

SSB 5950 - S AMD 715

By Senator J. Wilson

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1 On page 56, line 33, decrease the General Fund—State
2 Appropriation (FY 2025) by \$1,500,000

3 Adjust the total appropriation accordingly.

4 On page 69, line 22, after "stays." insert "Of the amount
5 provided in this subsection for fiscal year 2025, \$1,500,000 must be
6 granted to a housing readiness program serving individuals
7 experiencing homelessness in the city of Longview. Funding may be
8 used to operate severe weather shelters, housing navigation, case
9 management, laundry and hygiene facilities, connection to other
10 social services, and other programs serving unhoused individuals in
11 Cowlitz county."

12 On page 90, beginning on line 27, strike all of subsection (95)

13 Renumber the remaining subsections consecutively and correct any
14 internal references accordingly.

15 On page 528, line 7, increase the General Fund—State
16 Appropriation (FY 2025) by \$1,500,000

17 Adjust the total appropriation accordingly.

18 On page 541, after line 31, insert the following:

19 "(59) \$1,500,000 of the general fund—state appropriation for
20 fiscal year 2025 is provided solely for the department to remove sea
21 lions under the marine mammal protection act section 120(f) permit in
22 tributaries of the Columbia river where federally listed salmon spawn
23 and in the mainstem above river mile 112. The department must
24 coordinate with treaty tribes and adjacent state fish and wildlife
25 agencies on the implementation of the federal permit to remove sea
26 lions. The department must also engage in avian predation forums in
27 the Columbia river basin to reduce avian predation on salmon smolts
28 where predation is documented to hinder salmon recovery."

EFFECT: Funding is reduced at the department of commerce. The provision for assistance in Cowlitz county for homelessness is shifted to existing appropriations for homelessness and housing assistance, with specific funding to the city of Longview. Funding is provided to the department of fish and wildlife to remove sea lions and other salmon conservation activities on the Columbia river.

EXPENDITURE EFFECT (2023-2025): \$0 Near General Fund—State/\$0
Total Funds

FOUR-YEAR OUTLOOK EXPENDITURE EFFECT: \$0 Near General Fund—State

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