MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

REGARDING HOUSE BILL 2510

House Bill 2510 represents additional progress toward fulfilling many of the priorities that I set forth in January and that have been made possible only through our bipartisan work together over the past four years. Building on House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill 267, this bill provides additional investments in higher education, economic development, mental health, senior services, and veterans while leaving sufficient funding to provide over $1 billion in tax relief to Kansans through the legislation that I have signed to cut property taxes and axe the state’s sales tax on groceries.

Some of the key investments in this legislation include improved access to mental healthcare, increased funding for senior nutrition, expanded training opportunities to prevent child abuse, and measures that build on our successful work to reduce the number of children who enter the foster care system. This bill includes additional investments in our regional universities and community and technical colleges, which are critical to our efforts to expand our workforce in the state of Kansas. And this budget ensures that all state employees will receive a pay increase of at least 5% this year in recognition of their service to the state.

Finally, due to our strong economic growth and unprecedented ending balances, this budget will allow us to pay off over $1 billion in debt over the next year.

Therefore, pursuant to Article 2, Section 14(b) of the Constitution of the State of Kansas, I hereby return House Bill 2510 with my signature, except for the item enumerated below.

State Board of Regents—Proviso Allowing Universities to Raise Tuition

Section 36(b) has been vetoed in its entirety.

In my initial budget, I recommended $45.7 million in operating grant funding to higher education with the understanding that universities would freeze tuition. In addition to that, I allocated $23.9 million in funding for salaries. While the original operating grant funding has been reduced to an increase of $37.5 million in the final passed budget, overall, higher education in the state of Kansas is set to receive $1 billion this fiscal year. This is a historic investment that I am proud to support by approving the additional higher education funding included in HB 2510.

As a result of this significant infusion of new funding, I believe that the Regents institutions will be able to continue to hold tuition flat, making college more affordable for Kansans of all backgrounds. This is especially important if we, as a state, are going to provide the workforce needed to fully actualize the benefits and opportunities of our recent economic growth.
THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

BY THE GOVERNOR

DATED May 16, 2022
HOUSE BILL No. 2510

An Act making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2022, June 30, 2023, and June 30, 2024, for state agencies; authorizing certain transfers, capital improvement projects and fees, imposing certain restrictions and limitations, and directing or authorizing certain receipts, disbursements, procedures and acts incidental to the foregoing; amending K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 76-1959 and repealing the existing section.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. (a) For the fiscal years ending June 30, 2022, June 30, 2023, and June 30, 2024, appropriations are hereby made, restrictions and limitations are hereby imposed, and transfers, capital improvement projects, fees, receipts, disbursements, procedures and acts incidental to the foregoing are hereby directed or authorized as provided in this act.

(b) The agencies named in this act are hereby authorized to initiate and complete the capital improvement projects specified and authorized by this act or for which appropriations are made by this act, subject to the restrictions and limitations imposed by this act.

(c) This act shall be known and may be cited as the omnibus appropriation act of 2022 and shall constitute the omnibus reconciliation spending limit bill for the 2022 regular session of the legislature for purposes of K.S.A. 75-6702(a), and amendments thereto.

(d) The appropriations made by this act shall not be subject to the provisions of K.S.A. 46-155, and amendments thereto.

Sec. 2. KANSAS BOARD OF BARBERING

(a) On the effective date of this act, the expenditure limitation established for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, by section 9(a) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 on the board of barbering fee fund (100-00-2704-0100) of the Kansas board of barbering is hereby increased from $178,073 to $198,073.

(b) On July 1, 2022, the expenditure limitation established for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, by section 9(b) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 on the board of barbering fee fund (100-00-2704-0100) of the Kansas board of barbering is hereby increased from $172,840 to $180,840.

Sec. 3. BOARD OF NURSING

(a) On July 1, 2022, the expenditure limitation established for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, by section 15(b) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 on the board of nursing fee fund (482-00-2716-0200) of the board of nursing is hereby increased from $3,043,871 to $3,084,471.

Sec. 4. STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

(a) On July 1, 2022, the expenditure limitation established for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, by section 17(c) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 on the state board of pharmacy fee fund (531-00-2718-0100) of the state board of pharmacy is hereby increased from $3,152,132 to $3,273,406.

Sec. 5. KANSAS REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

(a) On July 1, 2022, the expenditure limitation established for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, by section 18(a) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 on the real estate fee fund (549-00-2721-0100) of the Kansas real estate commission is hereby increased from $1,197,838 to $1,397,838.

Sec. 6. STATE BOARD OF VETERINARY EXAMINERS

(a) On the effective date of this act, the expenditure limitation established for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, by section 19(a) of
2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 on the veterinary examiners fee fund (700-00-2727-1100) of the state board of veterinary examiners is hereby increased from $339,745 to $349,001.

Sec. 7. LEGISLATIVE COORDINATING COUNCIL
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:
- Legislative research department – operations (425-00-1000-0103) $81,842
- Office of revisor of statutes – operations (579-00-1000-0103) $163,684

Sec. 8. LEGISLATURE
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:
- Legislative information system (428-00-1000-0300) $5,097,000
(b) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, in addition to the other purposes for which expenditures may be made by the above agency from moneys appropriated from the state general fund or from any special revenue fund or funds for the above agency for fiscal year 2023 as authorized by section 24 of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267, this or other appropriation act of the 2022 regular session of the legislature, expenditures shall be made by the above agency from such moneys for fiscal year 2023 to create an interim study committee on Sedgwick county regional mental health bed expansion: Provided, That such committee shall consist of 11 members as follows: (1) The members of the legislative budget committee; (2) the chairperson and vice chairperson of the 2021 special committee on Kansas mental health modernization and reform; (3) a member of the minority party of the house of representatives appointed by the legislative coordinating council; and (4) a member of the senate appointed by the legislative coordinating council: Provided further, That such committee shall develop a plan for providing a facility with acute inpatient psychiatric adult beds and adult forensic beds in the Sedgwick county regional area: And provided further, That such facility shall not exceed 50 total beds: And provided further, That such committee shall define the terms of such facility and the operation agreement of such facility: And provided further, That such interim committee shall report any recommendations regarding such facility to the state finance council on or before October 1, 2022.

Sec. 9. GOVERNOR’S DEPARTMENT
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:
- Nursing facilities support fund $15,000,000
(b) In addition to the other purposes for which expenditures may be made by the above agency from moneys appropriated from the state general fund or any special revenue fund or funds for fiscal year 2023 by section 28 of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267, this or any other appropriation act of the 2022 regular session of the legislature, expenditures shall be made by the above agency from such moneys to consult with the director of the budget who shall determine the amount of moneys from any federal law that appropriates moneys to the state for aid for coronavirus relief that are eligible to be used for the purposes of nursing facilities support, may be expended at the discretion of the state in compliance with the office of management
and budget's uniform administrative requirements, cost principles and audit requirements for federal awards, and are unencumbered:  

Provided. That, of such identified moneys, the director of the budget shall determine the remaining moneys available in special revenue funds: Provided further, That if the above agency, in consultation with the director of the budget, determines that federal moneys to the state for aid for coronavirus relief are available during fiscal year 2022 to be used for the purposes of this subsection, the director of the budget shall certify the amount of such federal coronavirus relief moneys from each fund to the director of accounts and reports and upon receipt of each such certification, or as soon thereafter as moneys are available, the director of accounts and reports shall immediately transfer an aggregate amount equal to $15,000,000 as available from such funds to the the nursing facilities support fund of the above agency: And provided further, That at the same time as the director of the budget transmits certification to the director of accounts and reports, the director of the budget shall transmit a copy of such certification to the director of legislative research.

Sec. 10.  

GOVERNOR'S DEPARTMENT  

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

Court appointed special advocates..............................................$225,000

(b) Expenditures shall be made from the American rescue plan – state fiscal relief federal fund (252-00-3756) for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, pursuant to the authority in 42 U.S.C. § 802(c)(1) or other relevant authority, to provide government services, for the following specified purposes:

Colby CC project grant...........................................................$1,843,594

Provided. That all moneys from the Colby CC project grant account shall be for the career and technical education agricultural center: Provided further, That all expenditures from such account shall require a local grant match of nonstate moneys or donated equipment on a $1-for-$1 basis from either the college or private industry partner.

Seward County CC project grant..............................................$1,842,594

Provided. That all moneys from the Seward County CC project grant account shall be for the professional truck driver program and diesel technology lab: Provided further, That all expenditures from such account shall require a local grant match of nonstate moneys or donated equipment on a $1-for-$1 basis from either the college or private industry partner.

Coffeyville CC project grant..................................................$425,987

Provided. That all moneys from the Coffeyville CC project grant account shall be for the construction, electrical, fire science and welding technology programs: Provided further, That all expenditures from such account shall require a local grant match of nonstate moneys or donated equipment on a $1-for-$1 basis from either the college or private industry partner.

Butler County CC project grant................................................$572,268

Provided. That all moneys from the Butler County CC project grant account shall be for the culinary arts and hospitality and management programs: Provided further, That all expenditures from such account shall require a local grant match of nonstate moneys or donated equipment on a $1-for-$1 basis from either the college or private industry partner.

Barton CC project grant.........................................................$1,843,594

Provided. That all moneys from the Barton CC project grant account shall be for the agriculture, farm machine and transportation technology complex: Provided further, That all expenditures from such account
shall require a local grant match of nonstate moneys or donated equipment on a $1-for-$1 basis from either the college or private industry partner.

North central Kansas technical college project grant.............$1,843,594

Provided, That all moneys from the North central Kansas technical college project grant account shall be for the carpentry and commercial drivers' license programs: Provided further, That all expenditures from such account shall require a local grant match of nonstate moneys or donated equipment on a $1-for-$1 basis from either the college or private industry partner.

Northwest Kansas technical college project grant.....................$600,104

Provided, That all moneys from the Northwest Kansas technical college project grant account shall be for the cybersecurity and cryptosecurity programs: Provided further, That all expenditures from such account shall require a local grant match of nonstate moneys or donated equipment on a $1-for-$1 basis from either the college or private industry partner.

Washburn institute of technology project grant.........................$1,843,594

Provided, That all moneys from the Washburn institute of technology project grant account shall be for the manufacturing training center: Provided further, That all expenditures from such account shall require a local grant match of nonstate moneys or donated equipment on a $1-for-$1 basis from either the college or private industry partner.

Wichita state technical college project grant.........................$1,843,594

Provided, That all moneys from the Wichita state technical college project grant account shall be for the smart manufacturing, industry training 4.0 and associate degree nursing programs: Provided further, That all expenditures from such account shall require a local grant match of nonstate moneys or donated equipment on a $1-for-$1 basis from either the college or private industry partner.

Flint hills technical college project grant............................$500,000

Provided, That all moneys from the Flint hills technical college project grant account shall be for welding equipment: Provided further, That all expenditures from such account shall require a local grant match of nonstate moneys or donated equipment on a $1-for-$1 basis from either the college or private industry partner.

Salina technical college project grant...............................$1,843,594

Provided, That all moneys from the Salina technical college project grant account shall be for the automation and maintenance programs: Provided further, That all expenditures from such account shall require a local grant match of nonstate moneys or donated equipment on a $1-for-$1 basis from either the college or private industry partner.

Manhattan technical college project grant..........................$1,843,594

Provided, That all moneys from the Manhattan technical college project grant account shall be for the biomanufacturing program expansion: Provided further, That all expenditures from such account shall require a local grant match of nonstate moneys or donated equipment on a $1-for-$1 basis from either the college or private industry partner.

Fort Hays state university project grant.............................$5,000,000

Provided, That all moneys from the Fort Hays state university project grant account shall be for the Gross coliseum improvements.

Emporia state university project grant.............................$5,000,000

Provided, That all moneys from the Emporia state university project grant account shall be for the nursing program relocation and staffing.

Pittsburg state university project grant...........................$5,000,000

Provided, That all moneys from the Pittsburg state university project grant account shall be for the expansion of the Tyler research development park and projects in block 22.

Washburn university project grant.................................$3,000,000
Provided, That all moneys from the Washburn university project grant account shall be for the center for integrated health studies.

Animal nourishment facility economic development infrastructure................................................$5,000,000

Provided, That expenditures from the animal nourishment facility economic development infrastructure account shall be used by the above agency for the purpose of infrastructure for an animal nourishment facility for a city in Kansas with a population greater than 24,000 and less than 24,500 as of the 2020 census.

Southeast Kansas economic development infrastructure.........................................................$5,000,000

Provided, That expenditures from the southeast Kansas economic development infrastructure account shall be used by the above agency for the purpose of infrastructure for an animal nourishment facility for a city in Kansas with a population greater than 20,000 and less than 21,000 as of the 2020 census.

Northeast Kansas economic development...............................................................$3,100,000

Provided, That expenditures from the northeast Kansas economic development account shall be used by the above agency for the purpose of infrastructure for a city in northeast Kansas with a population greater than 12,200 and less than 12,700 as of the 2020 census.

Port authority transload facility economic development...........$2,500,000

Provided, That expenditures from the port authority transload facility economic development account shall be used by the above agency for the purpose of establishing a transload facility for a county in Kansas with a population greater than 4,000 and less than 4,300 as of the 2020 census and such county has been awarded a building a stronger economy grant in fiscal year 2022.

Economic expansion rural housing grant..........................$20,000,000

Provided, That the expenditures from the economic expansion rural housing grant account shall be used by the above agency for the purpose of providing grants to housing projects intended to accommodate expansion due to recent economic development in a Kansas county with a population greater than 40,000 and less than 60,000 as of the 2020 census. Provided further, That the recent economic development will create over 500 new jobs and the housing project includes over $50,000,000 in capital investments: And provided further, That all moneys in the economic expansion rural housing grant account expended for fiscal year 2023 shall be matched by nonstate moneys on a $1-to-$1 basis.

Nutritional program grant.................................................................$1,500,000

Provided, That the above agency shall consult with the Kansas department for aging and disability services to distribute such funding.

(c) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the expenditures in subsection (b) from the American rescue plan – state fiscal relief federal fund shall not be subject to the provisions of section 28(d) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267.

(d) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the provisions of section 196 of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 shall not apply to expenditures from the American rescue plan – state fiscal relief federal fund of the governor's department. Such expenditures are subject to the provisions of subsection (b).

(e) On July 1, 2022, the appropriation of all moneys credited to and available in the community colleges, technical colleges and Washburn project grant account of the American rescue plan – state fiscal relief federal fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, by section 28(f) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 is hereby lapsed. On July 1, 2022, the community colleges,
technical colleges and Washburn project grant account is hereby abolished.

(f) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state economic development initiatives fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:
Affordable housing redevelopment.................................................$1,000,000
Provided, That expenditures from the affordable housing redevelopment account shall be used by the above agency for the purpose of the redevelopment of a hotel into affordable apartments for moderate-income individuals for a city in central Kansas with a population greater than 4,350 and less than 4,450 as of the 2020 census.

(g) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:
White collar crime fund...............................................................No limit

(h) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, in addition to the other purposes for which expenditures may be made from the private and independent college project grant account of the American rescue plan – state fiscal relief federal fund (252-00-3756) of the governor's department for fiscal year 2023 as authorized by section 28(f) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267, this or other appropriation act of the 2022 regular session of the legislature, expenditures of $200,000 shall be made from such account for fiscal year 2023 for the Benedictine college engineering program:
Provided, however, That such expenditures shall be made only upon certification by the chief executive officer of Benedictine college to the director of accounts and reports that private moneys are available to match the expenditure of state moneys on a $1 of private moneys to $1 of state moneys basis: Provided further, That such private money matches shall not be existing college funds and shall be new moneys.

(i) On July 1, 2022, the expenditure limitation established for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, by section 28(f) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 on the Pratt CC program grant account of the American rescue plan – state fiscal relief federal fund (252-00-3756) of the governor's department is hereby decreased from $788,445 to $778,445.

Sec. 11.
SECRETARY OF STATE

(a) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, notwithstanding the provisions of chapter 61 of the 2021 Session Laws of Kansas, and amendments thereto, or any other statute to the contrary, in addition to the other purposes for which expenditures may be made by the above agency from moneys appropriated from any special revenue fund or funds for fiscal year 2023 as authorized by section 32 of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267, this or any other appropriation act of the 2022 regular session of the legislature, expenditures shall be made by such agency from such moneys for the above agency to continue to require an annual filing of the written business entity information report by the business entities required to file such report.

Sec. 12.
STATE TREASURER

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures shall not exceed the following:
STAR bonds food sales tax revenue replacement fund..................No limit
Distinctive license plate royalty fund.................................No limit
(b) Prior to June 30, 2023, the governing body of each city and county that has established a STAR bond project district as defined in K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 12-17,162, and amendments thereto, prior to December 31, 2022, in consultation with the secretary of revenue, shall certify to the director of accounts and reports the amount equal to the amount of sales tax revenue realized from sales within such district.
Sec. 13.

STATE TREASURER
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures shall not exceed the following:
STAR bonds food sales tax revenue replacement fund.............No limit
(b) On July 1, 2023, and January 1, 2024, the governing body of each such city or county shall certify to the director of accounts and reports an amount equal to the amount by which revenues realized from such sales taxes imposed in such STAR bond project district are reduced for the preceding six-month period due to legislative changes in the state sales tax for food and food ingredients. Prior to September 1, 2023, and March 1, 2024, the director of accounts and reports shall certify to the state treasurer each amount certified by the governing bodies of cities or counties under this subsection for the preceding six months and shall transfer from the state general fund to the STAR bonds food sales tax revenue replacement fund the aggregate of all amounts so certified. Prior to October 15, 2023, and April 15, 2024, the state treasurer shall pay from the STAR bonds food sales tax revenue replacement fund to the city bond fund in the amount certified to the director of accounts and reports for each city or county for the preceding six months.
Sec. 14.

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT
(a) On the effective date of this act, the pharmacy benefits manager registration fund (331-00-2665-2665) of the insurance department is hereby redesignated as the pharmacy benefits manager licensure fund of the insurance department.
Sec. 15.

HEALTH CARE STABILIZATION FUND BOARD OF GOVERNORS
(a) Notwithstanding the provisions of K.S.A. 40-3401, and amendments thereto, or any other statute, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, in addition to the other purposes for which expenditures may be made by the above agency from moneys appropriated from any special revenue fund or funds of the above agency for fiscal year 2023 as authorized by section 36 of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267, this or other appropriation act of the 2022 regular session of the legislature, expenditures shall be made by the above agency from such moneys for fiscal year 2023 to deem a maternity center as a "healthcare provider" for the purposes of the healthcare provider insurance availability act, K.S.A. 40-3401 et seq., and amendments thereto, if such maternity center: (1) Has been granted accreditation by a national organization recognized by the board of governors and whose accreditation standards are approved by the board; or (2) is a maternity center as defined in K.S.A. 65-503, and amendments thereto.
Sec. 16.

JUDICIAL BRANCH
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:
Judiciary operations (677-00-1000)..............................$17,328,850

(b) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:

Specialty court resources fund........................................No limit

Sec. 17. DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

Debt service refunding –

2015A (173-00-1000-0463)..............................................$160,460,850

Provided, That expenditures from the debt service refunding – 2015A account shall be made by the above agency solely for the purposes of debt service payments and legally defeasing or cash redeeming the 2015A state of Kansas projects revenue bonds redeeming at their first optional redemption date of May 1, 2023.

National bio and agro-defense facility –

debt service (173-00-1000-0460)..............................$171,765,300

Provided, That expenditures from the national bio and agro-defense facility – debt service account shall be made by the above agency solely for the purposes of debt service payments and legally defeasing or cash redeeming the 2015G national bio and agro-defense facility project revenue bonds redeeming at their first optional redemption date of April 1, 2023.

(b) On the effective date of this act, the director of accounts and reports shall transfer $250,000,000 from the state general fund to the budget stabilization fund (173-00-1600-1600):

Provided, That the transfer of such amount shall be in addition to any other transfer from the state general fund to the budget stabilization fund as prescribed by law.

Sec. 18. DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

Salary adjustments..............................................................$150,000

Provided, That expenditures shall be made by the above agency from this account in fiscal year 2023 to increase by the amount of 5% the salaries and wages, and associated fringe benefits, for office of facilities and property management custodial staff for buildings in the capitol complex.

(b) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:

Kansas suffragist memorial fund........................................No limit

Kansas gold star families memorial fund...........................No limit

(c) On July 1, 2022, the director of accounts and reports shall transfer $10,000,000 from the state general fund to the health benefits administration clearing fund – remit admin service org (173-00-7746-7746) of the department of administration.

Sec. 19. DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized
by law shall not exceed the following:

KANSAS HISTORIC SITE FUND

Gage park improvement authority sales tax fund

Sec. 20.

KANSAS LOTTERY

(a) On the effective date of this act, the aggregate of the amounts authorized by section 67(b) of chapter 98 of the 2021 Session Laws of Kansas to be transferred from the lottery operating fund (450-00-5123-5100) to the state gaming revenues fund (173-00-9011-9100) during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, is hereby increased from $69,590,000 to $70,740,000.

(b) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:

Sports wagering receipts fund

Privilege fee repayment fund

Sec. 21.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

(a) On the effective date of this act, or as soon thereafter as moneys are available, the director of accounts and reports shall transfer $4,000,000 from the state general fund to the job creation program fund created pursuant to K.S.A. 74-50,224, and amendments thereto:

Provided, That the above agency, with the approval of the state finance council, shall expend such moneys for the purpose of preparing land for an economic development project in accordance with this subsection to fulfill the purposes of the attracting powerful economic expansion act established by House Substitute for Senate Bill No. 347:

Provided further, That the state finance council acting on this matter is hereby characterized as a matter of legislative delegation and subject to the guidelines prescribed in K.S.A. 75-3711c(c), and amendments thereto:

Provided, however, That if the state finance council does not approve an agreement with a qualified firm or qualified supplier pursuant to section 2 of House Substitute for Senate Bill No. 347, then, on June 30, 2022, the director of accounts and reports shall transfer $4,000,000 from the job creation program fund to the state general fund: And

Provided further, That, upon transferring such moneys to the state general fund, the director of accounts and reports shall certify to the director of the budget and the director of legislative research that such transfer has occurred.

Sec. 22.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

Kansas semiquincentennial commission support

(b) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:

Kansas semiquincentennial gifts and donations fund

Attracting professional sports to Kansas fund

Attracting powerful economic expansion payroll incentive fund

Attracting powerful economic expansion new employee training and education fund

Attracting powerful economic expansion Kansas
residency incentive fund..........................................................No limit

c) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the secretary of commerce shall certify to the director of accounts and reports if the state finance council has approved an agreement with a qualified firm or qualified supplier pursuant to section 2 of House Substitute for Senate Bill No. 347: Provided, That upon receipt of such certification, the director of accounts and reports shall transfer an aggregate amount of not more than $19,000,000 from the job creation program fund created pursuant to K.S.A. 74-50,224, and amendments thereto, to the attracting powerful economic expansion payroll incentive fund, the attracting powerful economic expansion new employee training and education fund and the attracting powerful economic expansion Kansas residency incentive fund of the above agency. Provided further, That the secretary of commerce shall certify to the director of accounts and reports the appropriate amount to be transferred to each such special revenue fund to fulfill the purposes of the attracting powerful economic expansion act established by House Substitute for Senate Bill No. 347 and shall transmit a copy of such certification to the director of the budget and the director of legislative research.

Sec. 23.

KANSAS COMMISSION ON VETERANS AFFAIRS OFFICE

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

Operating expenditures – Kansas soldiers’ home (694-00-1000-0403).................................$105,000
Operating expenditures – Kansas veterans’ home (694-00-1000-0503).................................$105,000

Sec. 24.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT – DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

Specialty health care access programs (264-00-1000)..............$750,000
Provided, That of the amount appropriated for the specialty health care access programs account, $250,000 shall be distributed to each of the following programs: Project access of Wichita, health access of Shawnee county, and Wy Jo care of Wyandotte and Johnson counties.

Child abuse review and evaluation program.........................$757,000
Provided, That expenditures shall be made from the child abuse review and evaluation program account to train healthcare providers to recognize signs of child abuse and reimburse reviews and examinations conducted by such trained healthcare providers: Provided further, That on or before January 9, 2023, the above agency shall submit a report to the house of representatives committee on appropriations and the senate committee on ways and means on services provided and the location of services provided by the program.

Any unencumbered balance in the cerebral palsy posture seating account in excess of $100 as of June 30, 2022, is hereby reappropriated for fiscal year 2023.

(b) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, expenditures shall be made by the above agency from the infant and toddler program (264-00-1000-0570) account of the state general fund in the amount of $6,000,000 for the purposes of aid to local units and other assistance: Provided, however, That such moneys shall not be expended for administrative costs incurred by the above agency.

(c) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such
fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:
HIV care formula grant federal fund (264-00-3328-3311)...........No limit

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT –
DIVISION OF HEALTH CARE FINANCE

(a) On the effective date of this act, of the $759,750,000 appropriated for the above agency for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, by section 80(a) of chapter 98 of the 2021 Session Laws of Kansas from the state general fund in the other medical assistance account (264-00-1000-3026), the sum of $21,989,024 is hereby lapsed.

(b) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the above agency shall not expend any moneys appropriated from the state general fund or any special revenue fund or funds for fiscal year 2022 by section 80 of chapter 98 of the 2021 Session Laws of Kansas, section 40 of chapter 116 of the 2021 Session Laws of Kansas, section 69 of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267, this or any other appropriation act of the 2022 regular session of the legislature to impose any limitation on funding, including, but not limited to, a maximum amount that may be paid for services, for the prospective payment system established pursuant to K.S.A. 39-2019, and amendments thereto, under the medical assistance program for certified community behavioral health clinics other than limitations imposed by the United States centers for medicare and medicaid services.

Sec. 26.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT –
DIVISION OF HEALTH CARE FINANCE

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:
Other medical assistance (264-00-1000-3026).....................$34,249,128

(b) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the above agency shall not expend any moneys appropriated from the state general fund or any special revenue fund or funds for fiscal year 2023 by section 70 of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267, this or any other appropriation act of the 2022 regular session of the legislature to impose any limitation on funding, including, but not limited to, a maximum amount that may be paid for services, for the prospective payment system established pursuant to K.S.A. 39-2019, and amendments thereto, under the medical assistance program for certified community behavioral health clinics other than limitations imposed by the United States centers for medicare and medicaid services.

(c) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:
Ryan White title II – federal fund (264-00-3328-3310)..............No limit

Sec. 27.

KANSAS DEPARTMENT FOR
AGING AND DISABILITY SERVICES

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:
KanCare caseloads (039-00-1000-0610).............................$16,000,000
Larned state hospital – operating expenditures (410-00-1000-0103)..............................$5,500,000

Sec. 28.

KANSAS DEPARTMENT FOR
AGING AND DISABILITY SERVICES

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state
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general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

KanCare caseloads (039-00-1000-0610)........................................$30,015,118
Non-KanCare caseloads (039-00-1000-0611)..............................$2,340,230
State operations (039-00-1000-0801).................................$3,190,000

988 suicide prevention and mental health crisis hotline......$10,000,000

Provided however, That, on July 1, 2022, if House Substitute for Senate Bill No. 19, or other legislation that establishes a 988 suicide prevention and mental health crisis hotline fund and transfers moneys to such special revenue fund, has been passed by the legislature during the 2022 regular session and enacted into law, then, of the moneys appropriated in the 988 suicide prevention and mental health crisis hotline account, the sum of $10,000,000 is hereby lapsed.

Community services and programs (039-00-1000-0520).........$500,000

(b) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:

988 suicide prevention and mental health crisis hotline fund......No limit

(c) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, in addition to the other purposes for which expenditures may be made by the above agency from the regional beds funding account (039-00-1000-3003) of the state general fund of the above agency for fiscal year 2023, as authorized by section 74(a) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267, this or other appropriation act of the 2022 regular session of the legislature, subject to the provisions of this subsection, expenditures shall be made by the above agency from the regional beds funding account for fiscal year 2023, in an amount not to exceed $15,000,000, for the purpose of expanding regional mental health bed access in the Sedgwick county regional area: Provided, however, That such expenditures shall be subject to approval by the state finance council: Provided further, That the state finance council is hereby authorized to approve such expenditures: And provided further, That state finance council action on this matter is hereby characterized as a matter of legislative delegation and subject to the guidelines prescribed in K.S.A. 75-3711c(c), and amendments thereto: And provided further, That prior to any state finance council action, the interim legislative study committee on Sedgwick county regional area mental health bed expansion shall provide recommendations to the state finance council on or before October 1, 2022: And provided further, That the state finance council shall consider the recommendations from such interim study committee in determining whether to authorize expenditures for the purpose of expanding regional mental health bed access.

Sec. 29.

KANSAS DEPARTMENT FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

(a) On the effective date of this act, of the $220,433,685 appropriated for the above agency for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, by section 87(a) of chapter 98 of the 2021 Session Laws of Kansas from the state general fund in the youth services aid and assistance account (629-00-1000-7020), the sum of $6,600,000 is hereby lapsed.

Sec. 30.

KANSAS DEPARTMENT FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

(a) On the effective date of this act, of the $235,276,149 appropriated for the above agency for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, by section 76(a) of House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 from the state general fund in the youth services aid and
assistance account (629-00-1000-7020), the sum of $5,350,000 is hereby lapsed.

(b) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, in addition to the other purposes for which expenditures may be made by the above agency from moneys appropriated from the state general fund or from any special revenue fund or funds for the above agency for fiscal year 2023 as authorized by section 76 of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267, this or other appropriation act of the 2022 regular session of the legislature, expenditures shall be made by the above agency to collaborate with community partners and stakeholders to jointly develop a plan for implementation of a set of performance-based contracts to provide an array of evidence-based prevention and early intervention services for families who are at risk for an out-of-home placement or have a child in out-of-home care and for children who are awaiting adoption: Provided, That such plan shall describe the services that are required to be delivered under any such contract in order to assure that providers have the ability to provide adequate, appropriate and relevant evidence-based services to individual families, the outcome measures that will be used to evaluate the effectiveness of provider performance under such contracts, how families will be referred to contracted providers, including the protocols for continued communication or coordination between providers and the above agency in order to assure child safety and well-being and to promote such family's engagement and the optimum balance of shared responsibility for child protection and child welfare between the above agency and such providers, including a description of the core functions to be performed by each: Provided further, That in developing such plan, the above agency shall consider the capacity for regionwide delivery of an array of evidence-based prevention and early intervention services to children and families, paying particular attention to the willingness and ability of community and stakeholders to collaborate in the development of the implementation plan by January 31, 2023, and whether there are any existing and available multidisciplinary or multisystem work groups engaged in performance improvement or reform efforts: And provided further, That the above agency shall report to the governor, the house of representatives committee on children and seniors and the senate committee on public health and welfare by January 31, 2023, with a plan to begin implementation on July 1, 2023.

Sec. 31. KANSAS DEPARTMENT FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

(a) During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, in addition to the other purposes for which expenditures may be made by the above agency from moneys appropriated from the state general fund or from any special revenue fund or funds for the above agency for fiscal year 2024 as authorized by this or other appropriation act of the 2022 or 2023 regular session of the legislature, expenditures shall be made by the above agency from such moneys for fiscal year 2024 to provide, not later than January 31, 2024, to the governor and the legislature a status update and recommendations for continued progress on the plan to implement performance-based contract criteria as described in section 29(b): And provided further, That the above agency shall submit a proposal to the legislature and the governor on or before January 31, 2024, for the reinvestment of savings from reduced foster care caseloads into evidence-based prevention and early intervention programs designed to prevent the need for or reduce the duration of out-of-home placements: And provided further, That such proposal shall include sufficient detail regarding accounting, budgeting and allocation
of resources or other procedures for legislative consideration and approval.

Sec. 32.

KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
VETERINARY MEDICAL CENTER
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:
Veterinary training program for rural Kansas (368-00-1000-5013).................................$250,000

Sec. 33.

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS
(a) In addition to the other purposes for which expenditures may be made by the above agency from the geological survey account (682-00-100-0023) of the state general fund for fiscal year 2023, expenditures shall be made by the above agency from the geological survey account of the state general fund for fiscal year 2023 for seismic surveys in an amount not less than $100,000.

Sec. 34.

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS MEDICAL CENTER
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:
Cancer research and public information trust (683-00-2925-2925).................................No limit

Sec. 35.

WICHITA STATE UNIVERSITY
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:
Digital transformation program fund..............................................................$10,000,000
Provided, That all moneys in the digital transformation program fund expended for fiscal year 2023 shall be matched by nonstate moneys on a $1-to-$1 basis.
(b) In addition to the other purposes for which expenditures may be made by the above agency from moneys appropriated from the state general fund or any special revenue fund or funds for fiscal year 2023 by section 103 of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267, this or any other appropriation act of the 2022 regular session of the legislature, expenditures shall be made by the above agency from such moneys to consult with the director of the budget who shall determine the amount of moneys from any federal law that appropriates moneys to the state for aid for coronavirus relief that are eligible to be used for the digital transformation program, may be expended at the discretion of the state in compliance with the office of management and budget's uniform administrative requirements, cost principles and audit requirements for federal awards, and are unencumbered: Provided, That all moneys in the digital transformation program fund shall be matched by nonstate moneys on a $1-to-$1 basis. Provided further, That if the above agency, in consultation with the director of the budget, determines that federal moneys to the state for aid for coronavirus relief are available during fiscal year 2023 to be used for such program, the director of the budget shall certify the amount of such federal coronavirus relief moneys from each fund to the director of accounts and reports and upon receipt of each such certification, or as soon thereafter as moneys are available, the director
of accounts and reports shall immediately transfer an aggregate amount equal to $10,000,000 as available from such funds to the digital transformation program fund of Wichita state university for the purpose of providing such program. And provided further, That at the same time as the director of the budget transmits certification to the director of accounts and reports, the director of the budget shall transmit a copy of such certification to the director of legislative research.

Sec. 36.  
STATE BOARD OF REGENTS  
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:
Postsecondary education operating grant (including official hospitality) (561-00-1000-0770).........................$12,500,000
Computer science preservice educator grant...............................$1,000,000

Provided, That expenditures shall be made by the above agency from the computer science preservice educator grant account for fiscal year 2023 to promote the advancement of computer science preservice teacher preparation in Kansas and to award scholarships to licensed and preservice teachers pursuant to the provisions of 2022 Substitute for House Bill No. 2466: Provided further, That, if 2022 Substitute for House Bill No. 2466 is not passed by the legislature during the 2022 regular session and enacted into law, then on July 1, 2022, the $1,000,000 appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, by this section in the computer science preservice educator grant account is hereby lapsed.

(b) On the effective date of this act, the provisions of the proviso for the postsecondary education operating grant (including official hospitality) account (561-00-1000-0770) of the state board of regents in section 109(a) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 are hereby declared to be null and void and shall have no force and effect.

Sec. 37.  
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS  
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:
Community corrections (521-00-1000-0220)..........................$841,113
Treatment and programs – offender programs (521-00-1000-0151)...............$1,132,216
Facility operations (521-00-1000-0303).................................$850,000

(b) On July 1, 2022, of the $47,829,331 appropriated for the above agency for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, by section 112(a) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 from the state general fund in the operating expenditures account (521-00-1000-0603), the sum of $71,313 is hereby lapsed.

Sec. 38.  
ADJUTANT GENERAL  
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:
Operating expenditures (034-00-1000-0053)......................$37,160

Sec. 39.  
ADJUTANT GENERAL  
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:
Operating expenditures (034-00-1000-0053)...............$147,055

Sec. 40.  
STATE FIRE MARSHAL  
(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such
fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:

Elevator safety fee fund: ............................................................... No limit

(b) On the effective date of this act, the expenditure limitation established for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, by section 116(a) of House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 on the fire marshal fee fund (234-00-2330-2000) of the state fire marshal is hereby increased from $6,015,655 to $6,205,639.

Sec. 41.

KANSAS HIGHWAY PATROL

(a) On the effective date of this act, or as soon thereafter as moneys are available, the director of accounts and reports shall transfer $1,600,000 from the state highway fund (276-00-4100-4100) of the department of transportation to the aircraft fund – on budget (280-00-2368-2360) of the Kansas highway patrol. Provided, That the transfer of such amount shall be in addition to any other transfer from the state highway fund to the aircraft fund – on budget as prescribed by law: Provided further, That expenditures from the above transfer shall be made by the above agency to purchase two additional forward-looking infrared radars.

Sec. 42.

KANSAS HIGHWAY PATROL

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the following special revenue fund or funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, all moneys now or hereafter lawfully credited to and available in such fund or funds, except that expenditures other than refunds authorized by law shall not exceed the following:

DUI-IID designation fund: ............................................................... No limit

(b) On July 1, 2022, the director of accounts and reports shall transfer all moneys in the DUI-IID designation fund (565-00-2380-2370) of the department of revenue to the DUI-IID designation fund of the above agency. On July 1, 2022, all liabilities of the DUI-IID designation fund of the department of revenue are hereby transferred to and imposed on the DUI-IID designation fund of the above agency and the DUI-IID designation fund of the department of revenue is hereby abolished.

Sec. 43.

ATTORNEY GENERAL – KANSAS

BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

Forensic science laboratory early payment of bonds: $41,487,988

Sec. 44.

ATTORNEY GENERAL – KANSAS

BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

Operating expenditures (083-00-1000-0083): $85,371

(b) On July 1, 2022, the $4,322,800 appropriated for the above agency for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, by section 164(a) of 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 from the state general fund in the KBI – debt service account (083-00-1000-0820) is hereby lapsed.

Sec. 45.

KANSAS SENTENCING COMMISSION

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

Operating expenditures (626-00-1000-0303): $74,628

Sec. 46.
KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

Dairy industry expansion needs assessment......................................$350,000

Sec. 47.

STATE FAIR BOARD

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, for the capital improvement project or projects specified, the following:

Bison arena renovation..............................................................$10,000,000

State fair facilities upgrades......................................................$4,450,000

Sec. 48.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

(a) On July 1, 2022, the expenditure limitation established for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, by section 136(b) of House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 on the agency operations account (276-00-4100-0403) of the state highway fund (276-00-4100-4100) of the department of transportation is hereby increased from $305,591,473 to $305,622,993.

Sec. 49.

STATE FINANCE COUNCIL

(a) There is appropriated for the above agency from the state general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

State employee pay increase......................................................$800,000

(b) On the effective date of this act, the provisions of section 140(h)(3)(E) of House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 are hereby declared to be null and void and shall have no force and effect.

(c) Section 140(g) of House Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 shall not apply to employees of the office of administrative hearings and the Kansas sentencing commission who received an agency salary enhancement in fiscal year 2022, are anticipated to receive an agency salary enhancement in fiscal year 2023 or may receive such salary enhancements in both fiscal years.

(d) Section 140(h)(3)(F) of House Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 shall not apply to employees of the state fire marshal or state board of indigents' defense services.

Sec. 50. Notwithstanding the provisions of K.S.A. 46-2102, and amendments thereto, or any other statute, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, any state agency named in chapter 98 of the 2021 Session Laws of Kansas, 2022 House Substitute for Substitute for Senate Bill No. 267 shall not apply to employees of the state fire marshal or state board of indigents' defense services.

Sec. 51. K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 76-1959 is hereby amended to read as follows: 76-1959. (a) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2), for the purpose of financing a capital improvement project relating to construction of a state veterans home facility located in northeast Kansas, including, but not limited to, Douglas, Jefferson, Leavenworth, Shawnee and Wyandotte counties, the Kansas development finance authority is hereby authorized to issue one or more series of revenue bonds pursuant to the Kansas development finance authority act, K.S.A. 74-8901 et seq., and amendments thereto, in a total amount not to exceed $10,500,000, plus all amounts required for costs of bond issuance, costs of insurance or credit enhancement, costs of interest on
the bonds issued for such capital improvement project during the construction of such project and any required reserves for the payment of principal and interest on the bonds.

(2) During state fiscal years 2022 and 2023, the Kansas development finance authority is hereby authorized to issue one or more series of revenue bonds pursuant to the Kansas development finance authority act, K.S.A. 74-8901 et seq., and amendments thereto, in a total amount not to exceed $17,200,000, plus all amounts required for costs of bond issuance, costs of insurance or credit enhancement, costs of interest on the bonds issued for such capital improvement project during the construction of such project and any required reserves for the payment of principal and interest on the bonds.

(b) The proceeds from the sale of any bonds, other than refunding bonds, issued pursuant to this section, after payment of any costs related to the issuance of such bonds, shall be paid by the Kansas development finance authority to the department of administration to be applied to the payment of costs of the capital improvement project authorized pursuant to this section as requested by the secretary of administration and by resolution of the Kansas development finance authority and shall constitute the state's required 35% match for the United States department of veterans affairs state veterans home construction grant program under 38 U.S.C. §§ 8131 through 8138, as in effect on July 1, 2021.

(c) On and after July 1, 2021, prior to the issuance of any bonds pursuant to this section, the capital improvement project described in subsection (a) is hereby approved for the department of administration for the purposes of K.S.A. 74-8905(b), and amendments thereto, and the authorization of the issuance of bonds by the Kansas development finance authority shall be approved by the Kansas development finance authority in accordance with K.S.A. 74-8901 et seq., amendments thereto, and the state finance council acting on this matter, which is hereby characterized as a matter of legislative delegation and subject to the guidelines prescribed in K.S.A. 75-3711c(c), and amendments thereto, except that such approval also may be given when the legislature is in session.

(d) The department of administration shall only make expenditures from the moneys received from the issuance of any bonds pursuant to this section for those purposes set forth in subsection (a) for such capital improvement project.

(e) The debt service for any such bonds issued pursuant to this section shall be financed by appropriations from the state general fund or any appropriate special revenue fund or funds.

(f) The date of maturity on bonds issued pursuant to this section shall not be fixed for a period of time that exceeds 20 years from the date of issuance.

(g) The state hereby pledges and covenants with the holders of any bonds issued pursuant to the provisions of this section, that the state will not limit or alter the rights or powers vested in the Kansas development finance authority by this section, nor limit or alter the rights or powers of the authority, or the department of administration, in any matter that would jeopardize the interest of the holders, or any trustee of such holders, or inhibit or prevent performance or fulfillment by the Kansas development finance authority or the department of administration with respect to the terms of any agreement made with the holders of the bonds or agreements made pursuant to this section, except that the failure of the legislature to appropriate moneys for debt service on any bonds issued pursuant to this section shall not be deemed a violation of this pledge and covenant. The department of administration is hereby specifically authorized to include this pledge
and covenant in any agreement with the Kansas development finance authority. The Kansas development finance authority is hereby specifically authorized to include this pledge and covenant in any bond resolution, trust indenture or agreement for the benefit of the holders of the bonds.

(h) Neither the state nor the department of administration shall have the power to pledge the full faith and credit or taxing power of the state for debt service on any bonds issued pursuant to this section, and any payment by the department of administration for such purpose shall be subject to and dependent on appropriations by the legislature. Any obligation of the state or the department of administration for payment of debt service on bonds issued pursuant to this section shall not be considered a debt or obligation of the state for the purpose of section 6 of article 11 of the constitution of the state of Kansas.

(i) Subject to the provisions of appropriation acts, the secretary of administration shall enter into pledge agreements with the Kansas development finance authority to pledge moneys for the payment of bonds issued pursuant to this section, which pledge shall be subject to the appropriation of moneys therefor.

Sec. 52. Severability. If any provision or clause of this act or application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the act that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

Sec. 53. Appeals to exceed expenditure limitations. (a) Upon written application to the governor and approval of the state finance council, expenditures from special revenue funds may exceed the amounts specified in this act.

(b) This section shall not apply to the expanded lottery act revenues fund, the state economic development initiatives fund, the children's initiatives fund, the state water plan fund or the Kansas endowment for youth fund, or to any account of any of such funds.

Sec. 54. If any fund or account name described by words and the numerical accounting code that follows such fund or account name do not match, it shall be conclusively presumed that the legislature intended that the fund or account name described by words is the correct fund or account name, and such fund or account name described by words shall control over a contradictory or incorrect numerical accounting code.
Sec. 55. K.S.A. 2021 Supp. 76-1959 is hereby repealed.

Sec. 56. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Kansas Register.

I hereby certify that the above Bill originated in the House, and was adopted by that body

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House adopted
Conference Committee Report

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Speaker of the House.

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Chief Clerk of the House.

Passed the Senate as amended
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President of the Senate.

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Secretary of the Senate.

APPROVED

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Governor.