

**Session Overview**

Prior to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the 56<sup>th</sup> Legislature, the Senate and House convened the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Special Session of the 56<sup>th</sup> Legislature. Due to the funding shortfall resulting from the Oklahoma Supreme Court’s decision in *Naifeh v. The State of Oklahoma* (2017 OK 63), the Legislature needed to raise or cut spending by \$215 million to balance the budget. The loss of this revenue primarily affected the Oklahoma Health Care Authority, Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse, and the Department of Human Services. The 1<sup>st</sup> Special Session convened on September 25, 2017, to deal with the funding shortfall. On November 17, the Legislature passed a revised budget (HB 1019x) along with two other measures (HBs 1081x and HB 1085x) that somewhat reduced the severity of the cuts. The 1<sup>st</sup> Special Session adjourned on November 17, 2017.

Following the passage of HB 1019x, Governor Fallin line item vetoed all but 5 of the 170 sections contained in the appropriations bill. Governor Fallin stated that the bill did not address long-term structural deficiencies that led to a recurring budget shortfall as well as dangerously depleted the state’s reserves. Without a workable budget for FY’18, the Legislature convened a second time on December 18, 2017. The 2<sup>nd</sup> Special Session overlapped with the 2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the 56<sup>th</sup> Oklahoma Legislature.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the 56<sup>th</sup> Oklahoma Legislature convened on February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018. The 2<sup>nd</sup> Special Session of the 56<sup>th</sup> Oklahoma Legislature convened on February 12, 2018. During the Special Session, Lawmakers addressed the salary schedule for teachers (HB1023xx), funding shortfalls for FY’18 (HB 1020xx), revenue (HB 1010xx, HB 1011xx, and HB 1019xx), and the FY’19 Budget (SB 1600). Other issues addressed by the 56<sup>th</sup> Legislature during the regular and special sessions included criminal justice reform, opioid prescriptions, funding the university hospital system as a result of the loss of \$141 million in federal funding, and budget limits for agencies.

The Senate welcomed 4 new members into the body. Senators Casey Murdock (District 27), Allison Ikely-Freeman (District 37) Michael Brooks (District 44), and Paul Rosino (District 45) were elected following special elections to fill the seats.

The Legislature enacted 22 measures during the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Special Sessions and 324 measures during the 2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the 56<sup>th</sup> Legislature. The Governor vetoed 18 measures and line item vetoed the general

appropriations bill passed during the 1<sup>st</sup> Special Session.

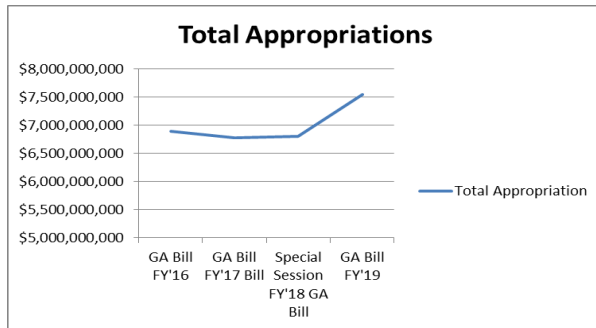
**Appropriation Overview**

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Special Session General Appropriations bill (HB 1020xx) appropriated \$6,802,482,813.00 to state agencies. The Legislature passed the bill following the Governor’s line item veto of the 1<sup>st</sup> Special Session’s General Appropriations bill (HB 1019x).

The General Appropriations Bill for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Session of the 56<sup>th</sup> Legislature (SB 1600) appropriated \$7,545,075,719.00 to state agencies. Compared to the FY’18 budget passed during the 2<sup>nd</sup> Special Session, the FY’19 budget represented an increase of 10.92%. As a result of the passage of HB 1010xx (an increase in the Gross Production Tax (GPT) rate for horizontal and deep wells, an additional 50 mils imposed on cigarettes equal to \$1.00, and a \$0.03 increase in the gas tax) and HB 1019xx (remote sale collections), the Legislature increased revenues by an estimated \$494,296,000.00 with HB 1010xx and HB 1019xx alone.

Subcommittee Budget	Special Session FY’18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY’19	Change From Original
Education	\$3,355,483,464	\$3,857,233,820	14.95%
General Government and Transportation	\$302,976,319	\$329,528,846	8.76%
Health	\$1,479,956,958	\$1,609,508,445	8.75%
HHS	\$817,448,405	\$856,162,178	4.74%
NRR	\$105,981,962	\$106,566,974	0.55%
Public Safety and Justice	\$731,508,888	\$775,948,639	6.08%
Total FY’18 Appropriation vs. Total FY’19 Appropriation	\$6,802,482,813	\$7,545,075,719	10.92%

Prior to the FY’19 budget, the state’s overall appropriations remained relatively stagnant. For three fiscal years (FY’16-FY’18), the Legislature attempted to hold agencies harmless and maintain spending levels in core areas such as Public Safety and Education. This led to the Legislature appropriating \$6.7-\$6.8 billion starting in FY’16-FY’18 in an effort to maintain crucial areas of government despite repeated revenue failures and declining GPT receipts.



**Agriculture & Rural Development**

SB 1180 (Boggs/Coody) Allows the waterfowl license and stamp to be paid separately at \$9.00 each.

SB 1181 (Fields/Pfeiffer) Removes the requirement for a landowner to charge a minimum of \$10.00 to be covered by the Oklahoma Limitation of Liability for Farming and Ranching Land Act.

SB 1183 (Fields/Pfeiffer) Authorizes the State Board of Agriculture to issue certificates of free sale.

SB 1186 (Boggs/Hilbert) Creates the Red cedar Directory. The measure places the directory under the Agriculture and the Conservation Commission.

SB 1266 (Pederson/Russ) Exempts persons holding a commercial driving license from acquiring a hazardous material license when they are acting under the scope of their employment of a custom harvester operation or transporting 1,000 gallons or less.

SB 1606 (David/Wallace) Directs the ODAFF to use from appropriated funds, \$3,400,991.00 for the Rural Fire Operational Assistance Grants; \$325,000.00 for the 80/20 Reimbursable Grant Program; and \$343,325.00 to be used for the "Made in Oklahoma" program.

HB 2885 (Josh West/Murdock) Allows the importation of deer from areas with Chronic Wasting Disease upon the approval of Wildlife Conservation.

HB 2913 (Dollens/Paxton) Creates the Oklahoma Industrial Hemp Agricultural Pilot Program. The measure authorizes the Department of Agriculture to process applications to grow hemp.

HB 2917 (Coody/Boggs) Removes the requirement to possess an Oklahoma driver license when applying for a hunting license. The measure allows applicants to use any driver license.

HB 2950 (Bush/Smalley) Forbids scrap metal businesses from selling copper wire that is 4 gauge or larger in size. Requires the Department to designate a single, internet based method for all internet based reporting.

HB 2952 (Coody/Scott) Allows experimental aircraft to be used with regards to managing depreddating animals.

HB 3319 (Fetgatter/Fields) Modifies the controlled hunting fee to \$10.00 per hunt choice.

HB 3416 (Pfeiffer/Boggs) Removes the requirement for a landowner to charge a minimum of \$10.00 to be covered by the Oklahoma Limitation of Liability for Farming and Ranching Land Act.

HB 3417 (Pfeiffer/Boggs) Brings the Red Cedar Registry under the Department of Agriculture.

**Banking, Finance, & Securities**

SB 1151 (Leewright/Hilbert) Allows those engaged in the practice of lending supervised loans to attach a convenience fee.

SB 1493 (Leewright/McEntire) Authorizes supervised loan entities to sell other goods provided the goods are purchased through a loan and the Administrator of the Department of Credit is informed of the nature of said goods.

**Business & Labor**

SB 1061 (Daniels/Martinez) Prohibits automatic renewal of contracts for monitoring and services on a yearly basis in the alarm and locksmith industry.

SB 1171 (Jech/Wright) Creates the Work-based Learning Program to be placed under the Governor's Council on Workforce and Economic Development. Allows the collection of fees and expenditures of the fees (capped at \$500,000.00).

SB 1273 (Leewright/Hall) Allows owners to have vehicles towed from storage facilities following failure to pay for storage services. Authorizes owners to provide notice electronically. Protects owners from liability on towed property.

SB 1388 (Treat/Thomsen) Creates the "Oklahoma Small Wireless Facilities Deployment Act." The Act

establishes regulations to ease the development of wireless infrastructure to rural communities.

SB 1529 (Rader/Newton) Requires new, non-residential elevators to be inspected before operation begins. The measure also authorizes elevator inspection by a third-party inspector.

SB 1535 (Griffin/Mike Osburn) Defines "labor only crews" and "prefabricated structures" under the Roofing Contractor Registration Act.

HB 1826 (Kannady/Treat) Increases the fee that a buyer must pay for a copy or a certified copy of all the recorded covenants and restrictions of a real estate development.

HB 2522 (McDaniel/Stanislawski) Appropriates \$6 million to the Oklahoma Employment Security Commission.

HB 2523 (McDaniel/Daniels) Clarifies how base period wages are determined. The bill also clarifies how benefits apply in educational institutions, when services are performed in two successive academic years.

HB 2935 (Mulready/Daniels) Caps the amount of apprentice electricians working under a journeyman to a 1:3 ratio and defines electrical work.

HB 3151 (Coody/Paxton) States that inspections required under the Boiler and Pressure Vessel Safety Act shall not subject an insurer or its agents to liability for damages for any act or omission in performance of the inspection.

HB 3282 (Kannady/David) Allows landlords to request documentation of a tenant's disability when the tenant requests an exemption for service animals.

### **Criminal Law & Procedures**

SB 363 (Holt/O'Donnell) Authorizes special judges to release offenders not eligible for pretrial release under conditions prescribed by the judge.

SB 649 (Treat/O'Donnell) Exempts elderly offenders from escalating punishment for committing a felony.

SB 650 (Shaw/Loring) Reduces the time by one-half or 50% in which a convicted offender can expunge their records, provided no other crime is committed.

SB 689 (Treat/O'Donnell) Allows a nonviolent offender sentenced to life in prison to have their

sentence modified after 10 years of imprisonment. Authorizes the courts to waive fees for service.

SB 786 (Shaw/Loring) Creates a new category for burglary. Burglary in the 3<sup>rd</sup> degree is defined as breaking into automobile, truck, trailer or vessel of another, in which any property is kept, with intent to steal any property therein. Removes the minimum sentence for burglary in the 2<sup>nd</sup> degree.

SB 793 (Treat/Kannady) Removes the ability for an offender to be sentenced to life in prison for drug possession. For Schedule I & II, a 1<sup>st</sup> time conviction carries a maximum sentence of 7 years. The punishment escalates with the number of convictions. Marijuana and Schedule III & IV drugs carry a maximum of 5 years for a 1<sup>st</sup> time conviction. A 1<sup>st</sup> time conviction for manufacturing a drug carries up to 10 years.

SB 904 (Shaw/Cleveland) Clarifies eligibility for community service. The Act clarifies that the proper reference for "eligible offender" can be found in OS 22-988.2.

SB 1091 (Treat/Dustin Roberts) The Act removes the requirement to enhance the penalty for a repeat DUI offender in order to enhance the offender's punishment.

HB 2281 (O'Donnell/Treat) Creates a more graduated curve for penalties associated with theft, embezzlement and other related crimes based on the value of the stolen property. The measure further clarifies that the theft of a firearm will remain a felony regardless of value.

HB 2643 (Dustin Roberts/Treat) Removes a provision regarding driving under the influence of alcohol or other intoxicating substance which requires the district attorney to seek enhanced punishment before the defendant can be required to participate in additional requirements.

HB 2651 (Vaughan/Simpson) Allows the Commissioner of Public Safety to require the course of study used to train students for commercial licenses to include training on the recognition, prevention and reporting of human trafficking.

HB 2881 (Josh West/Treat) Allows a review to determine if an offender is eligible for drug court at any time prior to disposition of the case and sentencing of the offender, including sentencing on a petition to revoke a suspended sentence or any probation violation. The measure provides that a

person who has been admitted to a drug court program within the previous 5 years does not make the offender ineligible for consideration.

HB 3070 (Worthen/Treat) Modifies the penalties for use of false or altered identification or false declaration of ownership relating to the Oklahoma Pawnshop Act. If the property is less than \$1,000.00, a fine may be levied, provided it is below \$500.00.

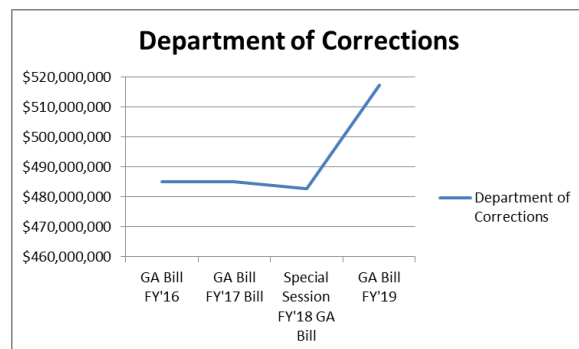
HB 3370 (Wallace/Murdock) Increases the fine associated with trespassing on land dedicated to farming, ranching or forestry to a minimum fine of \$1,000.00. Escalating penalty on subsequent offenses.

### Corrections Funding

SB 1590 (David/Wallace) Authorizes the Oklahoma Capitol Improvement Authority to issue \$116.5 million in bonds for the Department of Corrections to finance maintenance, repairs, equipment and improvements of existing correctional facilities.

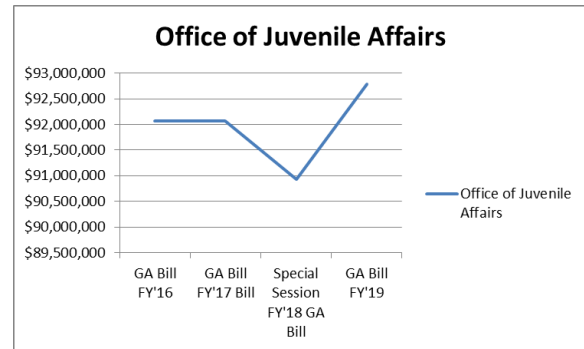
HB 3706 (Wallace/David) Requires the Department of Corrections to maintain per diem rates for private prison beds at \$43.30 per bed. The measure also directs DOC to utilize up to \$4.8 million to coordinate with OMES to upgrade the statewide offender management system.

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Department of Corrections	\$482,822,248	\$517,255,503	7.13%
Pardon and Parole Board	\$2,167,806	\$2,333,154	7.63%



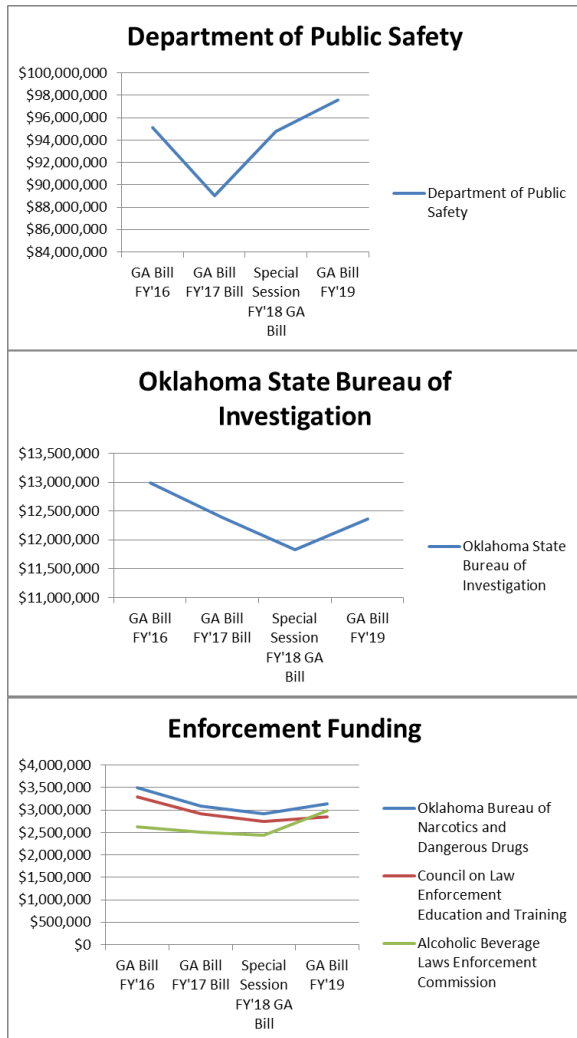
### Office of Juvenile Affairs Funding

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Office of Juvenile Affairs	\$90,924,763	\$92,784,336	2.05%



### Law Enforcement Funding

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Department of Public Safety	\$94,748,845	\$97,610,968	3.02%
Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation	\$11,827,606	\$12,363,750	4.53%
Oklahoma Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs	\$2,921,223	\$3,141,712	7.55%
Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training	\$2,752,104	\$2,848,337	3.50%
Alcoholic Beverage Laws Enforcement Commission	\$2,441,678	\$2,989,728	22.45%



500 employees. Related to the Small Employer Quality Jobs credit.

SB 1252 (Stanislawski/Pfeiffer) Extends the sunset for the Quality Events incentive. Requires the Oklahoma Tax Commission to designate an employee to maintain documentation and determine eligibility for the incentive.

SB 1585 (David/Wallace) Creates several tax credits to incentivize manufacturing in Oklahoma. The Employer Paid Tuition Reimbursement Tax Credit is equal to 50 percent of the amount of tuition reimbursement to a qualified employee for the first through fourth year of employment. The Employer Payroll Tax Credit is between 5-10 percent of the compensation paid, up to \$12,500.00 for each qualified employee annually, for the first through fifth year of employment. The Employee Engineer Tax Credit is equal to \$5,000.00 per year for up to five years of employment as a vehicle manufacturing engineer. All of the credits are capped.

HB 2578 (Teague/Rosino) Creates the Aerospace Commerce Economic Services Act. The measure requires the Oklahoma Department of Commerce, Aerospace Commerce Economic Services to create a partnership with providers to more effectively respond to the industry's needs with regards to education, training, research and economic development.

HB 3324 (Fetgatter/Bice) Diverts 5% of the Quality Jobs Incentive to the Governor's Quick Action Closing Fund.

**Economic Development & Commerce Measures**

SB 883 (Thompson/Montgomery) Extends the credit for the fee paid by banking associations and credit unions to the Small Business Administration to 2022.

SB 893 (Quinn/Sears) Caps the tax credit associated with the zero-emission facilities electricity production tax credit at \$500,000.00 per year. A percentage-based reduction will be applied to each awarded credit in the next fiscal year if the total amount exceeds \$500,000.00 in the current fiscal year.

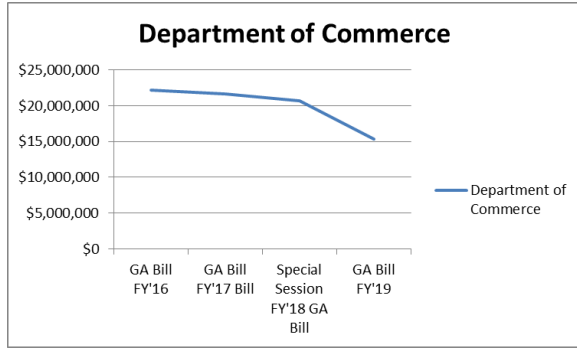
SB 897 (Thompson/Leslie Osborn) Simplifies the application process for the Oklahoma Quality Jobs program. Repeals the Saving Quality Jobs Act.

SB 923 (Thompson/Leslie Osborn) Modifies the definition of a small employer from 90 employees to

**Commerce Funding**

SB 1607 (David/Wallace) Directs the Department of Commerce to spend \$445,000.00 to implement the provisions of SB 2578 (Aerospace Commerce Economic Services Act). The measure also transfers \$140,742.00 to the Seminole State College Rural Business and Resources Center.

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Department of Commerce	\$20,716,179	\$15,392,016	-25.70%



**Historical Society Funding**

SB 1566 (Bergstrom/Frix) Directs Tourism to coordinate with the Historical Society to develop educational programs and materials for Oklahoma schools that promote learning, both by reading about and visiting Civil War battle sites.

**Career & Technology Education**

SB 880 (Sharp/Kerbs) Moves the responsibility to create a STEM community from the Coalition for the Advancement of Science and Mathematics Education in Oklahoma to the Department of Career and Technology Development.

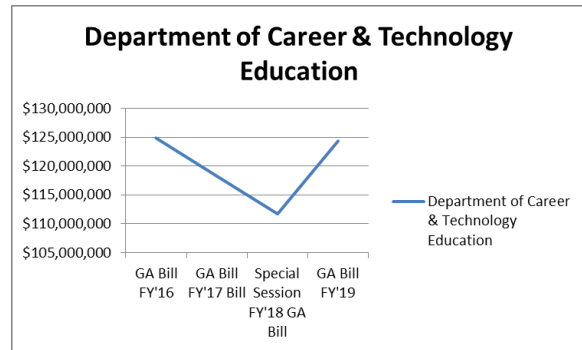
HB 1280 (Wallace/Leewright) Modifies the responsibilities of the Construction Industries Board to include the operation of a website, coordinate with Career Tech to create courses related to the industry and move funds from the licensure program to a workforce development program.

HB 3220 (Nollan/Smalley) Authorizes the State Board of Career and Technology Education to develop a certification system for teachers and instructors. The system must be competency-based, and the board cannot specify higher education courses or credit hours in rules for certification.

**Career & Technology Education Funding**

SB 1604 (David/Wallace) Directs \$10 million of appropriated monies to Career Technology, to be spent on salary increases for teaching personnel and \$2 million for support personnel. The measure also caps FTE's at 404.

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Department of Career & Technology Education	\$111,769,218	\$124,337,661	11.24%



**Common Education**

SB 950 (Stanislawski/Rogers) Allows students to self-apply or ask for assistance to apply sunscreen without a permissory note from their guardian. Exempts the school from liability if there is an adverse reaction. Must be FDA-approved sunscreen.

SB 960 (Daniels/Sears) Forbids any contract with a school employee requiring the employee to hand-deliver written notice to terminate their payroll deduction. Allows employees to deliver their notice by fax or email. This relates to professional organizations.

SB 980 (Griffin/Baker) Creates a tiered certification program for teachers. Includes initial, career, mentor and leadership certification. Provides an additional salary supplement for mentor teachers.

SB 1015 (Stanislawski/Caldwell) States that employees of an educational service provider contracted with a school district who perform functions that would otherwise be performed by a school district employee shall be considered employees of a school district for purposes of the Larry Dickerson Education Flexible Benefits Allowance Act.

SB 1150 (Griffin/Russ) Requires school officials who have reason to believe a student is a victim of abuse or neglect to report the matter to DHS and law enforcement.

SB 1196 (Stanislawski/Nollan) Stipulates that eligible high school students may participate in any concurrent enrollment program regardless of location in the state.

SB 1197 (Stanislawski/Nollan) Modifies the definition of proficient with regards to mastery over a subject to include "challenging subject matter" and "can analyze and apply such knowledge to real-world situations".

SB 1198 (Stanislawski/Tammy West) Reauthorizes the income tax checkoff for the Public School Classroom Support Revolving Fund.

SB 1370 (Smalley/Hilbert) Requires subject matter standards to incorporate Individual Career and Academic Plans.

HB 1334 (Hoskin/Sparks) Allows school boards to dispose of property no longer needed by the district to a housing authority.

HB 2259 (Kerbs/Sharp) Requires school officials who have reason to believe a student is a victim of abuse or neglect to report the matter to DHS and law enforcement. The measure also requires the report to be forwarded within 48 hours.

HB 2860 (Tammy West/Stanislawski) Requires school districts to post the total compensation of their superintendent on the School Transparency site.

HB 3117 (Newton/Bice) Stipulates that the State Department of Education will notify school board members who have failed to complete their continuing education requirements for service on a board. Board members who are removed for failure to complete these requirements are prohibited from running for or holding a board of education seat for a two-year period.

HB 3152 (Coody/Scott) Exempts school districts with an Average Daily Membership (ADM) less than 400 from the prohibition on school employees being a member of the school board if they are within 2 degrees of consanguinity.

HB 3221 (Nollan/Stanislawski) Modifies the definition of proficient with regards to mastery over a subject to include "challenging subject matter" and "can analyze and apply such knowledge to real-world situations" The measure also includes "Juneteenth" in the social studies curriculum.

HB 3222 (Nollan/Sharp) Repeals the Academic Achievement Award Program.

HB 3309 (Baker/Bice) Creates an induction program for new and incoming teachers. The program will emphasize senior teachers mentoring incoming teachers in classroom and professional development. It will replace the residency program.

HB 3311 (Baker/Bergstrom) Requires the inclusion of content from the US naturalization test in standards with an emphasis on civics.

**Common Education (K-12) Funding**

SB 929 (Stanislawski/Baker) Related to the School Funding Formula, changes various definitions associated with weighted points assigned to students with learning disabilities.

SB 1398 (Bice/Hall) Allows the Building Fund to be used in operations within a school district. This bill is tied to SJR 70.

SB 1582 (David/Wallace) Transfers \$19,892,744.00 from the Unclaimed Property Fund to the Oklahoma Education Lottery Trust Fund.

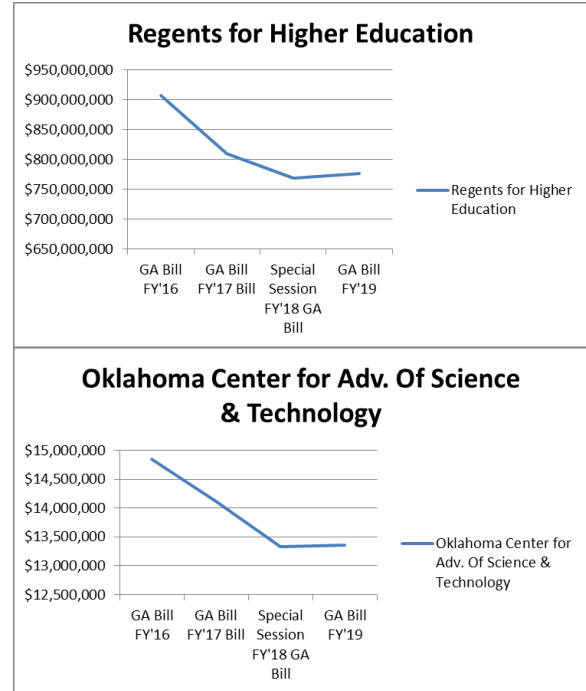
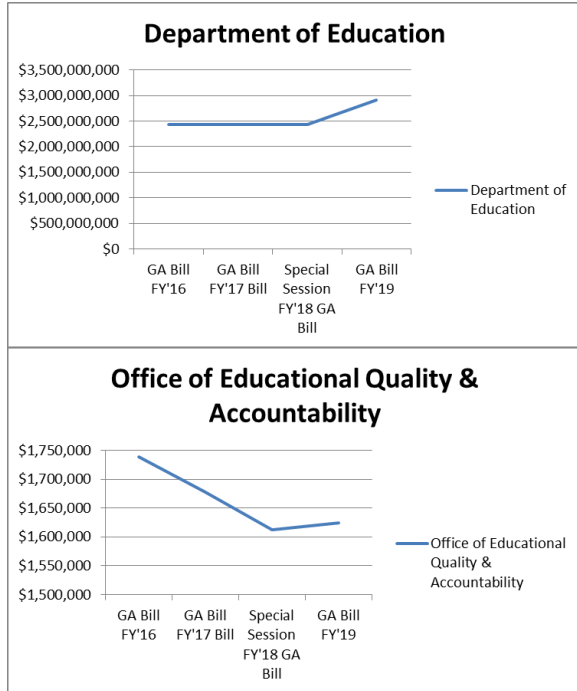
HB 1023xx (Wallace/David) Increases the minimum pay for education personnel, except for superintendents, by 15.825% to 18.25% depending on the years of experiences.

HB 1026xx (Wallace/David) Increases the minimum salary for school support personnel by \$1,250.00.

HB 3705 (Wallace/David) Appropriates an additional \$1,431,531,136.00 to the State Board of Education to pay for the salary increases mandated in HB 1023xx and HB 1026xx.

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Department of Education	\$2,432,159,067	\$2,912,985,147	19.77%
Office of Educational Quality & Accountabil ity	\$1,612,469	\$1,624,791	0.76%





**Higher Education**

HB 2911 (Dollens/Pugh) Includes military careers, apprenticeship programs and career and technology programs leading to certification or licensure in Individualized Academic Plans.

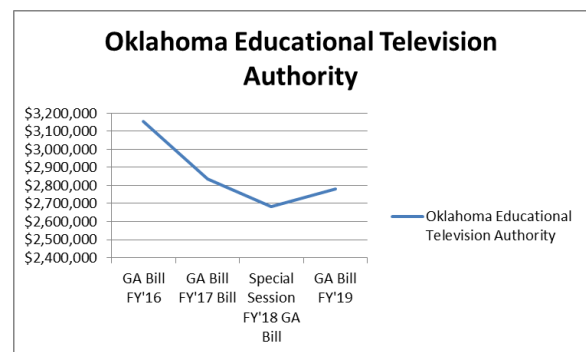
HB 3592 (McCall/Smalley) Allows students who withdraw from college to utilize funds from the Higher Access Learning Program 5 years after the student drops out.

**Educational Television Authority Funding**

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Oklahoma Educational Television Authority	\$2,682,018	\$2,779,283	3.63%

**Higher Education Funding**

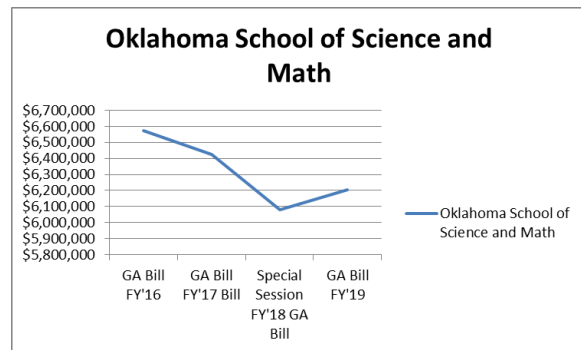
	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Regents for Higher Education	\$768,878,667	\$776,707,167	1.02%
Oklahoma Center for Adv. Of Science & Technology	\$13,333,855	\$13,356,927	0.17%





**School of Science & Mathematics Funding**

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Oklahoma School of Science and Math	\$6,082,397	\$6,205,416	2.02%



**Energy, Environment, & Utilities**

SB 997 (Rader/Thomsen) Specifies that pipelines carrying gas, hazardous liquid or carbon dioxide, as described in certain sections of the Code of Federal Regulations, are regulated by the act.

SB 1147 (Simpson/Hardin) Moves the implementation of Oklahoma Groundwater Quality Standards from the OWRB to DEQ.

SB 1294 (Pederson/Pfeiffer) Allows the OWRB to authorize gradual implementation of maximum annual yields on groundwater.

SB 1520 (Quinn/Jordan) Removes set amount for coverage of motor fuel carriers. Changes the requirements for the Administrator to include 2 years of LPG safety as well. Increases the penalty for failure to comply with the LPG Act to \$1,000.00.

SB 1576 (Schulz/Ortega) Requires wind facility owners to notify the Oklahoma Strategic Military Planning Commission of their intent to build or expand a facility. The measure also prohibits facilities from adversely impacting the mission of any military installation.

HB 2775 (Mike Osburn/Pugh) Prohibits any delays in the payment of a person's interest which is marketable. States that interest rates will be based on

the prime interest rate reported by the Wall Street Journal after November 2018. This is related to abandoned and unmarketable title.

HB 2959 (Thomsen/Quinn) Repeals Ten-Year Assessment of Electrical Power and Energy Requirements and Needs.

HB 3405 (Watson/Fields) Expands the definition of "ground water" to include marginal water.

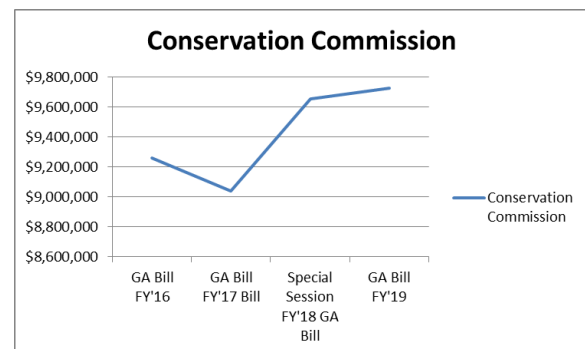
HB 3430 (Pfeiffer/Quinn) Expands the fee for storage tanks and consolidates the Petroleum Storage Tank Act.

HB 3536 (Caldwell/McCortney) Expands the definition of "energy conservation measures" to include water-metering devices that increase efficiency or accuracy. The measure also requires governing boards to solicit a request for qualification from one or more energy service company providers before entering into an energy conservation contract.

HB 3561 (Ortega/Schulz) Prohibits the construction or expansion of a wind facility when the construction or expansion will encroach upon the operations of any military branch. The measure also requires the facility owner to notify the Military Strategic Planning Commission when expanding or constructing a facility.

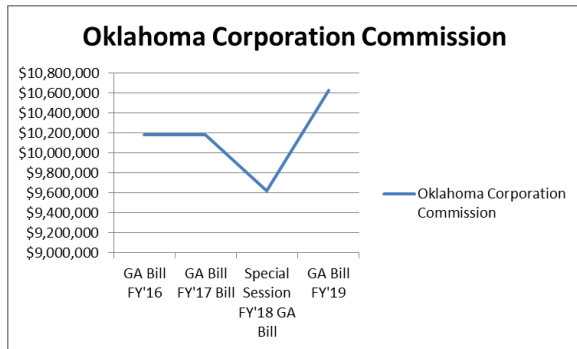
**Conservation Commission Funding**

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Conservation Commission	\$9,656,845	\$9,725,596	0.71%



**Corporation Commission Funding**

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Oklahoma Corporation Commission	\$9,622,470	\$10,628,177	10.45%



**Elections**

SB 350 (Treat/Echols) Allows any political party to maintain recognition in the state if they receive 2.5% of the total votes cast in either of the last two general elections.

SB 1130 (Jech/Wright) Extends term limits for secretaries of county election boards to 4 years. Provides gradual pay raise.

SB 1403 (Quinn/Lepak) Adds fire districts to the list of entities not allowed to call an election except on the authorized dates.

HB 2082 (Jordan/Pugh) Sets the date of election for school board members to the first Tuesday of April each year. The measure requires a runoff in the General if no candidate receives more than 50% of the vote.

HB 2592 (Ross Ford/Dahm) Allows the Secretary of the State Election Board to keep the records of immediate family of law enforcement personnel confidential.

HB 2827 (Echols/Dahm) The measure directs, within 10 business days upon completion and review by the Attorney General, the Secretary of State to send to the Secretary of the State Election Board a copy of the measure and official ballot title.

**Gaming, Sports, & Amusements**

**Senate Committee Staff**

SB 1134 (Griffin/Leslie Osborn) Allows officers whose duties require them to participate in investigation on behalf of the Oklahoma Lottery Commission to purchase lottery tickets for purposes of conducting an official lottery investigation.

SB 1303 (Fields/Caldwell) Allows lottery tickets to be sold via debit card.

HB 3375 (Wallace/McCortney) Authorizes tribes to create non-house banked games table games. This is colloquially known as “ball and dice.”

HB 3538 (Caldwell/Fields) Authorizes the Oklahoma Lottery Commission to sponsor a web application to allow entries for lottery-sponsored promotions and second-chance drawing promotions to be submitted by lottery players.

**County and Municipal Government**

SB 220 (Standridge/Cockroft) Empowers county commissioners to establish a county employee benefit program to encourage better performance in the workplace.

SB 279 (Pugh/Martinez) Allows county sheriffs to contract with third parties for the transportation of prisoners.

SB 1042 (Treat/Mike Osburn) Modifies a term related to public finances to comply with changing standards in municipal finance. Replaces compilation with preparation.

SB 1059 (Quinn/Kannady) Requires assessors to assess the value of property based on fair cash value. Requires notification to be sent to the taxpayer when the valuation is increased.

SB 1327 (Brown/Sean Roberts) Authorizes county clerks to employ outside legal counsel.

SB 1439 (Schulz/McCall) Modifies the method of selecting applicants for motor license agents. The measure requires that in counties with a population of more than 30,000, the operation of a motor license agency be the primary source of income for the agent. Gives the OTC greater discretion in limiting the number of tag agents.

HB 3083 (Cockroft/Kidd) Allows county officers to trade in equipment to a vendor or on statewide contract by acquiring used equipment values.

HB 3085 (Cockroft/Standridge) Allows county governments to adopt performance-based adjustment programs for county employees.

HB 3096 (Cockroft/Standridge) Allows county governments to create a city-county board of health. Applies only to counties with a population of more than 225,000 and cities with at least 150,000.

HB 3129 (Dustin Roberts/Murdock) Increases the cap whereby a county purchasing agent can forgo providing quotes on purchases from \$10,000.00 to \$15,000.00. The measure also applies the county purchasing procedures to the construction of roads and bridges.

HB 3156 (Sears/Thompson) Removes the notification requirement when a local municipality is calling for local tax elections (notification normally goes to the OTC). The measure increases the amount to \$25,000.00 of tax liability that can be compounded, settled, compromised or abated through an agreement.

HB 3318 (Fetgatter/Bice) Allows the board of county commissioners to sell property below market value and without any bidding procedures if they do not receive bids within 30 days (two 15 day periods).

HB 3347 (Sean Roberts/Dahm) Requires municipal governing bodies to publish notice of a budget hearing 5 days in advance on their website. The measure repeals the exemption for budgets less than \$12,000.00.

HB 3372 (Wallace/David) Requires assessors receiving advanced accreditation to complete 5, instead of 4, academic units. Adds "cadastral mapping" to the curriculum. The measure also allows OSU to develop a joint educational system for local counties to use.

HB 3470 (Jordan/Paxton) States that the funds received as a result of a contract between DOC, Justice or any municipality for the care of detainees in the county jail shall be deposited in the Sheriff's Service Fee Account.

HB 3472 (Jordan/Paxton) Repeals sections of law requiring the sheriff to inspect county buildings.

## State Government

SB 898 (Thompson/Babinec) Allows public bodies to convene a closed executive session when discussing matters involving safety in penal institutions and contract negotiations.

SB 925 (Thompson/Mike Osburn) Increases the amount to \$1 million (up from \$100 thousand) before an agency must perform a cost analysis report before contracting out to a private entity. Clarifies that employees affected by privatization may submit efficiency plans and the agency may accept or reject the plan in lieu of a winning bid.

SB 1184 (Fields/Wright) Transfers requirement to assist the Native American Cultural and Educational Authority and the Native American Cultural and Educational Authority Fund from Commerce to OMES.

SB 1261 (Dahm/Cleveland) Repeals the Oklahoma Centennial County Courthouses Preservation Act.

SB 1515 (Fields/Pfeiffer) Removes the requirement for the OWRB to receive permission from the director of OMES when the OWRB seeks to expend funds from the Oklahoma Water Resources Board Fee Revolving Fund.

SB 1564 (Griffin/Jordan) Allows state housing agencies to contract with federal agencies if it is economically advantageous to do so.

SB 1581 (Floyd/Leslie Osborn) Creates a Leave of Last Resort program. Sets up a "leave bank" which gives employees up to 480 hours. To utilize the bank, employees must donate a minimum amount of hours. Requires 30 days' notice to utilize the bank.

SB 1584 (David/Wallace) Authorizes the Oklahoma Capitol Improvement Authority to bond up to \$5.1 million for the purpose of maintaining dams throughout the state.

HB 1024xx (Wallace/David) Increases the salaries of state employees. The amount of the increase ranges from \$2000.00 for those with a salary under \$40,000.00 to \$750.00 for those making over \$60,001.00 a year.

HB 1120 (Cockroft/Sykes) Allows county sheriffs to contract with an association of sheriffs to administer contracts with third parties when attempting to locate and notify persons of their outstanding misdemeanor or failure-to-pay warrants.

HB 1298 (Sears/Paxton) Allows members of the Fire Extinguisher Industry Committee to determine a chair if quorum is present and the chair and vice chair are not. This only applies to the meeting in question.

HB 2527 (Cleveland/Dahm) Allows the board of county commissioners of any county to designate an employee to carry a handgun inside a courthouse.

HB 2581 (Lepak/Quinn) Increases the minimum size of properties authorized to withdraw from fire protection districts to 3 acres.

HB 2629 (Babinec/Dugger) Requires county clerks to file the original purchase order and return 3 copies to the county purchasing agent.

HB 2716 (Teague/Fields) Reauthorizes the income tax checkoff for the Oklahoma Pet Overpopulation Fund.

HB 2997 (Munson/Dossett) Adopts the red-tailed hawk as the state raptor.

HB 3017 (Faight/Sparks) Requires the Department of Mental Health, instead of OMES, to promulgate rules regarding the counseling of a state employee that witnessed a traumatic event.

HB 3036 (Lepak/Treat) Authorizes the Governor to appoint the Health Commissioner. The measure also changes the Board of Health’s responsibilities to a primarily advisory role.

HB 3225 (Nollan/Thompson) Authorizes and directs the OTC to make tax credit data available on its website. Requires the data to be in an open-structured, downloadable format.

HB 3278 (Kannady/Treat) Prohibits the appointment of any tag agent who has a relative in the OTC. Allows replaced agents to submit a letter of resignation to the OTC. Grants the OTC greater discretion in its tag agent appointments.

HB 3313 (Baker/Bice) Modifies the makeup of the Dyslexia and Education Task Force by adding a speech pathologist.

HB 3376 (Wallace/Murdock) Exempts the Commissioners of the Land Office from the Fleet Management Division.

HB 3473 (Jordan/Schulz) Designates the song "I Can Only Imagine" as the State’s official inspirational song.

HB 3525 (Jordan/Kidd) Extends the Sunset date for the State Board of Examiners for Long-Term Care Administrators to 2023.

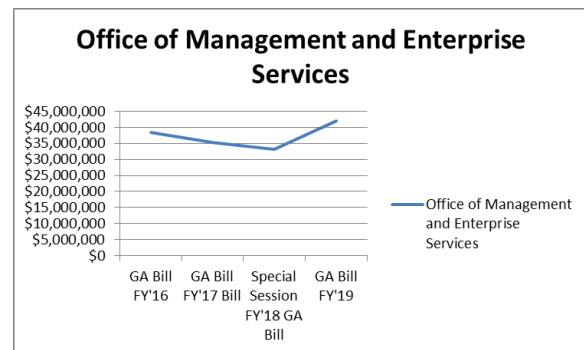
HB 3598 (McCall/Treat) Requires the AG to provide legal advice to members of the Agency Performance and Accountability Commission.

HB 3603 (Lepak/Treat) Allows the Governor to appoint the Director of Tourism and Recreation. The measure also changes the Commission’s responsibilities to a primarily advisory role.

HB 3718 (Kannady/Sykes) Amends, repeals or consolidates statutes to minimize duplications.

**OMES Funding**

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
OMES	\$33,211,517	\$42,050,322	26.61%



**Health**

SB 940 (Standridge/Worthen) Adds various compounds of fentanyl to Schedule I.

SB 943 (Floyd/McEntire) Allows Oklahomans to donate to the Oklahoma AIDS Care Revolving Fund on their tax return. Creates the revolving fund.

SB 956 (Griffin/Caldwell) Modifies various portions of the Oklahoma Pharmacy Act. Allows pharmacists to dispense prescriptions for noncontrolled and controlled substances in certain circumstances.

SB 972 (Simpson/Ownbey) Requires the HCA to examine the feasibility of a state plan amendment to the Oklahoma Medicaid Program for diabetes self-management training.

SB 1074 (McCortney/Josh West) Updates definitions related to speech pathology. Eliminates the annual examination requirement. The measure will still require an examination to receive certification and a degree beyond a bachelor's.

SB 1116 (Yen/Lawson) Places mental health workers under the "employee" definition located in the Government Tort Claims Act.

SB 1118 (Yen/Derby) Removes the requirement to itemize medical liens.

SB 1228 (McCortney/Caldwell) Requires resident facilities to contract with at least 5 hospices within a 50 mile radius.

SB 1267 (Treat/Calvey) Forbids those trafficking in fetal body parts from receiving Medicaid or Medicare compensation. Allows them to reapply in 5 years if they can prove they no longer do so.

SB 1446 (Sykes/Derby) Requires doctors and chronic pain patients to enter into a treatment agreement when prescribing opioid treatment for those under 18. Authorizes OBND to notify the pharmacy board if a patient is receiving prescriptions deemed inconsistent with recognized standards of safety. 7 day limitation on the supply.

SB 1516 (Griffin/Wright) Requires the provisions of "Lay Caregivers" in Chapter 60A to be included in state re-licensure surveys.

SB 1517 (Griffin/Bush) Creates the Task Force on Trauma-Informed Care. Focused on creating a list of best practices for children and their families at risk of adverse childhood experiences.

SB 1591 (David/Wallace) Provides for supplemental reimbursements for emergency ground transportation to medical providers.

SB 1594 (David/Wallace) Recodifies statutes related to the Master Settlement Agreement and the Non-Participating Manufacturer Adjustment Arbitration Settlement Agreement.

HB 1028x (Wallace/David) Directs the State Department of Health to submit a corrective action report to the Legislature by January 1, 2018.

HB 1244 (Lepak/Griffin) Requires the State Department of Rehabilitative Services to establish a program that broadens the availability of support service providers.

HB 1461 (Babinec/Rosino) Deletes reference to the use of American Correctional Association Standards and the Jail Inspection Division of the State Department of Health relating to the inspection of city and county jails.

HB 2286 (O'Donnell/Treat) Substantially broadens parole eligibility with the introduction of administrative parole. Authorizes the Pardon and Parole Board to parole non-violent offenders over the age of 60 who served 10 years or up to 1/3 of their sentence.

HB 2524 (Cleveland/Standridge) Requires the DHS to promulgate rules for an anonymous system for reporting and investigating complaints or grievances related to retaliation against a facility or employee.

HB 2691 (Dunlap/Pugh) Requires the DHS advisory committee to designate 2 people to serve on the Department's State Administrative Review Panel.

HB 2759 (Leslie Osborn/Sykes) Defines mobile dental anesthesia provider and modifies the definition for dental specialty and mobile dental clinic. The measure also requires assistants to complete an infection control class.

HB 2825 (McEachin/Dahm) Directs DHS to continue to explore and expand opportunities for the state to pursue contracts with additional service providers with regards to referrals to TANF and SNAP.

HB 2843 (Meredith/Pemberton) Requires the State Commissioner of Health to collect data on tumor treatments from hospitals and medical facilities.

HB 2931 (Mulready/Griffin) Requires electronic prescriptions for all prescriptions. The measure exempts veterinarians and those suffering electronic issues.

HB 2932 (Mulready/Pugh) Creates work requirements to access Medicaid. Exempts those under 19, over 60, pregnant, disabled or the parent of someone below the age of 1. The measure requires ODH to obtain permission from the federal government to implement the program.

HB 2987 (McEntire/Yen) Expands the Oklahoma Medical Loan Repayment Program to include physician assistants and stipends will no longer be a condition for funding under the program. Permits the Physician Manpower Training Commission to waive the maximum rural population criteria currently in statute.

HB 3037 (Derby/Yen) Permits an epinephrine auto-injector to be prescribed to and used by an authorized individual.

HB 3115 (Newton/Rosino) Requires applicants to practice optometry to submit to a national criminal history background check and pay costs associated with the record check.

HB 3289 (Enns/Simpson) Creates the Long-term Care Services and Supports Advisory Committee. The Committee is tasked with developing a long-range plan for long-term care service.

HB 3300 (Wright/Griffin) Requires DHS to develop and disseminate a form to all providers of group home services, residential services and vocational and employment services for incapacitated persons or vulnerable adults. The measure provides for notification of direct-care staff that they may be prosecuted for having sexual contact with someone in their care.

HB 3328 (McEntire/Pugh) Creates the Commission on the Prevention of Abuse of Elderly and Vulnerable Adults. The measure tasks the Commission with studying methods to provide adequate protections and services for individuals who may be at risk for abuse.

HB 3336 (Sean Roberts/Yen) Creates the Physical Therapy Licensure Compact. It establishes requirements for state participation in the compact including, but not limited to, having a mechanism in place for receiving and investigating complaints about licensees and implementing a criminal background check requirement.

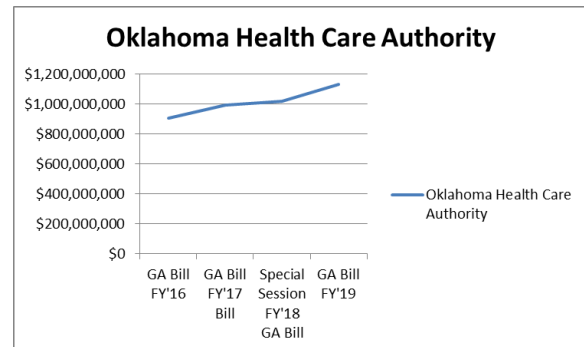
HB 3581 (McCall/Yen) Places the Office of Accountability Systems within the Department of Health under the State Board of Health. Allows the Director to report corrective actions concerning the Commissioner of Health directly to the Board without prior notification.

HB 3582 (McCall/Yen) Moves the authority to determine eligibility for the Advantage Waiver from the Aging Services Division of DHS to the HCA.

HB 3584 (McCall/Schulz) Requires 2 members of the Health Board to possess at least 5 years of experience in medical business.

### Health Care Authority Funding

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Health Care Authority	\$1,018,713,566	\$1,132,465,946	11.17%



### Public Health Funding

SB 1xx (David/Wallace) Appropriates \$17,711,697.00 to the Oklahoma Health Care Authority.

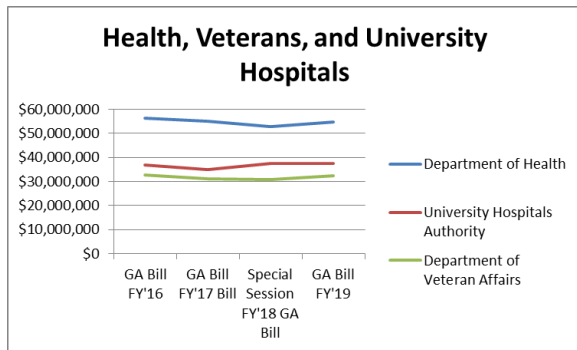
SB 1605 (David/Wallace) Directs the OHCA to increase reimbursement rates for Sooner Care contracted long-term facilities by 3% and remaining Sooner Care providers by 2%. The increased spending will be achieved via savings and efficiencies.

HB 1016xx (Wallace/David) Creates the State Health Care Enhancement Fund. The fund will receive revenues from the new cigarette millage levied in HB 1010xx.

HB 1022xx (Wallace/David) Appropriates an additional \$31,770,331.00 to the Oklahoma Health Care Authority.



	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Department of Health	\$52,735,866	\$54,874,700	4.06%
University Hospitals Authority	\$37,419,239	\$37,419,239	0.00%
Department of Veteran Affairs	\$30,647,326	\$32,356,959	5.58%
OSU Medical Authority	\$10,776,487	\$10,776,487	0.00%
J.D. McCarty Center	\$3,839,642	\$4,506,969	17.38%

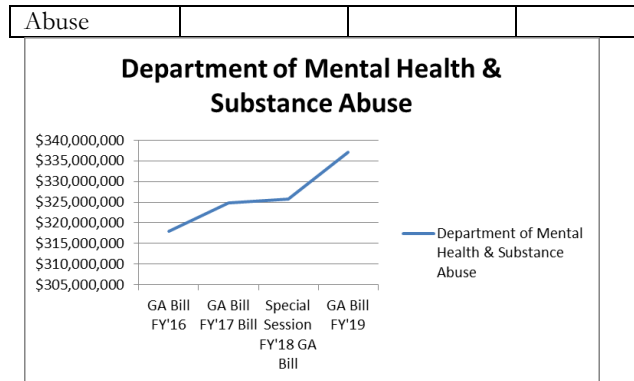


**Mental Health & Substance Abuse Funding**

HB 1081x (Wallace/David) Appropriates \$23,338,170.00 to the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services from the Constitutional Reserve Fund.

HB 3707 (Wallace/David) Directs the Department of Mental Health to utilize \$2 million of their appropriations restoration of psychiatric inpatient, substance abuse residential, psychologist and agency-based therapy provider rates. The measure also directs the agency to use \$4 million toward offender needs assessments and prioritizes the use of increased Federal Medical Assistance Percentage dollars.

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Department of Mental Health & Substance	\$325,824,832	\$337,108,145	3.46%



**Human Services**

SB 830 (Griffin/Ownbey) Shortens the time to 1 year (down from 2) before a foster parent can share a child's medical history and records.

SB 907 (Daniels/Ownbey) Exempts summer camps and after-school programs from the Oklahoma Child Care Facilities Licensing Act.

SB 979 (Griffin/Ownbey) Requires a parent providing child support to pay cash if there are no available healthcare coverage options.

SB 993 (Griffin/Wright) Changes investigative procedures related to reports of elderly abuse/neglect. Requires investigators to be well versed in interview protocols for the elderly/disabled. Requires investigators to minimize trauma to a reported victim.

SB 1052 (Griffin/McEntire) Links the definition of a mental health professional to existing statute (clean up language). Expands the definition of the professional. Related to involuntary commitment.

SB 1081 (Griffin/Lawson) Creates the Children's Trust Fund of Oklahoma. Allows donations to flow to the Oklahoma Commission on Children and Youth and a newly created Parent Board.

SB 1135 (Floyd/Nollan) Requires a background check for any prospective guardian of a child in the foster care system. The Department of Human Services may charge prospective guardians \$35.00 for the service.

SB 1140 (Treat/Dunlap) States that no child placement agency may be required to place a child in a home if said placement goes against their religious or moral convictions.



HB 1270 (O'Donnell/Leewright) Requires the HCA to contract with providers to verify an individual's eligibility for Medicaid. Said providers must provide quarterly reports to the Authority on the individual's eligibility. The cost of the contract must be less than the actual savings.

HB 2539 (Munson/Daniels) Exempts Oklahoma Juvenile Affairs vehicles from the requirement to clearly mark and identify their vehicles.

HB 2552 (Ownbey/Griffin) Establishes rights for children in the custody of Child Welfare Services.

HB 2692 (Dunlap/Standridge) Allows the director of a child care center to qualify as a master teacher for children of all ages. The measure also grants them a 1-year probationary period to fulfill the educational qualifications to be a teacher.

HB 2826 (McEachin/Dahm) Directs DHS to explore the use of technology to support the services provided to TANF recipients.

HB 2866 (Lowe/Matthews) Prohibits DHS from creating any new fees or costs, or increasing existing fees or costs, imposed on persons making child support payments via the Child Support Enforcement Division without legislative approval.

HB 3086 (Cockroft/Smalley) States that employees hired at the Southwest Oklahoma Juvenile Center after January 1, 2019, shall be considered unclassified and in term-limited appointments.

HB 3104 (Ownbey/Griffin) Modifies the definition of "drug endangered child" by removing newborns who test positive for a controlled dangerous substance. Clarifies that health care professionals must report to DHS any infant who is diagnosed with Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome or Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder.

**Human Services Funding**

HB 1058x (Wallace/David) Provides legislative intent that the Department of Human Services fully fund the Advantage Home and Community-based Waiver Program, Money Follows the Person, Homeward Bound Waiver, In-home Supports, Intensive In-home Service, Advantage Waiver, Personal Care and state-funded community residential and vocational services within DHS, Adult Day Services, foster care, residential, group home care and adoption subsidy rates, and the

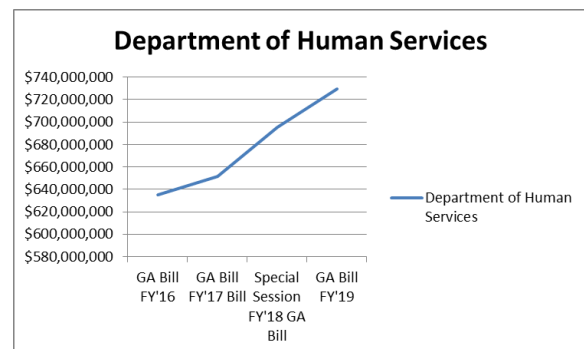
Senior Nutrition Program at original FY-18 funding levels.

SB 2xx( David/Wallace) Appropriates \$26,500,000.00.00 to the Department of Human Services.

HB 1021xx (Wallace/David) Declares legislative intent that the Department of Human Services fully fund in its entirety the Advantage Home and Community-based Waiver Program, Money Follows the Person, Homeward Bound Waiver, In-home Supports, Advantage Waiver, Personal Care and state-funded community residential and vocational services within the Department of Human Services in FY'18.

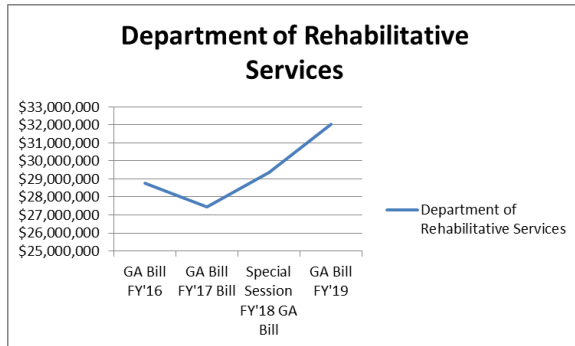
HB 3708 (Wallace/David) Directs the Department of Human Services to utilize \$4,620,000.00 to restore adoption subsidy payments and foster care rates to 2017 levels, \$960,000.00 to implement recommended changes from the Pinnacle Plan, \$2,000,000.00 to reduce the DDS waiting list, increase adoption subsidies, increase foster care provider rates, and increase funding to a variety of other programs.

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Department of Human Services	\$695,270,253	\$729,431,808	4.91%



**Rehabilitation Services Funding**

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Department of Rehabilitative Services	\$29,374,125	\$32,027,242	9.03%



SB 1101 (Sparks/Mulready) Creates the Insurance Business Transfer Act. Establishes rules and procedures for the transfer of existing insurance policies and policy holders to another insurer under court order.

SB 1103 (Yen/McEntire) Specifies that insurance plans must cover "low dose" mammography.

SB 1142 (Quinn/Mulready) Requires all financial statements related to the Service Warranty Act to be audited.

SB 1156 (Quinn/Mulready) Creates the Travel Insurance Act. Expands regulations associated with travel insurance.

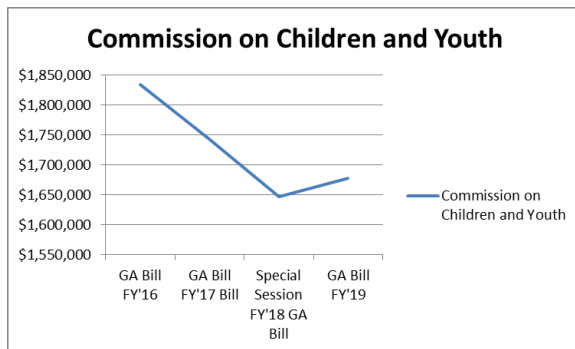
SB 1162 (David/Mulready) Repeals the Oklahoma Individual Health Insurance Market Stabilization Act.

SB 1296 (Sparks/McEntire) Requires 100% of prepaid funds for funeral benefits to be placed in interest-bearing investments.

SB 1485 (Brown/Moore) Insurance Omnibus bill.

**Commission on Children & Youth Funding**

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Commission on Children and Youth	\$1,647,131	\$1,678,244	1.89%



HB 1152 (Cockroft/Sykes) Allows the Insurance Commissioner to contract with a statewide association of sheriffs to serve as the Plan administrator. Related to the Oklahoma Temporary Motorist Liability Plan.

HB 2308 (Wallace/David) Authorizes the Insurance Commissioner to relocate the Department's OKC offices to a single site in the county.

HB 2941 (Mulready/Bice) Requires an agent of a title insurance company who countersigns and issues a title insurance policy on behalf of the company to complete and execute a Notification of Owner's Policy and to file said notification with the county clerk.

**Insurance Measures**

SB 606 (Sparks/Mulready) Defines and regulates run-off insurance notice, consumers and businesses, and sale of said items.

SB 1050 (Paxton/Moore) Defines "insurance producer" as someone appointed by an insurance carrier to act as an agent for that insurance carrier.

**Liquor, Smoking, & Tobacco**

SB 1173 (Bice/Echols) Authorizes a wine and spirits wholesalers who has been designated by a manufacturer as a distributor of its wine or spirits to post those products by line-item. The measure allows a bonded warehouse license to receive and store nonalcoholic beverages. The measure also directs \$5.00 of the employee license fee to be deposited into the Alcoholic Beverage Governance Revolving Fund under the State Treasury which will feed into the General Revenue Fund.

SB 1332 (Bice/Mulready) Grandfathers in establishments authorized to sell low-point beer. Related to locations within 300ft of a school.

SB 1333 (Bice/McEntire) Defines "individual drink" sizes. Increases the maximum amount of barrels to 65,000 to qualify as a "small brewer".

SB 1334 (Bice/McEntire) Requires employees to complete ABLÉ training within 60 days of being hired at licensed establishment.

SB 1336 (Bice/McEntire) Authorizes municipalities to enact ordinances regulating the closing time of ABLÉ licensed establishments. Cannot require them to close before 2:00 a.m. or open later than 6:00 a.m.

SB 1338 (Bice/McEntire) Wine shipment bill. Repeals the prohibition on buying wine from out-of-state producers that is produced in the state. Authorizes the ABLÉ Commission to approve package labels. Eliminates the penalties for express companies violating wine shipment laws.

SB 1395 (Bice/Mulready) States that if a distributor has inventory on hand with a brand no longer authorized to distribute in the state, said distributor must sell the inventory to a distributor authorized to distribute the alcohol.

SB 1489 (Leewright/Kevin West) Removes the prohibition on owners of liquor establishments from engaging in bail bondsmen activities.

SB 1498 (Bice/Mulready) Clarifies that any party provided notice of alcohol licensure shall be considered an interested party. Allows interested parties to appeal the granting of a license.

SB 1499 (Bice/Mulready) Allows persons convicted of a felony to work in a liquor store provided the felony was not within 5 years and they did not commit a violent crime.

SB 1537 (David/Kannady) Wine shipment bill. Fixes issue with carriers receiving penalties for unknowingly violating provisions governing wine shipment.

SB 1570 (Bice/Mulready) Allows sellers of alcohol to charge different prices to distributors between different counties.

## Judiciary/Court Measures

SB 114 (Sharp/Mike Osburn) Requires the Supreme Court to contribute to the District Court Revolving Fund.

SB 224 (Griffin/Kannady) Allows youthful court records to be unsealed in cases wherein the offender is sentenced and convicted as an adult. In all other cases, said records are to be kept confidential. Allows OJA to maintain custody of a child until they are 19 years of age.

SB 340 (Treat/Hall) Allows local courts to direct a person convicted of a municipal violation to pay their fees through community service. The rate will be at least equivalent to the minimum wage.

SB 1021 (Bice/Leslie Osborn) Prohibits the court from considering whether a defendant is on bail when they determine eligibility requirements. Related to indigent defense.

SB 1066 (Griffin/Lawson) Allows the court to defer delinquency adjudication proceedings for an additional 180 days if it is determined that the child has demonstrated adequate progress in their treatment.

SB 1166 (David/Wallace) Reauthorizes tax donations to programs focused on recruiting, training, and supervising volunteers as Court Appointed Special Advocates.

SB 1249 (Leewright/Mulready) Allows subcontractors to receive an Affidavit of Exempt Status from workers' compensation requirements. \$50 fee to fill the application for said affidavit.

SB 1299 (Sparks/Echols) Merges duplicate sections of law created in the regular 2017 session dealing with discovery.

SB 1346 (Scott/Worthen) Directs the Supreme Court to develop an online registration and access portal for entities and individuals wishing to access such records and requires the court to promulgate rules to implement the act. The bill would also allow the court to set a fee not to exceed \$1,500.00 to offset the cost of creating the online access system and carrying out the act.

SB 1503 (Sparks/Kannady) Increases the time a party may respond to an amended pleading to 20 days.

HB 2177 (John Bennett/Silk) Authorizes every political subdivision of the state to display replicas or statues of historical documents. The measure also authorizes the Attorney General to defend political subdivisions in the event that the placement is challenged in court.

HB 2518 (Ownbey/Simpson) Stipulates that in any proceeding in which the nursing board is required to serve an order on an individual, the board may send the material to the address of record with the board.

HB 2722 (Russ/Allen) Modifies the term "employee" to exclude any person who is employed in ranching by an employer who has a gross annual payroll less than \$100,000.00 or any person employed in ranching that does not operate motorized machines. Related to Worker's Compensation.

HB 2993 (McEntire/Sykes) Transfers excess proceeds from any security released to pay claims associated with an impaired self-insurer to the Self-Insurance Guaranty Fund. The Self Insurance Guaranty Fund Board may then use these excess funds as a credit against the assessment required to be paid by each self-insurer and group self-insurer association.

HB 3281 (Kannady/David) States that a judgment for forcible entry and detainer shall not preclude the property owner from pursuing a subsequent action for other monetary relief.

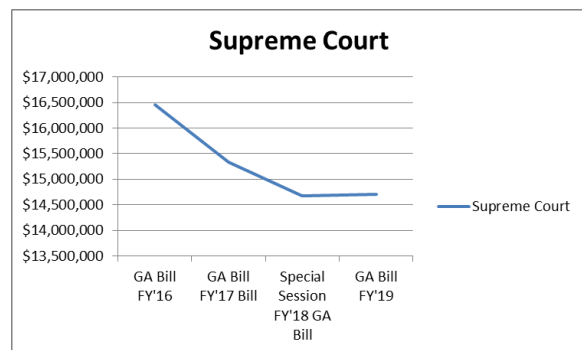
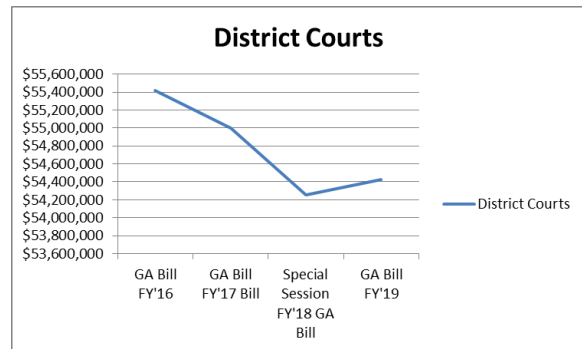
HB 3283 (Kannady/Sparks) Requires Mental Health to provide treatment for defendants deemed not competent. The measure allows Mental Health to designate an entity to carry out said services.

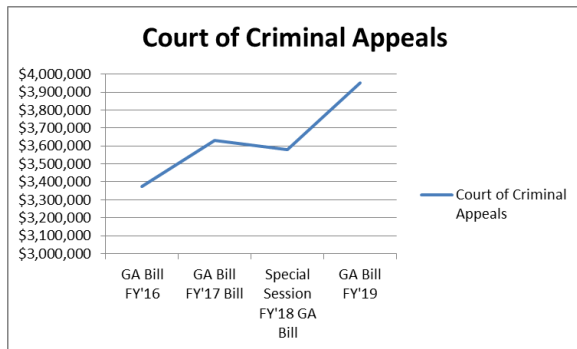
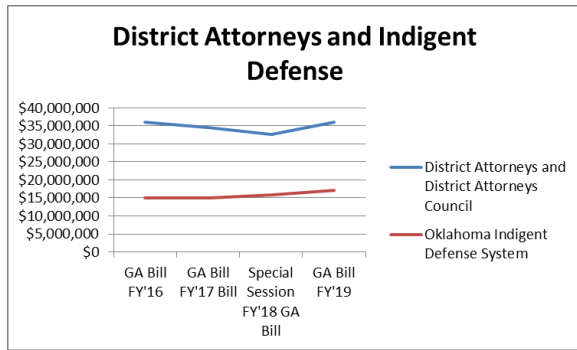
HB 3284 (Kannady/Smalley) Requires DOC to compensate jails for every person booked in a county jail.

**Judiciary Funding**

SB 1602 (David/Wallace) Reauthorizes the AOC to transfer up to \$5 million from the Supreme Court's Oklahoma Court Information System Revolving Fund to the District Court's Interagency Reimbursement Fund.

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
District Courts	\$54,252,727	\$54,422,613	0.31%
Supreme Court	\$14,668,924	\$14,698,223	0.20%
District Attorneys and District Attorneys Council	\$32,572,351	\$36,073,093	10.75%
Oklahoma Indigent Defense System	\$15,854,326	\$17,128,633	8.04%
Court of Criminal Appeals	\$3,580,876	\$3,951,743	10.36%





**Motor Vehicles, Water Vessels, & Licensing**

SB 892 (Thompson/Jordan) Creates various Special License Plates.

SB 1339 (David/Cockroft) Modifies the information required on an application for registration. The measure also requires the license plates of a vehicle be retained by seller of a motor vehicle when registration is transferred. The owner of the license plate may transfer the license plate to another vehicle of the same registration class.

**Professions & Occupations**

SB 1383 (Floyd/Newton) Amends regulations governing the Chiropractic license. Changes the renewal month to July of each year. States that the forfeiture of a license will not prevent the Board from suspending or fining the licensee. Allows the Board to deny licenses if the applicant was convicted of a felony.

SB 1475 (Pugh/Mike Osburn) Creates the Occupational Licensing Advisory Commission. The purpose of the Commission is to conduct a review of each

occupational or professional licensing act in this state not less than once every four (4) years and make recommendations to the Legislature.

SB 1492 (Kidd/Hilbert) Requires trainee boiler inspectors to receive certification within 24 months (instead of 18 months).

SB 1526 (Thompson/Newton) Increases the renewal license fee to \$275.00 for a chiropractic license.

HB 2772 (Mike Osburn/Pugh) Eliminates "hairbraiding technician" from Cosmetology Board regulations. Hairbraiding technicians will need to be certified.

HB 2933 (Mulready/David) Directs Licensing Boards to grant a one-year waiver of fees associated with licensure or certification to a low income applicant.

**Public Safety & Homeland Security**

SB 185 (Floyd/Josh West) Requires each member of the Pardon and Parole Board to complete certification training from organizations that provide training and technical assistance related to the probation and parole process.

SB 900 (Thompson/Downing) Requires the DOC to notify the sheriff of the county where the order by the court placing an offender in the Delayed Sentencing Program for Young Adults was filed. The county sheriff is required to take custody of the offender.

SB 937 (Standridge/Worthen) Includes tribal government on the list of entities that can be investigated by the OBNDD. This bill ties into the Anti-Drug Diversion Act.

SB 939 (Standridge/Worthen) Includes the salts, isomers, and salts of isomers of methylphenidate under Schedule II.

SB 1005 (Griffin/Kannady) Defines sodomy of a person aged 16-18 by a person who is responsible for the child's wellbeing as "forcible sodomy."

SB 1023 (McCortney/Thomsen) Authorizes CLEET to conduct full-time Basic Peace Officer Certification Academies and other law enforcement related training for individuals not commissioned or appointed by a law enforcement agency under the rules established by the Council.

SB 1078 (Griffin/Downing) Adds fentanyl to the list of substances subject to the Trafficking in Illegal Drugs Act. Adds penalty of \$100,000-\$500,000.

SB 1098 (Treat/Worthen) Establishes \$500 penalty or maximum 5 year imprisonment penalty for theft of a firearm.

SB 1153 (Thompson/Lepak) Allows the DOC to keep various financial and proprietary information confidential.

SB 1203 (Sykes/Dustin Roberts) Caps the court costs and fine for a speeding violation between 1-10 mph at \$100.00 (all costs).

SB 1367 (Yen/Derby) States that a peace officer may not take a person into custody if they were contacted by the person in question for medical assistance.

HB 1124 (Hilbert/Leewright) Prohibits sex offenders from loitering within 1,000 ft. of a victim's residence.

HB 2625 (Bergstrom/Kevin West) Allows officers to carry firearms throughout the state (as opposed to anywhere in the state).

HB 2630 (Babinec/Thompson) Allows offenders who received a home offer and were processed by the DOC to participate in the electronic monitoring program provided they do not have a sentence of 10 years or more and 24 more months to serve. The measure also allows those convicted of a drug trafficking to participate in the program.

HB 2631 (Babinec/Bergstrom) Removes the requirement for correctional officers to graduate from an approved training course prior to or during the first 6 months of employment and allows the Director to designate correction officers to carry a firearm. It further authorizes the Director to enter into contracts with media or film production companies to allow the Department to authorize a media or film production company to shoot commercial films at penal institutions.

HB 2632 (Babinec/Bergstrom) Allows citizens to carry guns in places of worship.

HB 2634 (Babinec/Fry) Allows any employee of DPS appointed to the position of Commissioner to return to the previous position of the employee without any loss of rights, privileges, or benefits upon the completion of their term as Commissioner.

HB 2635 (Babinec/Shaw) States that the Motor Vehicle Report, including any record or information associated with the Motor Vehicle Report, is not a "public civil record" and is not subject to expungement.

HB 2702 (Echols/Fields) Places a \$1,000 minimum fine on a person convicted of dumping trash that exceeds 50 pounds on public or private property without the owner's consent.

HB 2795 (Downing/Griffin) Directs medical facility owners that prescribe opioids to patients on a monthly basis to register with the Oklahoma Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs Control. The fee for registration is established at \$300.00 annually.

HB 2796 (Downing/Griffin) Requires manufacturers to provide their monthly inventory on a monthly basis to the OBND.

HB 2798 (Downing/Griffin) Creates the Opioid Overdose Fatality Review Board within the Office of the Attorney General. Requires the AG's office to review deaths related to opioid use.

HB 2882 (Josh West/Smalley) Allows any state sponsored technology school to offer courses (subject to CLEET approval) in law enforcement certification.

HB 2889 (Taylor/Scott) Changes the word "shall" to "may" with regards to a sheriff charging up to \$25.00 for the fingerprinting fee assessed for an SDA license.

HB 3064 (O'Donnell/Quinn) Directs the AG's office to establish a Vulnerable Adult Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation Registry. The registry will contain the names of persons who have been convicted of abusing, neglecting or exploiting a vulnerable adult.

HB 3131 (Babinec/Murdock) Allows patrol vehicles to be painted black or white instead of black and white.

HB 3260 (McBride/Sykes) Adds a definition of the word "following" to include the tracking of the movement or location of an individual through the use of a GPS device. The measure exempts lawful use of a device by law enforcement or a guardian tracking their child.

HB 3330 (Sanders/Griffin) Adds family child care facilities to the list of places a sex offender may not live within 2,000 ft.

HB 3353 (Sean Roberts/Dahm) Authorizes handgun licensees to carry handguns when scouting hunting locations.

HB 3393 (Goodwin/Griffin) Directs detention centers to use the least restrictive means necessary when restraining a pregnant inmate.

HB 3709 (Wallace/David) Transfers an additional \$100,000.00 from the AG's Evidence Fund to the Legal Services Fund for domestic violence victims.

### **Public Employees- Retirement/Insurance/Pay/Benefits**

SB 527 (Stanislawski/McDaniel) Modifies the definition of a nonfiscal retirement bill as it relates to pensions. The new definition would allow the purchase of up to two years of service credit by a participant at the actuarial cost. The measure further allows officers disabled in the line of duty to receive benefits as if they worked in the agency for 20 years.

SB 908 (Thompson/Babinec) Allows Corrections officers to retain their sidearm upon retirement.

HB 1155 (McCall/Treat) Requires OMES to submit a report to the Governor, Speaker of the House, and President Pro Tempore of the Senate on any wage/salary increase for each state employee classification.

HB 1340 (McDaniel/Treat) Modifies the definition of nonfiscal bills as it relates to the Actuarial Analysis Act. The measure also provides for a one-time distribution of benefits. The amount is based on funding ratios. 60%-80% will distribute benefits equal to the lesser of 2% or \$750.00. At a funded ratio of 100%, the amount is the lesser of 2% or \$1,250.00.

HB 2009 (Rogers/Smalley) Requires the Department of Education to publish, within one click of the homepage, a list of all salary increases.

HB 2515 (McDaniel/Quinn) Requires all benefits payable from the Police Pension and Retirement System to be paid from the general assets of the fund. The measure states that a permanent and total impairment equates to 100% of accrued retirement benefits.

HB 2516 (McDaniel/Pugh) The measure modifies the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System by requiring an employer of a member who receives

additional service from unused sick leave to reimburse the system at an amount equal to the cost of the additional benefit.

HB 2517 (McDaniel/Quinn) Requires the Law Enforcement Retirement System to comply with IRS guidelines to remain a qualified plan.

HB 2553 (McDaniel/Pugh) Authorizes the termination of Teachers' Retirement System tax-sheltered annuity program.

HB 3234 (Moore/Quinn) Removes the deadline for vision providers to submit their offers to OMES. The measure allows OMES to reject excess offerings.

### **Revenue & Taxation**

SB 1411 (Schulz/McCall) Caps the amount deposited by the Tax Commission into the Special Occupational Health and Safety fund at the three-year average of the amounts apportioned in fiscal years 2015 - 2017.

SB 1412 (Schulz/McCall) Modifies the Used Tire Recycling Act by putting a cap on the amount of funds accumulated for the Department of Environmental Quality to perform certain duties required by the act.

SB 1583 (David/Wallace) Increases the amount of revenue that must be certified by the Board of Equalization before a deposit can be made into the Revenue Stabilization Fund. The amount is increased to \$6.6 billion.

HB 1085x (Wallace/Schulz) Removes the exemption for "legacy wells" and brings the tax rate up to 7%.

HB 1010xx (Wallace/David) Establishes an additional 50 mils on cigarettes equal to \$1.00 per pack. The measure also increases the gasoline tax by \$0.03 per gallon and \$0.06 per diesel gallon. HB 1010xx also raised the effective rate for new deep and horizontal wells to 5% for the first 36 months and established a occupancy tax for hotels at \$5.00 per room.

HB 1011xx (Wallace/David) Establishes a cap on itemized deductions at \$17,000 per return. Medical expenses and charitable donations are not included in the cap.

HB 1012xx (Wallace/David) Repeals the hotel/motel occupancy tax passed in HB 1010xx.



HB 1015xx (Wallace/David) Extends existing motor fuel tax exemptions to the additional taxes on gasoline and diesel fuel proposed in HB1010xx.

HB 1018xx (Wallace/David) Directs the OTC to impose a limit on the amount cigarette excise tax stamps purchased by a wholesaler to no more than the monthly average amount of stamps sold to the wholesaler during the preceding calendar year.

HB 1019xx (Wallace/David) Requires remote sellers who sold at least \$10,000.00 worth of goods to buyers in Oklahoma to either opt to collect the sales tax owed to the state or comply with notice and reporting requirements established in statute and any required by the OTC.

HB 1034xx (Wallace and David) Caps the coal tax credit at \$5 million awarded annually. The measure directs the OTC to use a percentage adjustment formula to determine a percentage by which the credits authorized are to be reduced to satisfy the \$5 million annual cap.

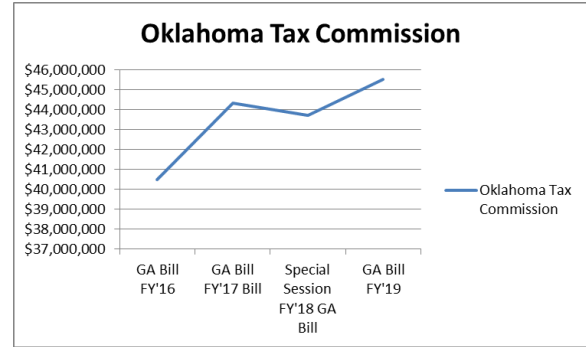
HB 1036xx (Wallace/David) Caps the railroad rehabilitation tax credit at \$2 million. The measure directs the OTC to use a percentage adjustment formula to determine a percentage by which the credits authorized are to be reduced to satisfy the \$5 million annual cap.

HB 2253 (Wright/Fields) Excludes air carriers that operate Part 135 of the Code of Federal Regulation for less than 50 percent of its annual operations from the definition of commercial airliners for the purposes of determining eligibility for the aircraft excise tax.

HB 3715 (Wallace/David) Allows any taxpayer that elects to pay federal income tax due on income received as a shareholder of a deferred foreign income corporation in installments to also pay state income taxes due on such income in installments.

**Tax Commission Funding**

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Oklahoma Tax Commission	\$43,733,616	\$45,525,057	4.10%

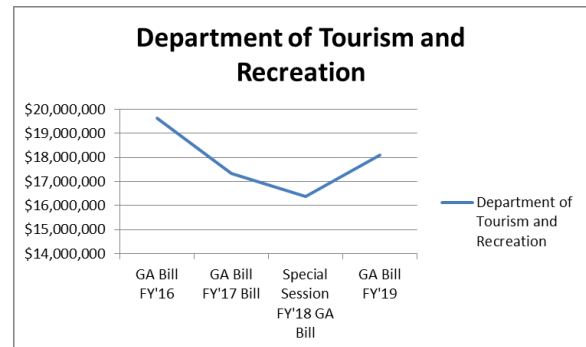


**Tourism & Wildlife**

SB 1579 (Fields/Pfeiffer) Creates the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department Reimbursement Revolving Fund. No specified use.

**Tourism Funding**

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
Department of Tourism and Recreation	\$16,381,819	\$18,095,951	10.46%



**Transportation**

SB 912 (Allen/Taylor) Exempts Agricultural vehicles from the requirements of the Commercial Motor Vehicle Safety Enhancement Act as it pertains to electronic loggic devices. The vehicles must be hauling livestock.

SB 1044 (Fry/Fetgatter) Subjects road and bridge construction services to public bids.

SB 1089 (Bergstrom/O'Donnell) Limits the weight of a vehicle on state roads to 20,000 lbs. for a single axle and 34,000 lbs. for tandem axles.

SB 1114 (Bergstrom/O'Donnell) Designates "high-wide" corridors. Regulatory and permitting authority vested in ODOT.

SB 1490 (Quinn/Lepak) Designates the Robert B. Robinson Memorial Highway.

HB 1560 (Frix/Griffin) Allows the Commissioner of Public Safety to issue special permits for vehicles and loads exceeding 13 ½ feet in height.

HB 2519 (Vaughan/Jech) Consolidated road and memorial bridge bill.

HB 2548 (John Bennett/Allen) Changes the U.S. Army Delta Force Memorial Highway to the U.S. Army Memorial Highway.

HB 2650 (Vaughan/Rader) Requires a merge now traffic-control device to be placed in accordance with the standards set by the Federal Highway Administration's Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices. Current law requires the device to be placed no greater than one mile nor less than 1,500 feet in advance of a highway construction or maintenance zone.

HB 2663 (Hoskin/Sparks) Creates the "Former Oklahoma Legislator License Plate." Places the funds in the Oklahoma Historical Society Capital Improvement and Operations Revolving Fund.

HB 2921 (Frix/Pemberton) Requires the Transportation Commission to submit an annual waiver to the U.S. Department of Transportation requesting exception from federal regulations preventing the sale of land for less than fair market value if said land is owned by ODOT and been deemed as surplus land for 10 or more years.

HB 2923 (Frix/Bice) Authorizes ODOT and the Oklahoma Turnpike Authority to electronically publish bids.

HB 3089 (Cockroft/Jech) Allows groundwater rights to be severed from surface rights upon request by the owner. The measure states that no person may construct a well without express approval from the Turnpike Authority.

HB 3290 (Enns/Fry) Allows drivers to use the left lane in municipalities so long as it is not part of the Interstate system.

HB 3373 (Ortega/Schulz) Creates the Navajo School Foundation license plate.

HB 3374 (Wallace/Thompson) Allows the OTC to contract with private vendors when making custom license plates.

HB 3388 (Roger Ford/Fry) States that a railroad company that fails to construct and maintain crossings for 30 days following written notice by the Oklahoma Corporation Commission is subject to a contempt proceeding before the commission.

HB 3576 (Martinez/Pugh) Creates an oversight program that will regulate private and public rails in Oklahoma.

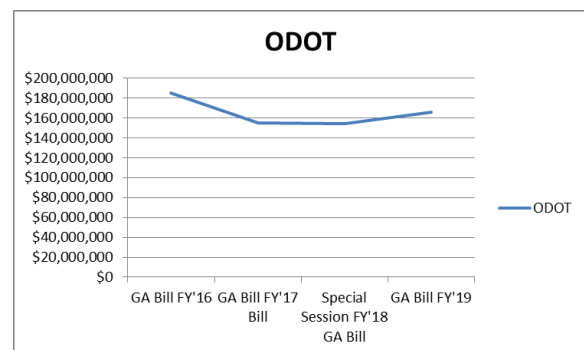
**Transportation Funding**

HB 1014xx (Wallace/David) Authorizes Rebuilding Oklahoma Access and Driver Safety Fund to receive gasoline and fuel taxes up to \$575 million.

HB 3712 (Wallace/David) Restores funds appropriated from the State Highway Construction and Maintenance Fund and the Oklahoma Railroad Maintenance Revolving Fund in the general appropriations bill.

HB 3713 (Wallace/David) Updates reference to how the tax determined by tying the motor fuels import rate to the motor fuels consumption rate stated in the Motor Fuel Tax Code.

	Special Session FY'18 GA Bill	GA Bill FY'19	Change From Original
ODOT	\$154,070,148	\$165,853,359	7.65%



## Veterans & Military Affairs

SB 894 (Pugh/Moore) Creates the Silver Star Recipient Captain John Lee Prichard Memorial Bridge.

SB 922 (Simpson/Hardin) Requires the Department of Veterans' Affairs to establish the Oklahoma Women Veterans Program. Requires the program to estimate the number of female veterans in the state, create a list of gender specific needs, and provide a report to the Governor/Legislative Leaders.

SB 931 (Simpson/Hardin) Authorizes the Department of Veterans' Affairs to receive gifts given for the benefit of Veterans' programs.

SB 932 (Simpson/Hardin) Authorizes the Department of Veterans' Affairs employees to receive administrative leave for volunteer services. Must be related to the Department's core mission.

SB 1053 (Simpson/Hardin) Authorizes DOVA to obtain certification through the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and accept payments and reimbursements from Medicare and Medicaid.

SB 1141 (Dossett/Kannady) States that any state licensing or certification authority that fails to implement rules or laws for recognizing appropriate military training and experience for its occupational or professional licensing or certification process shall be deemed in violation of relevant statutes.

HB 3042 (Kannady/Simpson) Directs DOVA to create a long-term care facility that will assume the operations of the Talihina Veterans Center. The measure also grants the Oklahoma Veterans Commission the authority to choose the location of the new facility.

## Senate & House Joint Resolutions

SJR 35 (Sparks/McCall) Creates an Endowment fund for government expenses. 5% of the gross production tax will fund it. Cannot be spent on debt.

SJR 66 (Pugh/Lepak) Places the Governor and Lt. Governor on the same ticket.

SJR 70 (Bice/Hall) Expands authorized expenditures from school district Building Funds.

SJR 72 (Stanislawski/Baker) Approves the Subject Matter Standards adopted by the State Board of Education on March 19, 2018.

HJR 1029 (Jordan/Dahm) Disapproved proposed rules submitted by the Ethics Commission. The rules were related to campaign finance and extending the "cool-down" period to apply to state employees.

HJR 1043 (Lepak/Bergstrom) Reauthorizes the Article V delegation.

## Vetoed Bills

SB 86 (David/Faught) Requires an economic impact study to be implemented before a highway is completed. Applies to highways built to bypass municipalities.

SB 337 (Dugger/Babinec) Requires out of state vendors earning over \$100,000.00 in sales to provide an annual report on the sales to the OTC. Failure to file results in a fee of \$10 per purchaser subject requirement.

SB 1128 (Yen/Derby) Establishes electronic prescription regulations. By 2021, all providers must utilize an electronic prescription drug program.

SB 1190 (Stanislawski/Casey) Requires the State Board of Education to ensure that students are able to read and comprehend grade level text and identify main ideas and key details when determining promotion and retention of 3rd Graders. Allows local schools to also design remediation classes to ensure college readiness.

SB 1212 (Dahm/Sean Roberts) Constitutional carry bill. Also allows people to carry handguns into wildlife refuges and wildlife management areas.

SB 1221 (Sykes/Josh West) Sets guidelines for the sentencing of a juvenile to life without parole. Also sets guidelines for parole officers.

SB 1251 (Leewright/Kevin West) Exonerates the bond when a defendant is arrested again in the same jurisdiction in which the bondsman or insurer has posted the appearance bond or when the defendant is arrested on charges that would result in a longer prison sentence/higher fine. Does not require the defendant to be released.

SB 1280 (Smalley/Bush) Allows any member of the Board of Podiatric Medical Examiners to halt the review of a license application via "circularization"

until the Board can review the application in an en banc meeting. Designed to expedite the licensing process.

SB 1287 (Smalley/Baker) Requires Safe School Committees to meet at least 4 times a year. No member can be employed by the school district. Requires the Department of Education to monitor compliance.

SB 1337 (Bice/McEntire) Authorizes distillers to sell liquor on their premises directly to consumers or at trade shows.

SB1400 (Pugh/Mike Osburn) Consolidates the Department of Commerce under the LG's office. 2026 date.

SB 1442 (Sykes/Downing) Removes many notification deadlines. Related to DOC compensating county jails.

HB 1401 (Montgomery/Sparks) Creates the Vision Fund to store excess revenue derived from the tax on oil and gas. Allows the fund to be used for investment. Deposits into the fund begin at 5% of actual GPT revenue the first year, and increases by 0.2% every year thereafter.

HB 1568 (Echols/Thompson) Creates a tax credit repurchasing program and places it under the Department of Commerce. Allows the DOC to negotiate with the credit holder for the purchase of said tax credits.

HB 1608 (Enns/Sykes) Allows off-duty officers to carry personal rifles or shotguns.

HB 2661 (Hoskin/Sparks) Moves "Oklahoma Native American Day" to the second Monday of October.

HB 3053 (Hilbert/Paxton) Allows a digital image of the voter's marked ballot to be shared with others.

HB 3244 (Moore/Brown) Repeals the Oklahoma Individual Health Market Stabilization Act.