

CHAPTER 433

APPROPRIATIONS

HOUSE BILL 26-1171

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Sirota, Brown, Taggart, Duran, Joseph, McCluskie;
also SENATOR(S) Bridges, Amabile, Kirkmeyer.

AN ACT

CONCERNING A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. Appropriation to the department of the treasury for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025. In Session Laws of Colorado 2025, section 2 of chapter 476, (SB 25-206), **amend** Part XXIII as follows:

Section 2. **Appropriation.**

Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

ITEM & SUBTOTAL	TOTAL	APPROPRIATION FROM				
		GENERAL FUND	GENERAL FUND EXEMPT	CASH FUNDS	REAPPROPRIATED FUNDS	FEDERAL FUNDS
\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

**PART XXIII
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**

(1) ADMINISTRATION

Personal Services	4,286,893		3,081,766		1,205,127 ^a	
(38.0 FTE)			2,996,669			
Health, Life, and Dental	744,662		446,698		297,964 ^b	
	771,411		462,744		308,667 ^b	
Short-term Disability	3,654		2,398		1,256 ^b	
Paid Family and Medical Leave Insurance	23,490		15,416		8,074 ^b	
Unfunded Liability						
Amortization Equalization						
Disbursement Payments	521,995		342,578		179,417 ^b	
Salary Survey	142,960		93,523		49,437 ^b	
Step Pay	40,364		38,777		1,587 ^b	
PERA Direct Distribution	87,776		57,606		30,170 ^b	
Workers' Compensation and Payment to Risk Management and Property Funds	35,349		35,349			

Operating Expenses	789,451	789,451	
	874,548		85,097 ^a
Information Technology			
Asset Maintenance	28,000	14,000	14,000 ^b
Legal Services	152,159	47,393	104,766 ^c
Capitol Complex			
Leased Space	70,019	41,750	28,269 ^b
Payments to OIT	313,900	190,344	123,556 ^b
CORE Operations	165,485	74,468	91,017 ^b
Charter School Facilities			
Financing Services	7,500		7,500(I) ^d
Discretionary Fund	<u>5,000</u>	5,000	
	7,418,657		
	7,445,406		

^a ~~Of this amount~~ Of these amounts, ~~\$887,488~~ \$972,585 shall be from cash management transaction fees pursuant to Section 24-36-120, C.R.S., and ~~\$318,684~~ \$317,639 shall be from the Unclaimed Property Trust Fund created in Section 38-13-801 (1)(a), C.R.S.

^b These amounts shall be from the principal balance of the Unclaimed Property Trust Fund created in Section 38-13-801 (1)(a), C.R.S.

^c Of this amount, it is estimated that \$57,142(I) shall be from the State Public Financing Cash Fund created in Section 24-36-121 (7)(a), C.R.S., \$43,921 shall be from the principal balance of the Unclaimed Property Trust Fund created in Section 38-13-801 (1)(a), C.R.S., and \$3,703 shall be from interest or income earned on the investment of the money in the Public School Fund pursuant to Section 22-41-102, C.R.S. Appropriations from the State Public Financing Cash Fund are shown for informational purposes only because the State Public Financing Cash Fund is continuously appropriated to the State Treasurer pursuant to Section 24-36-121 (7)(a), C.R.S.

^d This amount shall be from the Charter School Financing Administrative Cash Fund created in Section 22-30.5-406 (1)(c)(I), C.R.S. Appropriations from the Charter School Financing Administrative Cash Fund are continuously appropriated and included for informational purposes to comply with the limitation on state fiscal year spending imposed by Section 20 of Article X of the State Constitution.

 APPROPRIATION FROM

	ITEM & SUBTOTAL	TOTAL	GENERAL FUND	GENERAL FUND EXEMPT	CASH FUNDS	REAPPROPRIATED FUNDS	FEDERAL FUNDS
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
(2) UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM PROGRAM^{104a}							
Personal Services	1,900,442				1,900,442 ^a		
					(24.0 FTE)		
Operating Expenses	1,595,549				1,595,549 ^a		
Promotion and Correspondence	200,000				200,000 ^a		
Contract Auditor Services	<u>800,000</u>				800,000(I) ^b		
		4,495,991					

^a These amounts shall be from the principal balance of the Unclaimed Property Trust Fund created in Section 38-13-801 (1)(a), C.R.S.

^b This amount shall be from revenues collected by contract auditors. This amount is continuously appropriated for payment of contract services pursuant to Section 38-13-801 (2)(b), C.R.S., and is included for informational purposes only.

(3) SPECIAL PURPOSE

Senior Citizen and Disabled Veteran							
Property Tax Exemption	180,237,698		180,237,698(I) ^a				
Business Personal Property Tax Exemption	17,948,526		17,948,526(I) ^b				
Highway Users Tax Fund - County Payments	213,053,162				213,053,162(I) ^c		

Highway Users Tax Fund -				
Municipality Payments	134,402,095		134,402,095(I) ^e	
Lease Purchase of Academic Facilities Pursuant to Section 23-19.9-102, C.R.S.	17,437,100			17,437,100(I) ^d
Lease Purchase of Academic Facilities Pursuant to Section 24-82-803, C.R.S.	4,753,000			4,753,000(I) ^e
Public School Fund Investment Board Pursuant to Section 22-41-102.5, C.R.S. S.B. 17-267	1,760,000		1,760,000 ^f	
Collateralization Lease Purchase Payments	150,000,000	100,000,000	50,000,000 ^g	
Direct Distribution for Unfunded Actuarial Accrued PERA Liability	225,000,000	164,647,402(I) ^h		60,352,598(I) ⁱ
Law Enforcement Officers' and Firefighters' Continuation of Health Benefits Program	<u>150,000</u>		150,000 ^j	
		\$944,741,581		

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\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

^a Pursuant to Section 3.5 (3) of Article X of the State Constitution, this amount is not subject to the limitation on General Fund appropriations set forth in Section 24-75-201.1 (1)(a), C.R.S., because enactment of this constitutional provision by the people of Colorado constitutes voter approval of a weakening of such limitation. This amount reflects the estimate of the money that shall be paid to fully reimburse counties pursuant to Section 39-3-207 (4)(a), C.R.S., for lost property tax revenues as a result of property owners claiming the exemption.

^b This amount is not subject to the limitation on General Fund appropriations set forth in Section 24-75-201.1 (1)(a), C.R.S., because it is not a state general fund appropriation. This amount reflects the estimate of the money that shall be paid to fully reimburse counties pursuant to Section 39-3-119.5 (3)(e), C.R.S., for the aggregate value of business personal property that is exempt from property tax.

^c These amounts represent estimated allocations from the Highway Users Tax Fund, created in Section 43-4-201 (1)(a), C.R.S. These estimates of revenue distributions to counties and municipalities pursuant to Sections 43-4-205, 207, and 208, C.R.S., are included for informational purposes and for the purpose of complying with the limitation on state fiscal year spending imposed by Section 20 of Article X of the State Constitution.

^d This amount shall be from funds transferred from the Lease Purchase of Academic Facilities line item in the Colorado Commission on Higher Education section of the Department of Higher Education pursuant to Section 23-19.9-102, C.R.S.

^e This amount shall be from funds transferred from the Senate Bill 20-219 Lease Purchase Payments line item in the Colorado Commission on Higher Education section of the Department of Higher Education pursuant to Section 24-82-803.

^f This amount shall be from interest or income earned on the investment of the money in the Public School Fund pursuant to Section 22-41-102 (3)(h)(I), C.R.S.

^g This amount shall be from various cash funds under the control of the Transportation Commission pursuant to Section 24-82-1303 (2)(d)(II), C.R.S.

^h Pursuant to Section 24-51-414 (5), C.R.S., this amount is included in the general appropriation bill for informational purposes and for the purpose of complying with the limitation on state fiscal year spending imposed by Section 20 of Article X of the State Constitution and represents the estimated amount of the total distribution that is attributable to public education from kindergarten through the twelfth grade. This amount shall be issued as a warrant and is not subject to the General Fund reserve requirement pursuant to Section 24-51-414 (1)(a), C.R.S.

ⁱ This amount shall be from funds transferred from the Department of Personnel. Pursuant to Section 24-51-414 (5), C.R.S., this amount is included for informational purposes and for the purpose of complying with the limitation on state fiscal year spending imposed by Section 20 of Article X of the State Constitution and represents part of the estimated amount of the total distribution that is attributable to the state.

^jThis amount shall be from the Law Enforcement Officers' and Firefighters' Continuation of Benefits Fund created in Section 24-36-122 (2)(a), C.R.S.

TOTALS PART XXIII

(TREASURY)	\$956,656,229	\$468,110,143 ^a		\$406,003,388 ^b	\$82,542,698 ^c	
	<u>\$956,682,978</u>	<u>\$468,041,092^a</u>	<u> </u>	<u>\$406,099,188^b</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

^a Of this amount, \$362,833,626 contains an (I) notation and \$198,186,224 is not subject to the limitation on General Fund appropriations imposed by Section 24-75-201.1 (1)(a) (III), C.R.S.

^b Of this amount, \$348,319,899 contains an (I) notation; \$347,455,257 represents allocations of Highway Users Tax Fund revenues to counties and municipalities pursuant to Sections 43-4-205, 207, and 208, C.R.S.

^cThis amount contains an (I) notation.

FOOTNOTES -- THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS ARE REFERENCED TO THE NUMBERED FOOTNOTES THROUGHOUT SECTION 2.

104a DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY, UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM -- IN ADDITION TO THE TRANSFER AUTHORITY PROVIDED IN SECTION 24-75-108, C.R.S., THE DEPARTMENT MAY TRANSFER UP TO \$37,850 CASH FUNDS AMONG THE FOLLOWING LINE ITEMS IN THIS SECTION: PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES.

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SECTION 2. Appropriation to the department of the treasury for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2024. In Session Laws of Colorado 2024, section 2 of chapter 519, (HB 24-1430), **amend** Part XXIII (1) and the affected totals as Part XXIII (1) and the affected totals are amended by Session Laws of Colorado 2025, section 1 of chapter 473, (SB 25-110), and as Part XXIII and the affected totals are amended by section 14 of chapter 476, (SB 25-206), as follows:

Section 2. **Appropriation.**

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(1) ADMINISTRATION

Personal Services	4,745,899	3,639,541	1,106,358 ^a
(37.5 FTE)			
Health, Life, and Dental	648,766	390,878	257,888 ^b
Short-term Disability	7,476	4,772	2,704 ^b
Paid Family and Medical Leave Insurance	22,256	14,221	8,035 ^b
Unfunded Liability Amortization Equalization			
Disbursement Payments	436,900	284,242	152,658 ^b
Salary Survey	153,814	100,411	53,403 ^b

Step Pay	102,735	57,369	45,366 ^b
PERA Direct Distribution	75,527	49,137	26,390 ^b
Workers' Compensation and Payment to Risk Management and Property Funds	35,707	35,707	
Operating Expenses	2,192,234 2,208,615	2,192,234 2,208,615	
Information Technology			
Asset Maintenance	18,000	9,000	9,000 ^b
Legal Services	122,197	38,060	84,137 ^c
Capitol Complex			
Leased Space	62,530	37,285	25,245 ^b
Payments to OIT	265,730	155,374	110,356 ^b
CORE Operations	185,258	83,366	101,892 ^b
Charter School Facilities			
Financing Services	7,500		7,500(I) ^d
Discretionary Fund	<u>5,000</u>	5,000	
	9,087,529		
	9,103,910		

^a Of this amount, \$887,488 shall be from cash management transaction fees pursuant to Section 24-36-120, C.R.S., and \$218,870 shall be from the Unclaimed Property Trust Fund created in Section 38-13-801 (1)(a), C.R.S.

^b These amounts shall be from the principal balance of the Unclaimed Property Trust Fund created in Section 38-13-801 (1)(a), C.R.S.

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TOTALS PART XXIII

(TREASURY)	\$952,059,166	\$466,238,067		\$404,002,146 ^b	\$81,818,953 ^c	
	<u>\$952,075,547</u>	<u>\$466,254,448^a</u>				

^a Of this amount, \$358,441,470 contains an (I) notation and \$193,070,323 is not subject to the limitation on General Fund appropriations imposed by Section 24-75-201.1 (1)(a) (III), C.R.S.

^b Of this amount, \$346,669,804 contains an (I) notation; \$345,805,162 represents allocations of Highway Users Tax Fund revenues to counties and municipalities pursuant to Sections 43-4-205, 207, and 208, C.R.S.

^c This amount contains an (I) notation.

SECTION 3. Safety clause. The general assembly finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety or for appropriations for the support and maintenance of the departments of the state and state institutions.

Approved: March 26, 2026