

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chair of Committee    Date    April 19, 2019

Committee on Appropriations.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB19-1278 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend the State, Veterans, & Military Affairs Committee Report, dated  
2 April 2, 2019, page 5, strike lines 20 and 21 and substitute:

3 "Page 32 of the printed bill, line 14, strike "SEVEN" and substitute  
4 "TWELVE".".

5 Page 7 of the report, strike lines 21 and 22 and substitute "2019, AS  
6 PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION. THE REIMBURSEMENTS SHALL BE MADE AS  
7 GRANTS SUBJECT TO REQUIREMENTS PRESCRIBED BY THE SECRETARY OF  
8 STATE.".

9 Page 7 of the report, lines 26 and 27, strike "FUND OR THE DEPARTMENT  
10 OF STATE CASH FUND." and substitute "FUND.".

11 Page 7 of the report, after line 27 insert:

12 "(3) (a) FOR THE 2019-20 FISCAL YEAR, THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
13 MAY EXPEND THREE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM THE  
14 FEDERAL ELECTIONS ASSISTANCE FUND CREATED IN SECTION 1-1.5-106  
15 (1)(a) FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING GRANTS TO COUNTIES TO  
16 REIMBURSE THE COUNTIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS  
17 SECTION FOR THE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH ESTABLISHING NEW DROP  
18 BOXES AND FOR OTHER EQUIPMENT CONSISTENT WITH FEDERAL LAW AND  
19 GRANT REQUIREMENTS.

1 (b) FOR THE 2019-20 FISCAL YEAR, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
2 SHALL TRANSFER THE BALANCE OF THE MONEY NECESSARY TO MAKE THE  
3 PAYMENTS REQUIRED BY SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION FROM THE  
4 GENERAL FUND TO THE FUND."

5 Page 7 of the report, line 28, strike "(3)" and substitute "(4)".

6 Page 7 of the report, line 31, strike "(4)" and substitute "(5)".

7 Page 8 of the report, line 1, strike "(5)" and substitute "(6)".

8 Page 8 of the report, line 4, strike "(6)" and substitute "(7)".

9 Page 8, line 16, strike "school;". and substitute:

10 "school;

11 **SECTION 56. Appropriation.** (1) For the 2019-20 state fiscal  
12 year, \$2,096,000 is appropriated to the local elections assistance cash  
13 fund created in section 24-21-104.9 (2), C.R.S. This appropriation is from  
14 the general fund. The department of state is responsible for the  
15 accounting related to this appropriation.

16 (2) For the 2019-20 state fiscal year, \$50,945 is appropriated to  
17 the department of state for use by the elections division. This  
18 appropriation consists of \$22,590 from the general fund and \$28,355  
19 from the department of state cash fund created in section 24-21-104  
20 (3)(b), C.R.S. To implement this act, the division may use this  
21 appropriation as follows:

22 (a) \$22,590 from general fund for local election reimbursement;  
23 and

24 (b) \$28,355 from department of state cash fund for operating  
25 expenses.

26 (3) For the 2019-20 state fiscal year, \$175,798 is appropriated to  
27 the department of state for use by the information technology division.  
28 This appropriation is from the department of state cash fund created in  
29 section 24-21-104 (3)(b), C.R.S. To implement this act, the division may  
30 use this appropriation as follows:

31 (a) \$148,400 for personal services; and

32 (b) \$27,398 for hardware and software maintenance.

33 (4) For the 2019-20 state fiscal year, \$2,790 is appropriated to the  
34 department of personnel for use by the division of central services. This  
35 appropriation is from the general fund. To implement this act, the division

1 may use this appropriation for the address confidentiality program."."

2 Page 8, after line 17 insert:

3 "Page 1 of the printed bill, line 102, strike "**1992**." and substitute  
4 "**1992**", AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN  
5 APPROPRIATION."."

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