

CHAPTER 155

HUMAN SERVICES - SOCIAL SERVICES

HOUSE BILL 12-1341

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Gerou, Becker, Levy, Hullinghorst;
also SENATOR(S) Hodge, Steadman, Lambert.

AN ACT

CONCERNING THE REPEAL OF THE STATEWIDE STRATEGIC USE FUND.

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

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 26-2-721.7, **add** (1) (a.5) and (8) as follows:

26-2-721.7. Colorado works statewide strategic use fund - created - allocations - rules - evaluation - report - repeal. (1) (a.5) NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF PARAGRAPH (a) OF THIS SUBSECTION (1) TO THE CONTRARY, ANY UNENCUMBERED AND UNEXPENDED MONEYS REMAINING IN THE STATEWIDE STRATEGIC USE FUND ON DECEMBER 30, 2012, SHALL REVERT TO THE COLORADO LONG-TERM WORKS RESERVE CREATED IN SECTION 26-2-721.

(8) THIS SECTION IS REPEALED, EFFECTIVE APRIL 1, 2013.

SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 26-2-721.5, **amend** (5) (a); and **repeal** (5) (b) as follows:

26-2-721.5. Strategic allocation committee - created - duties - repeal. (5) (a) This section is repealed, effective ~~July 1, 2018~~ APRIL 1, 2013.

(b) ~~Prior to the repeal of this section, the strategic allocation committee shall be reviewed as provided for in section 2-3-1203, C.R.S.~~

SECTION 3. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 2-3-1203, **repeal** (3) (ee) (IV) as follows:

2-3-1203. Sunset review of advisory committees. (3) The following dates are

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the dates for which the statutory authorization for the designated advisory committees is scheduled for repeal:

(ee) July 1, 2018:

(IV) ~~The strategic allocation committee created pursuant to section 26-2-721.5, C.R.S.;~~

SECTION 4. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 26-2-721, **amend** (1); and **repeal** (2) (a) (II) as follows:

26-2-721. Colorado long-term works reserve - creation - use. (1) There is hereby created the Colorado long-term works reserve, referred to in this section as the "reserve", that shall consist of unappropriated TANF block grant moneys, state general fund moneys appropriated thereto by the general assembly, and moneys transferred thereto pursuant to sections 26-2-714 (5) (a), 26-2-716 (4) (b), 26-2-720.5 (1), AND 26-2-721.3 (1). ~~and 26-2-721.7 (1).~~ A county's excess unspent TANF reserves that are transferred to another county pursuant to section 26-2-714 (5) (a) (I) (B) or (5) (a) (I) (C) shall not be considered unappropriated TANF block grant moneys for purposes of this section. Any excess unspent TANF reserves for state fiscal year 2009-10 shall be excluded from the Colorado long-term works reserve and shall be available for transfer to a county pursuant to section 26-2-714 (5) (a) (I) (B).

(2) The general assembly, upon request of the state department, may appropriate the moneys in the reserve for the purposes of:

(a) Implementing the works program, including but not limited to:

(II) ~~Funding the Colorado works statewide strategic use fund created in section 26-2-721.7; and~~

SECTION 5. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 26-18-104, **amend** (1) (c) (II) as follows:

26-18-104. Program created. (1) (c) (II) Any moneys received by family resource centers pursuant to the temporary assistance for needy families block grant or from the family issues cash fund created in section 26-5.3-106 shall be from funds directly disbursed by a county at the discretion of the county. ~~except that a family resource center may apply for and receive moneys from the Colorado works statewide strategic use fund pursuant to section 26-2-721.7.~~

SECTION 6. Effective date. This act takes effect upon passage; except that sections 4 and 5 of this act take effect April 1, 2013.

SECTION 7. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: May 3, 2012