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# A BILL

To amend section 4501.21 and to enact section	1
4503.87 of the Revised Code to create the "Dream	2
Field" license plate.	3

# BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That section 4501.21 be amended and section				
4503.87 of the Revised Code be enacted to read as follows:	5			
Sec. 4501.21. (A) There is hereby created in the state	6			
treasury the license plate contribution fund. The fund shall	7			
consist of all contributions paid by motor vehicle registrants	8			
and collected by the registrar of motor vehicles pursuant to	9			
sections 4503.491, 4503.492, 4503.493, 4503.494, 4503.496,	10			
4503.498, 4503.499, 4503.50, 4503.501, 4503.502, 4503.505,	11			
4503.51, 4503.522, 4503.523, 4503.524, 4503.525, 4503.526,	12			
4503.531, 4503.534, 4503.545, 4503.55, 4503.551, 4503.552,	13			
4503.553, 4503.554, 4503.561, 4503.562, 4503.564, 4503.576,	14			
4503.591, 4503.67, 4503.68, 4503.69, 4503.701, 4503.71,	15			
4503.711, 4503.712, 4503.713, 4503.72, 4503.73, 4503.732,	16			
4503.74, 4503.75, 4503.751, 4503.85, <u>4503.87,</u> 4503.89, 4503.90,	17			
4503.92, and 4503.94 of the Revised Code.	18			

(B) [	The regist	trar sh	all pay	the	contributions	the	19
registrar	collects	in the	fund as	fol	lows:		20

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 21 pursuant to section 4503.491 of the Revised Code to the breast 22 cancer fund of Ohio, which shall use that money only to pay for 23 programs that provide assistance and education to Ohio breast 24 cancer patients and that improve access for such patients to 25 quality health care and clinical trials and shall not use any of 26 the money for abortion information, counseling, services, or 27 other abortion-related activities. 28

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.492 of the Revised Code to the organization cancer support community central Ohio, which shall deposit the money into the Sheryl L. Kraner Fund of that organization. Cancer support community central Ohio shall expend the money it receives pursuant to this division only in the same manner and for the same purposes as that organization expends other money in that fund.

The registrar shall pay the contributions received pursuant to section 4503.493 of the Revised Code to the autism society of Ohio, which shall use the contributions for programs and autism awareness efforts throughout the state.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 41 receives pursuant to section 4503.494 of the Revised Code to the 42 national multiple sclerosis society for distribution in equal 43 amounts to the northwestern Ohio, Ohio buckeye, and Ohio valley 44 chapters of the national multiple sclerosis society. These 45 chapters shall use the money they receive under this section to 46 assist in paying the expenses they incur in providing services 47 directly to their clients. 48

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The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 49 receives pursuant to section 4503.496 of the Revised Code to the 50 Ohio sickle cell and health association, which shall use the 51 contributions to help support educational, clinical, and social 52 support services for adults who have sickle cell disease. 53

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 54 receives pursuant to section 4503.498 of the Revised Code to 55 special olympics Ohio, inc., which shall use the contributions 56 for its programs, charitable efforts, and other activities. 57

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 58 receives pursuant to section 4503.499 of the Revised Code to the 59 children's glioma cancer foundation, which shall use the 60 contributions for its research and other programs. 61

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar62receives pursuant to section 4503.50 of the Revised Code to the63future farmers of America foundation, which shall deposit the64contributions into its general account to be used for65educational and scholarship purposes of the future farmers of66America foundation.67

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 68 receives pursuant to section 4503.501 of the Revised Code to the 69 4-H youth development program of the Ohio state university 70 extension program, which shall use those contributions to pay 71 the expenses it incurs in conducting its educational activities. 72

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 73 pursuant to section 4503.502 of the Revised Code to the Ohio 74 cattlemen's foundation, which shall use those contributions for 75 scholarships and other educational activities. 76

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pursuant to section 4503.505 of the Revised Code to the78organization Ohio region phi theta kappa, which shall use those79contributions for scholarships for students who are members of80that organization.81

The registrar shall pay each contribution the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.51 of the Revised Code to the university or college whose name or marking or design appears on collegiate license plates that are issued to a person under that section. A university or college that receives contributions from the fund shall deposit the contributions into its general scholarship fund.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 89 receives pursuant to section 4503.522 of the Revised Code to the 90 "friends of Perry's victory and international peace memorial, 91 incorporated," a nonprofit corporation organized under the laws 92 of this state, to assist that organization in paying the 93 expenses it incurs in sponsoring or holding charitable, 94 educational, and cultural events at the monument. 95

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 96 receives pursuant to section 4503.523 of the Revised Code to the 97 fairport lights foundation, which shall use the money to pay for 98 the restoration, maintenance, and preservation of the 99 lighthouses of fairport harbor. 100

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 101 receives pursuant to section 4503.524 of the Revised Code to the 102 Massillon tiger football booster club, which shall use the 103 contributions only to promote and support the football team of 104 Washington high school of the Massillon city school district. 105

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receives pursuant to section 4503.525 of the Revised Code to the 107 United States power squadron districts seven, eleven, twenty- 108 four, and twenty-nine in equal amounts. Each power squadron 109 district shall use the money it receives under this section to 110 pay for the educational boating programs each district holds or 111 sponsors within this state. 112

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 113 receives pursuant to section 4503.526 of the Revised Code to the 114 Ohio district Kiwanis foundation of the Ohio district of Kiwanis 115 international, which shall use the money it receives under this 116 section to pay the costs of its educational and humanitarian 117 activities. 118

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 119 receives pursuant to section 4503.531 of the Revised Code to the 120 thank you foundation, incorporated, a nonprofit corporation 121 organized under the laws of this state, to assist that 122 organization in paying for the charitable activities and 123 programs it sponsors in support of United States military 124 personnel, veterans, and their families. 125

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 126 receives pursuant to section 4503.534 of the Revised Code to the 127 disabled American veterans department of Ohio, to be used for 128 programs that serve disabled American veterans and their 129 families. 130

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 131 receives pursuant to section 4503.55 of the Revised Code to the 132 pro football hall of fame, which shall deposit the contributions 133 into a special bank account that it establishes and which shall 134 be separate and distinct from any other account the pro football 135 hall of fame maintains, to be used exclusively for the purpose 136

of promoting the pro football hall of fame as a travel 137 destination. 138

The registrar shall pay the contributions that are paid to 139 the registrar pursuant to section 4503.545 of the Revised Code 140 to the national rifle association foundation, which shall use 141 the money to pay the costs of the educational activities and 142 programs the foundation holds or sponsors in this state. 143

144 The registrar shall pay to the Ohio pet fund the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 145 4503.551 of the Revised Code and any other money from any other 146 source, including donations, gifts, and grants, that is 147 designated by the source to be paid to the Ohio pet fund. The 148 Ohio pet fund shall use the moneys it receives under this 149 section to support programs for the sterilization of dogs and 150 cats and for educational programs concerning the proper 151 veterinary care of those animals, and for expenses of the Ohio 152 pet fund that are reasonably necessary for it to obtain and 153 maintain its tax-exempt status and to perform its duties. 154

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar155receives pursuant to section 4503.552 of the Revised Code to the156rock and roll hall of fame and museum, incorporated.157

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 158 receives pursuant to section 4503.553 of the Revised Code to the 159 Ohio coalition for animals, incorporated, a nonprofit 160 corporation. Except as provided in division (B) of this section, 161 the coalition shall distribute the money to its members, and the 162 members shall use the money only to pay for educational, 163 charitable, and other programs of each coalition member that 164 provide care for unwanted, abused, and neglected horses. The 165 Ohio coalition for animals may use a portion of the money to pay 166

for reasonable marketing costs incurred in the design and167promotion of the license plate and for administrative costs168incurred in the disbursement and management of funds received169under this section.170

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 171 receives pursuant to section 4503.554 of the Revised Code to the 172 Ohio state council of the knights of Columbus, which shall use 173 the contributions to pay for its charitable activities and 174 programs. 175

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 176 receives pursuant to section 4503.561 of the Revised Code to the 177 state of Ohio chapter of ducks unlimited, inc., which shall 178 deposit the contributions into a special bank account that it 179 establishes. The special bank account shall be separate and 180 distinct from any other account the state of Ohio chapter of 181 ducks unlimited, inc., maintains and shall be used exclusively 182 for the purpose of protecting, enhancing, restoring, and 183 managing wetlands and conserving wildlife habitat. The state of 184 Ohio chapter of ducks unlimited, inc., annually shall notify the 185 registrar in writing of the name, address, and account to which 186 187 such payments are to be made.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 188 receives pursuant to section 4503.562 of the Revised Code to the 189 Mahoning river consortium, which shall use the money to pay the 190 expenses it incurs in restoring and maintaining the Mahoning 191 river watershed. 192

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar193receives pursuant to section 4503.564 of the Revised Code to194Antioch college for the use of the Glen Helen ecology institute195to pay expenses related to the Glen Helen nature preserve.196

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 197 receives pursuant to section 4503.576 of the Revised Code to the 198 Ohio state beekeepers association, which shall use those 199 contributions to promote beekeeping, provide educational 200 information about beekeeping, and to support other state and 201 local beekeeping programs. 202

The registrar shall pay to a sports commission created 203 pursuant to section 4503.591 of the Revised Code each 204 contribution the registrar receives under that section that an 205 206 applicant pays to obtain license plates that bear the logo of a professional sports team located in the county of that sports 207 commission and that is participating in the license plate 208 program pursuant to division (E) of that section, irrespective 209 of the county of residence of an applicant. 210

The registrar shall pay to a community charity each211contribution the registrar receives under section 4503.591 of212the Revised Code that an applicant pays to obtain license plates213that bear the logo of a professional sports team that is214participating in the license plate program pursuant to division215(G) of that section.216

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar217receives pursuant to section 4503.67 of the Revised Code to the218Dan Beard council of the boy scouts of America. The council219shall distribute all contributions in an equitable manner220throughout the state to regional councils of the boy scouts.221

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 222 receives pursuant to section 4503.68 of the Revised Code to the 223 great river council of the girl scouts of the United States of 224 America. The council shall distribute all contributions in an 225 equitable manner throughout the state to regional councils of 226

the girl scouts.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 228 receives pursuant to section 4503.69 of the Revised Code to the 229 Dan Beard council of the boy scouts of America. The council 230 shall distribute all contributions in an equitable manner 231 throughout the state to regional councils of the boy scouts. 232

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 233 receives pursuant to section 4503.701 of the Revised Code to the 234 Prince Hall grand lodge of free and accepted masons of Ohio, 235 which shall use the contributions for scholarship purposes. 236

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 237 receives pursuant to section 4503.71 of the Revised Code to the 238 fraternal order of police of Ohio, incorporated, which shall 239 deposit the fees into its general account to be used for 240 purposes of the fraternal order of police of Ohio, incorporated. 241

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 242 receives pursuant to section 4503.711 of the Revised Code to the 243 fraternal order of police of Ohio, incorporated, which shall 244 deposit the contributions into an account that it creates to be 245 used for the purpose of advancing and protecting the law 246 enforcement profession, promoting improved law enforcement 247 methods, and teaching respect for law and order. 248

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 249 pursuant to section 4503.712 of the Revised Code to Ohio 250 concerns of police survivors, which shall use those 251 contributions to provide whatever assistance may be appropriate 252 to the families of Ohio law enforcement officers who are killed 253 in the line of duty. 254

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pursuant to section 4503.713 of the Revised Code to the greater256Cleveland peace officers memorial society, which shall use those257contributions to honor law enforcement officers who have died in258the line of duty and support its charitable purposes.259

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 260 receives pursuant to section 4503.72 of the Revised Code to the 261 organization known on March 31, 2003, as the Ohio CASA/GAL 262 association, a private, nonprofit corporation organized under 263 Chapter 1702. of the Revised Code. The Ohio CASA/GAL association 264 265 shall use these contributions to pay the expenses it incurs in administering a program to secure the proper representation in 266 the courts of this state of abused, neglected, and dependent 267 children, and for the training and supervision of persons 268 participating in that program. 269

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar270receives pursuant to section 4503.73 of the Revised Code to271Wright B. Flyer, incorporated, which shall deposit the272contributions into its general account to be used for purposes273of Wright B. Flyer, incorporated.274

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 275 receives pursuant to section 4503.732 of the Revised Code to the 276 Siegel & Shuster society, a nonprofit organization dedicated to 277 commemorating and celebrating the creation of Superman in 278 Cleveland, Ohio. 279

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 280 receives pursuant to section 4503.74 of the Revised Code to the 281 Columbus zoological park association, which shall disburse the 282 moneys to Ohio's major metropolitan zoos, as defined in section 283 4503.74 of the Revised Code, in accordance with a written 284 agreement entered into by the major metropolitan zoos. 285

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 286 receives pursuant to section 4503.75 of the Revised Code to the 287 rotary foundation, located on March 31, 2003, in Evanston, 288 Illinois, to be placed in a fund known as the permanent fund and 289 used to endow educational and humanitarian programs of the 290 rotary foundation. 291

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 292 receives pursuant to section 4503.751 of the Revised Code to the 293 Ohio association of realtors, which shall deposit the 294 contributions into a property disaster relief fund maintained 295 under the Ohio realtors charitable and education foundation. 296

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 297 receives pursuant to section 4503.85 of the Revised Code to the 298 Ohio sea grant college program to be used for Lake Erie area 299 research projects. 300

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.87 of the Revised Code to the Grove City little league board, which shall use those contributions solely to build, maintain, and improve youth baseball fields within the municipal corporation of Grove City.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 306 receives pursuant to section 4503.89 of the Revised Code to the 307 American red cross of greater Columbus on behalf of the Ohio 308 chapters of the American red cross, which shall use the 309 contributions for disaster readiness, preparedness, and response 310 programs on a statewide basis. 311

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 312 receives pursuant to section 4503.90 of the Revised Code to the 313 nationwide children's hospital foundation. 314

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The registrar shall pay the contributions received 315 pursuant to section 4503.92 of the Revised Code to support our 316 troops, incorporated, a national nonprofit corporation, which 317 shall use those contributions in accordance with its articles of 318 incorporation and for the benefit of servicemembers of the armed 319 forces of the United States and their families when they are in 320 financial need. 321

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 322 receives pursuant to section 4503.94 of the Revised Code to the 323 Michelle's leading star foundation, which shall use the money 324 solely to fund the rental, lease, or purchase of the simulated 325 driving curriculum of the Michelle's leading star foundation by 326 boards of education of city, exempted village, local, and joint 327 vocational school districts. 328

(C) All investment earnings of the license plate 329 contribution fund shall be credited to the fund. Not later than 330 the first day of May of every year, the registrar shall 331 distribute to each entity described in division (B) of this 332 section the investment income the fund earned the previous 333 calendar year. The amount of such a distribution paid to an 334 entity shall be proportionate to the amount of money the entity 335 received from the fund during the previous calendar year. 336

Sec. 4503.87. (A) The owner or lessee of any passenger 337 car, noncommercial motor vehicle, recreational vehicle, or other 338 vehicle of a class approved by the registrar of motor vehicles 339 may apply to the registrar for the registration of the vehicle 340 and issuance of "Dream Field" license plates. An application 341 made under this section may be combined with a request for a 342 special reserved license plate under section 4503.40 or 4503.42 343 of the Revised Code. Upon receipt of the completed application 344

and compliance by the applicant with divisions (B) and (C) of	345
this section, the registrar shall issue to the applicant the	346
appropriate vehicle registration and a set of "Dream Field"	347
license plates and a validation sticker, or a validation sticker	348
alone when required by section 4503.191 of the Revised Code.	349
In addition to the letters and numbers ordinarily_	350
inscribed on the license plates, "Dream Field" license plates	351
shall be inscribed with the words "BASEBALL FOR ALL" and	352
markings that are designed by the Grove City little league board	353
and approved by the registrar. "Dream Field" license plates	354
shall display county identification stickers that identify the	355
county of registration by name or number.	356
(B) "Dream Field" license plates and a validation sticker,	357
or validation sticker alone, shall be issued upon receipt of a	358
contribution as provided in division (C)(1) of this section and	359
upon payment of the regular license tax as prescribed under	360
section 4503.04 of the Revised Code, any applicable motor	361
vehicle license tax levied under Chapter 4504. of the Revised	362
Code, any applicable additional fee prescribed by section	363
4503.40 or 4503.42 of the Revised Code, a bureau of motor	364
vehicles administrative fee of ten dollars, and compliance with	365
all other applicable laws relating to the registration of motor	366
vehicles.	367
(C)(1) For each application for registration and	368
registration renewal notice the registrar receives under this	369
section, the registrar shall collect a contribution of fifteen	370
dollars. The registrar shall deposit this contribution into the	371
state treasury to the credit of the license plate contribution	372
fund created in section 4501.21 of the Revised Code.	373

(2) The registrar shall deposit the bureau of motor 374

vehicles administrative fee of ten dollars, the purpose of which	375
is to compensate the bureau for additional services required in	376
the issuing of "Dream Field" license plates, into the state	377
treasury to the credit of the state bureau of motor vehicles	378
fund created in section 4501.25 of the Revised Code.	379
Section 2. That existing section 4501.21 of the Revised	380
Code is hereby repealed.	381
Section 3. Section 4501.21 of the Revised Code is	382
presented in this act as a composite of the section as amended	383
by Am. Sub. H.B. 23, Sub. H.B. 206, Am. H.B. 474, and Am. S.B.	384
186, all of the 130th General Assembly. The General Assembly,	385
applying the principle stated in division (B) of section 1.52 of	386
the Revised Code that amendments are to be harmonized if	387
reasonably capable of simultaneous operation, finds that the	388
composite is the resulting version of the section in effect	389
prior to the effective date of the section as presented in this	390
act.	391