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Dear Secretary Byrd:

After an extensive 105-day Regular Session, the Legislature was able to agree on a FY 2025-2026 budget that mirrored the bottom line and priorities that I deemed important in my *"Focus on Fiscal Responsibility"* proposed budget released earlier this year.

In keeping with the fiscal responsibility that I have championed in the Free State of Florida, I am proud that we have maxed out our Rainy-day Fund (tripling it since I took office) and will continue accelerating the repayment of the state's debt. With today's vetoes totaling \$1.35 billion, which includes \$576 million in line-item vetoes, our state reserves will be at a healthy \$15.7 billion.

Florida continues to lead the nation in combatting illegal immigration, amplifying school choice, increasing teacher salaries, devoting money towards cancer research and innovation, investing in Everglades conservation and water quality restoration, and continuing to help those who are still recovering from the most recent hurricane season.

Florida ranks second in the nation for lowest per capita spending. The Fiscal Year 2025-26 Florida Budget once again spends less in the coming year than the previous and provides ample tax relief for families and businesses. At my direction, Florida has finally eliminated the business rent tax and permanently ended sales taxes for disaster preparedness supplies and for Back-to-School items.

While we have delivered close to \$10 billion in tax relief during my tenure as governor, I am mindful of the burden that local property taxes have imposed on Floridians. I am also mindful that under Florida's constitution, such taxes are controlled by local governments. Accordingly, I will work with members of the Legislature to propose an amendment to be

approved by voters –that will provide constitutional protection for Florida residents and their primary homes.

By the authority vested in me as Governor of Florida, under the provisions of Article III, Section 8, of the Constitution of Florida, I do hereby withhold my approval of portions of Senate Bill 2500, enacted during the 127th Session of the Legislature convened under the Constitution of 1968, and entitled:

An act making appropriations; providing monies for the annual period beginning July 1, 2025, and ending June 30, 2026, to pay salaries, and other expenses, capital outlay - buildings, and other improvements, and for other specified purposes of the various agencies of State government; providing an effective date.

I do hereby withhold my approval of the following line items in the 2025-26 General Appropriations Act:

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## **SECTION 2 - EDUCATION (ALL OTHER FUNDS)**

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Specific Appropriation 16A  
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COLLEGE OF THE FLORIDA KEYS	
Chiller Plant Infrastructure (SF 1295) (HF 2155).....	3,500,000
HILLSBOROUGH COMMUNITY COLLEGE	
Plant City Campus Workforce Center (SF 2159) (HF 2546)....	2,500,000

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FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY	
Arts District (SF 2402) (HF 1261).....	2,500,000
Tully Gym Remodel - Planning (SF 1549) (HF 1360).....	2,500,000
UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA	
Educational Research Center for Child Development (HF 2736).....	1,667,400

Specific Appropriation 23A  
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Brevard - Aviation Assembly and Fabrication Hangar (HF 1310).....	1,008,618
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Joshua's House Foundation - Bilingual Vocational Pilot Program (HF 1051).....	306,500
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Florida Alliance for Assistive Services and Technology (SF 1579) (HF 1664).....	385,585
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Beacon College	
Tuition scholarships for students with learning and	
attention issues (SF 1867) (HF 1418).....	500,000
Herzing University	
Radiology Lab and Dental Clinic Expansion Project (SF	
1979) (HF 1973).....	125,000
Jacksonville University	
Graduate, Retain, and Optimize a Workforce (GROW) of	
Florida Nurses (SF 2853) (HF 1743).....	2,666,667
Nova Southeastern University	
Veterans Health Care Careers (SF 2157) (HF 2974).....	750,000
Saint Leo University	
Nursing Program Expansion (SF 3007) (HF 3482).....	274,500
St. Thomas University	
Expanding Access to Critical Healthcare Training (SF	
1558) (HF 2002).....	1,270,000
Stetson University	
Brain Fitness Academy (HF 2483).....	75,682

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Herzing University	
Radiology Lab and Dental Clinic Expansion Project (SF	
1979) (HF 1973).....	250,000
Saint Leo University	
Nursing Program Expansion (SF 3007) (HF 3482).....	335,000
St. Thomas University	
Expanding Access to Critical Healthcare Training (SF	
1558) (HF 2002).....	230,000

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63	SPECIAL CATEGORIES	
	GRANTS AND AIDS - MINORITY TEACHER	
	SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM	
	FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	1,500,000

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Pages 16 and 17

Miami Gardens Higher Education Initiative (MGHEI) (SF	
3049) (HF 2988).....	37,500
Wilhelmina Foundation Academic Scholarship (SF 1600) (HF	
1925).....	125,000

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69	FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS	
	JOSE MARTI SCHOLARSHIP CHALLENGE GRANT	
	FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	124,000

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72	FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS	
	TRANSFER TO THE FLORIDA EDUCATION FUND	
	FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	3,500,000

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Brain Bag Early Literacy Program (HF 2699).....	145,000
Episcopal Children's Services Summer Bridge Program (SF 1924) (HF 2050).....	500,000

Specific Appropriation 94  
Pages 25 and 26

Elevate Jacksonville: Expanding Mentorship and Life Preparation for Urban Youth (SF 2858) (HF 1194).....	250,000
Florida Lighthouse At-Risk Youth Mentorship Program (SF 3028) (HF 2131).....	250,000
Let's Help Teen Girls BLOOM (SF 2128) (HF 3497).....	30,000
Public Safety & Violence Prevention through Mentoring & Career Development (SF 1150) (HF 2912).....	500,000
Summer, Cameras, Action! Youth Summer Leadership Experience! (SF 3369) (HF 3275).....	75,000
The Sowing SEEDS Project (SF 1385) (HF 1666).....	80,000

Specific Appropriation 105  
Pages 27 and 28

Empowering Educators: A Resilience Initiative for Hillsborough and Pasco Counties (SF 1678) (HF 2520).....	1,000,000
Miami-Dade County Public Schools and FIU Cuban-American Studies Research Institute (SF 3310) (HF 2019).....	200,000
Uplifting School Mental Health Support in Miami-Dade Schools (SF 2823) (HF 2025).....	250,000

Specific Appropriation 106  
Pages 28 through 30

American History Live (SF 2770) (HF 1761).....	95,000
Education Technology Inventory Dashboard & Clearinghouse (SF 1248) (HF 3323).....	950,000
HAPCO Music & Culinary Education Programs (SF 3344) (HF 2626).....	200,000
Lift with Boys Town School Initiative: Boys Town Florida (SF 2736) (HF 2725).....	350,000
Resiliency Education Curriculum (SF 1822) (HF 3576).....	1,000,000
Stay Alive From Education (HF 1718).....	200,000
WIN Florida (SF 3016) (HF 3121).....	4,495,895

From the funds provided in Specific Appropriation 106, \$356,046 in nonrecurring funds is provided to the Department of Education to competitively procure and pilot a solution to restrict the use of wireless communication devices in public school classrooms pursuant to section 1006.07, Florida Statutes. Pilot funding is encouraged to serve multiple districts, in at least one rural and one urban setting, and may not be exhausted by one single applicant. The department shall provide a report on the usage and results of the pilot program to the Governor, President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by September 1, 2026.

Specific Appropriation 111  
Pages 30 through 33

Afterschool Literacy and Activities Program (SF 2560) (HF 2280).....	527,863
ARK Innovation Center at Pinellas County Schools (SF 2380) (HF 1357).....	1,000,000
B. WRIGHT COMMUNITY UNDERSERVED LEADERSHIP STEAM PROGRAM (SF 1200) (HF 3228).....	150,000
BLUE Missions REACH Program (SF 2699) (HF 2511).....	2,500,000
Caregiving Youth Project (SF 3203) (HF 1854).....	250,000

Community & Family Building Early Learning Initiative (SF 1808) (HF 2281).....	700,000
Coral Reef Conservation Program (SF 1311) (HF 2270).....	300,000
Crockett Foundation Innovation Center (SF 1636) (HF 1791).....	500,000
Educational Programming Production and Film/Media	
Workforce Development (SF 2123) (HF 3435).....	641,089
Enhancing Literacy and STEM for Home Schooling Families (HF 1745).....	50,000
Explicit Instruction for Emergent Bilingual Students--Osceola County (SF 3133) (HF 1689).....	500,000
FHBC of Belle Glade Enrichment Center Generational Project (SF 1881) (HF 2610).....	104,279
Florida Healthy Choices Sexual Risk Avoidance Program (SF 2946) (HF 3026).....	475,000
Holocaust Learning Center (HLC) at David Posnack Jewish Community Center (DPJCC) (SF 3342) (HF 3158).....	225,000
Junior Achievement of Central Florida Innovation Center Equipment (SF 3138) (HF 1922).....	400,015
Junior Achievement of South Florida Youth Workforce Program Expansion (SF 1130) (HF 2555).....	1,097,232
Miami-Dade County Public Schools- Arthur & Polly Mays 6-12 Conservatory of the Arts (SF 2297) (HF 1423).....	250,000
Museum of Discovery and Science Job Readiness & Public Engagement for Florida's Space Industry (SF 1550) (HF 1818).....	200,000
NEXT GENERATION LEADERSHIP SERVICES (SF 1855) (HF 2260)...	150,000
North Florida Worlds of Work (SF 3018) (HF 3423).....	1,000,000
Northeast Florida Career Readiness Catalyst Project for Future Economic Success (SF 2033) (HF 1193).....	975,000
One Hundred Black Men of South Florida - Dr. Harold Guinyard Leadership Academy (SF 1710) (HF 2680).....	200,000
Striving for Excellence, Inc. (SF 1409) (HF 1205).....	100,000
Student Wellness Center (SF 3358) (HF 3036).....	200,000
Teacher Safety Training Program (SF 1903) (HF 1170).....	400,000
The Moonshot Hub for Teaching Excellence and Demonstration School (SF 2818) (HF 1766).....	250,000
Workforce Development and Career Readiness Through STEM Education (SF 2772) (HF 3127).....	500,000

Specific Appropriation 112  
 Pages 33 and 34

Live With LEV Beyond the Bell (SF 1083) (HF 1199).....	75,000
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Specific Appropriation 113B  
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Brevard County School District West Shore Jr./Sr. High School Expansion (SF 1165).....	5,000,000
Broward Schools McArthur High School Aquaponics Greenhouse (SF 2235) (HF 3161).....	100,000
Miami-Dade County Public Schools The Cultural Hub @ The Chapman House (SF 2868) (HF 3306).....	125,000
Polk County Public Schools Replacement Health Clinic - East Polk (SF 1651) (HF 3515).....	700,000
Roosevelt Elementary School Program Enhancements (SF 2771) (HF 1507).....	21,000

Specific Appropriation 114  
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Branches Allapattah (SF 3054) (HF 1223).....	500,000
Center for Creative Education (CCE): Ending the Cycle of Elementary Illiteracy (SF 1825) (HF 1817).....	1,000,000
Children's Center for Education and Collaboration-The	

Historic Cocoa Village Playhouse, Inc. (SF 1049) (HF 1293).....	350,000
Children's Disability Learning Center Critical Infrastructure (SF 3490) (HF 1795).....	500,000
Episcopal Children's Services Flagship Center (SF 2857) (HF 1619).....	250,000
FCS School Safety Upgrade (SF 3501) (HF 3309).....	375,000
FHBC of Belle Glade Enrichment Center Generational Project (SF 1881) (HF 2610).....	245,721
Museum of Discovery and Science Job Readiness & Public Engagement for Florida's Space Industry (SF 1550) (HF 1818).....	300,000
Northside Christian School: School Hardening Grant Needs (SF 2392) (HF 2310).....	500,000
The Children's Complex Roof Replacement (SF 1809) (HF 1222).....	750,000
The Cuban Museum, Inc. Fixed Capital Outlay Recovery (SF 2400) (HF 1409).....	500,000

Specific Appropriation 119

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Public Radio Stations (recurring base appropriations project).....	1,300,000
Public Television Stations.....	4,444,811

From the funds provided in Specific Appropriation 119 for Public Television Stations, \$370,400 shall be allocated to each public television station recommended by the Commissioner of Education. Public Radio Stations shall be allocated \$100,000 per station.

Specific Appropriation 127A

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Boca Helping Hands (BHH) Job Training Program (JTP) (SF 1302) (HF 1853).....	427,700
Chapman Partnership's Education and Workforce Training Program (SF 3306).....	350,000
Construction Inspection Training Program (SF 1688) (HF 1203).....	250,000
FilmGate Miami - Artificial Intelligence Education Certificate Program (SF 1796) (HF 1094).....	350,000
First Coast Technical College - Firefighter & EMT Program Enhancement/Expansion (SF 2552) (HF 2285).....	200,000
Lotus House Women's Shelter Education and Employment Program (SF 1589) (HF 3583).....	200,000

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First Coast Technical College - Industrial Agriculture Program Enhancements (SF 2551) (HF 1847).....	92,308
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Specific Appropriation 130

Pages 44 and 45

Palm Beach State College Vocational Village - Construction Services Technology (SF 2529) (HF 2903).....	500,000
Tallahassee State College Museum Center Feasibility Study (SF 3530) (HF 2507).....	200,000
The College of the Florida Keys Marine and Maritime Professional Institute (SF 1291) (HF 2251).....	1,997,000

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The College of the Florida Keys Marine and Maritime Professional Institute (SF 1291) (HF 2251).....	203,000
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Florida International University Transportation Efficiency Program (SF 2844) (HF 2994).....	2,800,000
Florida State University Wakulla Springs Remediation Research and Education (SF 2836) (HF 3454).....	850,000
University of Florida Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) Computer System Modernization (SF 2015) (HF 3251).....	350,000

Specific Appropriation 151  
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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 151, \$500,000 in nonrecurring funds is provided for the USF - Center for Neuromusculoskeletal Research (SF 2116) (HF 2532).

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## SECTION 3 - HUMAN SERVICES

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Specific Appropriation 190A  
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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 190A, \$398,551 in nonrecurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided to the Guardian Care History Preservation Project (SF 3331) (HF 2941).

Specific Appropriation 241A  
Pages 87 and 88

Bay Area Direct Client Care - Community Haven Project (HF 1651).....	125,000
Building Blocks Ministries - Wait No More Project (HF 1400).....	75,000
Our Pride Academy (SF 1788) (HF 1332).....	1,200,000
The Arc of Bradford County - Rural Workforce Capacity Building and Infrastructure (SF 2305) (HF 3290).....	300,000

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Association for the Development of the Exceptional (ADE) - ADA Compliance Project (SF 2806) (HF 2865).....	265,000
Safe Haven Project (Safe and Secure Environments) for I/DD (SF 1092) (HF 1354).....	500,000
Sunrise Community - Kitchen Renovation & Expansion Project (SF 1095) (HF 2240).....	1,353,777
The Arc of Bradford County - Rural Workforce Capacity Building and Infrastructure (SF 2305) (HF 3290).....	300,000

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A Door of Hope - Recruitment of and Services for Foster Families (SF 1605) (HF 1064).....	500,000
Amigos For Kids - CRADLE Program (SF 1559) (HF 1072).....	150,000
Amour Creations by G'Bre - Piloting Our Youth (SF 2091) (HF 1896).....	100,000
Anchorage Children's Homes - Phones for Homeless and Neglected Youth - Bay County (SF 2705) (HF 2665).....	66,000
Solo Parent - Support for Single Parent Veterans (SF 1737) (HF 1495).....	950,000

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Mustard Seed of Central Florida - Furnishing Basic Stability for Families (SF 1846) (HF 1501).....	75,000
The Giving Closet Project - Essential Angels - Removing Barriers for Students (SF 1751) (HF 1617).....	150,000

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Fort Lauderdale Homeless Transitional Housing Project (SF 1662) (HF 2676).....	500,000
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211 First Call for Help - Community Connections Council (SF 1261) (HF 1365).....	300,000
Alpert Jewish Family Service - Mental Health Services for Persons with Disabilities (SF 1755) (HF 2613).....	375,000
Bridgeway Center - Okaloosa County Forensic Pre-Trial Unit Kitchen (HF 1692).....	15,000
Broward County - Baker Act Transportation for Minors Pilot (SF 1253) (HF 1414).....	300,000
Centerstone of Florida - Trauma Recovery Center (SF 2227) (HF 1638).....	950,000
Gulfstream Goodwill Industries - Behavioral Health Services (SF 2165) (HF 2605).....	400,000
Historic Eastside Community Development - Preventive Health and Wellness Initiative (HF 1206).....	200,000
Life Management Center of Northwest Florida - Gulf County Outpatient Mental Health Services (SF 2828) (HF 3457)...	398,000
Lily's Warrior Project - Outreach Programs (SF 3146) (HF 1811).....	50,000
NAMI Family and Peer Support (SF 1696) (HF 2954).....	350,000
NAMI Florida - Rural Outreach for Mental Health Support (SF 2630) (HF 2134).....	250,000
Pouring Foundations - Transitional Housing Project (SF 3504) (HF 3012).....	50,000
Tampa Bay Thrives - Youth Mental Wellness Support (SF 2362) (HF 1621).....	500,000
Bridgeway Center - Okaloosa County Medication Assisted Treatment (HF 1691).....	15,000
Came to Believe Recovery - Addiction Recovery Pilot Program (SF 3135) (HF 3232).....	500,000
Florida Association of Recovery Residences - Certification Database Portal (SF 1207) (HF 1706).....	500,000
Florida Chiropractic Society - Educational campaign for Opioid Alternatives (SF 1602) (HF 1636).....	200,000
Miami-Dade County Personnel Training Enhancement and Case Management System Expansion - Miami-Dade Mental Health (SF 1823) (HF 3078).....	200,000

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Boley Centers - Renovate to Rehabilitate (SF 2100) (HF 2877).....	950,000
Boley Centers - Transforming Behavioral Health Care through Community Health Integration (SF 2359) (HF 3093)	300,000
Cove Behavioral Health - Residential Treatment Facility Renovations (SF 2117) (HF 2837).....	440,000
El-Beth-El Development Center - Youth Upskill Academy (SF 1878) (HF 1548).....	14,000
Henderson Behavioral Health - Hurricane Resiliency and Safety Enhancements to Protect Vulnerable Adults with Mental Illness (SF 1971) (HF 3149).....	1,875,000
Here's Help - Emergency Facility Needs (SF 1711) (HF 3316)	115,500
Manatee County - Fresh Start Manatee (SF 3044) (HF 2214)...	1,000,000
New Life Dream Center Substance Abuse Treatment Program (SF 2077) (HF 1526).....	30,000

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Little Havana Activities and Nutrition Centers of Dade County.....	334,770
Southwest Social Services.....	653,501
Aging Matters in Brevard Meal Program (SF 1151) (HF 1603).	500,000
Boulevard Heights Community Center Senior Program Expansion (SF 1627) (HF 1134).....	170,000
Hope for Grateful Hearts (SF 2697) (HF 3514).....	2,100,000
Jack and Lee Rosen Jewish Community Center - Senior Center (SF 3144) (HF 3267).....	30,000
Little Havana Activities and Nutrition Centers Elderly Personal Care, Referral, and Info Services (SF 1594) (HF 2915).....	250,000
LSP Senior Hot Meals Programming Baseline Budget Increase Request (SF 1583) (HF 2917).....	350,000
Mitigating Food Insecurity for Older Adults in Northeast Florida (SF 1406) (HF 1015).....	400,000
North Miami Foundation for Senior Citizens Services, Inc. - Elderly Meals Program (SF 1201) (HF 3523).....	350,000
Self-Reliance Inc. (HF 2831).....	300,000
Seniors First, Inc. Home Delivered Meal Program (SF 3443) (HF 3273).....	300,000

Specific Appropriation 390B

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City of Miami Flagler Village Phase 2 (SF 1942) (HF 2012).	1,000,000
Havens of Hope Foundation Senior Services Critical Infrastructure Improvements (SF 3036) (HF 2130).....	375,000
The Retreat - Adult Day Care Center Expansion (HF 3386)...	300,000

Specific Appropriation 435

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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 435, \$200,000 from the General Revenue fund is provided to the Department of Health to contract for a statewide public awareness campaign targeted towards both medical practitioners and the general public, to educate on the symptoms of menopause, associated chronic conditions, and the available treatment options.

From the funds in Specific Appropriation 435, \$1,000,000 in nonrecurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided to the Department of Health to maintain the infrastructure at the Florida Stroke Registry pursuant to section 395.30381, Florida Statutes.

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Bettercare for Healthcare (SF 3512) (HF 1694).....	150,000
Keys AHEC Health Centers (SF 1749) (HF 1720).....	975,000
Longitudinal Efficacy of Ketamine for the Treatment of Major Depressive Disorder Among Veterans and First Responders (HF 2396).....	300,000
Paxton Medical Clinic (SF 2679) (HF 2659).....	5,000
Reach Out and Read: A Children's Literacy Program Through Pediatric Primary Care. (SF 1821) (HF 1698).....	500,000
St. John Bosco Clinic (SF 1029) (HF 1044).....	250,000
26Health's Street Medicine Initiative (SF 3415) (HF 1695).....	500,000
Bettercare for Healthcare (SF 3512) (HF 1694).....	150,000
Brownsville Church of Christ Cares Inc. (SF 1520) (HF 1677).....	350,000
Children's Safety Village Safe Swim Program (SF 2338) (HF 2628).....	300,000
Family Healthcare Foundation Navigator Project (HF 2393).....	200,000
Food & Nutrition for All South Florida: Advancing Health, Nutrition Education, & Growth (SF 1824) (HF 1372).....	445,000
Let's Move 365! Health Initiative for Low Income Families & Elderly (SF 1663) (HF 1622).....	500,000
Mobile Diaper Distribution Project (SF 3143) (HF 3263).....	185,000
Planet Swim Foundation: Promoting Water Safety and Accessibility (HF 2187).....	45,000
Premier Community HealthCare Group, Inc. - Access to Primary Care for Medically Underserved (SF 1612) (HF 2579).....	425,000
Volusia Free Clinic dba: Volusia Volunteers In Medicine (SF 1140) (HF 1410).....	100,000

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Clearwater Free Clinic Wellness Center (SF 2358).....	900,000
Girl Scouts of Gateway Council Camp Kateri Capital Project (SF 3178) (HF 3438).....	400,000
Marion County YMCA Aquatic Safety & Infrastructure Enhancement (SF 1722) (HF 1917).....	500,000
Westchester Free Standing Emergency Department - Phase 2 (SF 2804) (HF 2272).....	3,000,000

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Solving Genetic Enigmas in Inherited Retinal Disease of Florida Residents (SF 1060).....	330,000
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Manatee County Rural Health Services.....	82,283
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PATCHES Village (SF 1153) (HF 2910).....	500,000
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Specific Appropriation 580

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Nova Southeastern University - Veterans Trust Race Camp (HF 2981).....	200,000
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The Transition House Homeless Veterans Program - Osceola (SF 3130) (HF 1687).....	400,000
VetCV "Mission Next" Military and Veteran Resource Center (SF 3503) (HF 2133).....	250,000

Specific Appropriation 581B  
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American Humane Society Sanctuary (SF 1144) (HF 1434).....	950,000
Manatee County - Veteran Connections Hub (SF 3045) (HF 1656).....	1,000,000

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## SECTION 4 - CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND CORRECTIONS

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Specific Appropriation 589  
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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 589, \$488,295 in nonrecurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided for Increasing Employee Retention at the Florida Department of Corrections (SF 1410) (HF 2062).

Specific Appropriation 606  
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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 606, \$187,500 in nonrecurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided to the Children of Inmates: Family Strengthening and Reunification Program (SF 1766) (HF 1484).

Specific Appropriation 652  
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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 652, \$1,000,000 in recurring funds from the State-Operated Institutions Inmate Welfare Trust Fund is provided to assist families of inmates with the cost of telephone calls. Effective July 1, 2025, Department of Corrections' inmates who remain Disciplinary Report (DR) free for the prior three months are eligible to make one 15-minute call per month at no cost to the eligible inmate's family.

Specific Appropriation 661  
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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 661, \$300,000 in nonrecurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided for Horizons Community Corp A/C Pilot Program (SF 1163) (HF 2804).

Specific Appropriation 719A  
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AMMP Transition Home for Previously Incarcerated Women (HF 3501).....	11,250
Reimagined Resources for Re-entry (HF 1997).....	1,250,000

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720B GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND  
NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY  
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FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND ..... 113,750

Funds in Specific Appropriation 720B are provided for the following nonrecurring fixed capital outlay projects:

AMMP Transition Home for Previously Incarcerated Women (HF 3501).....	13,750
R.E.S.T.O.R.E. Duval Independent Affordable Housing Project (SF 1443) (HF 3177).....	100,000

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NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY  
GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND  
NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY  
FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND ..... 1,500,000

Funds in Specific Appropriation 754A are provided for the Hillsborough County Clerk Record Center (SF 3423) (HF 3433).

Specific Appropriation 1118  
Pages 237 and 238

Adolescent and Family Outpatient Program Expansion (SF 1949) (HF 1021).....	200,000
City of West Park Youth Crime Prevention Program (SF 2387) (HF 1936).....	125,000
Keeping Up Out of School Suspension Program (SF 1928) (HF 1701).....	195,000
Safe, Practical, and Data-Driven: Advancing Juvenile Justice Education and Training (SF 2111) (HF 1106).....	399,926
Stop Now and Plan - Service Members (SNAP HEROES) (SF 2027) (HF 1361).....	350,000
Waypoint Technical College Curriculum (SF 2200) (HF 3350) .	1,500,000

Specific Appropriation 1177  
Pages 245 through 247

Active Assailant Training (SF 2185) (HF 3344).....	250,000
Alachua County Jail - Capital Efficiency Analysis (SF 1107) (HF 1350).....	225,000
Aventura Real Time Crime Center Technology (SF 2050) (HF 2799).....	294,624
Body Worn Cameras for Citrus County Sheriff's Office (SF 2973) (HF 2851).....	350,000
Broward Sheriff's Office Behavioral Health Remote Co-Responder Program (SF 2238) (HF 3040).....	103,982
City of Coral Springs - Red Dot Pistol Optics (SF 1931) (HF 1473).....	100,000
City of South Miami Computer Automated Dispatch/Records Management System (CAD/RMS) (SF 1805) (HF 2937).....	350,000
City of Sweetwater Police Technology Upgrades (SF 2819) (HF 2993).....	212,500
Digital Twin for Public Safety in Currie Park (SF 2899) (HF 2894).....	700,000
Doral Police Department Presidential/Dignitary Protective Detail Overtime Funding Initiative (SF 2749) (HF 1980) ..	250,000
Escambia County Gun Violence Reduction (SF 2989) (HF 2726)	350,000
Hialeah Gardens - AERO Command Unit & Public Safety	

Enhancement Project (SF 2813) (HF 2743).....	75,000
Law Enforcement Against Public Corruption (SF 3409) (HF 2862).....	350,000
Village of Virginia Gardens Law Enforcement Technology Upgrades (SF 2419) (HF 2000).....	350,000
Wilton Manors - Wilton Drive Public Safety Initiatives (SF 1885) (HF 1848).....	50,000

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Aventura Real Time Crime Center Technology (SF 2050) (HF 2799).....	109,900
Broward County Forensic Science Center (Office of the ME and BSO Crime Laboratory) (SF 1889) (HF 3148).....	500,000
City of Daytona Beach Police Department Training Facility (SF 1204) (HF 2034).....	750,000
City of High Springs Police Station (SF 2955) (HF 3258)...	250,000
Hialeah Gardens Law Enforcement Training and Emergency Vehicle Staging Facility (SF 2812) (HF 2745).....	375,000
Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office Aviation Section Hangar (SF 1976) (HF 2570).....	14,075,150
Law Enforcement Property & Evidence Hub (SF 2961) (HF 3291).....	350,000
Midway Police Operations & Safety Complex (SF 2927) (HF 3511).....	375,000
New Miami Beach Police Training Facility (SF 2942) (HF 2786).....	200,000
Palm Bay Police Department Communications Center Expansion, Phase 1 (SF 3293) (HF 3571).....	80,000
Police, IT and Emergency Operations Hurricane Rated Facility - Orange City Municipal Government (SF 1573) (HF 3188).....	187,500
Polk County Sheriff's Office Central County Jail Chiller Replacement (SF 1213) (HF 3585).....	688,297
Wilton Manors - Wilton Drive Public Safety Initiatives (SF 1885) (HF 1848).....	37,500

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Cuban American Bar Association (CABA) Pro Bono Legal Services (SF 1159) (HF 1580).....	500,000
Cuban American Bar Association (CABA) Special Needs Legal Assistance Program (SF 1585) (HF 2928).....	150,000
NISSI Short-term Immediate Care Facility and Response Team for Victims of Human Trafficking (HF 3385).....	37,500
The Lotus Coalition Safe Housing and Resource Center for Survivors of Human Trafficking (SF 3381) (HF 2317).....	621,858
The PRC Pro Bono Legal Services Clinic (SF 1502) (HF 3210).....	500,000
United Way of Pasco County - Fighting Human Trafficking Program (SF 1607) (HF 1251).....	271,350

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1333C SPECIAL CATEGORIES  
GRANTS AND AIDS AGRICULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY

WORKFORCE  
FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . . 985,000

Funds in Specific Appropriation 1333C are provided for the Florida Agriculture and Technology Workforce Program (SF 2125) (HF 2747).

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Conserving Resources, Growing Opportunity (SF 2469) (HF 1815).....	113,000
Neighborhood Farms USA (SF 3296).....	252,200

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1337C FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY PLANNING, DESIGN, AND ENGINEERING FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	6,675,619
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1337D FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY PLANNING/DESIGN/CONSTRUCTION - CONNER LAB FACILITY FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	11,000,000
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1338A FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY CONSTRUCTION/RENOVATION/REPAIR - DOYLE CONNER GAINESVILLE FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	4,967,415
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1351B GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT AND JOBS ACT FUNDING - ENERGY PROGRAMS FROM FEDERAL GRANTS TRUST FUND . . .	24,118,070
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1351C GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY INFLATION REDUCTION ACT FUNDING - ENERGY PROGRAMS FROM FEDERAL GRANTS TRUST FUND . . .	11,000,000
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South Florida AgriCenter and Emergency Shelter at the South Florida Fairgrounds (SF 1088) (HF 2895).....	1,738,699
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GRANTS AND AIDS - ANIMAL FACILITIES	
FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	1,000,000

Funds in Specific Appropriation 1437B are provided for Enhancements to Hernando County Sheriff's Office Animal Shelter and Adoption Center (SF 2725) (HF 2999).

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1437C GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND	
NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY	
DOG AND CAT MUNICIPAL SHELTER	
FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	1,400,000

Funds in Specific Appropriation 1437C are provided for the Dog and Cat Municipal Shelter (SF 1955) (HF 2923).

Specific Appropriation 1464D  
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1464D GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND	
NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY	
FLORIDA STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL BUILDING AND	
GENERATORS	
FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	2,900,000

Funds in Specific Appropriation 1464D are provided for the Florida Strawberry Festival Building and Generators (SF 2172) (HF 2554).

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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1500B, \$850,000 is provided for the Santa Rosa County Soundside Land Conservation and Preservation (SF 3156) (HF 2721).

Specific Appropriation 1520  
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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1520, \$750,000 in nonrecurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided to the Miami Waterkeeper Investigating Water Quality in Biscayne Bay (SF 1789) (HF 1140).

Specific Appropriation 1525B  
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1525B FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY	
OCKLAWAHA RIVER RESTORATION	
FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	6,250,000

Funds in Specific Appropriation 1525B are provided to the Department of Environmental Protection to develop a plan, by July 1, 2026, for the restoration of the Ocklawaha River. The project shall be consistent with the definition of the alternative defined as "Partial Restoration" delineated in the Department of Environmental Protection's 1997 environmental resource permit application for the Ocklawaha River Restoration Project. The Project Plan shall include a bridge replacing the portion of the county road that will be removed to restore the Ocklawaha River. The department shall implement the Project Plan to complete construction of the Project Plan by December 31, 2035. Any funds remaining after the development of the Project Plan shall be utilized for the implementation of the Project Plan.

Specific Appropriation 1555  
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Alachua Wastewater Treatment Facility Expansion (SF 2059) (HF 3296).....	225,000
Aventura NE 191 St. System Stormwater Drainage and Roadway Improvements Phase 1 (SF 1618) (HF 2798).....	650,000
Boynton Beach Enhancing Water Infrastructure Resilience Through Comprehensive Energy Audits (SF 1645) (HF 3203).....	150,000
Brevard County Sykes Creek Phase 2 Environmental Dredging (SF 1332) (HF 1306).....	4,324,000
Brevard County Sykes Creek Zones M, N, & T Septic-to-Sewer Connection Assistance (SF 1331) (HF 1307).....	900,000
Coconut Creek - Advanced Metering Infrastructure (SF 2174) (HF 1278).....	800,000
Cooper City Gravity Sewer Rehabilitation Project Phase 2 (SF 1629) (HF 1060).....	722,000
Cooper City SW 49th Street Culvert Rehabilitation/Replacement Project (SF 1628) (HF 1061)...	350,000
Dania Beach NW 2nd Street Drainage Improvements (SF 1456) (HF 3590).....	835,000
Dania Beach NW/SW 1st Avenue Water Main Replacement (SF 1455) (HF 3591).....	175,000
Davie Shenandoah Drainage Improvements (SF 1644) (HF 1281)	200,000
DeBary Phase 1 Hurricane repair and Comprehensive Stormwater Infrastructure improvement (SF 1324) (HF 2353).....	1,500,000
Deltona Theresa Basin - Mid Basin Pumping (HF 2431).....	375,000
East Coast Zoological Society of Florida Banana River Living Shoreline Restoration Buffering the Aquarium Campus (HF 1440).....	500,000
Emerald Coast Utilities Authority Compost Improvements (HF 2713).....	1,000,000
Escambia County Carpenter Creek/Bayou Texar Stream Restoration Property Acquisition (SF 3445) (HF 2734)....	1,000,000
Florida Aquarium, Inc. - The Florida Aquarium Storm and Flood Protection (SF 1742) (HF 3187).....	1,000,000
Fort Myers Deep Injection Well (SF 2069) (HF 2411).....	2,500,000
Hallandale Beach Comprehensive Stormwater Management and Flooding Mitigation Project (SF 2463) (HF 3328).....	1,000,000
Hallandale Beach Stormwater Mitigation Project - Northeast Quad Injection Well System (SF 2464) (HF 3329)	2,000,000
High Springs North-West Alachua County Utility Improvement (SF 2025) (HF 3259).....	250,000
Hillsborough County Critical Utility Infrastructure Generators (SF 1998) (HF 2529).....	3,000,000
Hillsborough County Critical Utility Infrastructure Security Equipment (SF 2467) (HF 2309).....	100,000
Hollywood - Rotary Park Stormwater Improvements (SF 1616) (HF 1131).....	550,000
Homestead- Krome Avenue Water Main Capacity Upsizing (SF 2295) (HF 1582).....	1,000,000
Indialantic Riverside Park Pier & Kayak Launch (SF 2266) (HF 1427).....	350,000
Jacksonville - Armsdale Road Drainage Improvement Project (SF 2594) (HF 1334).....	2,000,000
Jay Emergency Generator Replacement (HF 2710).....	375,000
Key Biscayne Outfall Dissipator System (SF 1773) (HF 1168)	750,000
Kissimmee - North Kissimmee Stormwater Improvements (SF 3125) (HF 1285).....	500,000
Lake Helen Critical Stormwater Improvements (SF 1336) (HF 2436).....	225,000
Loxahatchee Groves Stormwater System Rehabilitation Phase 111 (SF 1532) (HF 2593).....	750,000

Lynn Haven Wastewater Feasibility Rate Study (SF 2607) (HF 1184).....	500,000
Margate Stormwater Infrastructure Assessment and Rehabilitation (SF 1322) (HF 2551).....	500,000
Margate Wastewater Digester 2 Rehabilitation Project (SF 1321) (HF 2550).....	700,000
Melbourne Village Stormwater Study Project (SF 1545) (HF 1426).....	180,000
Miami-Dade County Enhanced Biscayne Bay Monitoring Including Telemetry (SF 1779) (HF 1374).....	250,000
Miami-Dade County Rootwells for Flood Mitigation and Water Quality (SF 3116) (HF 3308).....	18,000
Miramar Citywide Swale Regrading (SF 1635) (HF 2779).....	500,000
North Lauderdale Stormwater Utility Vacuum Truck (SF 3202) (HF 3041).....	325,000
Oakland Park Tidal Outfall (SF 1968) (HF 2444).....	475,000
Ocean Ridge Water Main Replacement Program (SF 1096) (HF 1073).....	600,000
Old Plantation Water Control District (OPWCD) Pump Stations Rehabilitation and Automation (SF 3052) (HF 2964).....	918,075
Opa-locka Drinking Water Distribution System Improvement Phase 1 (SF 2891) (HF 3303).....	300,000
Orange County Wedgefield Water & Wastewater System Improvements (SF 3161) (HF 3582).....	7,500,000
Ormond Beach Stormwater Analysis (SF 2507) (HF 1796).....	500,000
Palm Springs 2nd Ave North Stormwater Improvements Project (SF 2597) (HF 1626).....	750,000
Pinecrest Stormwater Improvements (SF 1806) (HF 1816).....	375,000
Pompano Beach Water Treatment Plant Electrical Rehabilitation (SF 1569) (HF 2452).....	990,000
Riviera Beach New Water Treatment Plant (SF 2776) (HF 2906).....	750,000
Royal Palm Beach Drainage System Choke Point Replacements (SF 3234) (HF 2591).....	414,000
Royal Palm Beach Stormwater Pipe Audit and Replacement (SF 3235) (HF 2592).....	450,000
Save Florida Waters, Inc. Northern Springs Restoration Project (SF 1564) (HF 3257).....	250,000
South Broward Drainage District Pembroke Falls Sluice Gate & Telemetry Project (SF 1630) (HF 1165).....	150,000
South Indian River Water Control District Loxahatchee River Headwaters Easement Mapping (HF 1167).....	37,500
Southwest Ranches - Mather Boulevard Drainage Improvement (SF 1640) (HF 1321).....	442,500
Sunrise Basin 15 Storm Water Drainage Improvements (SF 1967) (HF 1602).....	750,000
Sunrise Southwest Wastewater Treatment Plant Deep Injection Well Project (SF 1966) (HF 2963).....	750,000
Surfside Replace and Up-size Residential Water Main (SF 2478) (HF 2794).....	1,500,000
Sweetwater Revitalization & Drainage Improvement (SF 2045) (HF 2992).....	952,000
Virginia Gardens - Pump Station Rehabilitation Storm Water Master Plan GIS Update (SF 2423) (HF 2744).....	600,000
West Melbourne Flood Risk Reduction - Canal C69 and C70 Improvements (SF 3487).....	350,000
Weston Wastewater Lift Stations Hardening and Rehabilitation (SF 1643) (HF 2766).....	1,100,000

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Camp Welaka Revitalization (SF 1081) (HF 1146).....	1,000,000
Central Florida Council, Scouting America Safety and	

Maintaining Current Structures Camp La-No-Che (SF 2528) (HF 2728).....	500,000
Cutler Bay Bel-Aire Park Improvements (SF 1817) (HF 1671).....	300,000
Manatee County - Washington Park (SF 2089) (HF 2415).....	1,000,000
Manatee County Gateway Greenway Trails (SF 3043) (HF 2239).....	1,000,000
Plant City - Lakeside Station Park (SF 2470) (HF 2562).....	2,500,000
Westlake Park Improvements Phase 1 (SF 3233) (HF 2585).....	600,000

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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1649, \$342,790 in nonrecurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided to the Tampa Bay Watch Restoration Vessels (SF 2369) (HF 2295).

Specific Appropriation 1669A  
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1669A SPECIAL CATEGORIES GRANTS AND AIDS - SPECIAL PROJECTS FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	62,500
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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1669A, \$62,500 in nonrecurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided for the Air Monitoring Equipment & Network in the Kendall Community (SF 3351) (HF 1647).

Specific Appropriation 1709A  
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1709A SPECIAL CATEGORIES GRANTS AND AIDS - SPECIAL PROJECTS FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	100,000
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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 1709A, \$100,000 in nonrecurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided for the Boater Safety Education Program (SF 2302) (HF 1169).

Specific Appropriation 1727F  
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1727F GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY INDIALANTIC RIVERSIDE PARK PIER AND KAYAK LAUNCH FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	220,000
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Funds in Specific Appropriation 1727F are provided for the Indialantic Riverside Park Pier and Kayak Launch (SF 2266) (HF 1427).

Specific Appropriation 1727G  
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1727G GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY ECKERD COLLEGE FIRE AND RESCUE FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	372,936
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Funds in Specific Appropriation 1727G are provided for the Eckerd College Fire and Rescue (SF 3289) (HF 2293).

Specific Appropriation 1871A  
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Brickell Key Bridge Repairs (SF 3446) (HF 1379).....	2,000,000
City of Hollywood Portable Public Safety Barriers (SF	

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1637) (HF 3142).....	280,000
Coral Gables ADA Improvements in the Central Business District (SF 1948) (HF 3067).....	310,000
Coral Gables Road Safety Improvements (SF 1946) (HF 3071).....	375,000
Doral Public Safety Adaptive Re-Use Project (SF 2465) (HF 2642).....	500,000
Elevate Bayshore Drive (SF 2370) (HF 1532).....	1,000,000
Extension of Taxiway at Whiting Aviation Industrial Park (SF 3439) (HF 2716).....	850,000
Florida State University Enhanced Traffic Safety Project (SF 2277) (HF 1543).....	125,245
Fort Lauderdale Sidewalk Repair Safety Project (SF 2285) (HF 1179).....	750,000
Fort Walton Beach Hollywood Boulevard Traffic Improvements (HF 1001).....	750,000
Hanley Road and Jackson Springs Road Intersection Improvements (SF 1999) (HF 3429).....	1,000,000
HART Integrated Services Campus (SF 2131) (HF 3091).....	2,500,000
Hillsborough County - Paseo Al Mar Blvd at Gate Dancer Road New Traffic Signal (SF 2138) (HF 2408).....	2,500,000
Jacksonville - University Boulevard and Edenfield Road Traffic Signal (SF 1989) (HF 1333).....	1,142,000
Lake Park Traffic Safety Upgrade (SF 2260) (HF 2897).....	400,000
Lauderdale-By-The-Sea Complete Street Project Construction - Bougainvillea/Poinciana (SF 1838) (HF 1884).....	750,000
Lee County - Sunshine Blvd from 75th Street to SR 80 (SF 3038) (HF 2825).....	6,000,000
Lee County Traffic Signal Hardening (SF 2882) (HF 2384)...	500,000
Little Havana Pedestrian Priority Zone - Phase II (SF 2444) (HF 1378).....	1,000,000
Miami - NW 6th Avenue between NW 64th Street and NW 71st Street (SF 3123) (HF 1377).....	926,162
Miami Beach Pedestrian Safety & Pier Park Street Improvements (SF 3455) (HF 1628).....	2,000,000
Miami Shores Village NE 94 Street Roadway Improvements (SF 1344) (HF 3370).....	750,000
Miami Wagner Creek Embankment and Right-of-Way Improvements (SF 1958) (HF 2013).....	2,000,000
Miami-Dade Safety Improvements along SW 328 Street - Entrance to Homestead Bayfront Park to SW 117 Ave (SF 2897) (HF 2257).....	937,500
Naval Air Station Whiting Field - Base Entrance Traffic Improvements (HF 2722).....	275,000
Palm Beach County Australian Avenue Drainage Improvements (SF 2259) (HF 2900).....	742,614
Palm Tran Patriot Passes Pilot Program (SF 1021) (HF 1338).....	150,000
Palmetto Bay Complete Street Project (SF 1772) (HF 1699) ..	300,000
Pembroke Park - SW 52nd Avenue Resiliency Roadway Improvements Phase 2 (SF 1454) (HF 1132).....	350,000
Pinecrest Road Resurfacing (SF 1804) (HF 1808).....	350,000
Plantation - SW 125th Avenue Improvements (HF 1282).....	375,000
Rockledge - Traffic Light Revitalization (SF 1045) (HF 1428).....	600,000
Seacrest Estates Roadway Safety Rehabilitation Project (SF 1959) (HF 1460).....	550,000
Senator Howard C. Forman Human Services Campus: Road Improvements Phase 1 (SF 2232) (HF 1534).....	800,000
SR 82 Traffic Safety Improvements - Benchmark Ave (SF 2458) (HF 2827).....	850,000
Tampa West River District Multi-Modal Network & Safety Improvements Project (SF 2121) (HF 3465).....	750,000
Triangle Park and Children's Academy Pedestrian Safety Initiative (SF 1944) (HF 1124).....	800,000
Village of Virginia Gardens Roadway Improvements (SF	

2425) (HF 1998).....	600,000
Vision Zero Safety Improvements - Grand Avenue between Jefferson St. and Plaza St. (SF 3259) (HF 2929).....	750,000
Vision Zero Safety Improvements - SW 2nd Street & SW 1st Avenue (SF 1952) (HF 1125).....	500,000
Windermere - Upgrade Roundabout 6th Avenue and Main Street (SF 1916) (HF 3084).....	784,000

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2030A SPECIAL CATEGORIES  
HOMEOWNER ASSOCIATION REAL ESTATE FRAUD  
FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . . 1,270,000

Funds in Specific Appropriation 2030A are provided for the Homeowner Association Real Estate Fraud appropriations project (SF 3410) (HF 1196).

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Aerospace Defense America (SF 3433) (HF 1479).....	200,000
Central Florida Arts Workforce Initiative (SF 3152) (HF 1233).....	350,000
Community Innovation Center (SF 2112) (HF 3490).....	125,000
Cutler Bay Economic Development Plan (SF 1816) (HF 1674) ..	100,000
Dress for Success Southwest Florida Boutique (SF 3549) (HF 1873).....	87,500
Florida Women's Business Center Network (SF 2225) (HF 1295).....	200,000
North Florida Skilled Workforce Development (SF 2919) (HF 2843).....	25,000
Project PUENTE: Providing Unmatched Employment & Networking for Transformational Empowerment (SF 1571) (HF 3151).....	300,000
Samaritan Resource Center - Pathways to Prosperity Program (SF 2954) (HF 1502).....	200,000

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Broward County Eviction Prevention and Rental Assistance Program (SF 1254) (HF 2556).....	1,500,000
Cryoeeze22 Community Continual Restoration (SF 2950) (HF 1172).....	61,625
Florida Insider: Bringing Florida's Government Closer to You In English & Creole (SF 3374) (HF 2989).....	500,000
Housing Solutions Council - Martin County Housing Needs Assessment (SF 2979) (HF 3247).....	85,000
Mount Dora Electric Utility Power Grid Resiliency Project (SF 1893) (HF 1416).....	144,192
OnBikes Pensacola (HF 2714).....	62,500
Pinellas County Urban League Headquarters (SF 3225).....	500,000
Skate Link (SF 1845) (HF 1500).....	267,000
Walk-Off Charities - Expansion of Youth Baseball & Softball Development Programs (SF 1384) (HF 2869).....	650,000

Specific Appropriation 2112A  
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Affordable Homeownership Initiative in Pasco and Hernando (SF 1680) (HF 1216).....	750,000
Affordable Homeownership Opportunities in Pinellas (SF 2346) (HF 1389).....	750,000
Alper Jewish Community Center Improvements (SF 2300) (HF 1716).....	100,000
Belle Isle Municipal Facility Land Planning and Building Design (SF 2910) (HF 1503).....	800,000
Coconut Creek - Fleet Building Rehabilitation (SF 1835) (HF 3008).....	200,000
Cuban Civic Club of Tampa Renovations (HF 3493).....	125,000
Cuban Club Interior Renovations (SF 2129) (HF 3494).....	880,000
Haines City Annex (SF 1011) (HF 1189).....	1,000,000
Italian Club of Tampa - Restoration & Code Compliance Initiative (SF 1672).....	350,000
Lake Helen City Hall Upgrades (SF 1205) (HF 2434).....	187,500
Newberry Electric System Resiliency Project (SF 1212) (HF 2326).....	350,000
Palafax Market Public Restrooms (HF 2701).....	75,000
Palm Bay Fiber Optic Expansion (SF 3294) (HF 3097).....	500,000
Palm Beach County Housing Units for Homeless (SF 2203) (HF 1201).....	1,000,000
Pinellas County Housing Authority - Oaks at Ridgecrest Community Center Phase 1 (SF 2345) (HF 1392).....	1,457,086
Seafarers' House of Port Everglades: Supporting the Port Everglades and Maritime Community (SF 1626) (HF 2476)...	37,500
South Bay Resiliency Hub and Community Center (SF 1284) (HF 2587).....	1,000,000
St. Cloud Hopkins Park Community Center (SF 3129) (HF 1684).....	500,000
Strategic Infrastructure for Multi-Use Affordable Housing Project - Miami-Dade (SF 3517) (HF 2544).....	3,000,000
Stuart Guy Davis Community Park Revitalization - Phase 2 (SF 1146) (HF 1043).....	500,000
Walk-Off Charities - Expansion of Youth Baseball & Softball Development Programs (SF 1384) (HF 2869).....	100,000

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AMPLIFY Clearwater - IGNITE Entrepreneurship Center (SF 2354) (HF 1521).....	350,000
Empower ED: Fostering Sustainable Economic Development through Education (HF 1954).....	175,000
From Market to Mainstream: Retail Teaching Institute (SF 2103) (HF 1657).....	62,500
Greater North Miami Chamber of Commerce Catalyst Entrepreneurship (SF 3159) (HF 1870).....	313,175
Small Business Revitalization & Technical Assistance Program (SF 3367) (HF 1793).....	515,600

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2135A LUMP SUM	
FLORIDA PLANNING, ACCOUNTING, AND LEDGER	
MANAGEMENT READINESS	
POSITIONS	5.00
FROM ADMINISTRATIVE TRUST FUND . . .	565,680

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2160A AID TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS	
GRANTS AND AIDS LOCAL GOVERNMENT	
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY PROJECTS	
FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	2,600,943

Funds in Specific Appropriation 2160A are provided for information technology projects as follows:

Opa-locka - Tyler Technology: Government Finance ERP	
Software Solution (SF 3048) (HF 3305).....	700,943
Putnam County Enterprise System Update (SF 2561) (HF 2174)	1,900,000

Specific Appropriation 2245A  
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Boynton Beach - High Flood Swift Water Rescue Response	
Program (SF 2168) (HF 1083).....	500,000
Midway Fire- Advanced Battery-Powered Rescue Equipment	
Upgrade (SF 2312) (HF 3083).....	200,000
Miramar - Fire Rescue - Special Operations Vehicle (SOV)	
(SF 1632) (HF 1835).....	500,000
Boca Grande Fire Control District Fire Ladder Truck	
Replacement (SF 2221) (HF 2056).....	1,500,000
Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue Special Events Ambulances (SF	
2286) (HF 1799).....	320,000
Mental Health Services for Police Officers and	
Firefighters (SF 2548) (HF 1719).....	250,000
Palm Beach County Fire Rescue Water Vessels for Hazard	
Mitigation (SF 1098) (HF 1084).....	200,000
Pasco County Board of County Commissioners (SF 1677) (HF	
1268).....	100,000
Plantation - First Responder Safety Barrier (SF 2287) (HF	
1468).....	120,000

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Davie Fire Rescue Vehicle Exhaust System (SF 2233) (HF	
3147).....	280,000
North Lauderdale - Public Safety Multi-Purpose Complex	
and Emergency Operation Center (SF 3201) (HF 3042).....	500,000
Ponce Inlet Fire Station Design (SF 2035) (HF 2350).....	500,000
Gainesville Southwest Public Safety Services Center (SF	
2226) (HF 2320).....	1,170,500
Haines City Emergency Operations Center and Fire Facility	
(SF 1010) (HF 1188).....	3,000,000
Largo Fire Station 40 Relocation Project (SF 2375) (HF	
1476).....	951,010
Orange City Fire Station Hurricane Rated Facility (SF	
2034) (HF 2758).....	900,000
Oviedo Public Safety Training Center (SF 2317) (HF 1158) ..	1,000,000

Specific Appropriation 2357  
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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 2357, \$250,000 is provided to the Office of Insurance Regulation shall conduct an actuarial study on the fiscal impact of recommendations of the Report on Prevention of Out-Of-Network Ground Ambulance Emergency Service Balance Billing, March 29, 2024 to the Legislature by December 31, 2025. The study shall include a review of other state statutory enactments addressing

reimbursement guidance passed since 2020, the associated impact to premiums based on those changes, and an estimate of the potential impacts of premiums to state group and commercial insurance if Florida made similar changes.

Specific Appropriation 2438  
Page 425

Daytona Beach Shores - Mechanized Sandbag Filler (SF 1046) (HF 1395).....	12,500
Holly Hill Sand Bag Machine (SF 3414) (HF 1509).....	12,500
St. Lucie County Cellular on Wheels (COWs) (SF 1084) (HF 3376).....	155,990
Temple Terrace - Enhancing Disaster Preparedness Operations (SF 2119) (HF 1859).....	442,040

Specific Appropriation 2461  
Pages 427 and 428

Cutler Bay Emergency Operations Command Center (SF 1820) (HF 1675).....	550,000
East Pasco Emergency Shelter (SF 1524) (HF 2578).....	25,000
Lee County Non-Federal Matching Funds for Hurricanes Helene and Milton (SF 2883) (HF 2385).....	385,000
Nathan Benderson Park Secondary-Post Storm Shelter and Support Facility (SF 1127) (HF 3543).....	650,000
Parkland Emergency Management Enhancements (SF 1075) (HF 1058).....	121,000

Specific Appropriation 2467  
Page 429

From the funds in Specific Appropriation 2467, \$100,000 in nonrecurring funds from the General Revenue Fund is provided for Teen Safe Driving Education Programs (SF 2270) (HF 1850).

Specific Appropriation 2674A  
Page 453

2674A AID TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS GRANTS AND AIDS - LOCAL GOVERNMENT INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY INFRASTRUCTURE FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	220,000
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Funds in Specific Appropriation 2674A are provided for the Satellite Beach-Data Center Server (SF 1330) (HF 1298).

Specific Appropriation 2688A  
Page 455

2688A GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONSTATE ENTITIES - FIXED CAPITAL OUTLAY FROM GENERAL REVENUE FUND . . . . .	350,000
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The nonrecurring funds in Specific Appropriation 2688A are provided for Wilton Manors Cybersecurity Improvements (SF 2390) (HF 2152).

Specific Appropriation 2691A  
Pages 455 and 456

Village of Key Biscayne Public Safety Communications Systems (SF 2878) (HF 2927).....	312,500
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Specific Appropriation 2702A  
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Tamarac Underground Fiber Network Expansion - Phase 3B (SF 1250) (HF 1581).....	750,000
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Specific Appropriation 2924A  
Pages 479 and 480

Centro Asturiano Renovation and Revitalization (SF 3486) (HF 2123).....	175,000
Historic Woman's Club Improvements (SF 1850) (HF 1430)....	175,000
Ruth Eckerd Hall Hurricane Response & Preparedness (SF 1292) (HF 3020).....	769,000
Switzerland Vocational & Community Center (SF 3454) (HF 1857).....	70,000

Specific Appropriation 2949  
Page 482

Al Downing Tampa Bay Jazz Association Building Feasibility Study (SF 3432) (HF 1663).....	100,000
Glades Initiative - Arts in Autism (SF 3493).....	200,000
Miami-Dade Hometown Heroes Community Event (SF 1810) (HF 2816).....	836,766

Specific Appropriation 2955  
Pages 483 and 484

Children's Center for Education and Collaboration - The Historic Cocoa Village Playhouse, Inc. (SF 1049) (HF 1293).....	500,000
Dance Alive National Ballet Center for the Arts (SF 1104) (HF 2312).....	475,000
Florida Museum of Black History Building Development (SF 1522) (HF 3226).....	750,000
Morikami Museum & Japanese Gardens "Bridge to Heaven" Design (SF 1303) (HF 1237).....	500,000
Tampa Museum of Art: Expanding Classical Education for All (SF 2008) (HF 2399).....	375,000

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## SECTION 7 - JUDICIAL BRANCH

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Specific Appropriation 2994  
Pages 489 and 490

Civil Citation Program Expansion - Teen Court of Sarasota, Inc. (SF 1172) (HF 1921).....	350,000
Santa Rosa County Veterans Treatment Court (SF 2991) (HF 2706).....	150,000
Statewide Driver's License Initiative (SF 3451) (HF 3126) .	125,000

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## OTHER SECTIONS

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Section 8  
Pages 494 through 505

(e) Justice Administration Commission - Public Defenders

Effective July 1, 2025, funds are provided in Specific Appropriation 1916 in the amount of \$3,135,142 from the General Revenue Fund for each public defender's office and public defender appellate's office in the Eleventh, Thirteenth, and Twentieth Judicial Circuits to grant a competitive area differential special pay adjustment for assistant public defenders, investigators, support staff, and other positions as proposed in the commission's legislative budget request. (Issue Codes 4200A60 and 4200A10)

(h) State Court System

Effective July 1, 2025, funds are provided in Specific Appropriation 1916 in the amount of \$1,845,000 from the General Revenue Fund for the State Court System to grant a critical market pay additive of \$15,000 per year to employees in class codes 9812 and 9814 working and residing in Miami-Dade County. This additive shall be granted only during the time in which these employees reside in and are assigned to duties within Miami-Dade County.

Section 173  
Page 521

SECTION 173. The sum of \$200,000,000 appropriated from the General Revenue Fund to the Department of Environmental Protection in section 171 of chapter 2024-231, Laws of Florida, for the acquisition of lands shall revert immediately. This section is effective upon becoming a law.

Section 220  
Page 526

SECTION 220. The unexpended balance of funds provided to the Department of Revenue from the General Revenue Fund in Specific Appropriation 3173 of chapter 2024-231, Laws of Florida, for the implementation of Natural Gas Motor Fuel shall revert and is appropriated to the department for Fiscal Year 2025-2026 for the same purpose.

Section 257  
Page 530

SECTION 257. The unexpended balance of funds provided to the Department of Transportation for the Manatee County - 51st Street West Extension (SF 1197) in Specific Appropriation 2042A of chapter 2023-239, Laws of Florida, shall revert and is appropriated to the department for Fiscal Year 2025-2026 for Manatee County 51st Street West Extension Design (SF 3297).

Section 259  
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DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE	
Grants and Donations Trust Fund.....	4,000,000
DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT	
Operating Trust Fund.....	8,000,000
DEPARTMENT OF LEGAL AFFAIRS	
Elections Commission Trust Fund.....	1,500,000
Motor Vehicle Warranty Trust Fund.....	1,500,000
Operating Trust Fund.....	5,000,000
DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES	
Operating Trust Fund / Purchasing.....	5,000,000

Section 276  
Page 532

SECTION 276. For Fiscal Year 2025-2026, the recurring sum of \$750,000,000 from the General Revenue Fund shall be held in reserve for future transfer into the Budget Stabilization Fund, pending voter approval of the constitutional amendment proposed by House Joint Resolution 5019 or similar legislation.

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The portions of Senate Bill 2500 which are set forth herein with my objections are hereby vetoed, and all other portions of Senate Bill 2500 are hereby approved.

Sincerely,



Ron DeSantis  
Governor