million, compared to the funding provided in the 2021-22 Budget.
- Includes a three-year, limited-term (General Fund) increase of \$5,802,000 for 30 positions and 7 two-year, limited-term positions (Solutions Team to support statewide efforts addressing homelessness within the highway system right-of-way. Adopts trailer bill language that requires Caltrans to report on an evaluation of the outcomes of the Encampment Coordinator Team.
- Approves \$20.6 million (State Highway Account) on a two-year limited-term basis for the removal of statewide hazardous material from encampments statewide.
- Adopts 38 positions and \$48.4 million on a four-year, limited-term basis from the State Highway Account to continue and expand the HM-4 Safety Pilot Program.
- Includes \$4.4 million from the State Highway Account and 23.5 positions for administration support to address increased workload requirements commensurate with departmental program growth.
- Approves \$3.4 million from the State Highway Account and 17 positions on an ongoing basis to support increased legal workload and establish a legal office in the Central Valley.
- Provides \$1.3 million and 9 permanent positions (3 for Public Affairs and 6 for Legislative Affairs) to process and respond to state-mandated California Public Record Act (CPRA) requests and legislative bill analysis workload.
- Approves \$1,340,000 for 8 permanent full-time positions to implement the new Transportation Wildlife Connectivity Remediation Program created by Assembly Bill (AB) 2344 (Chapter 964, Statutes of 2022, Friedman).
- Adopt trailer bill language that limits Caltrans from charging self-help counties with countywide sales tax measures dedicated to transportation improvements more than 10 percent for administration indirect cost recovery.
- Adopts \$39.1 million and 143 Full Time Equivalents (FTEs) for the Capital Outlay Support (COS) Program for 2023-24. The resources requested considers budget year needs within the context of a five-year workload projection. The COS Program budget is growing to meet the needs and deliver projects required to achieve program

commitments of Senate Bill 1 (SB 1), Asset Management, Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA), and the Middle-Mile Broadband Network Program.

 Provides \$6,637,000, which includes \$3,750,000 in personnel services (PS) for twenty-seven (27) positions, and operating expenses of \$2,887,000 of which \$2,650,000 is for professional consulting services. These resources will support the increased workload for Caltrans on-boarding to the FI\$Cal system.

# California Transportation Commission

- Approves \$224,000 (\$119,000 State Highway Account, \$105,000 Public Transportation Account) for one limited-term position for three years and \$300,000 (\$159,000 State Highway Account, \$141,000 Public Transportation Account) for a one-time consultant contract to implement the provisions of SB 1121 (Chapter 508, Statutes of 2022) relating to the development of a State and local transportation system needs assessment.
- Adopts trailer bill language that includes \$200,000 from various transportation funds (\$75,000 from the State Highway Account and \$125,000 from the Public Transportation Account) and associated statutory changes to authorize a per diem for serving on an advisory committee of the Commission.
- Adopts \$200,000 (\$94,000 from the State Highway Account and \$106,000 from the Public Transportation Account) to secure a contract for legal services, including but not limited to the Commission's role as a Responsible Agency pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act.

#### Department of Motor Vehicles

- Adopts \$4.5 million and three temporary positions in 2023-24 for personnel and contracted resources from the General Fund to continue DMV's planning and implementation activities to comply with Chapter 314, Statutes of 2021 (AB 796, Berman).
- Reappropriates \$30,016,000 of previously approved Motor Vehicle Account funding for DMV to continue the DXP project, the comprehensive modernization of DMV's IT systems. DMV required potential vendors to conduct extensive testing before awarding the contract, causing a delay in the encumbrance of funding.
- Reappropriates \$6,580,000 of previously approved Motor Vehicle Account funding for DMV to continue planning and project activities for the federally-mandated Commercial Driver Licensing Information System.
- Reverts \$93,070,000 of DMV's multi-year General Fund appropriation for REAL ID ASSEMBLY BUDGET COMMITTEE 102

workload and other operational improvements, given the shift of the federal REAL ID enforcement date from May 2023 to May 2024.

- Adopts placeholder trailer bill language to increase the mobile driver license pilot program testing population cap from 0.5 percent of licensed drivers to 5 percent. The pilot program creates a mobile application for California driver licenses so that a customer can use it in place of a physical card.
- Adopts Capital Outlay Proposals for DMV as follows:
  - \$2,458,000 from the General Fund for the performance criteria phase of the El Centro Field Office Replacement project.
  - \$17,314,000 from the Public Buildings Construction Fund (to replace existing current year authority of \$11,415,000 from the General Fund) for the construction phase of the Delano Field Office Replacement project.
  - \$21,962,000 from the Public Buildings Construction Fund (to replace existing current year authority of \$20,928,000 from the General Fund) for the construction phase of the Inglewood: Field Office Replacement project.
  - \$41,654,000 from the Public Buildings Construction Fund for the design-build phase of the San Francisco: Field Office Replacement project.
- Adopts \$50,000 in 2023-24, \$2.3 million in 2024-25, \$515,000 in 2025-26, \$540,000 in 2026-27, and \$566,000 in 2027-28 and ongoing for a new leased Banning Field Office.
- Approves \$4.4 million in 2023-24, \$1.1 million in 2024-25, \$1.1 million in 2025-26, \$1.2 million in 2026-27, and \$1.2 million in 2027-28, and ongoing to relocate the DMV San Francisco Driver Safety/Occupational Licensing (DS/OL) Office and consolidate with the Brisbane Investigations Office.
- Adopts \$6.9 million in 2023-24, \$2.3 million in 2024-25, \$2.4 million in 2025-26, and \$837,443 in 2026-27 for a temporary field office swing space facility near San Francisco.
- Includes \$3.4 million (Motor Vehicle Account) in 2023-24 and a reappropriation of \$395,000 to continue establishing a department-wide Enterprise Content Management (ECM) System. This project will allow the DMV to consolidate document resources by maintaining a centralized repository that integrates with existing systems. The ECM solution will also streamline business processes while increasing data security.

 Reappropriates \$513,000 (General Fund) originally appropriated in the 2022 Budget Act, for the working drawing phase of the Elevator Modernization project for the DMV Headquarters Campus in Sacramento. The reappropriation is necessary as budget bill language intended to provide an additional year to encumber working drawings.

## **California Highway Patrol**

- Approves 11 positions and \$9.8 million in 2023-24, \$9.9 million in 2024-25, and \$4.9 million in 2025-26 and ongoing from the Motor Vehicle Account to extend the Wireless Mobile Video/Audio Recording System (WMVARS) project and implement the Body-Worn Camera (BWC) statewide.
- Adopts one position and \$1.1 million ongoing from the Motor Vehicle Account for the ongoing operation costs of the Fleet Telematics System.
- Includes \$402,000 permanent funding from the Motor Vehicle Account, for two existing Information Technology Specialist II positions for privacy and risk management.
- Approves \$1.068 million in 2023-24, and ongoing augmentation of \$1.018 million beginning in 2024-25, from the Motor Vehicle Account for five positions to meet the demands of increased workload in the Office of Legal Affairs.
- Adopts the following capital outlay proposals:
  - \$500,000 from the General Fund for Statewide Planning and Site Identification.
  - \$10,963,000 from the General Fund for the performance criteria phase of the Redding, Los Banos, Porterville, Antelope Valley, and Barstow Area Office Replacement projects.
  - \$85,631,000 from the Public Buildings Construction Fund for the design-build phase of the Gold Run and Humboldt Area Office Replacement projects.
  - \$201,369,000 from the Public Buildings Construction Fund (to replace existing current year authority of \$184,320,000 from the General Fund) for the design-build phase of the Quincy, Baldwin Park, and Santa Fe Area Office Replacement projects.
  - \$7,407,000 from the Public Buildings Construction Fund for the design-build phase of the San Bernardino Area Office Replacement project.

# Board of Pilot Commissioners for the Bays of San Francisco, San Pablo, and Suisun

• Adopts \$1,139,000 in 2023-24 and \$316,000 in 2024- 25 from the Board of Pilot Commissioners Special Fund to begin planning efforts for an information technology project to digitize existing business processes and records.

# GENERAL GOVERNMENT

#### **Business, Consumer Services and Housing Agency**

- Provides the \$1.1 billion investment in 2023-24 and intent language for additional funding 2024-25 for the Homeless Housing, Assistance and Prevention Program (HHAPP) to provide jurisdictions with flexible funding to address homelessness issues. (*Note: additional funds come from moving bonus round funding up sooner.*)
- Adopts trailer bill language for the Rounds 5 program, including Regional Homeless Action Plans that includes specific metrics and action items by region, and reprogramming prior bonus rounds 3 and 4 in an expedited manner. Includes intent language to transition the HHAPP grant program and other grant programs from the Interagency Council on Homelessness to the Department of Housing and Community Development.
- Includes \$731,000 in 2023-24, and \$223,000 in 2024-25, and ongoing and one position to address the current and anticipated ongoing workload stemming from an increase in oversight and strategic coordination required to support existing Agency programs along with significant growth in the data and cyber-security domain.
- Adopts two positions and \$339,000 (General Fund) in 2023-24, two positions and \$323,000 (General Fund) in 2024-25, and ongoing to implement the provisions required by SB 914 (Chapter 665, Statutes of 2022) for the California Interagency Council on Homelessness (Cal-ICH).
- Adopts trailer bill language for Cal-ICH's Advisory Committees and working groups.

#### **Department of Housing and Community Development**

 Builds on the General Fund investments programmed during the 2022 Budget Act by adding an additional \$100 million for the Multi-Family Housing Program, \$20 million for the California Dream for All and restores \$50 million for CalHOME program in 2023-24; and restores \$25 million for the Accessory Dwelling Unit Program and \$200 million for the California Dream for All in 2022-23.

Housing and Homelessness General Fund Investments for the 2023 Budget Act	
Program	2023-24
Housing and Community Development	
Infill Infrastructure Grant Program	225
Foreclosure Prevention and Preservation	82.5
Portfolio Reinvestment Program	100
Adaptive Reuse	250
CalHome	50
MultiFamily Housing Program	325
State Excess Sites Development	75
Transitional Housing Program	43
Manufactured Housing Opportunity and Revitalization Program	75
Veteran Housing and Homeless Prevention Program	50
Housing Navigators Program	14
California Interagency Council on Homelessness	
Homeless Housing, Assistance and Prevention Program*	1,100
Encampment Resolution Grants	400
Subtotals	1,500
California Tax Credit Allocation Committee	
State Low Income Housing Tax Credit Program	500
CalHFA	
California Dream for All	20
Total	3,310
*Additional funding is due to the advancement of Bonus Rounds 3 and 4.	
**\$200 M for California Dream for All and \$25 million for Accessory	
Dwelling Units funding were restored for the 2022 Budget Act and those	
restorations are not reflected in this table.	

- Includes the establishment of the Employee Housing Regulation Fund (Fund 3425) and position authority for 10 positions in 2023-24, and ongoing for field operations to address critical health and safety conditions within Mobilehome Parks, Special Occupancy Parks, Employee Housing (EH) facilities, and for mobilehome and manufactured housing occupants statewide. Adopts trailer bill language to create the Employee Housing Regulation Fund.
- Provides position authority for one District Representative I (DR I) in 2023-24, and

ongoing to complete statutorily required in-plant inspections of Factory-Built Housing (FBH) manufacturers.

- Includes position authority for four positions in 2023-24, and ongoing in the Registration and Titling Program to maintain compliance with Health and Safety Code section 18075 to provide an orderly and economical transfer of registrations and titles for manufactured homes, mobilehomes, and commercial modulars.
- Approves a mix of resources (General Fund and Special Fund) as modified by Spring Finance Letter to implement workload resources for various legislative proposals enacted in 2022. These workload resources are for the following bills: AB 1654: Low-Income Housing: Insurance Tax: Credits Farmworker Housing; AB 1738: Building Standards: Installation of Electric Vehicle Charging Stations: Existing Buildings: AB 1978: Department of Housing and Community Development: Powers; AB 2011: Affordable Housing and High Road Jobs Act; AB 2234: Planning and zoning: Housing: Post Entitlement Phase Permits; AB 2483: Housing for Individuals Experiencing Homelessness; AB 2653: Planning and Zoning Law: Housing Elements; SB 6: Local Planning: Housing: Commercial Zones; SB 649: Local Governments: Affordable Housing: Local Tenant Preference; SB 869: Housing: Mobilehome Parks: Recreational Vehicles Parks: Manager Training; SB 948: Housing Finance Programs: Development Reserves; and SB 1307: Department of Housing and Community Development: Mobilehome Parks Act: Special Occupancy Parks Act.
- Approves additional General Fund augmentation in 2023-24, and ongoing for administrative support for the passage of the bills listed above.
- Adopts an augmentation of a Federal Trust Fund of \$231.2 million in 2023-24, and 20 positions in 2023-24, and ongoing. Resources will manage and oversee the distribution of the Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) funds allocated to California to support long-term recovery efforts following the 2020 wildfires. Additionally, this includes provisional language to provide an extended encumbrance period and to allow the transfer of funding for state operations.
- Adopts a reversion of \$17.5 million (General Fund) of the unexpended balance of the Downtown Rebound Program from the 2000 Budget Act. The funds were originally provided for adaptive reuse of commercial and industrial structures.
- Provides \$82.5 million for the Foreclosure Intervention Housing Prevention Program with the intent to allocate \$85 million for 2024-25, \$100 million for 25-26, and \$62.5 million for 206-27.
- Adopts trailer bill language to require HCD instead of Department of Finance to report on prohousing jurisdictions.

- Adopts trailer bill language on excess sites local government matching grants program to remove the statutory expenditure deadlines and the sunset of the reporting deadline allowing the program to be continuously appropriated; and modifies language to align with SB 561 and removes any sequencing concerns with the bill.
- Adopts trailer bill language to address drafting errors in the Infill Infrastructure Grant Program of 2019 in AB 157 (2022).
- Adopts trailer bill language to update definition of rural area in the Low Income Housing to be consistent with federal definition. Rejects the language that would open the Joe Serna Jr. Farmworker Housing Grant Program to allow for-profit developers to apply for the program.
- Approves the encumbrance period from June 30, 2023, to June 30, 2024, to allow HCD to complete administrative close-out activities in the Federal Emergency Rental Assistance Program.
- Adopts trailer bill language to separate the California Housing Finance Agency (CalHFA) budget from the HCD budget.
- Reappropriates funds for the County of Los Angeles for the LAC+USC General Hospital Reuse Project.
- Provides \$2 million one-time funding for qualified immigrant rights organizations to provide immigrant individuals with consistent, comprehensive support when entering a public shelter.
- Provides clarifications to AB 6 (Middle Class Housing Act of 2022) and AB 2011 (Affordable Housing and High Road Jobs Act of 2022) as follows:
  - Requires the exempted parcel or parcels to be subject to an ordinance that allow for development by right for a local agency to reallocate the residential density from an exempt parcel.
  - Clarifies the procedures established by AB 2011 (Wicks, Chapter 647, Statutes of 2022) for local governments to exempt specified parcels from provision of the law in a manner that results in no net loss of development capacity in the jurisdiction.
- Adopts trailer bill language to create an exemption from the Surplus Land Act (SLA) for land acquired by a local agency that will make at least 25 percent of any housing development affordable, provided that the parcels are subject to a locally adopted plan and legal restrictions that predate significant amendments to the Surplus Land Act that took effect in 2020.

 Exempts the Candlestick Point-Hunters Point Shipyard phase 2 from the limitation of time for establishing loans, advances, and indebtedness, the time for applying for tax increment, the number of tax dollars, and other matters from provisions of the Redevelopment Property Tax Trust Fund established for that agency and Community Redevelopment Law, which imposed specified limitation on redevelopment plans. Requires any changes to establish or change time limits for the Candlestick Point-Hunters Point Shipyard Phase 2 project agreement be approved by the oversight board, and is subject to department approval.

# CalHFA

• Directs the California Housing Finance Agency to do both of the following with respect to the Dream for All shared appreciation loan program for first-time homebuyers: (1) make specified program adjustments designed to better target recipients who would otherwise be shut out of homeownership; and (2) develop and report to the Legislature about options for financing an expansion of the available loan pool.

# **Civil Rights Department**

- Approves \$602,000 (General Fund) and four permanent positions in 2023-2024, as well as \$595,000 (General Fund) in 2024-25, and ongoing for the purpose of processing additional housing source of income discrimination complaints associated with SB 329, (Mitchell, Ch. 600, Stats. 2019).
- Approves legislative resources for the following bills: SB 649: Affordable Housing Local Tenant Preference; AB 2188: Cannabis Discrimination in Employment; AB 1041 and AB 1949: Leave from Work Laws; AB 2448 Pilot Program Business Discrimination and Harassment of Customers; and SB 1162: Reporting Pay.
- Rejects proposal to permanently transfer funding and spending authority from Program 1500 Department of Justice Legal Services to Program 1490 Administration of Civil Rights Law.
- Approves two positions and \$441,000 (General Fund) ongoing to assist with the department's administrative workload including internal audits, and diversity and equity efforts.
- Approves name change from Fair Employment and Housing Council to the Civil Rights Council.
- Increases by \$375,000 annually in 2023-24, 2024-25, and 2025-26, to utilize a federal grant to support and expand the CA vs. Hate Hotline.

#### Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development (GO-Biz)

- Includes \$1.5 million one-time General Fund to relaunch Made in California Program and trailer bill language. The Made in California Program aims to support in-state manufacturing by increasing consumer awareness of in-state production.
- Provides \$120 million for a third year of the California Competes grant program.
- Includes 7.0 positions and \$955,000 ongoing to support the increased workload for the Administrative Services Division.
- Provides resources for the California Business Investment Services (CalBIS) including 6.0 positions and \$740,000 ongoing (General Fund) to address increased workload and preserve the team's ability to maintain current service levels effectively.
- Includes \$327,000 ongoing (General Fund) and 2 positions to address increased workload for the International Affairs and Trade Unit resulting from the State Trade Expansion Program (STEP) and from an increasing number of businesses seeking assistance from the Unit.
- Provides \$391,000 ongoing (General Fund) and 3.0 positions to implement AB 2019 (Chapter 730, Statutes of 2022) at the California Office of Small Business Advocate (CalOSBA).
- Approves 4.0 positions and \$764,000 (Air Pollution Control Fund) in 2023- 24 through 2027-28, and \$534,000 in 2028-29 and ongoing (Air Pollution Control Fund) to address increased workload, implement SB 1251 (Chapter 372, Statutes of 2022), contract with outside specialists to conduct market research and stakeholder engagement, and support a ZEV Equity Advocate position established in SB 1251. Additionally adopts placeholder reporting language.
- Approves \$25.3 million (one-time) to be spent over five years, for CalOSBA to provide technical assistance to small businesses applying for State Small Business Credit Initiative capital programs; adopts provisional language to allow the funds to be available for encumbrance or expenditure until June 30, 2028.
- Provides \$350,000 one-time to allow CalOSBA to administer a federal grant, in coordination with the California Academy for Economic Development, for the Outsmart Disaster Program. This program is a statewide awareness campaign focused on providing California businesses and communities with the resources they need to adequately prepare for and recover from all types of disasters and business interruptions.

- Provides \$20 million for the Small Agricultural Business Relief Grant administered by CalOSBA for grants for flood relief to be combined with grants for drought relief.
- Adopts May Revision proposal to reduce the Local Government Sustainability Fund Program to \$50 million.
- Provides \$50 million for the City of Fresno to support the City's Public Infrastructure Plan and includes intent language to provide an additional \$100 million in 2024-25 and \$100 million in 25-26.
- Reappropriates the Immigrant Integration and Economic Development Grants by up to \$2 million from the 2022 Budget Act for competitive grans to service providers to develop export training programs aimed at underserved business owners; and extends the encumbrance or expenditure until June 30, 2025.
- Adopts trailer bill language to extend the sunset dates for several grant programs administered by CalOSBA to allow additional time to award grants and for program closeout activities.
- Reverts an unexpended balance of \$142 million of the California Small Business COVID-19 Relief Grant Program in the 2021 Budget Act, as a result of lower revenue projections.
- Provides \$10 million one-time for the Local Economic Development Plan efforts pursuant to SB 846 (Chapter 239, Statutes of 2022).

# GO-Biz and Franchise Tax Board

California Film & Television Tax Credit Program 4.0

- Allows for a new California Film & Television tax credit (Motion Picture Credit 4.0) for taxable years 2025 to 2030 at \$330 million per year and expands the program to include refundability.
- Applies diversity workplans created in the Soundstage tax credit to Motion Picture Credit 4.0 with modifications.
- Expands the Career Pathways Training program to provide more opportunities for Californians to enter the CA Film & Television union workforce.
- Increases staffing at the California Film Commission (CFC) to include two positions to address diversity, equity, inclusion, and workforce.
- Expands the California Film Commission board to include a diversity, equity and ASSEMBLY BUDGET COMMITTEE 112

inclusion expert employed in the motion picture industry.

- Increases staffing at the California Film Commission to include two positions to address diversity, equity, inclusion, and workforce.
- Adds set safety provisions as a pilot to Program 4.0.
- Adopts trailer bill language to address technical changes to the Soundstage Tax credit and Program 3.0.
- Approves resources for the Franchise Tax Board to ready its systems to issue refundable credits into the future and provides specific resources to implement the CA Film & Television tax credit.

#### Franchise Tax Board

- Includes \$2,199,000 (General Fund) and \$33,000 (special funds) in 2023-24, and 2024-25; \$99,000 (General Fund) and \$2,000 (special funds) in 2025-26, and ongoing, for the Franchise Tax Board (FTB) to replace two high-speed print systems and software that FTB uses to print FTB's notices, bills, and correspondence.
- Adopts \$135 million (General Fund) and the full time equivalent of 41.0 permanent positions, and 31.0 limited-term positions for the FTB for the third-year implementation of the Enterprise Data to Revenue (EDR2) project, which is the second phase of the Tax System Modernization (TSM) plan.
- Includes \$4.9 million (General Fund) and \$96,000 special funds for 29.0 permanent positions in 2023-24; and \$4.6 million (General Fund) and \$91,000 (special funds) in 2024-25, and ongoing for FTB to maintain and improve its existing mission- critical applications and return-processing technology support services.
- Adopts 2.5 million [\$2.4 million (General Fund) and \$100,000 in (special funds)] for 13 positions for 2023-24 and \$2.4 million [\$2.3 million (General Fund) and \$100,000 (special funds)] for 13 positions in 2024-25 and ongoing to enable the FTB to engage in critical and essential services related to revenue estimating, budgeting, legislative analysis, project oversight, procurement, talent management and ensure compliance with Equal Employment Opportunity Laws.
- Approves \$1,791,000 and 3 positions ongoing; Item 7730-001-0044 be increased by \$5,000 ongoing; Item 7730-001-0064 be increased by \$10,000 ongoing; and Item 7730-001-0242 be increased by \$20,000 ongoing to replace obsolete legacy and custom-coded IT programs with an updated management platform that will be able to integrate and share data with other departmental systems.

- Provides \$1,777,000 and 2 positions ongoing; Item 7730-001-0044 be increased by \$6,000 ongoing; Item 7730-001-0064 be increased by \$9,000 ongoing; and Item 7730-001-0242 be increased by \$20,000 ongoing to add privileged access management and multi-Factor authentication capabilities to improve security for the Franchise Tax Board's (FTB) public website.
- Adopts \$1,805,000 ongoing; Item 7730-001-0044 be increased by \$5,000 ongoing; Item 7730-001-0064 be increased by \$9,000 ongoing; and Item 7730-001-0242 be increased by \$13,000 ongoing for the increased costs of licensing and support subscriptions for FTB's existing mainframe software.
- Includes \$2,738,000 (General Fund) for 19 positions and funding to upgrade 95 positions for 2023-24, \$2,563,000 (General Fund) for 19 positions and funding for upgraded positions in 2024-25 and ongoing to enable the department to effectively conduct business with taxpayers and tax practitioners, interact in ways that are fast and efficient for them and provide information allowing taxpayers to meet their tax filing and payment obligations. These resources and position upgrades will enhance customer service levels on personal service contact center channels including phone, chat, and correspondence.
- Adopts trailer bill language for data sharing between FTB and the Department of Health Care Services.
- Adopts trailer bill language to move the due date of the Tax Expenditure Report (provided by the Department of Finance to the Legislature) from September 15th of each year, to November 1, 2024. Adopts trailer bill language to require the report to continue to be submitted on an annual basis.
- Adopts trailer bill language that the income from an incomplete gift nongrantor trust would be included in the income of the grantor, as if the trust was a grantor trust, except when the fiduciary of a trust where 90 percent of beneficiaries are charitable organizations elects to be taxed as a resident nongrantor trust commencing in 2023 taxable year. This proposal mitigates a tax strategy which allows California residents to transfer assets into out-of-state incomplete non-grantor trust and potentially avoid state taxation.
- Adopts trailer bill language to expand the New Employment Credit for the semiconductor business, electric airplane manufacturing, lithium production, and lithium battery manufacturing as well as eliminates the geographic restrictions of the state's existing New Employment Credit.
- Adopts trailer bill language to address wildfire settlements for the 2020 Zogg Fire and the 2019 Kincade Fire.

## California Department of Tax and Fee Administration

- Provides \$8.9 million in 2023-24 and 2024-25 from a variety of fund sources for the Centralized Revenue Opportunity System at CDTFA. Of this, \$5.3 million is for contract services for maintenance and operations, \$2.75 million is for the GenTax Software License and \$850,000 is for operating expenses and equipment.
- Includes permanent funding of \$2.5 million in 2023-24, and ongoing from the Department of Tax and Fee Administration Subaccount, Tobacco Law Enforcement Account, CA Healthcare, Research and Prevention Tobacco Tax Act of 2016 to fund 16 of 19 positions originally redirected in 2020-21.
- Includes \$249,000 in 2023-24, \$145,000 in 2024-25, and \$144,000 in 2025-26, and ongoing from the Lithium Extraction Excise Tax Fund for the implementation and administration of the new Lithium Extraction Excise Tax Program (LET) that was established in Chapter 63, of the Statutes of 2022 (SB 125).
- Adopts \$661,000 and 2.5 positions in 2023-24, \$617,000 and 2.5 positions in 2024-25 and ongoing, from the new 988 State Suicide and Behavioral Health Crisis Services Fund for the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration (CDTFA) to address the workload associated with AB 988 Mental Health: 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline that was established in Chapter 747, of the Statutes of 2022 (AB 988) and for the ongoing administration of the 911 Surcharge Act.

# Franchise Tax Board, Board of Equalization, and California Department of Tax and Fee Administration

• Rejects the deletion of Provision 1 in budget bill language, which requires all three agencies to get the approval of the Director of Finance before redirecting a position responsible for or engaged in direct auditing or collection activities to another unit.

# Office of Tax Appeals

- Provides \$435,000 ongoing (General Fund) and permanent position authority for two positions in the Hearings Section of the Legal Division to fulfill requirements set forth in SB 189 (Chapter 48, Statutes of 2022) and address additional workload at the Office of Tax Appeals (OTA).
- Adopts trailer bill language to provide the Office of Tax Appeals (OTA) with a narrow exemption from the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) rulemaking approval process to ensure that OTA's precedential decisions do not require OAL approval.

# Department of Financial Protection and Innovation

Adopts an increase in expenditure authority of \$1.3 million (Financial Protection Fund)
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in 2023-24 and \$1.2 million in 2024-25 and ongoing, and 5.0 positions for the Department of Financial Protection and Innovation (DFPI) to implement the provisions of AB 676 (Holden), Chapter 728, Statutes of 2022.

- Provides an increase in expenditure authority of \$1.7 million in 2023-24, and \$1.6 million in 2024-25, and ongoing from a variety of fund sources and 9.0 positions to augment information technology (IT) staff to meet the department's increased system development workload and to align the Information Technology Office's (ITO) project methodology with the state's recommendations.
- Adopts eight positions and \$1,839,000 in 2023-24, and \$1,753,000 ongoing to address growth in loan volume and licensee locations, additional examination hours necessary to comply with pandemic anti-foreclosure efforts, and changes to federal regulations that drive state-level workload associated with carrying out the California Residential Mortgage Lending Act (CRMLA).
- Approves 5 positions and \$1,127,000 in 2023- 24 and \$1,072,000 ongoing to address growth in licensee locations and consumer funds managed, expand internet escrow services, reduce examination backlog, and assist in carrying out the statutory requirements of the California Escrow Law.

#### **Commission on State Mandates**

• Approves the funded and unfunded mandates consistent with the Governor's January budget as adjusted in April and May.

#### **Commission on Status of Women and Girls**

- Approves three positions in 2023-24 and 2024-25 to allow the Commission to continue to support the implementation of medication abortion readiness by public university student health centers and to collect specified information from the public universities and submit an annual report to the Legislature until December 31, 2026, as prescribed by Chapter 740, Statutes of 2019 (SB 24). These positions were first established as part of the 2020 Budget Act and are funded by the continuously appropriated College Student Health Center Sexual and Reproductive Health Preparation Fund.
- Reappropriates 8820-101-0001 to provide an additional year of encumbrance availability to award the grant to Sac County Commission on Status of Women and Girls in 2023-24.
- Provides \$1 million for continued support of the Women's Recovery Response Program.

## **Government Operations Agency**

 Provides \$2 million for four leadership initiatives including Hispanas Organized for Political Equality, Native American Leadership initiatives, Asian Pacific American Leadership Foundation, and Inland Empire Community Foundation Black Equity

## Agricultural Relations Board

- Allocates \$658,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Labor and Workforce Development Fund for 4 positions to continue the Farmworker Outreach Program which aims to create broader adoption, compliance, and enforcement of California's labor laws in the agricultural industry.
- Appropriates \$454,000 and ongoing from the General Fund for 1 Information Technology Specialist as well as contract funds for IT security services and support to meet Cal-Secure cybersecurity requirements.
- Provides \$1,113,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the General Fund for 6 positions to address increased workload generated by the passage of AB 2183 (Stone, Chapter 673, Statutes of 2022). AB 2183 provides two additional pathways for agricultural workers to select a union representative: through mail-in ballots (referred to as a labor-peace election) or "cardcheck" (referred to as non-labor peace election).
- Adopts trailer bill language to eliminate the option to conduct union elections using mail-in ballots. Retains the option to conduct union elections via the "card-check" system, referred to as a Majority Support Petition. Limits the number of card-check / Majority Support Petition elections that result in the certification of a labor organization to 75 certifications.

#### Department of Alcohol and Beverage Control

- Allocates \$2,801,000 in 2023-24 and \$3,235,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Alcohol Beverage Control Fund for 19 positions to provide administrative support to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control's licensing, enforcement and education programs.
- Rejects a transfer of \$48.5 million remaining General Fund previously appropriated for license renewal fee relief during the COVID-19 pandemic to the Alcohol Beverage Control Fund. Instead, authorizes the Department of finance to transfer up to \$20,500,000 General Fund to the Alcohol Beverage Control Fund if revenues to support the special fund are insufficient.

#### **Commission on Asian and Pacific Islander American Affairs**

 Allocates \$149,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the General Fund for 1 position at the Commission that will focus interagency state collaboration, engagement with API stakeholders and address health access issues.

## California Arts Council

- Reduces the cultural district program funding appropriated in 2022-23 by \$20 million. The Budget Act of 2022 provided \$30 million one-time General Fund to expand and support the 14 existing cultural districts throughout California.
- Provides a technical adjustment to the budget bill to shift reversions from the statewide control section to the applicable department budget.
- Allocates \$1,000,000 one-time General Fund in 2023-24 to create a strategic plan for California's creative economy and adopts trailer bill language to implement the proposal.
- Provide \$1,000,000 per year for three years from the General Fund to support the Actors' Gang theater arts program in California correctional facilities.
- Provides \$1,579,900 in Federal Trust Fund authority to allow the California Art Council to fully spend the federal grant award from the National Arts Endowment.
- Removes \$750,000 to the JUMP StArts program in 2023-24, due to closures related to the Department of Juvenile Justice as of June 30, 2023.

#### California Workforce Development Board

- Restores \$20,000,000 General Fund (\$10 million in 2023-24 and \$10 million in 2024-25) for the California Youth Leadership Program.
- Allocates \$374,000 one-time General Fund to develop a plan to measure training outcomes and implement SB 755 (Roth, Chapter 815, Statutes of 2022). SB 755 requires CWDB and the Employment Development Department to collaboratively create a plan to measure and report on training-related job placement outcomes for individuals receiving job training services provided through the workforce system, including all job training services funded by Title I of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) and through grants administered by CWDB, regardless of the source of the funding.

- Appropriates a \$5,334,000 increase in Federal Trust Fund authority to expand the Prison to Employment Initiative to federal prisons through the Federal First Step Act Grant Initiative.
- Includes a technical adjustment to the budget bill to shift reversions from the statewide control section to the applicable department budget.
- Approves a \$5,000,000 one-time General Fund in 2023-24 for the Breaking Barriers to Employment grant program at the California Workforce Development Board.
- Authorizes \$5,000,000 one-time General Fund in 2023-24 to provide workforce development support to cities and counties that end conditional use permit for immigration detention centers. Adopts budget bill language to implement the program.

# Cannabis Control Appeals Board

• Allocates \$9,207,000 from the Cannabis Control Fund spread over three years to support the Cannabis Control Appeals Panel operations.

## Department of Cannabis Control

- Allocates \$264,000 in 2023-24, and \$256,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Cannabis Control Fund for 1 position to fulfill workload associated with SB 1326 (Caballero, Chapter 396, Statutes of 2022). SB 1326 authorizes the Governor to enter into an agreement with one or more other states authorizing interstate commercial cannabis activity (either medicinal, or adult-use, or both) under specific conditions.
- Appropriates \$155,000 in 2023-24 and \$147,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Cannabis Control Fund to implement AB 1885 (Kalra, Chapter 389, Statutes of 2022). AB 1885 expanded regulatory statutes on medicinal and adult-use cannabis products to include the control and regulation of the cultivation, distribution, transport, storage, manufacturing, processing, and sale of cannabis products intended for use on, or consumption by, animals. AB 1885 specifically mandates the Department to promulgate regulations for pet standards by July 1, 2025.
- Approves \$3,995,000 in 2023-24, \$2,344,000 in 2024-25, \$2,358,000 in 2025-26, \$2,373,000 in 2026-27, and \$2,388,000 in 2027-28 and ongoing from the Cannabis Control Fund to support Information Technology Operations at the Department and to establish a central California district office in Fresno.
- Rejects language that would authorize the Department of Finance to augment funding should it be determined that additional resources be necessary to implement the Medicinal and Adult-Use Cannabis Regulation and Safety Act.

 Adopts trailer bill language that would update fingerprinting requirements and other related information for criminal history information checks to comply with new federal requirements set by the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

#### Capital Outlay Statewide Planning and Studies Funding

• Allocates \$2,000,000 General Fund in capital outlay statewide planning and studies funding to be allocated by the Department of Finance to state agencies to develop design and cost information for new projects.

## Department of Consumer Affairs

- Board of Accountancy: Allocates \$162,000 in 2023-24 and \$154,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Accountancy Fund to support 1 analyst position to initiate, complete, and promulgate regulatory packages.
- Appropriates \$6,019,000 in 2023-24 and \$2,538,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from various special funds to continue implementation and maintenance of Business Modernization Cohort 1 and 2 information technology efforts.
- Cemetery and Funeral Bureau: Approves \$119,000 in 2023-24 and \$111,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing for 1 position to provide workload support in the Bureau's Field and Audit units.
- Authorizes \$219,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing in various special funds for 2 positions to address staff deficiencies at the DCA Business Services Office mailroom.
- Funds \$1.2 million in 2023-24 and \$1.1 million in 2024-25 and ongoing for 8 positions to assist with implementing legislation impacting the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services, the Board of Naturopathic Medicine, the Bureau of Postprivate Postsecondary Education, the Board of Psychology, and the Board of Pharmacy.
- Medical Board of California: Grants \$223,000 in 2023-24 and \$299,000 in 2024-25 from the Special Deposit Fund to support ongoing evaluation of the Licensed Physicians and Dentists from Mexico Pilot Program.
- Includes \$3,738,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from various special funds to support increased costs incurred through the Office of Administrative Hearings.
- Provides \$1,150,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from various special funds for 7 positions to conduct business analytics, organizational change management activities, and support DCA's executive office.

- Physical Therapy Board: Allocates \$267,000 in 2023-24 and \$251,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Physical Therapy Fund for 2 staff analysts to expedite processing license applications.
- Appropriates \$1,788,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from various special funds to continue support for 8 positions supporting the Department's Regulations Unit.
- Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology and Hearing Aid Dispensers Board: Approves \$252,000 in 2023-24 and \$236,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology and Hearing Aid Dispensers Fund for 2 positions to address licensing and examination workload and continuing education audit workload.
- Veterinary Medical Board: Funds \$1,094,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Veterinary Medical Board Contingent Fund for 7 positions in the Board's Enforcement Unit.
- Includes budget bill language making a net-zero technical correction to the Department of Consumer Affairs' internal administrative costs (pro rata) to correct an error to the indirect distributed cost of the Physical Therapy Board of California and the California Acupuncture Board.
- Shifts and appropriates \$10 million one-time General Fund, split over three years, to waive certification and recertification fees for public health nurses with the Board of Registered Nursing. Specifically, shifts \$3.33 million General Fund appropriated in 2022-23 from Department of Health Care Access and Information, and appropriate \$6.66 million General Fund to the Department of Consumer Affairs in 2023-24.

# **Employment Development Department**

- Withdraws \$20 million (\$10 million in 2023-24 and \$10 million in 2024-25) for the Emergency Medical Technician Training at the Employment Development Department.
- Withdraws \$750,000,000 allocated in the Budget Act of 2022 to pay down a portion of the federal unemployment insurance debt.
- Eliminates \$500,000,000 provided in the Budget Act of 2022 to offset insurance tax rates on small businesses.
- Provides a \$306 million loan from the Unemployment Compensation Disability Fund to the General Fund to support the state's payment of the UI loan interest payment. Adopts budget bill language to implement the loan conditions.

- Allocates \$5,102,000 in 2023-24 and 2024-25, then \$2,979,000 in 2025-26 and ongoing, split evenly between the Unemployment Compensation Disability Fund and the EDD Contingent Fund, to provide both permanent and temporary positions to support cash management, accounts receivable and payable, general ledger, financial reporting, procurement, and bank reconciliation operations at EDD.
- Appropriates \$3,346,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing, split evenly between the Employment Development Department Contingent Fund and the Unemployment Compensation Disability Fund, to renew and continue licensing tools used by the Department's Cybersecurity Division. The tools assist with scanning, identifying, and responding to cyber vulnerabilities and threats, escalating and reporting security incidents and data breaches, as well as tracking and responding to federal and state audits and compliance reports.
- Approves \$15,440,000 (\$6,344,000 General Fund) in 2023-24, \$14,419,000 (\$1,677,000 General Fund) in 2024-25, and \$8,613,000 in 2025-26 and ongoing to fund the implementation of direct deposit option for benefits.
- Authorizes \$197,983,000 in 2023-24, split between the General Fund and the Unemployment Compensation Disability Fund, to continue the Department's multi-year modernization overhaul, known as EDDNext.
- Extends EDDNext 2022 funding encumbrance period to June 30, 2024.
- Extends encumbrance period from June 30, 2024 to June 30, 2025 for EDDNext 2023 Funding and provide the Department with additional time for contract procurements that were delayed by additional planning activities and reprioritization of projects.
- Funds \$4,201,000 in 2023-24 and 2024-25 from the Unemployment Compensation Disability Fund to implement statutory changes in SB 951 (Durazo, Chapter 878, Statutes of 2022). SB 951 provides a schedule to revise the formulas determining the weekly amounts for Disability Insurance and Paid Family Leave benefits.
- Includes a technical adjustment to the budget bill to shift reversions from the statewide control section to the applicable department budget.
- Increases the Federal Unemployment Fund by \$1,754,795,000 ongoing to align with updated forecast benefit payments
- Increases the Unemployment Compensation Disability Fund by \$660,809,000 ongoing to align with updated State Disability Insurance program benefit payment estimates.

- Provides for various funding adjustments to align Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) authority with estimated federal allocations.
- Existing law requires EDD to submit to the Legislature in May and October of each year a report on the status of the Unemployment Fund and the Unemployment Compensation Disability Fund. Adopts trailer bill language would revise the report submission date to January and May of each year.
- Adopts trailer bill to address a chaptering out issue that occurred during the 2022 legislative session. This trailer bill restores changes in legislation signed into law, AB 2342 (Cervantes), Chapter 568, Statutes of 2022 that was subsequently chaptered out by AB 156 (Committee on Budget), Chapter 569, Statutes of 2022.

## **Exposition Park**

- Allocates \$50,000 in 2023-24 and \$25,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Expo Park Improvement Fund to assess the California African American Museum's current accessibility and provide recommendations for improving ADA compliance. Efforts will include providing closed captions and audio description features for all media on view in the museum.
- Appropriates \$208,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the General Fund to fund a 10% salary increase from the current Bargaining Union 5 contract and continue the interagency agreement between Exposition Park and the California High Patrol for personnel and public safety support.
- Approves an additional \$100,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Exposition Park Improvement Fund to support electronic payment fees.
- Authorizes an increase in the California Science Center's baseline budget by \$723,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the General Fund to reflect the new state's minimum wage.
- Adopts trailer bill language to provide the Science Center with the ability to request augmentation of its operating budget, upon written notification to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee, to mitigate the impact of any future state minimum wage ordinances, subject to approval by the Department of Finance.
- Funds \$1,100,000 in 2023-24 from the Exposition Park Improvement Fund to create project working drawings that would implement a parkwide surveillance system at Exposition Park.

- Includes \$800,000 in 2023-24 ongoing from the Exposition Park Improvement Fund to provide parking services and revenue collection services.
- Decreases funding for Exposition Park's California Science Center Phase III (Samuel Oschin Air and Space Center) by \$2,430,000 to reflect that the facility has not yet been certified as available for occupancy and that debt service cannot begin.
- Provides \$1,337,000 in 2023-24 and \$818,000 in 2024-25 from the Exposition Park Improvement Fund for 3 positions that will support the start-up of Exposition Park's Samual Oschin Air and Space Center, scheduled to open in Spring 2025.
- Allocates \$152,000 in 2023-24 and \$160,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Exposition Park Improvement Fund for 1 position that will oversee operations and administration management, including supervision of administrative, operations, and events personnel.
- Appropriates \$135,000 in 2023-24 and \$141,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Exposition Park Improvement Fund for 1 position that will provide constituent and stakeholder management, manage digital engagement and social media, and prepare Exposition Park for an increase in events and activities related to the 2026 World Cup and 2028 Summer Olympic and Paralympic Games.
- Reappropriates \$1,950,000 one-time General Fund to provide additional time to expend funds and comply with Assembly Bill 483 (Jones-Sawyer, Chapter 411, Statutes of 2021). AB 483 granted peace officer status to security officers appointed by the Exposition Park Manager and clarified the training requirements for those peace officers.
- Approves \$14,051,100 Public Buildings Construction Fund to fund the performance criteria phase to build an underground parking structure with a public park on its topdeck, and requires the Department of General Services to consult with the California Workforce Development Board to negotiate a Project Labor Agreement and Community Workforce Agreement related to the project.
- Adopts trailer bill language to authorize the establishment of nongovernmental trusts (foundations) for the California African American Museum and Exposition Park, and allows these foundations to perform specified actions related to fundraising. Additionally requires the Department of Finance, on or before January 10, 2024, and annually thereafter, to submit a report relating to the foundations to the Legislature and Legislative Analyst's Office.

- Allocates \$1,461,000 for the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Commission to fund its California Public Employees' Retirement System obligation, consistent with a resolution adopted by the commission at its March 9, 2023 meeting.
- Includes \$57,000 in Federal Trust Fund to enable Exposition Park to spend a federal grant awarded in late June 2023.

#### **Fair Political Practice Commission**

- Allocates \$170,000 in 2023-24 and \$163,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the General Fund for 1 position to implement, interpret, and enforce workload associated with SB 1360 (Umberg, Chapter 887, Statutes of 2022). Existing law requires political advertisements to include specified disclosure statements that identify the name of the campaign committee paying for the advertisement and the top contributors to that committee. SB 1360 changes the text and formatting of required disclosures on petitions and electronic media and video campaign advertisements, requires disclosures on electronic media advertisements about top contributors funding the advertisement, and changes existing rules and standards for what is required for proper advertisement disclosures.
- Appropriates \$298,000 in 2023-24 and \$284,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the General Fund for 2 positions to implement, interpret, conduct outreach and education, and enforce the provisions of SB 746 (Skinner, Chapter 876, Statutes of 2022). SB 746 requires a business entity to submit a report to SOS following any calendar year in which the business entity uses its products or services to alter online search results to emphasize or deemphasize materials containing express advocacy or to target online advertisements without full and adequate consideration and for political purposes. The bill specifies the contents of the report and requires business entities subject to these requirements to maintain detailed accounts and records necessary to prepare the report.
- Approves \$468,000 in 2023-24 and \$447,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the General Fund for 3 positions to implement, interpret, educate, and enforce the increased workload associated with the provisions of SB 1439 (Glazer, Chapter 848, Statutes of 2022). Existing law prohibits an officer of an agency from accepting, soliciting, or directing a contribution of more than \$250 from any party, participant, or a party or participant's agent, while a proceeding involving a license, permit, or other entitlement for use is pending before the agency and for three months following the date a final decision is rendered in the proceeding, if the officer knows or has reasons to know that the participant has financial interest. SB 1439 applies the existing campaign contribution prohibition for state and local agencies to local elected agencies, such as city councils and boards of supervisors, and expands the timeframe

prohibiting specific contributions following an official's action from three months to 12 months.

- Authorizes \$425,000 in 2023-24 and \$404,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the General Fund for 3 positions to implement, interpret, and perform outreach and education on workload associated with the provisions of SB 459 (Allen, Chapter 873, Statutes of 2022). SB 459 requires lobbyists, lobbying firms, and lobbyist employers to include new information in their quarterly periodic reports that identifies each bill or administrative action subject to lobbying activity, the respective position advocated for, and each bill or administrative action for which issue lobbying advertisements were issued.
- Funds \$127,000 in 2023-24 and \$120,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the General Fund for 1 position to implement the provisions of SB 2172 (Cervantes, Chapter 328, Statutes of 2022). AB 2172 authorizes a person required to file a report or statement with the SOS in a paper format to file the report or statement by email or other digital means prescribed by the SOS instead, subject to specified requirements.
- Grants \$455,000 in 2023-24 and \$421,000 in 2024 -25 and ongoing from the General Fund for 3 positions to develop, administer and expand the new Political Reform Education Program. Existing law directs the Commission to develop a program as soon as feasible, to allow for the education of a person who commits a minor violation of the Political Reform Act of 1974, as specified. The Political Reform Education Program ("PREP") is the new pilot educational program created by the FPPC in response to this mandate.
- Includes \$284,000 in 2023-24 and \$270,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the General Fund for 2 positions to implement SB 794 (Glazer, Chapter 816, Statutes of 2022). SB 794 allows a committee that receives a contribution in excess of specified limits to return the contribution, or a portion of that contribution, without the contribution violating those limits, provided that the committee returns or attributes the amount in excess within 14 days of receipt.

# California Gambling Control Commission

- Allocates a one-time transfer of \$6,005,000 from the Gambling Control Fund to the Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund to reimburse fees and deposits previously collected and deposited into the Gambling Control F**Department of General Services**
- Reverts \$88.6 million General Fund for deferred maintenance and direct digital control projects included in the 2021-22 and 2022-23 budgets.

- Allocates \$481,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund for 3 positions to implement SB 1422 (Hertzberg, Chapter 310, Statutes of 2022) which enables the Procurement Division to consolidate the needs of multiple state agencies for the installation, and/or purchase of carpet, resilient flooring, synthetic turf, or lighting fixtures.
- Appropriates \$1,000,000 one-time General Fund to expand affordable housing development and adaptive reuse opportunities, per AB 2592 (McCarty, Chapter 439, Statutes of 2022). AB 2592 requires DGS to prepare a streamlined plan to transition underutilized multistory state buildings into all types of housing, including, but not limited to, rental or ownership housing opportunities, and report this plan to the Legislature by January 1, 2024.
- Approves \$596,000 in 2023-24 and \$535,000 in 2024-25 and 2025-26 from the Building Standards Administration Special Revolving Fund for 2 positions to meet legislative mandates enacted by AB 209, AB 1738, AB 2075, AB 2232, AB 2446, AB 2863 (Chapters 251, 687, 346, 777, 352, and 809 of the Statutes of 2022, respectively). These new statutes require the California Building Standards Commission to research, develop, and propose for adoption building standards for a variety of green initiatives, including consider for adoption specified refrigerant reference standards, EV charging standards for both new construction and existing buildings, uptime reporting for EV charging stations funded by state initiatives, standards for carbon dioxide monitor and minimum ventilation rates, framework for embodied carbon in construction materials, bicycle parking standards that are independent of vehicle parking spaces, barriers to building electrification, and EV charging best practices.
- Authorizes \$5,000,000 General Fund and \$609,000 Service Revolving Fund, split over three years, to implement SB 1020 (Laird, Chapter 361, Statutes of 2022) and deploy clean energy at state facilities and manage the transition to 100 percent renewable energy at all state facilities.
- Approves \$35,400,000 General Fund and \$2,916,000 Service Revolving Fund, split over three years, to upgrade the Direct Digital Control systems in buildings managed by DGS to improve operations and energy efficiency.
- Adopts budget bill language stating that if specific maintenance projects that the Legislature approves are ultimately less costly than proposed, the unused funds would return to the General Fund. Additionally requires the Department of General Services to provide a report to the Legislature with a plan for adjusting its building rental rates to fully incorporate maintenance needs at buildings owned and managed by the Department of General Services.

- Funds \$2,008,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund and 12 positions to support increased demand for statewide emergency management functions and departmental services specific to statewide emergency planning, fiscal, and procurement services.
- Grants \$2,463,000 in 2023-24 and \$2,173,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund and 12 positions to enable DGS to comply with existing Cal-Secure requirements of cybersecurity, privacy and data governance.
- Includes \$20,400,000 in 2023-24 from the General Fund address critical fire, life, and safety issues relating to fire alarm systems.
- Provides \$22,401,000 in 2023-24 and \$29,867,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund and 149 positions to manage, operate, and maintain the new Richards Boulevard Office Complex and the Joe Serna Jr. California Environmental Protection Agency building.
- Allocates 2 permanent positions in 2023-24 and ongoing for existing workload related to building maintenance program for buildings owned and operated by DGS. These positions will be absorbed within existing expenditure authority.
- Appropriates \$650,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing and a three year limited-term extension of \$11.45 million in authority from the from the Service Revolving Fund for Peace Officer Certification Hearings workload created by SB 2 (Bradford, Chapter 409, Statutes of 2021) and Cannabis Administrative Hearings Workload.
- Approves \$654,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund and 4 positions to support fleet sustainability initiatives by continuing to establish green fleet policies, ensure state departments' compliance with these policies, and provide mandatory reporting on the results of these policies.
- Authorizes \$395,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund and 6 positions to support human resources administrative services and to bring technical, analytical, and professional staffing.
- Funds 636,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund and 2 positions to manage growing workload associated with legal support for real estate matters and supervisory work over the entire range of legal issues handled by DGS attorneys.
- Grants \$1,257,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund to lease and operate a new warehouse facility located in West Sacramento and accommodate storage needs for the Office of State Publishing.

- Includes \$11,700,000 in 2023-24, 2024-25 and 2025-26 from the General Fund, for a total of \$35,100,000 over three years, to support Five-Year Zero Emission Vehicles Infrastructure Investment Plan continue performing installations of electric vehicle service equipment at state-owned and leased facilities to meet California's clean transportation and greenhouse gas goals.
- Provides \$3,510,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund and 21 positions to continue efforts of increasing diversity and inclusiveness in state contracting programs across all state departments through the Office of Small Business and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Services and the Statewide Supplier Diversity Program.
- Allocates \$2,216,000 from the Service Revolving Fund, \$224,000 in Reimbursement authority, and 2 positions in 2023-24 and ongoing to implement, maintain, and operate a statewide eMarketplace solution.
- Appropriates \$842,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund to continue support 4 positions and workload associated with the Statewide Pharmaceutical Program's California Pharmaceutical Collaborative.
- Approves \$320,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund for 2 positions to begin staffing the Small Business and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise program.
- Authorizes \$1,100,000 from the Property Acquisition Law Money Account in 2023-24 and ongoing to allow DGS to lease excess state property to affordable housing developers for the development of affordable housing.
- Adopts trailer bill language that would allow DGS to deposit net proceeds from real property disposition (sale, lease, exchange) into the Property Acquisition Law Money Account for the purposes of maintaining an operating reserve sufficient to continue redeveloping excess state properties as affordable housing.
- Funds \$795,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund and 3 positions to address new project management workload associated with the California Military Department and California Highway Patrol.
- Includes \$772,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund and 4 positions to address increase in workload to support the requirements of AB 661 (Bennett, Chapter 517, Statutes of 2022) and SB 674 (Durazo, Chapter 875, Statutes of 2022). AB 661 requires CalRecycle and the Department of General Services to update the list of recycled products subject to Public Contract Code. SB 674 requires the Department of General Services, in collaboration with the Labor and Workforce

Development Agency, to develop and establish policies, develop contract requirements for high road job standards, and review and analyze contractor reports to determine compliance to contract requirements for high road job standards annually.

- Funds \$402,000,000 through lease-revenue bonds to pay a portion of expenditures for the design-build phase of the new Richards Boulevard Office Complex project.
- Allocates \$162,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund to implement AB 2974 (Committee on Jobs, Economic Development, and the Economy, Chapter 600, Statutes of 2022), which requires state agencies and departments to set 25 percent small business participation goals and report DGS small business participation on contracts funded by the Federal Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act.
- Appropriates \$516,000 in 2023-24 and \$316,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the General Fund and 1 position to implement SB 561 (Dodd, Chapter 446, Statutes of 2022) and AB 2233 (Quirk-Silva, Chapter 438, Statutes of 2022). These bills codified into law Executive Order N-06-19, which requires DGS to review all state-owned property, identify excess properties that could be made available for affordable housing, develop an online inventory of excess sites, and issue requests for proposals for long-term ground leases for affordable housing development.
- Approves \$4,109,000 one time in 2023-24 from the General Fund as well as \$425,000 in 2023-24, \$325,000 in 2024-25, and \$162,000 in 2025-26 and ongoing from the Service Revolving Fund for 3 positions to support the implementation of AB 2019 (Petrie-Norris, Chapter 730, Statutes of 2022). AB 2019 requires DGS to conduct a statewide procurement and contracting disparity study to provide guidelines for outreach strategies, state government program development, and improvement to contracting policies. Additionally, state agencies are required to adopt an "Economic Equity First" action plan and policy, including specified elements, designed to promote the participation of small businesses, including women, minority, and LGBTQ-owned businesses, in their contracts.
- Authorizes \$5,900,000 one-time in 2023-24 from the General Fund to address repairs caused by water intrusion at various locations throughout the Legislative Office Building in Sacramento.
- Funds \$558,000 in 2023-24 and \$380,000 in 2024-25 from the Service Revolving Fund to cover postage costs and meet new notification requirements related to the ScholarShare Investment Board's California Kids Investment and Development Savings Program.

- Includes a net zero realignment of funding to support a reorganization of programmatic functions in order to achieve operational efficiencies in the areas of Risk and Insurance Management, Natural Gas Services, Business and Acquisition Services, Emergency Management, and Procurement.
- Provides \$1,050,000 in 2023-24 and \$600,000 in 2024-25 and 2025-26 to replace the Department's legacy timesheet and project billing platform.
- Reappropriates \$3.9 million for repairs and maintenance for the Ronald M. George State Office Complex for encumbrance or expenditure until June 30, 2027.
- Includes a technical adjustment to the budget bill to shift reversions from the statewide control section to the applicable department budget.
- Provides \$2,500,000 General Fund each year for three years for the Department of General Services to implement the provisions of SB 1203 (Becker), Chapter 368, Statutes of 2022.
- Adopts trailer bill language to allow the Department of General Services to assist a political subdivision with delivery and installation of emergency sleeping cabins and related improvements, in prescribed cities and counties and if the political subdivision has declared a shelter crisis, among other requirements.
- Adopts trailer bill language that clarifying that the regular maintenance of the monument to the California Native people of the Sacramento, California region on the grounds of the State Capitol shall remain the responsibility of the Department of General Services.

# **Government Operations Agency**

• Extends the encumbrance or expenditure availability of \$144,000 in Timber regulation and Forest Restoration Funds until June 30, 2024 to provide additional time for Gov Ops to disburse funds to the winners of the 2019 California Mass Timber Building Competition

# California Department of Human Resources

 Allocates \$100,000 in 2023-24, and \$10,000 in 2024-25 in 2024-25 ongoing from the General Fund to implement AB 923 (Ramos, Chapter 475, Statutes of 2022), which requires CalHR to develop training by June 1, 2024, regarding the required elements of government-to-government consultations with California Native American Tribes. It also requires designated state officials to complete the training by January 1, 2025, and for officials appointed after that date to do so within six months of their appointment.

- Appropriates \$172,000 in 2023-24 from various funds, inclusive of \$65,000 from the General Fund, as well as \$165,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from various funds, inclusive of \$63,000 from the General Fund, for a dedicated Privacy Officer to develop and manage the department's, policies, procedures, and compliance with California requirements on privacy laws and standards.
- Approves \$1,352,000 in 2023-24 from various funds, inclusive of \$994,000 from the General Fund, and \$563,000 in 2024-25 ongoing from various funds, inclusive of \$214,000 from the General Fund, to research and plan for the replacement of the CalHR Web Content Management System (CMS), and research, plan and develop an improved communication service to the public, state, and employees.
- Authorizes \$256,000 from the General Fund and \$172,000 from the Central Service Cost Recovery Fund, for a total of \$428,000 in 2023-24, as well as \$246,000 from the General Fund and \$166,000 from the Central Service Cost Recovery Fund, for a total of \$412,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing to provide workload support for CalHR's Personnel Management Division.
- Funds \$116,000 in Reimbursement authority in 2023-24 and ongoing and one position for CalHR's Medical and Psychological Screening Division.
- Grants \$25,000,000 of permanent reimbursement authority for CalHR to serve as a
  pass-through entity to receive automatically authorized deductions from state vendors
  that administer subsidized family child care programs to the child care providers
  exclusive representative/union as required by law.
- Extend the encumbrance or expenditure availability of \$1,697,000 General Fund in 2023-24 to enable CalHR to complete the Legal Accounting and Work Management System project approved in the Budget Act of 2022.
- Provides \$515,355,000 for employee compensation, which reflect increased employee compensation resulting from updated payroll information, updated health and dental rates, increased enrollment in health and dental plans, and a change in the health plan enrollment composition.
- Adopts trailer bill language that would provide the Department with flexibility to adjust retirement rates for excluded employees. Currently, changes to excluded employee retirement rates depend on the associated bargaining unit.

- Adopts trailer bill to amend the timeline for CalHR's statutory requirement to create and submit total compensation reports six months prior to the expiration of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to instead occur biennially.
- Adopts trailer bill language that would change the State's current monthly payroll cycle to a uniform payroll cycle to allow implementation of a customary biweekly payroll cycle with the implementation of the California State Controller's Payroll System (CSPS) Project.

## **Department of Industrial Relations**

- Restores \$15 million funding for the Women in Construction Priority Unit at the Department of Industrial Relations.
- Restores \$25 million in 2023-24, paid from the Labor and Workforce Development Fund, for the COVID-19 Worker Outreach Program at the Department of Industrial Relations and renames the program the California Workplace Outreach Program.
- Withdraws \$40 million (\$20 million in 2023-24 and \$20 million in 2024-25) for the Apprenticeship Innovation Fund at the Department of Industrial Relations.
- Allocates \$12,561,000 one time in 2023-24 from the Occupational Safety and Health Fund to provide the Division of Safety and Health first year funding to develop a system that will meet federal and state-mandated requirements, consolidate information into a central database/repository, interface to other DIR systems, and automate manual processes across its units.
- Appropriates \$2,432,000 in 2023-24, \$4,547,000 in 2024-25, and \$4,378,000 in 2025-26 and ongoing from the State Public Works Enforcement Fund for 24 positions to implement AB 2143 (Carrillo, Chapter 774, Statutes of 2022). AB 2143 created a new category of construction projects that will be subject to DIR's enforcement of prevailing wage requirements. The bill designates certain types of "net energy metering" electrical generation facility construction projects as "public works" after December 31, 2023."
- Approves \$21,123,000 one-time in 2023-24 from the Workers Compensation Administration Revolving Fund to continue funding the replacement of the Department's case management, claims benefit administration, and document storage system. This system is known as the Electronic Adjudication Management System (EAMS).
- Authorizes \$230,000 in 2023-24 and \$218,000 in 2024-25 and 2025-26 from the Labor Enforcement and Compliance Fund to implement AB 1601 (Akilah Weber, Chapter

752, Statutes of 2022). AB 1601 requires call center employers who intend to relocate their operations to a foreign country to notify specified entities, including the Employment Development Department, and affected call center employees 60 days prior to relocation, imposing various restrictions regarding eligibility for state grants, loans, and tax credits to those employers.

- Eliminates proposal to implement AB 257 (Holden, Chapter 246, Statutes of 2022). On January 24, 2023, the Secretary of State certified that a referendum qualified for the 2024 General Election challenging AB 257.
- Grants \$1,073,000 one time in 2023-24 from the Occupational Safety and Health Fund to implement AB 1643 (Rivas, Chapter 263, Statutes of 2022). AB 1643 requires the Labor and Workforce Development Agency to convene an advisory committee on or before July 1, 2023 to study the impact of heat on workers and businesses in the state. Extend the encumbrance period from June 30, 2024 to June 30, 2025 for the implementation of Chapter 263, Statutes of 2022 (AB 1643)
- Includes \$254,000 in 2023-24 and \$238,000 in 2024-25 ongoing from the Occupational Safety and Health Fund to implement AB 2068 (Haney, Chapter 485, Statutes of 2022). AB 2068 requires employers to post at worksites employee notices of citations and special orders issued and prepared by CalOSHA, translated into the top seven nonEnglish languages used by limited-English-proficient adults in California, as determined by the most recent American Community Survey by the United States Census Bureau, as well as Punjabi if that language is not otherwise included among the top seven.
- Provides \$1,197,000 in 2023-24, \$1,140,000 in 2024-25, \$1,400,000 in 2025-26, \$1,378,000 in 2026-27, and \$361,000 in 2027-28 and ongoing from the Occupational Safety and Health Fund to implement AB 2243 (Garcia, Chapter 778, Statutes of 2022). AB 2243 requires CalOSHA, before December 1, 2025, to submit to the standards board a rulemaking proposal to consider revising the heat illness standard and wildfire smoke standard. Decreases the proposal by 4 positions in 2023-24 through 2026-27 to correct a technical error in the Heat Illness and Wildfire Smoke standards proposal included in the 2023-24 Governor's Budget.
- Allocates \$5.8 million in 2023-24 and \$5.4 million in 2024-25 and ongoing from the State Public Works Enforcement Fund to implement AB 2011 (Wicks, Chapter 647, Statutes of 2022), and SB 6 (Caballero, Chapter 659, Statutes of 2022). AB 2011, also known as the Affordable Housing and High Road Jobs Act of 2022, makes certain types of specified affordable, multifamily housing developments a "use by right," subject to only streamlined, ministerial review, when sited within an urban area and in a zone where office, retail, or parking are a principally permitted use. SB 6, also known

as the Middle Class Housing Act of 2022, allows housing projects as an allowable use on parcels zoned for office, retail, or parking uses in urban areas.

- Adopts trailer bill language to clarify contractor registration requirements, establish penalties for violations the Acts, and provide DIR with the authority to establish and adjust annual registration and renewal fees, as specified.
- Appropriates \$376,000 in 2023-24 and \$348,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the State Public Works Enforcement Fund to implement SB 1295 (Limon, Chapter 844, Statutes of 2022). SB 1295 expands the universe of public works projects by deeming all work done and funded by the Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Administrative Fund and performed by outside contractors to be public work for which prevailing wages are required to be paid. The bill also requires the use of a skilled and trained workforce (apprentices) on such projects for work performed after January 1, 2028.
- Approves \$4,600,000 from the Labor and Workforce Development Fund and \$7,050,000 from the Labor and Enforcement Compliance Fund, for a total of \$11,650,000 in 2023-24; as well as \$6,478,000 from the Labor Enforcement and Compliance Fund in 2024-25 and ongoing to expand the Division of Labor Standards and Enforcement's outreach and investigation work, including supporting community resources, and to automate and improve existing processes.
- Provides \$2,000,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Labor Enforcement and Compliance Fund for worker outreach as well as recruitment, hiring, and retention efforts to increase staffing levels at the Division of Labor Standards and Enforcement.
- Includes \$18,000,000 one-time from the Labor and Workforce Development Fund for a grant program for local public prosecutors and district attorneys to enforce state labor laws.
- Authorizes \$5,010,000 in 2026-27 from the Workers Compensation Administration Revolving Fund to extend SB 1159 by one year per AB 1751 (Daly, Chapter 758, Statutes of 2022). SB 1159 (Hill, Chapter 85, Statutes of 2020) created three different rebuttable presumptions that consider an employee's COVID-19 illness or death, as an occupational injury and therefore eligible for workers' compensation benefits.
- Funds \$750,000 one time in 2023-24 from the Workers Compensation Administration Revolving Fund to upgrade the Workers' Compensation Information System.
- Includes a technical adjustment to the budget bill to shift reversions from the statewide control section to the applicable department budget.

- Includes \$286,000 in 2023-24 and \$272,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the Occupational Safety and Health Fund for 1 position at the Department of Industrial Relations to implement SBX1-2 (Skinner, Chapter 1, Statutes of 2023). SBX1-2 requires the development of regulations, the establishment of a maximum gross gasoline refining margin and enforcement of penalties, the collection of additional data from the transportation fuels industry, including refiners, and development of reports and an assessment and plan ensuring a reliable supply of affordable and safe transportation fuels in California.
- Provides \$35,000,000 from the Labor and Workforce Development Fund to administer the Domestic Worker Rights Education and Outreach Program. Adopts trailer bill to eliminate the July 1, 2024 inoperative and January 1, 2025 repeal dates on the provisions.

# Labor and Workforce Development Agency

- Allocates \$800,000 one time in 2023-24 from the General Fund to establish a panel that will commission a study pursuant to AB 2849 (Bonta, Chapter 808, Statutes of 2022) and engage with organized labor, worker cooperatives, and business stakeholder groups to assess the opportunities and challenges associated with the development and growth of high-road cooperative labor contractors.
- Appropriates \$234,000 from the General Fund and \$5,547,000 from various Special Funds, for a total of \$5,781,000 in 2023-24, as well as \$51,000 from the General Fund and \$1,171,000 from various Special Funds for a total of \$1,222,000 in 2024-25 to secure the goods and services needed to provision information technology equipment required in the new LWDA building. The amounts include one-time equipment, maintenance, and contract services costs.

# California Privacy Protection Agency

- Allocates 7 positions in 2023-24 and ongoing to allow the Agency to start enforcement activities and continue to fulfill its statutory responsibilities. Uses existing ongoing \$10 million General Fund appropriation as provided in Proposition 24.
- Appropriates \$1.8 million General Fund and 7 positions in fiscal year 2023-24 and \$1.2 million in fiscal year 2024-25 and ongoing for cumulative cost-of-living adjustments, as well as conducting a public outreach and education campaign.
- Provides \$6,000,000 in General Fund current year savings to cover the costs of a media contract to perform qualitative and quantitative research, branding, website design, campaign strategy, media buy planning, print and digital design, and video and radio production.

#### Public Employees' Retirement System

- Allocates \$8,471,978,000 for the statutorily required annual state contribution to CalPERS.
- Provides \$1,664,000,000 in Proposition 2 supplemental payment to further reduce the state's CalPERS unfunded liabilities and proposes trailer bill to implement the supplemental payment.
- Enacts the CalPERS operational budget for fiscal year 2023-24 as approved by the CalPERS Board of Administration.
- Includes \$592.9 million for state retirement contributions to the Judges' Retirement System.

#### Public Employment Relations Board

- Allocates \$164,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the General Fund to comply with the California Department of Technology IT security requirements and for contracted IT support
- Provides \$22,000 General Fund in fiscal year 2023-24 and ongoing to provide a position upgrade within the California Public Employment Relations Board Division of Administrative Law.

#### Secretary of State

- Allocates \$64,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the General Fund to implement AB 1416 (Santiago, Chapter 751, Statutes of 2022). AB 1416 requires a ballot label for statewide measures, and, at the option of a county, the ballot label or similar description on the ballot of county, city, district, and school district measures, to include a listing of nonprofit organizations, businesses, or individuals taken from the signers or the text of ballot arguments printed in the voter information guide that support and oppose the measure.
- Appropriates \$399,000 in 2023-24, \$384,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing from the General Fund and 3 positions to plan, develop and implement the changes, and subsequently support the increased filing activity required by AB 2528 (Bigelow, Chapter 500, Statutes of 2022). AB 2528 requires any candidate or elected officer whose obligation is to file original reports or statements locally (i.e., City Council Members, School Board Members, etc.) to file a copy of those reports or statements online or electronically with the SOS if they have received campaign contributions to

support their candidacy for office in an upcoming election that equal or exceed \$15,000.

- Approves \$3,076,000 in 2023-24 and \$1,776,000 annually thereafter from the General Fund for 11 positions to implement the provisions of AB 2841 (Low, Chapter 807, Statutes of 2022). The bill requires the clerk of the superior court of each county to notify the Secretary of State each month of findings made by the court regarding a person's competency to vote and the number of court proceedings related to the determination of a person's competency to vote, as specified.
- Authorizes \$1,590,000 in 2023-24 and \$1,535,000 annually thereafter from the General Fund for 11 elections-related positions that will maintain operation, access, and integrity of public services provided by the Secretary of State.
- Funds \$1,116,000 from the General Fund to meet a state match requirement under the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2022 that would grant \$5,827,000 in federal funds from the U.S. Election Assistance Commission, for a total of \$6,993,000 in one-time funding in 2023-24, to improve the administration of elections for Federal office, including to enhance election technology and make election security improvements.
- Grants \$1,116,000 from the General Fund to meet a state match requirement under the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2023 that would grant \$5,827,000 in federal funds from the U.S. Election Assistance Commission, for a total of \$6,993,000 in one-time funding in 2023-24, to improve the administration of elections for Federal office, including to enhance election technology and make election security improvements.
- Includes \$10,593,000 one-time funding in 2023-24 from the Federal Trust Fund cover the maintenance and operations vendor, data analysis, security assessment, Election Management Systems support and verification, data lines, security enhancements, and off-premises cloud costs for the VoteCal statewide voter registration system.
- Provides \$3,421,000 one-time funding in 2023-24 from the Federal Trust Fund to continue implementation of the statewide mandates of the Help America Vote Act of 2002.
- Allocates \$223,000 from the General Fund and \$469,000 from the Business Fees Fund, for a total of \$692,000 in 2023-24, as well as \$216,000 from the General Fund and \$456,000 from the Business Fees Fund, for a total of \$672,000 in 2024-25 and annually thereafter, to support increased workload in the Internal Audit Office.
- Appropriates \$3,607,000 in one-time funding in 2023-24 from the Business Fees Fund for 2 positions for planning resources for the Notary Automation Program system replacement.

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- Approves \$1,493,000 in 2023-24 and \$861,000 annually thereafter from the General Fund to implement the provisions of SB 1131 (Newman, Chapter 554, Statutes of 2022), which expands the Safe at Home program eligibility to individuals who face threats of violence or violence or harassment from the public because of their work for a public entity. Approves a \$730,000 one-time reduction to withdraw the Improving Safe at Home Customer Service budget change proposal that was included in the Governor's Budget, which were duplicative of workload associated with the Governor's Budget proposal to implement SB 1131.
- Authorizes \$515,000 in 2023-24 and \$515,000 in 2024-25 from the Special Deposit Fund for staff needed to continue to implement and administer the provisions of SB 450 (Allen, Chapter 832, Statutes of 2016). SB 450 created a new election model, the Voter's Choice Act (VCA). Under the VCA model, a county is authorized to conduct any election as an all-mailed ballot election if certain conditions are satisfied, including conditions related to ballot drop-off locations, vote centers, and plans for the administration of all-mailed ballot elections."
- Funds \$3,488,000 from the Business Fees Fund in 2023-24, 2024-25, and 2025-26 to support the Business Programs Division.
- Grants \$6,923,000 one-time in 2023-24 from the General Fund to support the Cal-ACCESS Replacement System Project and replace the outdated CAL-ACCESS system for electronic reporting of campaign finance and lobbying activities mandated by the Political Reform Act.
- Includes \$7,696,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing from the Business Fees Fund for the Maintenance and Operations phase to support the California Business Connect systems.
- Provides \$437,000 (\$145,000 General Fund and \$292,000 Business Fees Fund) in 2023- 24 and \$427,000 (\$142,000 General Fund and \$285,000 Business Fees Fund) in 2024-25 and annually thereafter to support 2 new permanent positions to begin establishing an information security office and further assess needs upon the completion of a security assessment in compliance with the mandates of AB 2135 (Irwin, Chapter 773, Statutes of 2022)
- Allocates \$2,701,000 ongoing (\$1,324,000 Business Fees Fund and \$1,377,000 General Fund) to address funding deficiencies following the reclassification of positions.

## State Controller

- Appropriates \$2,454,000 annually in 2023-24 through 2025-26; including \$1,313,000 General Fund; \$791,000 Central Service Cost Recovery Fund; and \$350,000 Special Fund, and approves reductions of \$4,877,000 in 2026-27 and 2027-28 that are included in the Governor's Budget estimated cost proposal which reflected an expected contract term of five years for the renewal instead of only three years.
- Approves \$545,000 from the General Fund and \$379,000 from the Central Service Cost Recovery Fund, for a total of \$924,000 in 2023-24 and annually thereafter, to convert 6 temporary positions to permanent to ensure that all of SCO's financial reporting functions related to the Legacy system are successfully transitioned to FI\$Cal, including handling of departmental accounting information and processes while using FI\$Cal to produce annually and on-time the Annual Comprehensive Financial report, the Budgetary/Legal Basis Annual Report, and other reports.
- Authorizes \$1,920,000 from the General Fund and \$1,335,000 from the Central Service Cost Recovery Fund, for a total of \$3,255,000 in 2023-24, as well as \$1,912,000 from the General Fund and \$1,328,000 from the Central Service Cost Recovery Fund, for a total of \$3,240,000 in 2024-25 and annually thereafter, to provide 6 positions and provide for contract resources to support the maintenance and operations of the FI\$Cal Integrated Solution including providing support to the FI\$Cal departments.
- Funds \$318,000 in 2023-24 and \$295,000 annually thereafter from the Unclaimed Property Fund for 3 positions and to support implementation and operation of a Voluntary Compliance Program (VCP) pursuant to Chapter 282, Statutes of 2022 (Assembly Bill (AB) 2280).
- Reappropriates \$83.2 million in funding from the Budget Act of 2022 for the California State Payroll system future solution costs, subject to approval of the California Department of Technology's PAL Stage 4 and notification to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee. Approves an additional \$21.3M for project implementation. Provides \$16,800,000 for Department Agency Readiness Team activities. Adopts budget bill language to direct the State Controller's Office and the California Department of Human Resources to work with processing departments on identifying the additional departmental resources or staff needed to complete organizational change management activities.

# State Teachers' Retirement System

• Provides \$3,939,928,373 for the statutorily required annual state contribution to CaISTRS.

- Includes \$17,348,000 in 2023-24 and annually thereafter from the Teachers' Retirement Fund for 56 positions to cover various technology services contracts.
- Provides \$87,173,000 one-time funding from the Teachers' Retirement Fund to continue implementation activities of CalSTRS' pension administration modernization effort, also known as the Pension Solution Project.

#### California Department of Technology

- Reduces the balance of the Technology Modernization Fund by \$21 million and the Technology Stabilization Fund by \$17.5 million.
- Allocates \$840,000 in 2023-24 and \$660,000 in 2024-25 to provide professional and consulting services contracts that will be utilized to establish the Broadband Access Point Investment Acceleration Study Act of 2022.
- Appropriates \$1,316,000 General Fund for 2023-24 and ongoing to renew 5 positions and resources for the CA Design System to modernize web experiences and redesign the CA.gov web portal
- Provides \$3,054,000 General Fund for statewide strategic initiative's positions.
- Approves \$28,187,000 in conversion from the Technology Services Fund to the General Fund proposed to support statewide services, mandatory/oversight services, and internal indirect and administrative costs. Adopts budget bill language allowing the Department of Finance to provide an additional \$11,113,000 to support the Department of Technology's cost recovery during its reassessment of the formal rate methodology and relevant policies and procedures for state data center services.
- Approves \$1,181,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and in 2024-25 to renew 2 positions and provide resources to continue developing and executing a Digital ID ecosystem, which would allow California residents to authenticate and verify their identity when accessing digital state services, and adopts budget bill language related to data minimization.
- Provides \$1,495,000 in 2023-24 and ongoing for CDT's Office of Information Security to support the workload implementation of AB 2135 and adopts trailer bill to further implement AB 2135 (Irwin, Chapter 773, Statutes of 2022). AB 2135 required specified state agencies state agencies to perform a comprehensive, independent security assessment every two years.

- Allocates \$2,960,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and \$1,926,000 General Fund in 2024-25 and ongoing to upgrade and subsequently maintain the State's Intrusion Detection and Intrusion Prevention Systems.
- Appropriates \$250,000 General Fund in 2023-24 to implement a Software as a Service (SaaS) security solution that will be available to all State Chief Information Security Officers (CISO), their staffs, and statewide security operations teams. The SaaS aims to improve the State's supply chain security and 3rd party risk validation methodology
- Rejects \$8,160,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and \$4,930,000 in 2024-25 to supplement revenue losses stemming from Departments migrating to vendor cloud-based services
- Authorizes \$2,490,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing to develop a state digital equity plan and obtain anticipated federal funding to develop, oversee and monitor the implementation of the State Digital Equity Plan.
- Funds \$700,000 2023-24 from the General Fund for personnel consulting cost to conduct solution development planning for the complete implementation of all Unified Integrated Risk Management (UIRM) components statewide.
- Grants a new federal expenditure item to provide for receipt and expenditure of federal grants by the Office of Broadband and Digital Literacy (OBDL).
- Extends the encumbrance or expenditure availability of \$4,002,000 Federal Trust Fund for the State Digital Equity Grant until June 30, 2024
- Appropriates \$16.6 million to the State Controller's Office for initiatives related to FI\$Cal, the Book of Record, and the Annual Comprehensive Financial Report. Adopts trailer bill language that revises reporting and implementation timelines for the transfer of state accounting book of record functions by the State Controller's Office to the Fi\$Cal accounting system to conform to the new expected implementation date of July 1, 2026.
- Appropriates \$50 million Technology Services Revolving Fund to the Department of Technology for Vendor Hosted Subscription Services.

# California Department of Veterans Affairs

• Allocates \$1,426,000 in 2023-24 and \$1,368,000 annually thereafter from the General Fund for 10 positions that will support accounting, budgets, and human resources at the Department.

- Appropriates \$95,000 in 2023-24 and \$89,000 annually thereafter from the General Fund for 1 position that will support operational requirements at the California Central Coast Veterans Cemetery.
- Approves \$2,548,000 one time in 2023-24 from the General Fund to continue implementation of the long-term care electronic health record system in the Veterans Homes of California and Headquarters
- Authorizes \$3,030,000 in 2023-24 and \$2,953,000 annually thereafter from the General Fund for 15 positions to assist with clinical and operational initiatives in the Veterans Homes of California.
- Funds \$156,000 in 2023-24 and \$150,000 annually thereafter from the General Fund for 1 position to support the Minority and Underrepresented Veterans Division.
- Grants \$1,332,000 in 2023-24 and \$1,282,000 annually thereafter from the General Fund for 9 positions to staff the Veterans Services Division's three district offices.
- Includes \$1,000,000 one-time funding in 2023-24 from the General Fund to support contractor services to enhance digital communications in support of providing services and benefits to veterans of California through a content management system website.
- Includes \$156,000 in 2023-24 and \$150,000 annually thereafter for 1 position to support the Division for Women Veterans Unit.
- Provides \$15,857,000 in one-time funding in 2023-24 from the General Fund to begin the replacement of five roofs at the Veterans Home of California Yountville.
- Allocates \$356,000 in 2023-24, \$1,325,000 in 2024-25, \$1,298,000 in 2025-26, and \$1,194,000 in 2026-27 and ongoing from the General Fund and 12 positions to cover the initial staffing phase of the skilled nursing facility at the Veterans Homes of California Yountville.
- Reappropriates and extend liquidation period from June 30, 2023 to June 30, 2024 to complete the Rector Creek Instream Flow and Fish Condition Assessment Study. The 2018 Budget Act appropriated \$950,000 one-time General Fund to conduct the assessment study.
- Appropriates \$8,659,000 one-time General Fund to pay for legal settlement costs as a result of a recently settled lawsuit at the Veterans Home of California, Chula Vista.
- Approves \$21,950,000 one-time to upgrade the electrical infrastructure at the department's headquarters building. The electrical infrastructure is outdated and poses fire, life, and safety concerns.

- Authorizes two-year limited-term funding of \$25 million to maintain nursing operations at the veterans homes. Adopts budget bill language adding reporting requirements on the use of such funds.
- Provides \$535,000 in fiscal year 2023-24 and \$800,000 ongoing to fund an increase in costs for contracted fire prevention services for the Yountville Veterans Home.

## California Department of Insurance

• Provides the Department with the ability to augment funding from the Insurance Fund for consulting services related to the review of property and casualty insurance premium rate filings, not sooner than 30 days after notification in writing is provided to the chairpersons of the fiscal committees in each house of the Legislature and the Chairperson of the Joint Legislative Budget Committee.

# Broadband

- Adopts the deferral of \$550 million Last Mile and \$400 million Loan Loss Reserve funding proposed by the Governor.
- Creates the new State Broadband Middle Mile fund in statute to allow for the continued operational support and lease of state middle mile investments.
- Includes trailer bill language to extend the PUC last mile program application deadlines until September, 2024.

# Local Government Financing

- Provides \$33 million to reimburse local jurisdictions for Vehicle License Fee revenue shortfalls in Mono, Alpine, and San Mateo Counties.
- Adopts a May Revision Proposal to provide Sonoma County with \$632,000 one-time to backfill property tax losses due to the 2019 Kincade wildfire.

# Office of Planning and Research

- Approves \$4.3 million of ongoing funding, growing to \$9.3 million annually in 2026-27 to continue the California Action Corps at CalVolunteers.
- Approves \$78.1 million ongoing to continue the California Youth Jobs Corps at CalVolunteers, with provisional language to allow the use of the funds for AB 540 individuals.
- Approves \$5.3 million and 15 positions for Information Technology support for the Office of Planning a Research.

- Includes \$3,789,000 General Fund in 2023-24, and \$3,112,000 from 2024-25 through 2029-30 to support the new Racial Equity Commission as required by Executive Order N-16-22 and the Youth Empowerment Commission to meet statutory requirements enacted in Chapter 660, Statutes of 2021 (AB 46 (L Rivas)). Of the total amount, \$1,500,000 General Fund is a net-zero transfer from the Youth Empowerment Commission to the Office of Planning and Research. This request also includes trailer bill language to effectuate the transfer of the Youth Empowerment Commission to OPR.
- Adopts \$2,289,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and \$714,000 in 2024-25 and 2025-26 to support comprehensive update of General Plan Guidelines as a result of 150 enacted laws since 2017 and alignment with the State Housing, Equity and Climate priorities.
- Provides \$1,433,000 General Fund and 5.0 positions in 2023-24 and ongoing to respond to OPR's growing amount of legal and legislative workload with a dedicate staff unit for these purposes.
- Includes \$944,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and \$564,000 in 2024- 25 and 2025-26 to support the development and implementation of a statewide heat ranking system pursuant to Chapter 264, Statutes of 2022 (AB 2238 (L. Rivas)).
- Adds \$284,000 ongoing General Fund for 1.0 Tribal Liaison position. OPR must advise local governments on General Plans and Environmental Justice Elements, as described in Government Code 65302(h). Additionally, OPR should be coordinating with other State Government Agencies and Federal Agencies to better align State policies and funding programs, as described by Government Code 65040.12.
- Provides \$283,000 General Fund and 1.0 position in 2023-24, and ongoing to be the technical lead in maintaining the current California Environmental Quality Act document online processing system, provide planning resources for a system redesign, and maintaining the new system.
- Includes \$188,000 General Fund and one position in 2023-24 and ongoing to develop and report on implementation progress of the California Climate Adaptation Strategy (Strategy) pursuant to Chapter 338, Statutes of 2022 (AB 1384(Gabriel))
- Provides a 2022 CEQANet Reappropriation for the CEQANet IT project to reflect the current pace of the project's development.
- Allows for funding first allocated in 2018 for the Transformative Climate Communities to be authorized for a longer period to allow grantees to expend awarded to them.

- Provides authority for California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Judicial Streamlining funding for 2022 to be available for a longer time to process CEQA streamlining exemptions reviews pursuant to SB 7.
- Adopts Trailer Bill Language clarifying that the Office does not need to go through a separate CEQA process if it contributing funding to a project outside of the Office that is going to reviewed by a CEQA process.
- Includes Trailer Bill language allowing Community Resilience Centers at the Office of Planning and Research to be eligible for the Advanced Pay Pilot.

### **Department of Finance**

• Approves \$3,800,000 (\$3,080,000 General Fund) and 9.0 ongoing positions to address vulnerabilities in Finance's Information Technology (IT).

### Fi\$Cal

- Adopts placeholder trailer bill language to adjust the Fi\$Cal project plan to the updated State Controller's Office plan to onboard book of record functions by July 1, 2026.
- Adopts reappropriation authority for funds provided to Fi\$Cal in 2022 related to the California State Payroll System costs.

# **Legislative Priorities**

• Includes \$750 million for local legislative priorities and \$7.5 million for associated state administrative costs.

#### California State Assembly, Senate, and Legislative Analyst

• Adjusts the Legislature's budget from the January budget pursuant to Proposition 140 (1990), in line with the State Appropriations Limit Adjustment.

# **PUBLIC SAFETY**

### **Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation**

- Provides \$14.4 billion (\$14. billion General Fund and \$374.6 million other funds) for CDCR in 2023-24, of which \$3.9 billion is for health care services.
- Projects the average daily incarcerated population for 2022-23 to be 95,560, a decrease of 0.6% since 2022 Fall projections. Spring projections indicate the population will decrease by another 2,678 individuals between 2022-23 and 2023-24 from 95,560 to 92,882. By 2025-26, the population is projected to decline to 89,946.
- Projects the average parolee population to be 37,322 in 2023-24 and the average daily parolee population is projected to be 39,646. The parole population is projected to decline to 36,061 by June 30, 2027.
- Adopts trailer bill that specifies the Legislature's intent to close prisons, requires CDCR to submit a preliminary assessment by August 15, 2023 and a final assessment by November 15, 2023 of its prison capacity, housing needs based on population projections, necessary operational capacity at each facility, and other information as specified.
- Provides \$21 million one-time General Fund for the RIGHT Grant 2.0 for community based organizations that provide prison programming.
- Adopts budget bill language to adjust the funding provided in the 2022 Budget Act for Community Reentry Centers to address operational needs and adopts trailer bill to modify the contracting process.
- Includes a reduction of \$43.9 million General Fund and 257.1 positions, \$111,000 and 1.2 positions Inmate Welfare Fund in 2022-23; \$132.7 million General Fund and 779.1 positions, \$334,000 and 3.0 positions Inmate Welfare Fund in 2023-24; and \$133.1 million General Fund and 781.6 positions, \$334,000 and 3.0 positions Inmate Welfare Fund in 2024-25 and ongoing to reflect the closure of California Correctional Center.
- Includes a reduction of \$25.1 million General Fund and 110.6 positions, \$85,000 and 0.8 positions Inmate Welfare Fund in 2023-24 and \$126.4 million General Fund and 565.9 positions, and \$321,000 and 3.0 positions Inmate Welfare Fund in 2024-25 and ongoing to reflect the closure of the California City Correctional Facility.
- Includes a reduction of \$23.7 million General Fund and 1.0 position in 2023-24; \$3.2 million, a reduction of 1.0 position in 2024-25 and 2025-26; \$4.8 million General Fund

and 1.0 position in 2026-27; and \$4.9 million General Fund and 1.0 position in 2027-28 and ongoing associated with yard deactivations at 6 prisons.

- Includes \$360.9 million in Public Buildings Construction Fund for the demolition and construction to establish a new educational and vocational center at San Quentin State Prison by 2025.
- Provides \$20 million one-time General Fund to support the planning for the San Quentin Rehabilitation Center.
- Provides \$4.2 million General fund in 2023-24 and \$2.6 million ongoing to support Board of Parole hearing functions including resources to increase the flat rate for state appointed attorney feeds, add a Supervising Administrative Law Judge position, continues an attorney training and monitoring contract, and provides resources for the Board's IT system.
- Provides \$5.6 million in 2022-23 and \$28.8 million ongoing General Fund to implement Chapter 827, Statutes of 2022 (SB 1008) related to free voice calling.
- Provides \$87.7 million one-time General fund in 2023-24 and \$14.7 million ongoing for installation of fixed AVSS cameras at ten prisons.
- Provides \$1.5 million General Fund in 2023-24 and \$62 million one-time General Fund in 2024-25 for the RJ Donovan prison roof replacement.
- Provides \$91.8 million one-time General Fund in 2023-24 for COVID-19 related measures, including testing, personnel services, and medical registry costs.
- Provides \$15 million ongoing General Fund ongoing to continue the employee health program which was initiated during the COVID 19 pandemic with one-time federal funds specifically related to COVID-19.
- Includes a reduction of \$30.9 million General Fund annually over four years for COVID-19 Workers' Compensation costs to account for staff vacancy-related savings.
- Includes a reduction of \$30 million General Fund for deferred maintenance funding provided in the 2021 Budget Act.
- Provides \$11 million General Fund and 85 positions in 2023-24 and \$17.3 million and 144 positions beginning in 2024-25 to expand the use of tele-mental health in prisons.
- Provides one-time \$39.7 million General Fund to address a projected deficit in the budget for contract medical services in the near term and requires CDCR to develop

a refined methodology for budget contract medical services to account for patient acuity and increasing medical costs.

- Provides \$3.3 million one-time (\$200,000 General Fund and \$3.1 million reimbursement authority) in 2023-24 only to enable CDCR to develop an information technology system to support the Medi-Cal billing process in conjunction with the implementation of the statewide CalAIM Justice-Involved Initiative.
- Includes \$34.2 million in 2023-24 for the construction of an arsenic and manganese removal water treatment plant at Valley State Prison and at the adjacent Central California Women's Facility and a reappropriation of \$849,000 for the working drawings phase.
- Provides \$1.5 million one-time General Fund in 2023-24 to continue construction of two individual exercise yards adjacent to the Correctional Treatment Center at the California State Prison, Corcoran.
- Provides \$8.1 million General Fund in 2023-24, \$9.3 million in 2024-25, and \$7.8 million in 2025-26 to migrate CDCR's System Applications and Products (SAP) software to SAP's new system offering, S/4 HANA.
- Provides \$925,000 General Fund in 2023-24 continue with a project to build a new radio communications system at California State Prison, Corcoran.
- Provides \$2.8 million General Fund and 17.0 positions in 2023-2024 and ongoing to support the remedial measures associated with the Clark class action lawsuit at institutions with the highest populations of individuals with developmental disabilities.
- Provides \$500,000 General Fund and two positions in 2023-2024 and ongoing to support court-mandated remedial measures associated with the Clark and Armstrong class action lawsuits at institutions with the highest populations of incarcerated persons with disabilities.
- Provides \$3.7 million General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing for Department of Justice Legal Services fees.
- Includes 11 positions and \$10.4 million General Fund in 2023-24 and \$7.6 million ongoing to continue to develop and implement the CDCR's comprehensive eDiscovery platform.
- Provides \$1.9 million General Fund in 2023-24 and 2024-25 to comply with Chapter 748, Statutes of 2022 (AB 1041).

- Provides 10.4 positions and \$2.3 million General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing for the Division of Adult Parole Operations to process increased transfer investigation requests resulting from Chapter 826, Statutes of 2022 (Senate Bill 990).
- Provides \$10 million General Fund to complete construction of the remaining Health Care Facility Improvement Program (HCFIP) projects at 10 prisons and budget bill language to allow expenditure transfers between these projects.
- Provides \$26.8 million Inmate Welfare Fund authority in 2023-24 and ongoing to support increasing annual purchases for the incarcerated population and adopts budget bill language related to canteen price markups.
- Includes \$35 million in 2023-24 to correct fire suppression system deficiencies at Pelican Bay State Prison identified by the State Fire Marshal and an extension of the liquidation period for working drawings funding.
- Includes 11.5 positions and \$1.1 million General Fund in 2023-2024 and ongoing for implementation of Chapter 837, Statutes of 2022 (SB 1139) to address expanded health information requests.
- Reappropriates \$1.03 million General Fund from the 2020 Budget Act and \$268,000 General Fund from the 2021 Budget Act to enable CDCR to complete the purchase of fleet assets.
- Provides \$9.6 million General Fund and 16 positions in 2023-24, \$9.3 million and 16 positions in 2024-25, and \$2.9 million in 2025-26 and ongoing to adjust CDCR's process for handling allegations of staff misconduct.
- Includes 13.0 positions and \$3.9 million General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing for suicide prevention programs through CDCR's statewide mental health program regional staffing.
- Realigns budget authority within CDCR programs and transfers \$8 million General Fund in 2023-24 and ongoing from CDCR to the California Arts Council to support the Arts in Corrections program.
- Provides \$2.2 million General Fund and 7.5 positions in 2023-2024 and ongoing to support implementation of the Integrated Gender Affirming Health Care Program and to deliver gender-affirming care to the incarcerated population for the transgender and gender diverse patients consistent with CDCR policy and Penal Code Sections 2605 and 2606.

- Approves the Joint Commission Accreditation proposal for 15.0 positions and \$3.2 million General Fund in 2023-24, 19.0 positions and \$3.8 million General Fund in 2024-25, 26.0 positions and \$4.3 million General Fund in 2025-26, 31.0 positions and \$5.1 million General Fund in 2026-27, and 38.0 positions and \$6.1 million General Fund in 2027-28 and ongoing.
- Provides \$1 million General Fund for a sexual assault response and prevention working group at CDCR.
- Provides \$522,000 ongoing General Fund and adopts trailer bill to implement the Family Dignity Act.

# Youth Justice

- Estimates 150 youth will remain at the time of DJJ's closure on June 30, 2023 and includes a net reduction of \$91.8 million (\$89.4 million General Fund and \$2.4 million other funds) and 590.2 positions in 2023-24, and a net reduction of \$98.9 million (\$96.1 million General Fund and \$2.8 million other funds) and 631.4 positions in 2024-25, and \$95.8 million (\$93 million General Fund and \$2.8 million other funds) in 2025-26 and ongoing associated with the closure of the Division of Juvenile Justice, and net-zero technical adjustments associated with temporary staffing for the Division of Juvenile Justice post-closure.
- Adopts budget bill to provided limited, temporary reporting on youth served in the county juvenile justice systems related to the realignment of the Division of Juvenile Justice.
- Adopts trailer bill to provide a technical clarification regarding Welfare Institutions Code 875 progress reviews, sight sound clarification, and inspections of camps, ranches, and secure youth track facilities.

#### Office of Inspector General

- Provides \$117,000 in Fiscal Year 2023-2024 and ongoing and one position to support implementation of Chapter 821, Statutes of 2022 (SB 903) related to the California Rehabilitation Oversight Board.
- Provides technical adjustments to resources previously allocated for monitoring the staff complaint process at the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

# **Commission on Judicial Performance**

• Includes \$189,000 General Fund and 1.0 position in 2023-24 and \$178,000 and 1.0 position ongoing for an Administrative Assistant to Counsel position that would assist

in processing the new complaints due to the increase in accepting online complaints in 2021.

## **Judicial Branch**

- Provides \$5 billion (\$3.1 billion General Fund and \$1.9 billion other funds) for Judicial Branch operations, of which \$2.9 billion will support trial court operations.
- Provides \$74.1 million ongoing General fund to support trial court operations which is in addition to augmentations provided in the 2021 and 2022 Budget Acts
- Provides \$55.5 million to implement the CARE Act, which includes costs for LA County's early implementation and doubling the hours of legal services for participants from 20 hours to 40 hours, growing to \$133 million ongoing beginning in 2025-26, and requires quarterly reporting from the first cohort of counties that are funded. Reappropriates \$1.75 million from the 2022 Budget Act for information technology improvements related to the implementation of the CARE Act.
- Includes \$20 million in 2023-24 and 2024-25 to restore funding for the Court Appointed Special Advocates Program which was proposed for reduction in the Governor's Budget.
- Provides \$19 million General Fund in 2023-24, \$17.5 million in 2024-25, and \$4.2 million ongoing to implement Chapter 326, Statutes of 2021 related to juror compensation.
- Provides \$105.14 million ongoing General Fund for support the Trial Court Trust Fund Backfill.
- Reduces \$20.65 million General fund in 2023-24 and \$30 million ongoing to reflect updated estimates for the Ability to Pay Program established in Chapter 57, Statutes of 2021, due to the associated revenue loss for courts being lower than expected. The total estimated backfill is \$26.4 million in 2023-24, and \$28.4 million ongoing.
- Reverts \$25 million General Fund provided in the 2021 Budget Act for the acquisition of the New Fort Ord Courthouse in Monterey County.
- Provides \$55.5 million in 2023-24, \$175.5 million in 2024-25, and \$174.5 million ongoing to backfill a projected shortfall in the State Court Facilities Construction Fund in order to maintain existing service levels.
- Provides \$5.97 million ongoing General Fund to support Judicial Branch Facilities Operations and Maintenance.

- Provides \$19.6 million ongoing General Fund for trial court employee health benefit and retirement costs.
- Provides \$3.8 million General and 2.0 positions in 2023-24, \$3.31 million positions in 2024-25, and \$1.97 million ongoing to comply with data collection requirements specified in SB 929 (Chapter 539, Statutes of 2022) relating to community mental health services
- Provides \$440,000 one-time General Fund for new signage to rename the Superior Court of Merced County's main courthouse as the Charles James Ogletree, Jr. Courthouse pursuant to Chapter 410, Statutes of 2022 (AB 2268).
- Provides \$200,000 from the Court Interpreters' Fund in 2023-24 through 2027-28 to address the shortage of qualified interpreters by providing trainings for near passers of the bilingual interpreting examination and budget bill language to authorize yearly adjustments to the expenditure authority.
- Provides \$838,000 General Fund and 3.0 positions in 2023-24, and \$1.6 million and 6.0 positions ongoing to implement new laws through rules of court and forms.
- Reduces the \$188 million one-time General fund included in the 2021 Budget Act for deferred maintenance by \$49.5 million in 2022-23.
- Provides \$2.7 million in 2023-24, and \$2.3 million in 2024-25 and 2025-26 from the Appellate Court Trust Fund for appellate workload and operations.
- Provides \$1.4 million from the Appellate Court Trust Fund in 2023-24 through 2025-26 and adopts trailer bill language for a three-year Appellate Court Security Pilot program.
- Extends the liquidation period of the funding provided to the Judicial Branch by Control Section 6.10 of the 2018 Budget Act for deferred maintenance projects, from June 30, 2023 to June 30, 2024.
- Approves for the following court projects with General Fund:
  - Nevada County: New Nevada City Courthouse: \$8.12 million for the acquisition phase.
  - San Bernardino County: Juvenile Dependency Courthouse Addition and Renovation: \$8.31 million for the construction phase.
  - Monterey County: Fort Ord Courthouse: \$153.04 million for the design-build phase.

- Court of Appeal: New Sixth Appellate District Courthouse: \$2.81 million for the performance criteria phase.
- Rejects the lease revenue bond conversion to General Fund proposals for the following court projects, leaving them to continue as lease revenue bond projects:
  - Imperial County: New El Centro: \$18.2 million
  - Sacramento County: New Sacramento Courthouse: \$17.05 million
  - Shasta County: \$54.14 million
- Includes reimbursement authority of \$5.9 million in 2023-24 and \$5.7 million in 2024-25 and 2025-26 to support an interagency agreement with the Board of State and Community Corrections to implement federal funds from the Byrne State Crisis Intervention Program.
- Reduces \$16.37 million ongoing General Fund backfill in accordance with updated revenue loss estimates related to the expansion of filing fee waivers in the 2022 Budget Act.
- Provides \$22,000 ongoing General Fund to revise the employee compensation adjustment to reflect recently approved salary increases for Staff Attorneys.
- Adjusts the trial court employee benefit item by a decrease of \$21.44 million ongoing General Fund to reflect updated health benefit and retirement rate changes for trial court employees.
- Extends the availability for pre-trial funding for counties which was appropriated in the 2021 and 2022 Budget Act.
- Corrects an error related to administrative costs for a legal service grant program for indigent individuals.
- Adopts trailer bill to delay the implementation of lactation rooms in courthouses by 2 years (AB 1576), eliminate the sunset dates for expiring civil filing fees, establishes the Access to Justice Commission in statute, and support for appellate court security.
- Provides \$250,000 ongoing General Fund to the Access to Justice Commission to support Loan Repayment Assistance Programs (LRAP) at legal aid organizations and allows LRAP to be a permissible use of funding provided through the Equal Access Fund.

- Allows the one-time resources provided for firearms relinquishment in civil proceedings in the 2022 Budget Act to also be made available for removal of firearms of prohibited persons in criminal court.
- Reappropriates \$6.8 million for the Court Interpreter Workforce pilot program.
- Provides ongoing backfill of \$1.2 million General Fund for the repeal of criminal administrative fees related to record sealing and post-conviction remedies pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1203.4, 1203.41, 1203.42, and 1203.45.
- Provides a total of \$8 million one-time General Fund to the Judicial Branch and the Office of State Public Defender to implement the Racial Justice Act in both capital and non-capital cases.
- Extends the authority to conduct remote criminal court proceedings by one year.

### Department of Justice

- Provides \$1.3 billion, including \$491.6 million General Fund, to support the Department of Justice, as part of the May Revision.
- Proposes a \$400 million budgetary loan from the Litigation Deposit Fund to the General Fund in 2023-24 to assist in addressing the state's budgetary shortfall and adopts trailer bill.
- Provides \$7.21 million General Fund and a reduction of \$5.8 million of Reimbursement Authority in 2023-24 and ongoing to maintain the Special Operations Unit Program.
- Provides \$1.11 million Unfair Competition Law Fund and 4.0 positions in 2023-24 and \$1.06 million and 4.0 positions in 2024-25 and ongoing to address current workloads in the Worker Rights and Fair Labor Section, to facilitate the required investigatory work associated with these cases.
- Includes \$1.9 million (\$702,000 General Fund and \$1.2 million various Special Funds) in 2023-24, increasing to \$4 million (\$1.5 million General Fund and \$2.5 million various Special Funds) in 2026-27 and ongoing for their eDiscovery and Review Platform to collect, store, and process electronic discovery information related to litigation.
- Provides a loan of \$4.3 million in 2023-24 and 2024-25 from the General Fund to the Ammunition Authorization Program Fund.
- Provides \$7.96 million (\$3.98 million Attorney General Antitrust Account and \$3.98 million Unfair Competition Law Fund) and 20.0 positions in 2023-24 and \$7.79 million

(\$3.89 million Attorney General Antitrust Account and \$3.89 million Unfair Competition Law Fund) and 20.0 positions ongoing to prosecute antitrust violations within the gas and oil, technology, and agricultural sectors

- Rejects the fee increase to maintain the Missing Persons DNA Program and provides \$1.46 million General Fund backfill for three years.
- Provides \$46.1 million General Fund beginning in 2023-24 for operational backfill and conforming expenditure authority for three years, and \$7.3 million and conforming expenditure authority one-time for equipment purchase and replacement in 2023-24.
- Provides \$7.5 million Dealers Record of Sale Account in 2023-24 and \$2.6 million ongoing thereafter for the Firearms Information Technology System Modernization Project.
- Provides \$1.38 million (\$973,000 General Fund and \$402,000 Legal Services Revolving Fund) and 4.0 positions in 2023-24 and \$1.34 million in 2024-25 and ongoing to address litigation workload related to housing production and planning through DOJ's Housing Strike Force.
- Provides \$3 million ongoing Unfair Competition Law Fund to expand the work of the Civil Law Section in the DOJ related to the enforcement of tenant protections.
- Reduces D-Cal funding provided in the 2017 Budget Act by \$3 million ongoing General Fund.
- Provides \$821,000 General Fund one-time in 2023-24 to refund the Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund (SDF) and Gambling Control Fund (GCF) for illegal gambling enforcement activities that were improperly expensed to the SDF and GCF in 2019-20.
- Provides a net-zero transfer of \$13.83 million General Fund and 75 positions to establish the Office of General Counsel, including \$6.24 million General Fund and 19 positions from the Civil Law Division and \$7.59 million General Fund and 56 positions from the California Justice Information Services Division.
- Provides ongoing \$3.5 million Federal Trust Fund Expenditure Authority to allow the DOJ to fully expend anticipated federal grant awards within the Criminal Justice and Information Services Division.
- Provides \$1.3 million Gambling Control Fund in 2023-24 and \$1,266,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing to permanently support the workload in the Cardroom and Third Party Providers of Proposition Player Services sections.

- Provides \$1.81 million General Fund and 6.0 positions in 2023-24 and \$1,762,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing to implement a Police Practices Divisions pursuant to the requirements of Chapter 326, Statutes of 2020 (AB 1506).
- Shifts all eligible proposed General Fund expenditures to Dealers Record of Sales Special Account or Fingerprint Fees Account for the New Your State Rifle and Pistol Association v. Bruen Supreme Court ruling: \$4.98 million in 2023-24 and \$3.21 million in 2024-25 to process an anticipated increase in carry concealed weapon permit applications.
- Shifts all eligible General Fund to Dealer's Record of Sales Special Account spending and remaining expenditures from the General Fund for the following:
  - Microstamping and Law Enforcement Transfer (M-LET): \$1.46 million and 5 positions in 2023-24, \$1.42 million in 2024-25, \$1.41 million in 2025-26 and \$1.09 million ongoing for tracking and reporting individual Firearm Identification Numbers related to firearm sales.
  - Implementation of Various Firearm Related Legislation: \$5.7 million and 17.0 Positions in 2023-24, \$4.4 million in 2024- 25, and \$2.71 million in 2025-26 and ongoing to address increased workload associated with the implementation of SB 1384, AB 2552, AB 1621, AB 1594, AB 2156, and AB 228.
  - Firearm Compliance Section: \$342,000 and 3.0 positions in 2023-24 and \$307,000 and 3.0 positions in FY 2024-25 and ongoing for firearm workloads within the Compliance Support Section.
- Provides \$1.46 million General Fund and 5.0 positions in 2023-24 and \$1.12 million and 5.0 positions in 2024-25 and ongoing to support the workload requirements of Chapter 986, Statutes of 2022 (SB 863).
- Provides \$325,000 General Fund and 1.0 position in 2023-24 and \$317,000 and 1.0 position in 2024-25 and ongoing to support the workload requirements of Chapter 854, Statutes of 2022 (AB 655).
- Provides \$1.78 million Fingerprint Fees Account in 2023-24 and \$1.53 million in 2024-25 to meet the mandates outlined in Chapter 814, Statutes of 2022 (SB 731), and adopts trailer bill language.
- Provides \$2.18 million General Fund in 2023-24, \$2.11 million in 2024-25, and \$848,000 in 2025-26 and 2026-27 to support the workload requirements of Assembly Bill 256 (Chapter 739, Statutes of 2022).

- Provides \$817,000 General Fund and 4.0 positions in 2023-24, \$2.44 million and 12.0 positions in 2024-25, and \$2.37 million and 12.0 positions in 2025-26 and ongoing to implement the mandates of Chapter 806, Statutes of 2022 (AB 2778).
- Provides \$163,000 General Fund and 1.0 position in 2023-24 and \$154,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing to support the workload requirements pursuant to Chapter 642, Statutes of 2022 (AB 1837).
- Provides \$1.78 million General Fund in 2023-24 to implement the necessary system modifications to meet the mandates of Chapter 853, Statutes of 2017 (Senate Bill 179).
- Provides \$609,000 General Fund and 3.0 positions in 2023-24 and \$585,000 and 3.0 positions in 2024-25 and ongoing to support the workload requirements of Chapter 475, Statutes of 2022 (AB 923).
- Provides \$272,000 General Fund and 2.0 positions in 2023-24 and \$478,000 and 2.0 positions in 2024-25 and ongoing to support the implementation of Chapter 750, Statutes of 2021 (AB 1084).
- Provides \$888,000 General Fund and 4.0 positions in 2023-24, \$1,180,000 in 2024-25 and \$1,146,000 in FY 2025-26 and ongoing to support the workload requirements of Chapter 320, Statutes of 2022 (AB 2273) and requires an updated workload report. Provides one-time \$750,000 General Fund to establish a children's data workgroup convened by DOJ and adopts trailer bill.
- Provides \$1.74 million ongoing General Fund to continue processing sex offender tiering and termination workload and provide system support and maintenance pursuant to Chapter 541, Statutes of 2017 (Senate Bill 384).
- Provides \$673,000 General Fund and 3.0 positions in 2023-24, and \$646,000 and 3.0 positions in 2024-25 and ongoing to support the workload requirements of Chapter 269, Statutes of 2022 (AB 587).
- Provides \$325,000 General Fund and 1.0 position in 2023-24 and \$317,000 and 1.0 position in 2024-25 and ongoing to support the implementation of Chapter 555, Statutes of 2022 (AB 1287).
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- Includes \$340,000 General Fund and 2.0 positions in 2023-24 and \$389,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing to support the workload requirements of Chapter 700, Statutes of 2022 (AB 2879).
- Includes \$3 million General Fund in 2023-24 through 2026-27 to acquire external legal services to assist with ongoing litigation related to the state's pandemic tenant protections.
- Adopts trailer bill to change reporting date and frequency for AB 1356, adjust the report due date for the Armed Prohibited Persons System Report to March 15, beginning in 2024, and reporting requirements related to the Litigation Deposit Fund.
- Provides \$241,000 General Fund and 1.0 position in 2023-24 and \$231,000 and 1.0 position in 2024-25 and ongoing to meet the mandates outlined in Chapter 773, Statutes of 2022 (AB 2135).
- Includes \$779,000 General Fund and 3.0 positions in 2023-24 and \$755,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing to support the workload requirements of Chapter 857, Statutes of 2022 (SB 301).
- Provides \$253,000 General Fund and 1.0 position in 2023-24 and \$213,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing to make necessary information technology upgrades pursuant to Chapter 796, Statutes of 2022 (AB 2658).
- Includes \$3.18 million (\$1.65 Gambling Control Fines and Penalties Fund and \$1.52 million Indian Gaming Special Distribution Fund) in 2023-24 to continue the License 2000 System Replacement Project.
- Provides \$2.32 million one-time General Fund in 2023-24 for the payment of outstanding loans and unpaid interest related to the repealed Remote Caller Bingo Program.
- Provides \$531,000 General Fund for three years to establish an advisory council on improving interactions between law enforcement and individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities.
- Provides one-time \$557,000 General Fund related to two firearm settlements, Miller, et al. v. Bonta, et al. and South Bay Rod & Gun Club, Inc., et al. v. Bonta, et al.
- Adopts trailer bill providing DOJ with the authority to receive subsequent federal arrest and disposition information and provides DOJ with the authority to adjust the ammunition program fee through the regulatory process.

### **Office of Emergency Services**

- Provides \$3.4 billion (\$871.7 million General Fund) and 1,877 positions for OES.
- Provides \$20 million one-time General Fund to Monterey County and one-time General Fund to Merced County to support the communities of Pajaro and Planada related to flood damage relief, for all residents and workers, regardless of documentation or citizenship status.
- Provides \$7 million each year beginning in 2023-24 for three years to support emergency services for victims of human trafficking
- Provides \$10 million General Fund in 2023-24 for Family Justice Centers statewide.
- Provides \$95 million one-time flood contingency set aside to support costs associated with the 2023 storms and requires notification to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee prior to the disbursement of funds.
- Preserves \$15 million one-time General Fund for the Multifamily Seismic Retrofit Matching Grant Program.
- Provides \$174.66 million lease revenue bond for the design-build phase of the Southern Region: Emergency Operations Center project which includes construction of a new office building, warehouse, communications tower, and helipad on 15 acres at the former Fairview Developmental Center
- Includes \$20 million General Fund in 2023-24 for the Non Profit Security Grant Program.
- Adopts trailer bill related to the California Emergency Relief Fund and adopts budget bill language to update the statewide strategic plan report.
- Includes 4 positions and \$23.84 million 988 State Suicide and Behavioral Health Crisis Services Fund in FY 2023-24 and ongoing (\$3.56 million state operations and \$20.28 million local assistance) to support activities required to implement Chapter 747 Statutes of 2022 (AB 988.), and shifts \$5.98 million current year funding from General Fund to 988 State Suicide and Behavioral Health Crisis Services Fund.
- Provides \$137.64 million (\$19.5 million state operations and \$118.15 million local assistance) in 2023-24, \$132.78 million (\$12.1 million state operations and \$120.68 million local assistance) in 2024-25, and \$91.44 million (\$6.2 million state operations and \$85.25 million local assistance) ongoing State Emergency Telephone Number Account to support the completion of the California Public Safety Microwave Network

buildout, completion of the Next Generation 9-1-1 system, and the ongoing maintenance and support of these systems.

- Provides \$1.8 million General Fund for the construction phase of the Mather: Security Checkpoint Enhancements project and reappropriates \$351,000 General Fund for the working drawings phase of the Mather: Security Checkpoint Enhancements project.
- Provides \$28.7 million General Fund ongoing and 17 positions for the California Cybersecurity Integration Center and budget bill language requiring reporting on activities.
- Realigns \$1 billion federal trust fund authority and the creation of a new local assistance Item of appropriation to realign federal emergency and grant funding.
- Provides \$531,000 General Fund in 2023-24 and \$280,000 in 2024-25 to implement Chapter 820, Statutes of 2022 (SB 892).
- Provides 55 permanent positions, funded within existing appropriation authority, to administer state and federal grants.
- Includes 37 positions, \$9.5 million (\$7.02 million Federal Trust Fund and \$2.47 million General Fund) in 2023-24, and \$9.12 million (\$6.74 million Federal Trust Fund and \$2.38 million General Fund) ongoing to support hazard mitigation and implement new federal programs.
- Reappropriates \$3 million General Fund with an encumbrance extension to June 30, 2024, for support costs identified in the State Operations Center modernization project
- Reappropriates of \$2.9 million General Fund with an encumbrance extension to June 30, 2025, for purchase of a specialized vehicle to provide a backup, mobile warning center.
- Provides \$951,000 General Fund and three ITS II positions from 2023-24 through 2026-27 for Cal-CSIC to plan, develop, and implement the database to meet the specific requirements of Chapter 498, Statutes of 2022 (AB 2355).
- Provides \$4.5 million one-time General Fund to continue daily COVID-19 testing protocols related to the State's SMARTER Plan.
- Includes \$400,000 in state operations and \$7.6 million in local assistance Federal Trust Fund authority to implement the new State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program and adopts budget bill requiring reporting on grant outcomes.

- Provides eight positions, \$1.25 million Federal Trust Funds, and \$416,000 General Fund to implement the new Federal Emergency Management Agency Validate As You Go payment process.
- Provides \$951,000 General Fund and three ITS II positions from 2023-24 through 2026-27 for Cal-CSIC to plan, develop, and implement the database to meet the specific requirements of AB 2355.
- Provides \$43.26 million General Fund for five years beginning 2023-24 related to warehouse leasing and operations and adopts budget bill language directing OES to report on other storage options
- Provides \$4 million to support public education and outreach related to gun violence and domestic violence restraining orders in various languages and \$21 million General Fund to support a gun buyback program.
- Includes budget bill language related to state cost share of direct federal assistance.
- Provides 12 additional ongoing positions for distributed administration authority to be funded with distributed administration funding resulting from the required federal indirect cost allocations.
- Reappropriates up to \$1 million General Fund for emergency vehicles and provides that the funding will be available for encumbrance and expenditure until June 30, 2024.
- Reverts \$37 million General Fund from the 2022 Budget Act for the Warehousing Operations for Emergency Response Equipment and Supplies proposal.
- Provides \$500,000 one-time General Fund for the purchase of receiver boxes for the California Public Television Early Earthquake Warning System Pilot.
- Provides \$2.3 million one-time General Fund to extend the Sexual and Domestic Violence Prevention grant program.
- Provides \$5.4 million reimbursement authority and includes reporting requirements to support an operational observer from February 1, 2024 to January 31, 2025 to monitor wildfire mitigation efforts of covered utilities.

# Local Public Safety

• Includes \$40 million General Fund for the Public Defense pilot in the Governor's Budget and restores the funding.

- Provides increased federal spending authority for the Federal Bipartisan Safer Communities Act.
- Proposes \$12 million one-time General Fund for grants to support local tribes to investigate cases of missing and murdered indigenous persons, building on the investment made in the 2022 Budget Act which included \$12 million General Fund over three years for this effort.
- Proposes \$20 million one-time General Fund for the Nonprofit Security Grant Program.
- Provides \$9.3 million General Fund in 2023-24 for Post Release Community Supervision.
- Reappropriates \$500,000 for the Medication Assisted Treatment Grant Program for encumbrance or expenditure through June 30, 2027.
- Provides that previously allocated resources in the 2022 Budget Act to be used for transitional housing services to youth returned to local custody following to closure of the Division of Juvenile Justice who are subsequently released by the juvenile court.
- Provides \$370,000 one-time General Fund to RAND Corporation to complete a three year recidivism study for the County Resentencing Pilot which was included in the 2021 Budget Act with District Attorney Offices in nine counties and extends the due date for the report.
- Provides \$5 million one-time General Fund to support the co-location of the pilot Mobile Assistance Community Responders Program (MACRO) with a fire station and first responders to support non-law enforcement responses to mental health crises.
- Provides \$5 million one-time General Fund to the Anti-Recidivism Coalition for a Southern California Reentry Hub building.
- Provides \$1 million to Uncommon Law for the Home After Harm program.
- Extends the period of time Youth Reinvestment Grant Cohort 2 grantees have to expend the grants they received to June 30, 2024 but maintains the final local evaluation reports shall be submitted by September 30, 2023, as originally required, with all available information.

# **Commission on Peace Officers Standards and Training**

- Provides \$4.5 million from the General Fund in 2023-24 and \$3.9 million ongoing to fund Office of Administrative Hearings costs associated with implementation of Senate Bill 2 (Chapter 409, Statutes of 2021) and adopts budget bill language to report on workload measures.
- Provides \$6.05 million General Fund in 2023-24 and \$5.28 million in 2024-25 and 2025-26 only for Department of Justice legal costs that will be incurred by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training for the peace officer decertification proceedings that will be heard before an administrative law judge pursuant to Chapter 409, Statutes of 2021 (SB 2).
- Adopts trailer bill related to Chapter 409, Statutes of 2021 (SB 2) related to the public records process and includes a sunset provision.

### Office of State Public Defender

- Provides \$280,000 ongoing General Fund and 2.0 positions ongoing to support efforts in recruitment and retention to improve staff diversity.
- Provides a total of \$8 million one-time General Fund to the Judicial Branch and the Office of State Public Defender to implement the Racial Justice Act in both capital and non-capital cases.

#### Victims Compensation Board

• Provides \$877,000 Restitution Fund and 4.0 positions in 2023-24 and \$789,000 and 4.0 positions in 2024-25 and ongoing to implement and maintain increased cybersecurity capabilities

#### **Military Department**

- Provides \$448,000 General Fund in 2023-24, and \$441,000 in 2024-25 and ongoing, and 3 positions to perform work order clerk duties and to oversee the sustainability objectives of the new headquarters building.
- Provides 12 positions and \$2 million (\$1.5 million Federal Trust Fund authority and \$500,000 General Fund) in 2023-24 and ongoing to administer the Youth ChalleNGe Program expansion of 100 cadets in budget year to 200 cadets two years later at the Grizzly Youth Academy in Camp San Luis Obispo.
- Includes 4 positions and \$1.3 million Federal Trust Fund authority in 2023-24, and \$1.5 million in 2024-25 and ongoing, to establish and operate STARBASE programs

- at Porterville Military Academy and Camp San Luis Obispo. Includes an additional \$1 million Federal Trust Fund authority augmentation for unencumbered costs for reimbursements available until September 30, 2023.
- Makes adjustments to the state active duty pay to align the pay of state active duty employees to the pay of service members of similar grade in the federal armed forces.
- Provides 9 positions and \$1.48 million General Fund in 2023-24, and \$1.46 million annually thereafter, to support administrative services within the Military department's accounting section and budget areas.
- Provides 18 positions and an increase of \$2.48 million 2023-24 and \$2.34 million in 2024-25 and ongoing to provide 24/7 security at the California Military Department's new Consolidated Headquarters Complex.
- Provides \$2.5 million ongoing General Fund to establish the Army Facilities Agreement Program Income Fund and adopts trailer bill.
- Adopts trailer bill related to the dissolution of the Military Family Relief Fund.
- Provides \$1.15 million one-time General Fund for creek embankment repairs at Camp San Luis Obispo caused be winter storms in early 2023.

# SPRING 2023 EARLY ACTION BUDGET PACKAGE

Торіс	House / Bill Number
Early Action Amendment to the 2022 Budget Act	AB 100
Child Care	AB 110
Student Loan Relief State Tax	AB 111
Hospitals	AB 112
Farmworker Employment	AB 113

# AB 100 (Ting) Amendment to 2022 Budget Act

# Chaptered on May 15, 2023; Chapter 3, Statutes of 2023

This bill amends the 2022 and 2021 budget acts to make mostly technical changes needed to implement those bills correctly, such as clarifying fiscal agents and extending encumbrance periods. The bill includes \$15.4 million in new funding for debris removal activities related to the recent McKinney fire in Siskiyou County.

# AB 110 (Committee on Budget) Child Care

# Chaptered on May 15, 2023; Chapter 4, Statutes of 2023

This bill reappropriates one-time federal funds from the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2021 to provide an additional, temporary rate supplement in the current fiscal year for all state-subsidized child care and preschool programs. This bill also extends the family fee waiver from June 30, 2023 to September 30, 2023 for all child care and preschool programs.

# AB 111 (Committee on Budget) Student Loan Debt Relief Taxation Chaptered on May 15, 2023; Chapter 5, Statutes of 2023

This bill clarifies that the state will not tax student loan debt relief provided by the federal government as part of COVID-19 response nor relief given by the State to community college students for fees.

# AB 112 (Committee on Budget) Distressed Hospital Loan Fund Chaptered on May 15, 2023; Chapter 6, Statutes of 2023

This bill establishes the Distressed Hospitals Loan Fund with \$150 million General Fund. This bill requires hospitals applying for loans to submit a plan to the state detailing the hospital's plan to regain long-term financial viability; It also requires the state to make a determination that long-term financial viability of the hospital is reasonably likely in order to issue the loan; It authorizes the state to require a hospital receiving a loan to provide the state with an independent financial audit of the hospital's operations; and Finally, it increases the requirements on all hospitals for reporting financial data to the state.

# AB 113 (Committee on Budget) Agricultural Worker Collective Bargaining *Chaptered on May 15, 2023; Chapter 7, Statutes of 2023*

AB 113 is the early action budget trailer bill that changes and streamlines the process for agricultural workers to select a collective bargaining union representative. This bill eliminates the mail-ballot option for farm workers to join a union, providing a single alternative way for farm workers to select a union through the card-check petition system.

# 2023 JUNE BUDGET PACKAGE

Торіс	House / Bill Number
Budget Act of 2023	SB 101
Amendment to the 2023 Budget Act	AB 102
Amendment to the 2022 Budget Act	AB 103
Education	SB 114
Education (Prop 28)	SB 115
Child Care	AB 116
Higher Education	SB 117
Health	AB 118
MCO Tax	AB 119
Human Services	AB 120
Developmental Services	AB 121
Resources	SB 122
Energy 1	SB 123
Energy 2	SB 124
Transportation 1	SB 125
General Government 1	AB 127
General Government 2 (Cannabis)	AB 128
Housing and Homelessness	AB 129
Labor	AB 130
Revenue and Taxation	SB 131
Film Tax Credit	SB 132
Courts	SB 133
Public Safety	AB 134

# INFRASTRUCTURE LEGISLATION

Торіс	House / Bill Number
Environmental Mitigation – Department of	
Transportation	SB 145
Public Resources - Contracting	SB 146
Fully Protected Species – California	
Endangered Species Act	SB 147
California Environmental Quality Act	
(CEQA)	SB 149
Construction – Workforce Development,	
Public Contracts	SB 150

# SB 101 (Skinner) Budget Act of 2023

# Chaptered on June 27, 2023; Chapter 12, Statutes of 2023

This bill is the 2023 Budget Act, reflecting the two-party legislative budget agreement of June 15, 2023. This bill was later amended by SB 102 to reflect a three party agreement reached with the Governor.

# AB 102 (Ting) Amendment to the 2023 Budget Act

# Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 38, Statutes of 2023

This bill amended SB 101 to enact the three party budget agreement reached between the Governor and the two legislative houses. Together these two bills result in a \$310.8 billion in total expenditures for next year (\$225.9 General Fund) and expected reserves of \$37.8 billion.

# AB 103 (Ting) Amendment to the 2023 Budget Act

# Chaptered on June 30, 2023; Chapter 33, Statutes of 2023

This bill amends both the 2021 and 2022 Budget Acts to conform to the 2023 budget package. This bill makes mostly technical changes to the current and prior year budget acts. Among these technical changes is the identification of over \$300 million in child care savings used to pay for the child care rates included in the budget package.

# SB 114 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Education finance: education omnibus

# Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 48, Statutes of 2023

This is the TK-12 Education Omnibus Trailer Bill for the 2023-24 Budget Act. This bill implements changes to public school funding, including to the Local Control Funding Formula (Equity Multiplier, Court Schools), various one-time Block Grants and competitive grants, and major changes to the Universal Transitional Kindergarten implementation timelines and funding.

# SB 115 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Arts and Music in Schools— Funding Guarantee and Accountability Act

# Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 49, Statutes of 2023

This bill is the implementation trailer bill for the first year of funding Proposition 28, The Arts and Music in Schools—Funding Guarantee and Accountability Act established for the purpose of providing a minimum source of annual funding for arts education in public schools.

# AB 116 (Committee on Budget) Early childcare and education *Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 41, Statutes of 2023*

This bill authorizes the Department of Social Services to develop and conduct an alternative methodology, in order to inform reimbursement rates for state-subsidized childcare and development services; Extends the COVID-19 era hold harmless policy for child care program and preschool reimbursement, to September 30, 2023; Streamlines state preschool eligibility determination; Changes the childcare and preschool family fee structure, to no more than 1% of the family's monthly income for families above 75% of the state median family income.

# SB 117 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Higher education *Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 50, Statutes of 2023*

This is a clean-up trailer bill related to higher education provisions in the 2023 Budget Act. The bill shifts projects funded through the Higher Education Student Housing Grant Program to bonds, and names a new round of projects; includes \$200 million General Fund in 2023-24 and \$300 million annually from the 2024-25 to 2028-29 fiscal years per year for Student Housing Revolving Loan Fund; amends the Student Success Completion Grant so that students who are current or former foster youth receive \$5,250 per semester, to cover their unmet need; covers the total cost of attendance for CSU and UC students who are current or former foster youth by providing these students with their full Middle Class Scholarship (MCS) award amount; appropriates, subject to future legislation, \$60 million per year for five years, starting in the 2024-25 fiscal year to expand community college nursing programs and Bachelor of Science in nursing partnerships; reduces 2022-23 funding for student retention and recruitment and deferred maintenance, and allows districts to spend remaining amounts of funding for student retention and recruitment, CCC COVID-19 Recovery Block Grant, and deferred maintenance on any of these purposes; clarifies that community college districts may use their Strong Workforce Program funds to enhance student services, to cover fees charged by a third party for student certifications and licensing, and for work-based learning; provides the Chancellor's Office with the authority to provide financial aid to student members of the Board of Governors; appropriates \$500,000 Proposition 98 General Fund to the CCC Chancellor's Office to conduct a systematic review of online and hybrid education at community colleges throughout the state; requests information from CCC campuses about current data sharing agreements with counties to improve student access to the Cal Fresh program and efforts to enact data-sharing agreements; extends the Cal Grant priority deadline given the pending but delayed launch of new simplified, federal Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) forms; extends by four years, the ability for UC to provide scholarships from non-state funds to students; appropriates \$2.5 million one-time Proposition 98 General Fund to support the Los Angeles Community College District Small Business Entrepreneurship and Innovation Center at East Los Angeles College; requires the California Student Aid Commission to use the cohort default rate from 2020 (instead of the most recent rate) to determine whether an institution is eligible to participate in the Cal Grant program in the 2024-25 award year; clarifies that the maximum award amount for Cal Grants at private non-profits is maintained at \$9,358 in ASSEMBLY BUDGET COMMITTEE 170

2023-24; requires community college districts, as a condition of receiving funding for FT Faculty, to report its progress in increasing the percentage of instruction by full-time faculty and in diversifying faculty; provides \$8 million from previously allocated funding to support a statewide integrated marketing campaign for the CalKIDS college savings program; and increases the amount the Scholarshare Board can provide in seed grants for newborns from \$25 to \$100 for the CalKIDS program.

# AB 118 (Committee on Budget) Health Omnibus

## Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 42, Statutes of 2023

This is the omnibus health trailer bill. This bill includes detail on how new Managed Care Organization (MCO) tax revenue will be spent. This bill also authorizes General Fund loans to the Distressed Hospital Loan Program and the Small and Rural Hospital Relief Program. This bill also requires that all future individual mandate penalty revenue flow directly to Covered California to support affordability programs. This bill authorizes the Department of Managed Health care to institute the use of standardized forms. The bill increases the medical provider interim payment loan authority. This bill revises AB 988 (Bauer-Kahan, 2022). This bill expands the enforcement of the radiologic discipline act to apply to all types of radiology, rather than just mammography. This bill removes the limit on appropriations from the Federal Health Facilities Citation Account for quality improvement projects in skilled nursing facilities. The bill removes the requirement that the Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA) director be a physician and establishes a chief medical officer within EMSA. This bill deletes the requirement that EMSA incorporate the Advance Health Care Directive Registry into the POLST eRegistry. The bill ends the voluntary certification of substance use disorder treatment programs and institutes a mandatory certification process. This bill requires the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) to develop regulations related to virtual driving-under-theinfluence programs. This bill gives the California Health and Human Services Agency (Agency) exemption from the Public Contracts Code for purposes of CalRx. This bill adds pharmacists to the definition of "reproductive health care professionals." This bill adds back provisions included in SB 1223 (Becker, 2022) that were chaptered out by the 2022 health trailer bill. This bill authorizes the Department of Justice to share state summary criminal history data with the Department of State Hospitals. This bill moves the Fentanyl Grant Program from Agency to the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) and revises the due dates for progress reports. This bill revises provisions of SB 929 (Eggman, 2022) related to county reporting of mental health data. This bill defines "post-eligibility treatment of income." This bill cleans up various provisions to reflect the 2022 elimination of the Medi-Cal eligibility assets test. This bill requires specified providers to use the Newborn Hospital Gateway. This bill extends the required deadline for providers to submit Drug Medi-Cal claims to the state from 6 to 12 months. The bill also eliminates the Medi-Cal requirement that inpatient intensive rehabilitation hospital services provide for an initial evaluation for assessment of various conditions. This bill expands the Whole Child Model and mandates enrollment in managed care for foster kids in "Single Plan" counties. This bill removes specified requirements on the development and organization of the Medi-Cal Estimate. This bill requires DHCS, beginning January 1, 2024, to adopt a rate ASSEMBLY BUDGET COMMITTEE 171

year based on the calendar year for long-term care facilities. This bill makes changes to the timeline of a workgroup and report deadlines related to Medi-Cal doula services, and extends the expenditure period for the Medical Interpreters Pilot Project. The bill also increases primary care, obstetric and behavioral health services, as necessary to qualify for federal Designated State Health Programs. This bill delays the required transition to managed care, from July 1, 2023 to January 1, 2024, for institutional long-term care services. This bill creates a new Fund and makes other changes to implement CalAIM Behavioral Health Payment Reform. The bill delays the implementation of presumptive foster care mental health transfers related to AB 1051 (Bennett, 2022). Finally, the bill reflects the restored 2022 investments in healthcare workforce programs.

# AB 119 (Committee on Budget) Managed Care Organization (MCO) Provider Tax *Chaptered on June 29, 2023; Chapter 13, Statutes of 2023*

This bill authorizes a new MCO tax, effective April 1, 2023 through December 31, 2026, contingent upon federal approvals. It establishes legislative intent that this new tax revenue be used to support the health care delivery system, and Medi-Cal in particular, and minimize the need for reductions to Medi-Cal. The bill details the tax methodology, and authorizes DHCS to use the funds for increased Medi-Cal managed care capitation rates, Medi-Cal provider rates, and for future improvements to the Medi-Cal program. The bill includes reporting requirements of DHCS to the Legislature and various state entities related to receipt of federal approvals, finding errors in health plan data, and making modifications to the tax methodology. Finally, this bill authorizes DHCS to assess interest and/or penalties on plans for non-payment by the tax due dates.

# AB 120 (Committee on Budget) Human Services Omnibus Trailer Bill *Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 43, Statutes of 2023*

This bill requires the Department of Social Services (DSS) and the Department of Education to maximize participation in the new Summer EBT program, to provide food benefits to children in the summer months. Implements a 3.6 percent grant increase to CalWORKs and an approximate 8.6 percent increase to State Supplemental Payment (SSP) benefits. Makes the temporary 10 percent CalWORKs grant increase approved last year permanent, preventing a cut to CalWORKs grants next year. Creates the CalFresh Minimum Nutrition Benefit Pilot Program, to raise benefits for people receiving the lowest CalFresh benefit, from \$23 to \$50. Extends the California Fruit and Vegetable EBT Pilot Project, which provides matching dollars for purchasing fruits and vegetables with EBT cards. Extends the CalFresh Safe Drinking Water Pilot Program. Improves access to In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) for children with disabilities. Increases the penalty on counties that do not enter into a collective bargaining agreement with IHSS providers. Strengthens enforcement against entities who are acting as intermediaries in adoptions without a valid adoption agency license. Requires more detailed reporting regarding housing and homelessness programs administered by the DSS, enabling better oversight, and provides more resources for related Technical Assistance contracts. Provides a housing supplement for foster youth in Supervised Independent Living

Placements. Improves legislative oversight over the emerging Child Welfare Services – California Automated Response and Engagement System (CWS-CARES).

# AB 121 (Committee on Budget) Developmental Services Trailer Bill *Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 44, Statutes of 2023*

This bill streamlines access to social recreation, camping, and other services, including art, dance, and music, that were recently restored. Extends remote meeting options and the suspension of family fees for families served by Regional Centers through this next fiscal year, until June 30, 2024. Ensures children with developmental disabilities are not improperly denied behavioral therapy. Expands Lanterman Act services for all children under four, creating uniformity for the youngest people served in the developmental services system, children age zero to two. Permanently extends the LEAP program, which provides individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD) a pathway to state jobs. Creates an Employment First Office within the Health and Human Services Agency to make progress toward more and improved employment opportunities for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Adjusts developmental services rate models to reflect increases to the minimum wage.

# SB 122 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Resources *Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 51, Statutes of 2023*

This is the Resources omnibus trailer bill that includes 17 statutory proposals related to the 2023 Budget. These include: 1) Allows the State Water Resources Control Board to establish a fee for water recycling projects, 2) Amends Public Resources Code Section 42034.2 (SB 212, Jackson, Statutes of 2018) to reduce fee collection from guarterly to biannually and to ensure the fees collected do not exceed the full cost of implementing the Pharmaceutical and Sharps Stewardship Program. 3) Authorizes the Secretary of the California Environmental Protection Agency's (CalEPA) designee to implement specified hazardous material release and accidental release prevention programs to the same extent as the unified program agencies, 4) provides technical cleanup to SB 1295 (Limon, 2022) to incorporate budget funding, 5) Clarifies that the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CalFire), upon approval by the Department of Finance, is authorized to plan, design, construct, and administer contracts and professional services for public works projects under CalFire's jurisdiction. 6) Raises fees for dams. 7) Establishes prioritization for dam safety funding. 8) Allows \$100 per day per diem for the Environmental Justice Advisory Council at the Department of Toxic Substances Control. 9) Simplifies reporting requirements for the Legislative Analyst's Office under AB 1279. 10) Adds aguifers to the definition of natural infrastructure. 11) Authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation (Parks) to negotiate a concession contract, for a term of not more than 30 years, or an extension of an existing concession contract for a term of up to an additional 30 years, and to negotiate other terms, as provided, at Old Town San Diego State Historic Park. 12) Requires Parks to include in a lease agreement, management agreement, or other agreement for the operation of a hotel in the Old Sacramento State Historic Park a provision that requires the entity responsible for development of the hotel, and each sublessee or subcontractor, to enter into a labor peace agreement, as specified. 13) ASSEMBLY BUDGET COMMITTEE 173 Provides protections to the western Joshua tree by requiring: the development of a conservation plan; avoidance and minimization of take of the tree; and permitting and mitigation of any take incidental; to a project. This bill authorizes project proponents to mitigate take by paying a per tree fee in lieu of conducting project-specific mitigation. The bill requires fee revenue to fund actions to address threats to the western Joshua tree on a landscape level, as specified. The bill allows for a listing under the California Endangered Species Act, but prescribes a process by which the Fish and Game Commission can make a listing determination for the pending listing after receiving updated information, as specified. 14) Exempts specified activities regarding the diversion of floodflows for groundwater recharge from specified notification and permitting requirements. This bill provides that diversion of floodflows for groundwater recharge do not require an appropriative water right if specified conditions regarding the diversion are met. This bill exempts from CEQA specified actions related to the implementation of Colorado River water conservation agreements with the US Bureau of Reclamation. 15) Revises the State Water Resources Control Board's (SWRCB) California Water and Wastewater Arrearage Payment Program by making the program applicable to private wastewater treatment providers and enterprise revenue shortfalls. This bill expands the time period covered by the appropriation to December 31, 2022. With this shift in water arrearages assistance from the Department of Community Service and Development to SWRCB, this bill repeals specified provisions the Department of the Community Services and Development Low Income Household Water Assistance program related to this onetime funding. 16) Specifies the intent of the Legislature that the administration conduct an assessment of offshore wind energy permitting and related resources needs across applicable state entities, such as the Energy Commission, the State Lands Commission, the California Coastal Commission, and the State Coastal Conservancy; and states that the outcomes of the assessment may be considered as part of a future budget. 17) Authorizes the establishment of nongovernmental trusts (foundations) for the California African American Museum (CAAM) and Exposition Park; and allows these foundations to perform specified actions. This bill authorizes CAAM's board of directors and OEPM to enter into concession contracts related to merchandise for each entity. This bill requires the Department of Finance, on or before January 10, 2024, and annually thereafter, to submit a report relating to the foundations to the Legislature and Legislative Analyst's Office. This bill sunsets these provisions July 1, 2030.

# SB 123 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Energy #1 *Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 52, Statutes of 2023*

This is the Energy omnibus trailer bill number 1 that includes 6 statutory proposals related to the 2023 Budget. These include: 1) Repeals the California Air Resources Board's (CARB) existing regulation requiring chip card readers for public electric vehicle chargers and instead requires chargers to have tap card readers and mobile phone payment options for level two chargers and requires fast chargers to utilize a communication protocol known as ISO 15118 or "Plug and Charge". This also pauses CARB's ability to change the regulations for five years, and moves authority to set future regulations to the California Energy Commission. 2) Limits the California Public Utilities Commissions' Self-Generation Incentive Program to only cover low income customers when funded by general fund. 3) Amends AB 2446 (Holden, 2022) to delay the deadline to measure (and reduce) the carbon intensity of buildings/materials from July 1, 2025 to December 31, 2026 (18 months). It also delays the deadline to adopt strategies to reduce emissions 40 percent as soon as possible but no later than December 31, 2035 from July 1, 2025 to December 31, 2028 (3.5 years). It also delays the deadline to evaluate the feasibility and cost impact of the strategy from July 1, 2029 to December 1, 2029 (6 months). 4) Allows the Department of Water Resources to reimburse electrical corporations for energy imports procured on behalf of all California electric customers for an additional 13 months from September 30, 2022 to October 31, 2023. 5) Amends SB 1020 (Laird, 2022) to allow connecting zero-carbon or renewable resources behind the meter to meet the existing mandate of 100% zero carbon energy by December 31, 2035. 6) Increases salaries for the 5 members of the California Energy Commission by five percent per year over the next three years.

# SB 124 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Energy II *Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 53, Statutes of 2023*

This was the second energy omnibus trailer bill associated with the June 2023 budget package. It authorizes the state -Bank and the Department of Water Resources to utilize federal funds to finance projects that reduce greenhouse gas emissions. It also makes technical changes to Oil Price Gouging bill, SB X1 2, to clarify the membership of the workgroup to consult on the Fuels Transition Plan. This bill extends PUC's authority to convene the Diablo Canyon Independent Peer Review Panel and makes other technical changes to last year's Diablo Canyon bill. Finally this bill makes other technical changes to the Demand Side Grid Support program.

# SB 125 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Transportation *Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 54, Statutes of 2023*

It includes accountability provisions to accompany the \$5.1 billion for transit relief which allows operators to flex 100 percent of both funds for operations. This bill requires shortterm and long-term financial plans for regional planning agencies in order access funding if agencies are going to use any funding for operations. The bill provides that short term financial plan focuses on how an agency will address operational deficit, how they will split their capital and operational dollars and between transit operators, how it will support ridership and mitigate service cuts and fare increases. This bill requires transit operator data including fleet and asset management, service plans, expenditures on safety and security, opportunities for restricting and requires data on ridership to be posted on the regional transportation agency's website. The bill requires the long term financial plan focuses on ridership retention, a five year forecast of operating funding and ties future TIRCP funding to having a long term financial plan. Additionally, the transit package creates a task force to develop policy recommendations to grow transit ridership and improve the transit experience for all users. This package extends statutory relief for transit operators that is consistent with the statutory relief passed during the pandemic to address a drop in ridership and revenue. SB 125 provides that the funding with the accountability provisions will ensure that we can retain our transit systems while prioritizing the availability of transit for riders who are transit dependent.

# AB 127 (Committee on Budget) General Government

# Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 45, Statutes of 2023

This bill is the government trailer bill that contains changes to implement provisions adopted as part of the Budget Act of 2023. Specifically, this bill contains the following items: (1) Requires the California Arts Council to establish the California Creative Economy Workgroup to develop a strategic plan for the California creative economy and publish findings and recommendations to the Legislature by June 30, 2025; (2) Authorizes the Department of General Services to assist the counties of Los Angeles, Sacramento, San Diego, and San Jose with the delivery and installation of 1,200 emergency sleeping cabins and related improvements; (3) Authorizes the Department of General Services to deposit some or all of the net proceeds related to the lease or sale of excess state lands into the Property Acquisition Law Money Account and authorizes DGS to maintain an operating reserve in the account sufficient to continue developing excess state lands into affordable housing; (4) Further implements the provisions of AB 2135 (Irwin, Chapter 773, Statutes of 2022) by changing the entity receiving certification of information security and privacy policies, standards, and procedures by state agencies not under the direct authority of the Governor from legislative leadership to the Office of Information Security within the Department of Technology; (5) Clarifies that if the Office of Planning and Research provides funding to a local government for a project, the local government, not the Office, is the led for undertaking environmental reviews associated with that project; (6) Allows the Office of Planning and Research to use advanced pay for grantees of Community Resilience Center program funding; (7) Assigns the responsibility of the Youth Empowerment Commission to the Office of Planning and Research and sets the first ASSEMBLY BUDGET COMMITTEE 176 meeting of the Commission before August of 2023; (8) Establishes the Racial Equity Commission in the Office of Planning and Research; (9) Establishes the State Middle Mile Broadband Enterprise Fund at the Department of Technology; (10) Establishes new requirements on the Department of Technology and the California Public Utilities Commission related to broadband; (11) Requires the Department of Finance to, no later than February 1 of each year, calculate the individual subvention amounts for each of the specified state programs and provide this state subventions information on an annual basis to the California State Association of Counties and the League of California Cities for distribution to local agencies for use in calculation of local appropriation limits; (12) Exempts the Office of Tax Appeals communications and final written opinions from the Administrative Procedures Act; (13) Extends the sunset dates for various small business grants programs under Go-Biz; (14) Enacts various changes related to per diem and annual reports for the Commission on the State of Hate; (15) Enacts various changes, including updates to the equity action plan and assessments of progress for the Zero-Emission Vehicle Market Development Office; (16) Extends the California Small Agricultural Business Drought and Flood Relief Grant Program and expands its purpose to provide grants to gualified small agricultural businesses: (17) Relaunches the Made in CA program and requires reports back to the Legislature; (18) Establishes the Army Facilities Agreement Program Income Fund and requires any revenue received from nonfederal tenants' use of Military Department facilities, to be deposited into the fund and made available for the maintenance of Army National Guard facilities; (19) Repeals the California National Guard Military Relief Fund and the aid grant program supported by this fund and deposits any remaining funds into the California Military Department Support Fund; (20) Authorizes the Department of Finance to transfer any unencumbered balance in the California Emergency Relief Fund of any appropriation for which the encumbrance period has expired into the General Fund; (21) Further implements AB 2273 (Wicks, Chapter 320, Statutes of 2022) by establishing the Children's Data Protection Working Group under the Office of the Attorney General; (22) Allows the Department of Finance to authorize budgetary loans from the Litigation Deposit Fund to the General Fund pursuant to the annual budget process in a manner that will not interfere with the purpose for which the fund was created and requires the Department of Justice to provide quarterly reports to the Legislature concerning the Litigation Deposits Fund; (23) Revises reporting and implementation timelines for the transfer of state accounting book of record functions by the State Controller's Office to the Fi\$Cal accounting system to conform to the new expected implementation date of July 1, 2026; (24) Clarifies that the regular maintenance of the monument to the California Native people of the Sacramento, California region on the grounds of the State Capitol shall remain the responsibility of the Department of General Services; and (25) Establishes the Southeast Los Angeles Cultural Center Development Advisory Panel to provide advice to the state and the County of Los Angeles in the development of the Southeast Los Angeles Cultural Center.

## AB 128 (Committee on Budget) Cannabis

### Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 46, Statutes of 2023

This bill is the cannabis budget trailer bill that contains changes to implement provisions included in the Budget Act of 2023, and includes technical changes related to licensee application criminal history information background checks. Specifically, this bill requires the Department of Cannabis Control to submit to the Department of Justice fingerprint images and other related information for criminal history information checks of certain employees, prospective employees, contractors, and subcontractors, and requires the Department of Cannabis Control to request from the Department of Justice subsequent notification service for those individuals, as specified. The bill also exempts from that requirement an owner who has previously submitted fingerprint images and related information in connection with a valid state license issued by a licensing authority, as specified. Per updated federal guidance and requirements, this bill prohibits the Department of Cannabis Control from considering criminal history information from a previous check of that owner when considering whether to issue a subsequent state license. Appropriates \$5,000 from the Cannabis Control Fund for the 2023-24 fiscal year for the purpose of supporting the criminal history information background check process.

## AB 129 (Committee on Budget) Housing and Homelessness *Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 40, Statutes of 2023*

This provides statutory requirements for round 5 of the Homeless Housing, Assistance and Prevention (HHAP) Grant Program, including Regional Homeless Action Plans that includes specific metrics and action items by region, and reprogramming prior bonus rounds 3 and 4 in an expedited manner. The bill includes intent language to transition the HHAPP grant program and other grant programs from the Interagency Council on Homelessness to the Department of Housing and Community Development. Additionally, the bill includes technical clean up language on the Excess Sites Local Government Matching Grants Program and removes any sequencing concerns with the bill. Finally the bill creates a narrow exemption from the Surplus Land Act for land acquired by a local agency that will make at least 25 percent of any housing development affordable.

# AB 130 (Committee on Budget) Labor, Workforce and Employment *Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 39, Statutes of 2023*

This bill is the labor, workforce, and employment budget trailer bill that contains changes to implement provisions included in the Budget Act of 2023. Specifically, this bill contains the following items: (1) Requires the Employment Development Department each year to submit to the Legislature in January and May, instead of May and October, a report on the status of the Unemployment Fund and the Unemployment Compensation Disability Fund, containing actual and forecasted information on each fund; (2) Eliminates the inoperative and repeal dates of the Domestic Worker Rights Education and Outreach Program; (3) Addresses a chaptering out issue during the 2022 legislative session by restoring changes approved in legislation signed into law, AB 2342 (Cervantes), Chapter 568, Statutes of 2022, that was subsequently chaptered out by AB 156 (Committee on Budget), Chapter 569, Statutes of 2022; (4) Clarifies contractor registration requirements, ASSEMBLY BUDGET COMMITTEE 178

establishes penalties for violations of AB 2011 (Wicks) Chapter 647, Statutes of 2022, and SB 6 (Caballero), Chapter 659, Statutes of 2022, and provides the Department of Industrial Relations with the authority to establish and adjust annual registration and renewal fees, as specified.

# SB 131 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Taxation *Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 55, Statutes of 2023*

This bill amends the New Employment Tax Credit to include provisions for specific industries who self-certify and verify in compliance with specified requirements including electric airplane manufacturing, lithium production, lithium battery manufacturing and semi-conductor manufacturing, research and development. Additionally, the bill excludes from gross income any settlements associated with the 2019 Kincade Fire and 2020 Zogg Fire for any qualified taxpayer. Finally, it removes a tax avoidance strategy individuals can transfer highly appreciated assets to an out-of-state trust while retaining some control of the assets to avoid taxes. This bill requires these income and therefore taxable in California.

# SB 132 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Film Tax Credit *Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 56, Statutes of 2023*

This bill allows for a new California Film & Television tax credit (Motion Picture Credit 4.0) for taxable years 2025 to 2030 at \$330 million per year and expands the program to include refundability. The bill applies diversity workplans created in the Soundstage tax credit to Motion Picture Credit 4.0 with modifications. It expands the Career Pathways Training program to provide more opportunities for Californians to enter the industry union workforce. The bill increases staffing at the California Film Commission (CFC) to include two positions to address diversity, equity, inclusion, and workforce. Additionally, it expands the California Film Commission board to include a diversity, equity and inclusion expert employed in the motion picture industry. Finally, it adds set safety provisions as a pilot to Program 4.0.

# SB 133 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Courts *Chaptered on June 30, 2023; Chapter 34, Statutes of 2023*

This trailer bill allows the support of loan repayment assistance programs as a permissible use of the Equal Access Fund and establishes the Access to Justice Commission in statute; requires appointed attorneys representing clients in non-capital cases under the California Racial Justice Act to have completed 10 hours of relevant training, and requires appointments of attorneys representing clients in capital cases under the California Racial Justice Act to be consistent with existing standards in the California Rules of Court; delays the requirement to provide court users access to a lactation room in a courthouse pursuant to Government Code 69894 from July 1, 2024 to July 1, 2026; eliminates the July 1, 2023 sunset provision for various civil court filing fees, including the extension of the limitation of \$18,000 on the total amount of complex fees; allows courts to conduct civil cases, including forensic commitment, juvenile dependency, and juvenile <u>ASSEMBLY BUDGET COMMITTEE</u> <u>179</u>

delinquency cases, using remote technology until January 1, 2026, imposes minimum technology standards, and specifies when various parties are allowed to participate in remote court proceedings; authorizes the Judicial Council to apportion funds in the Appellate Court Trust Fund to the Supreme Court, courts of appeal, and the Judicial council, subject to availability and the needs of each entity;

#### AB 134 (Committee on Budget) Public Safety

#### Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 47, Statutes of 2023

This trailer bill includes the Legislature's intent to close additional state prisons and requires the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) to provide to the Legislature with an interim assessment on August 15, 2023 and a final assessment on November 15, 2023, that includes the necessary operational capacity for each state owned and operated prison, overall housing needs, and an assessment of available space for rehabilitative programming, health care services, specialized bed needs, flexible bed needs, and to comply with class action litigation requirements. The preliminary report shall include the department's methodology and preliminary data and findings; delays the implementation of SB 731 (Chapter 814, Statutes of 2022) by one year to July 1, 2024; makes technical amendments to clarify that reporting to the Department of Justice under Section 13777 of the Penal Code by various local law enforcement agencies, district attorneys, and elected city attorneys shall be on a monthly basis, and clarifies that the report related to anti-reproductive rights crimes shall be published beginning July 1, 2025 and every year thereafter; shifts the reporting requirement due date of the annual Armed Prohibited Persons System report from April 1 to March 15 beginning in 2024; repeals criminal administrative fees related to record sealing and post-conviction remedies pursuant to Penal Code Sections 1203.4, 1203.41, 1203.42, and 1203.45; implements the Family Dignity Act which allows visitors during inperson and family visits to CDCR to bring in certain items, such as diapers, and allows visitors to request CDCR to scan certain documents, such as birth certificates, in their Strategic Offender Management Systems to streamline the visiting process for families; temporarily exempts the Commission on Peace Officers Standards and Training (POST) from disclosure of information requested pursuant to the California Public Records Act related to peace officer decertification that are in the custody of POST and instead requires POST to forward the request to the agency that transmitted the original records to POST for disclosure, requires POST to provide any copies of records to the transmitting agency if the records are no longer in the possession of the transmitting agency, and sunsets this exemption on January 1, 2027; includes technical clarifications regarding progress hearings for youth under Welfare and Institutions Code 875(e) and clarifies that decisions related to baseline terms and placement are judicial decisions; includes technical changes related to sight and sound separation of youth and adults in detention facilities; extends the inspection authority of the Board of State and Community Corrections to inspect camps, ranches and secure youth treatment facilities; provides for the correct calculation of credits earned by youth who will be transferred to county secure youth treatment facilities from the Division of Juvenile Justice; includes technical changes to address chaptering out issues related to Chapter 734, Statutes of 2022 (SB 1106); and ASSEMBLY BUDGET COMMITTEE 180

changes the name of San Quentin State Prison to San Quentin Rehabilitation Center, allows CDCR to use the progressive design-build procurement process for the demolition of a building at San Quentin to design and build a new building for vocational and education programs, includes additional requirements related to the contracting process including requiring the selected design-build to provide payment and performance bonds and errors and omissions insurance coverage, authorizes the CDCR to contract for design and preconstruction services sufficient to establish a guaranteed maximum price and allows for the solicitation for additional proposals if an agreement is unable to be reached, and exempts this project from the California Environmental Quality Act and state historic preservation related requirements.

### INFRASTRUCTURE LEGISLATION

The following budget trailer bills implement the infrastructure package requested by the Administration as part of the 2023-24 state budget deal. These bills were heard in policy committees, including the Committee on Transportation, the Committee on Water, Parks and Wildlife, and the Committee on Natural Resources.

# SB 145 (Newman, Friedman) Infrastructure Package, Environmental Mitigation – Department of Transportation

### Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 57, Statutes of 2023

Contains provisions related to environmental mitigation on the State Highway System and wildlife crossings over Interstate 15. Specifically, this bill: (1) Specifies that any transportation funding identified in the State Highway System Management Plan is presumed to provide adequate funding for the long-term maintenance of a habitat connectivity or wildlife corridor structure on the state highway system, but not for the habitat on or around the structure, and would require an applicant to provide an endowment; (2) Authorizes the Department of Transportation to purchase property for specified environmental mitigation purposes, to be called environmental mitigation property, and to transfer that property to specified governmental and nongovernmental entities, or to purchase the property in the name of those entities; (3) Authorizes the Department of Transportation to purchase, exempt from specified advertising or bidding requirements, environmental mitigation credits in a mitigation credit agreement or from a mitigation bank, conservation bank, in-lieu fee program, or from another mitigation credit provider in certain circumstances; (4) Requires, by July 1, 2025, and annually thereafter until July 1, 2033, that the Department of Transportation provide a written report to the relevant legislative policy and budget committees that includes specified information related to its environmental mitigation program; and (5) Requires the Department of Transportation ensures the construction of 3 wildlife crossings and appurtenances at 3 priority locations, if an intercity passenger rail project is constructed within the Interstate 15 right-of-way.

# SB 146 (Gonzalez, Friedman) Infrastructure Package, Public Resources - Contracting

# Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 58, Statutes of 2023

Makes various changes related to Progressive Design-Build authority for the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) and the Department of Water Resources (DWR), authorizes Job Order Contracting for Caltrans, and federal National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) delegation to the Secretary of Transportation. Specifically, this bill: (1) Extends the ability for the Secretary of Transportation to assume the responsibilities of the United States Secretary of Transportation under the federal National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) and other federal environmental laws for any railroad, public transportation, or multimodal project undertaken by state agencies until December 31, 20233; (2) Authorize the Department of Water Resources and the Department of Transportation to use the progressive design-build procurement process for the construction of up to 8 public works projects per department for a project that is estimated to exceed \$25,000,000 in total price; (3) Authorizes the Department of Transportation until December 31, 2033, to use job order contracting for certain transportation and public works projects, including, among others, those related to highway maintenance, installation of stormwater pollution control devices, and for facilities, systems, and traffic control devices needed to comply with the federal Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as provided.

# SB 147 (Ashby) Infrastructure Package, Fully Protected Species – California Endangered Species Act

### Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 59, Statutes of 2023

This bill: (1) Authorizes the Department of Fish and Wildlife, until December 31, 2033, to issue a permit under the California Endangered Species Act that would authorize the take of a fully protected species resulting from impacts attributable to the implementation of specified projects if certain conditions are satisfied, including, among others, the conditions required for the issuance of an incidental take permit; (2) Requires the department to develop a plan on or before July 1, 2024, to assess the population status of each fully protected species; (3) Requires the department, on or before July 1, 2025, and annually thereafter, to prepare and submit a report to certain committees of the Legislature regarding the implementation of the authorization to issue these permits for the take of fully protected species; (4) Removes the American peregrine falcon, brown pelican, and thicktail chub as fully protected species.

# SB 149 (Caballero, Becker, Robert Rivas) Infrastructure Package – California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)

### Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 60, Statutes of 2023

This bill: (1) Authorizes a public agency to deny the request of the plaintiff or petitioner to prepare the record of proceedings as provided under CEQA, in which case the bill would require the public agency or the real party in interest to bear the costs of preparation and certification of the record of proceedings and would prohibit the recovery of those costs from the plaintiff or petitioner; (2) Requires the court to schedule a case management **ASSEMBLY BUDGET COMMITTEE** 182

conference within 30 days of the filing of an action to review the scope, timing, and cost of the record of proceedings, and requiresthat an electronic copy of the certified record of proceedings be lodged with the court; (3) Extends the Governor's authority to certify a project under the Jobs and Economic Improvement Through Environmental Leadership Act of 2021 to before January 1, 2032; (4) Establishes procedures for the preparation of the record of proceedings for projects that are certified by the Governor as an infrastructure project, and requires an action or proceeding challenging the certification of an Environmental Impact Report for those projects or the granting of any project approvals, including any potential appeals to the court of appeal or the Supreme Court, to be resolved, to the extent feasible, within 270 days of the filing of the record of proceedings with the court; and (5) appropriates \$1,000,000 from the General Fund to the Judicial Council for judicial officer training for implementation of those provision.

# SB 150 (Durazo, Cortese, Gonzalez, Luz Rivas, Smallwood-Cuevas) Construction – Workforce Development, Public Contracts

### Chaptered on July 10, 2023; Chapter 61, Statutes of 2023

This bill: (1) Requires the Department of Transportation to work in partnership with the California Workforce Development Board to support California's high road construction careers program and to reserve a minimum aggregate total of \$50,000,000 of federal funds from the federal Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act to be allocated over 4 years to support the program; (2) Beginning January 1, 2026, authorizes a state agency to use, enter into, or require contractors to enter into, a project labor agreement that applies to a project or set of projects with aggregate construction costs in excess of \$35,000,000 only if the agreement also includes provisions to address community benefits, as specified and; (3) Requires the Labor and Workforce Development Agency, the Government Operations Agency, and the Transportation Agency to convene relevant stakeholders to provide input on recommendations to establish material terms to be included as a material part of a contract between public entities and their contractors and subcontractors.

# 2023 SEPTEMBER BUDGET PACKAGE

Торіс	House / Bill Number
Amendment to the 2022 and the 2023 Budget Act	SB 104
Amendment to the 2022 and the 2023 Budget Act	SB 105
Public Safety	SB 135
Health	SB 137
Human Services	SB 138
Child care	SB 140
K-12 Education	SB 141
Higher Education	SB 142
General Government	SB 143
MOU	SB 148
MOUCCPOA	SB 151
Criminal Background Checks	SB 152

#### SB 104 (Skinner) Amendment to the 2022 and the 2023 Budget Act Adopted September 11, 2023, Chaptered on September 13, 2023. Chapter 189, Statutes of 2023.

This bill is the 2023 Budget Act, reflecting technical changes and updates made in the September Budget package. This included \$22 million in additional costs beyond what was contained in the 2023 budget package.

### SB 105 (Skinner) Amendment to the 2022 and the 2023 Budget Act Adopted September 14, 2023, Chaptered on October 13, 2023. Chapter 862, Statutes of 2023.

This bill is the 2023 Budget Act to remove \$3 million provided in 2023 Budget Act for the Industrial Welfare Commission to resume operations, as part of the agreement to advance a fast food worker compensation bill in the policy process (AB 1228 (Holden)). This bill also made corrections to SB 104 provisions and included expenditure authority for federal funds.

### SB 135 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Public Safety Adopted September 11, 2023, Chaptered on September 13, 2023. Chapter 190, Statutes of 2023.

The public safety trailer bill extends the sunset for remote criminal proceedings from January 1, 2024 to January 1, 2025; provides the Department of Justice with the necessary authority to meet federal requirements for subsequent arrest and disposition information; provides the Department of Justice with the authority to adjust the ammunition purchase fee through the regulatory process; changes contracting provisions for the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to allow for longer term contracts, permits the use of request for information (RFI) processes, and articulates factors for the selection of community correctional reentry center contracts; clarifies the jurisdiction of the juvenile court when an individual has committed a specified offense as a minor but

who is now over the age of 25; and clarifies that the provisions of Chapter 75, Statutes of 2023 only apply in general civil cases.

# SB 137 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Health August Clean-Up Adopted September 11, 2023, Chaptered on September 13, 2023. Chapter 191, Statutes of 2023.

SB 137 is an August clean-up trailer bill that includes various health provisions that were not covered in the June trailer bill. Specifically, this bill extends the moratorium on new hospice provider licenses for an additional year. It also implements a licensing fee increase for residential and outpatient substance abuse treatment providers by 20 percent per year, until reaching a 75 percent increase, after which DHCS is authorized to increase fees annually by a maximum of 5 percent or seek legislative approval to increase them more. The bill also requires DHCS to develop a hardship fee waiver application process for substance abuse treatment providers. This bill makes appointments for the director and chief medical officer of the Emergency Medical Services Authority subject to Senate confirmation. The bill also delays the implementation deadlines included in SB 1076 (Archuleta, Chapter 507, Statutes of 2022) including the requirement to possess a leadbased paint-related work certificate from January 1, 2024 to July 1, 2027, and the requirement on CDPH to do education and outreach to those with lead-based paint certificates from July 1, 2023 to July 1, 2026. This bill revises various provisions included in AB 2317 (Ramos, Chapter 589, Statutes of 2022), including revising the required membership of the interdisciplinary team serving children and youth in licensed residential psychiatric treatment facilities. The bill also authorizes the disclosure of mental health and developmental services information and records without the consent of the patient or their guardian under specified circumstances. This bill authorizes the CalRx program, within HCAI, to develop "over-the-counter" naloxone products (in addition to prescription naloxone products). Finally, this bill appropriates \$56,239,000 from the Federal Trust Fund (Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant) to DHCS for substance abuse prevention and treatment services.

# SB 138 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Human Services August Trailer Bill

### Adopted September 11, 2023, Chaptered on September 13, 2023. Chapter 192, Statutes of 2023.

This bill allows the Department of Developmental Services (DDS) to create a residential program for adolescents and adults with complex needs, consisting of three homes not to exceed five beds each, and a length of stay not to exceed 18 months. It adopts additional statutory protections regarding admittance into and exits from Stabilization, Training, Assistance, and Reintegration (STAR) homes. For both components of the Complex Needs Program, the language includes a clear prohibition on the use of nonemergency restraints or seclusion. Toward the goal of increased equity in system service provision, while enhancing the experience of individuals and families, includes multiple changes for DDS and Regional Centers regarding uniform intake and assessment, standardized definitions, data collection, vendorization procedures, and reporting on options to improve the coordination of generic services. Codifies the Business Enterprises Program for the Blind (BEP) worker's compensation self-insurance program through the Department of Rehabilitation. Makes technical and clarifying corrections to language regarding adoptions law pursuant to changes made in the June Human Services Omnibus Trailer Bill, AB 120.

# SB 140 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Early Childcare and Education Adopted September 11, 2023, Chaptered on September 13, 2023. Chapter 193, Statutes of 2023.

This is the August omnibus child care trailer bill, which ratified the CCPU June 2023 agreement and allocated the June Budget funds set aside by the state for bargaining, including a \$1.7 billion rate increase, extended enrollment-based funding, created CCPU health and retirement trusts, and created DSS reporting requirements for the Alternative Methodology for child care funding rates.

### SB 141 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) K-12 Education Finance Adopted September 11, 2023, Chaptered on September 13, 2023. Chapter 194, Statutes of 2023.

This is the August cleanup omnibus Education Trailer Bill, which clarified the state accountability definition of long-term English learner, extended the 60-day term for substitute teacher assignments, and appropriated \$1.5 million for the Holocaust and Genocide Education project.

### SB 142 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Higher Education Adopted September 11, 2023, Chaptered on September 13, 2023. Chapter 195, Statutes of 2023.

This is a clean-up trailer bill related to higher education provisions in the 2023 Budget Act. The bill expresses legislative intent that, no later than the adoption of the 2024 Budget Act, a statewide lease revenue bond, or other statewide financing or fiscal approach will be developed and included within the 2024 Budget Act to support California Community Colleges (CCC) affordable student housing projects that have been approved as part of the Higher Education Student Housing Grant Program, shifts the support of three CCC and University of California (UC) intersegmental projects from CCC to UC, to allow UC to issue revenue bonds for the projects, clarifies that the CCC campuses that received General Fund support for grants in the Budget Act of 2022 shall not revert those General Fund resources until June 29, 2024, or upon the enactment of the 2024 Budget Act, whichever is later, clarifies language in the Middle Class Scholarship program around emergency assistance, clarifies the types of studies that could be conducted as part of a review of online courses on student access and outcomes at CCC that was funded in the June Budget Act, creates a pilot program in which the Scholarshare Board will enter into data-sharing agreements with two local education agencies to improve outreach and participation in the California Kids Investment and Development Savings Program, which provides college savings accounts for California students, expands program eligibility in the Golden State Teacher Grant (GSTG) Program to institutions that offers services online to students and are either accredited by the Senior Colleges and Universities Commission of the Western Association of Schools and Colleges or regionally accredited by an agency recognized by the United States Department of Education, allows CCC districts that contract with the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) to provide CalPERS health benefits to all faculty that have two courses or 40 percent of the cumulative equivalent of a minimum full-time teaching assignment, and extends the expenditure or encumbrance date for a 2021 Budget Act appropriation to UC Riverside to support scientific social survey of Asian American and Pacific Islanders (AAPI) being conducted by the AAPI Data project from June 30, 2024 to June 30, 2027.

### SB 143 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) State Government Adopted September 11, 2023, Chaptered on September 13, 2023. Chapter 196, Statutes of 2023.

This bill makes various statutory changes to implement the general state government provisions of the Budget Act of 2023. Specifically, this bill implements the following provisions: (1) Portability of Professional Licenses for Servicemembers: Conforms state statutes with recent federal law enabling the portability of professional licenses for servicemembers and spouses if certain requirements are met, as specified; (2) Physician Post-Graduate Training License: Provides an extension to March 31, 2024 for physician post-graduate training licenses expiring between June 1, 2023 and December 1, 2023. Clarifies that medical school graduates must obtain a post-graduate training license 180 days after beginning a training program. Extends the amount of time from 90 days to 180 days for applicants who have completed 12 months of approved postgraduate training in another state or Canada to obtain a physician and surgeon's license; (3) Goat Herders: Extends the sunset date, from January 1, 2024 to July 1, 2026, for labor provisions that are applicable to both sheepherders and goat herders. States that the Labor Commissioner shall now issue a report on employment of sheepherders and goat herders in California, including minimum wage and overtime on or before January 1, 2026 instead of on or before January 1, 2024; (4) Women in Construction Priority Unit Clarification: Clarifies that pre-apprenticeship programs are eligible for resources provided by this unit; (5) State Allocation Board Appointments: Provides the President Pro Tempore of the Senate appointment authority for Senators to the State Allocation Board; (6) Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act: Authorizes state entities to hold public meetings, subject to specified notice and accessibility requirements, through teleconferencing and making public meetings accessible telephonically or otherwise electronically to the public, as specified. (7) CalFIRE Public Works: Provides technical cleanup to address a drafting error in SB 122 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review, Chapter 51, Statutes of 2023) that conflicts with existing California Department of Human Resources (CalHR) authority; (8) Microbusinesses: Extends the gross income exclusion for the California Microbusiness COVID-19 Relief Program grants through the 2024 tax year consistent with the repeal date of the program; (9) Budget Bill Listing: Updates the Government Code section memorializing bills that amended the budget act to reflect the June budget package; (10) Hazardous Waste Generation and Handling Fee: Creates an exception for the recently established hazardous waste generation and handling fee for a generator site meeting specified criteria; (11) Candlestick Point – Hunters Point Shipyard Phase 2: Exempts the Candlestick Point-Hunters Point Shipyard phase 2 from the limitation of time for establishing loans, advances, and indebtedness, the time for applying for tax increment, the number of tax dollars, and other matters from provisions of the Redevelopment Property Tax Trust Fund established for that agency and Community Redevelopment Law, which imposed specified limitation on redevelopment plans. Requires any changes to establish or change time limits for the Candlestick Point-Hunters Point Shipyard Phase 2 project agreement be approved by the oversight board, and is subject to department approval; (12) Loan Repayment Assistance Program: Clarifies that providing loan repayment assistance through the program administered by the Access to Justice Commission must be for attorneys doing qualified work, as defined, in order to be a permissible use of the Equal Access Fund; (13) Dream for All: Directs the California Housing Finance Agency to make specified program adjustments designed to better target recipients who would otherwise be shut out of homeownership and develop and report to the Legislature about options for financing an expansion of the available loan pool; (14) Forced Sterilization: Provides a second payment of \$20,000 to victims of forced

sterilization that were already awarded a \$15,000 award from the program established in the 2021 budget package, with victims receiving a total of \$35,000; (15) Various technical fixes: Enacts minor technical fixes to correct drafting errors and references.

# SB 148 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Memorandum of Understanding Adopted September 11, 2023, Chaptered on September 13, 2023. Chapter 197, Statutes of 2023.

Makes necessary statutory changes to ratify and implement memoranda of understanding (MOUs) between Bargaining Units (BUs) 1, 3, 4, 7, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, and 21 and the state, and MOU side letter agreements between BUs 1, 3, 4, 5, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, and 21 and the state. The agreements cover state employees represented by the following seven exclusive employee representatives: the Service Employees International Union, Local 1000; the California Association of Highway Patrolmen; the California Statewide Law Enforcement Association; the International Union of Operating Engineers; the International Union of Operating Engineers; the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees.

# SB 151 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Memorandum of Understanding – California Correctional Peace Officers Association

### Adopted September 11, 2023, Chaptered on September 22, 2023.

Makes necessary statutory changes to ratify and implement a memorandum of understanding (MOU) between the state and Bargaining Unit (BU) 6 – Correctional Peace Officers. The agreement covers state employees represented by the California Correctional Peace Officers Association (CCPOA).

### SB 152 (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Criminal Background Checks Adopted September 11, 2023, Chaptered on September 13, 2023. Chapter 198, Statutes of 2023.

This bill implements the Budget Act of 2023 and includes technical changes to implement federal criminal history background check provisions for state employees and license applicants. Specifically, this bill requires the Department of Toxic Substances Control, the California Horse Racing Board, the Department of Cannabis Control, the Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, the Department of Real Estate, the Department of Public Health Food and Drug Branch, the Office of Youth and Community Restoration, the Department of State Hospitals, the Department of Housing and Community Development, and Fi\$Cal to submit to the Department of Justice fingerprint images and related information required by the Department of Justice for employees, prospective employees, contractors, and subcontractors, as specified.

# 2023 BUDGET HEARINGS

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- JUNE 14 PRESENTATION OF SB 101, THE 2023 BUDGET ACT
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- FEBRUARY 28 JOINT HEARING WITH HEALTH COMMITTEE STATUS ON CALIFORNIA MENTAL HEALTH INITIATIVES
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- MARCH 1 CNRA
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- APRIL 12 SUB. 3 AND ASSEMBLY TRANSPORTATION JOINT INFORMATIONAL HEARING ON HSR
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- MARCH 28 VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS
- APRIL 11 VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS
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- APRIL 25 GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AGENCY, DEPT. OF JUSTICE, APRIL LETTERS OPEN ISSUES
- MAY 2 OPR, COMMISSION ON API AMERICAN AFFAIRS, DEPT. OF VET. AFFAIRS, COMMISSION ON STATUS OF WOMEN AND GIRLS
- MAY 9 OPEN ISSUES
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### SUBCOMMITTEE NO. 5 ON PUBLIC SAFETY

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- MARCH 6 CDCR OIG
- MARCH 13 CDCR
- MARCH 20 OES, CMD, POST
- MARCH 27 CDCR
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- APRIL 24 CDCR, OED, POST, SFL
- MAY 15 PUBLIC SAFETY MAY REVISION

# SUBCOMMITTEE NO. 6 ON BUDGET PROCESS, OVERSIGHT AND PROGRAM EVALUATION

• FEBRUARY 22 – STATE HOMELESSNESS FUNDING PROGRAMS - ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES AT THE STATE AND LOCAL LEVELS

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