

**SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 5508**

A bill to make appropriations for the department of corrections for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2025; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

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PART 1

LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS

Sec. 101. There is appropriated for the department of corrections for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2025, from the following funds:

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

APPROPRIATION SUMMARY

Full-time equated unclassified positions	16.0
Full-time equated classified positions	13,210.0



1	GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 2,165,829,000
2	Interdepartmental grant revenues:		
3	Total interdepartmental grants and		
4	intradepartmental transfers		0
5	ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 2,165,829,000
6	Federal revenues:		
7	Total federal revenues		5,180,500
8	Special revenue funds:		
9	Total local revenues		11,694,000
10	Total private revenues		0
11	Total other state restricted revenues		33,494,400
12	State general fund/general purpose		\$ 2,115,460,100
13	Sec. 102. DEPARTMENTAL ADMINISTRATION AND		
14	SUPPORT		
15	Full-time equated unclassified positions	16.0	
16	Full-time equated classified positions	395.0	
17	Unclassified salaries--FTEs	16.0	\$ 2,294,100
18	Administrative hearings officers		3,988,000
19	Budget and operations administration--FTEs	303.0	43,990,400
20	Compensatory buyout and union leave bank		100
21	County jail reimbursement program		14,814,600
22	Employee wellness programming--FTEs	8.0	2,378,200
23	Equipment and special maintenance		1,559,700
24	Executive direction--FTEs	24.0	4,886,200
25	Judicial data warehouse user fees		50,600
26	New custody staff training		22,444,600
27	Prison industries operations--FTEs	60.0	10,188,800
28	Property management		2,479,200



1	Prosecutorial and detainer expenses		4,801,000
2	Worker's compensation		11,659,700
3	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	125,535,200
4	Appropriated from:		
5	Federal revenues:		
6	DOJ, prison rape elimination act grant		674,700
7	Special revenue funds:		
8	Correctional industries revolving fund		10,188,800
9	Correctional industries revolving fund 110		721,600
10	Jail reimbursement program fund		5,900,000
11	State general fund/general purpose	\$	108,050,100
12	Sec. 103. OFFENDER SUCCESS ADMINISTRATION		
13	Full-time equated classified positions	343.9	
14	Community corrections comprehensive plans and		
15	services		\$ 14,198,100
16	Criminal justice reinvestment		2,548,400
17	Education/skilled trades/career readiness		
18	programs--FTEs	259.9	38,843,200
19	Enhanced food technology program--FTEs	11.0	1,680,800
20	Goodwill Flip the Script		1,250,000
21	Higher education in prison		1,250,000
22	Offender success community partners		19,175,000
23	Offender success federal grants		751,000
24	Offender success programming		15,742,200
25	Offender success services--FTEs	73.0	15,753,800
26	Probation residential services		14,575,500
27	Public safety initiative		2,000,000
28	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	127,768,000



1	Appropriated from:		
2	Federal revenues:		
3	DOJ, prisoner reintegration		751,000
4	Federal education revenues		1,621,600
5	State general fund/general purpose	\$	125,395,400
6	Sec. 104. FIELD OPERATIONS ADMINISTRATION		
7	Full-time equated classified positions	1,880.5	
8	Field operations--FTEs	1,849.5	\$ 233,525,600
9	Parole board operations--FTEs	31.0	4,003,700
10	Parole/probation services		940,000
11	Residential alternative to prison program		1,500,000
12	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	239,969,300
13	Appropriated from:		
14	Special revenue funds:		
15	Community tether program reimbursement		275,000
16	Reentry center offender reimbursements		10,000
17	Supervision fees		6,630,500
18	Supervision fees set-aside		940,000
19	State general fund/general purpose	\$	232,113,800
20	Sec. 105. CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES ADMINISTRATION		
21	Full-time equated classified positions	681.0	
22	Body-worn cameras--FTEs	8.0	\$ 3,801,500
23	Central records--FTEs	43.0	5,035,100
24	Contraband prevention		1,000,000
25	Correctional facilities administration--FTEs	35.0	6,593,900
26	Housing inmates in federal institutions		511,000
27	Inmate housing fund		100
28	Inmate legal services		290,900



1	Intelligence unit--FTEs	30.0	4,021,500
2	Leased beds and alternatives to leased beds		100
3	Prison food service--FTEs	324.0	76,098,200
4	Prison store operations--FTEs	32.0	3,567,800
5	Transportation--FTEs	209.0	32,548,600
6	GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 133,468,700
7	Appropriated from:		
8	Federal revenues:		
9	DOJ-BOP, federal prisoner reimbursement		411,000
10	SSA-SSI, incentive payment		272,000
11	Special revenue funds:		
12	Correctional industries revolving fund 110		874,600
13	Resident stores		3,567,800
14	State general fund/general purpose		\$ 128,343,300
15	Sec. 106. HEALTH CARE		
16	Full-time equated classified positions	1,525.3	
17	Clinical complexes--FTEs	1,033.3	\$ 174,030,600
18	Health care administration--FTEs	18.0	3,727,700
19	Healthy Michigan plan administration--FTEs	12.0	1,045,000
20	Hepatitis C treatment		10,499,100
21	Interdepartmental grant to health and human		
22	services, eligibility specialists		120,200
23	Mental health and substance use disorder		
24	treatment services--FTEs	462.0	66,998,500
25	Prisoner health care services		117,540,700
26	Vaccination program		691,200
27	GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 374,653,000
28	Appropriated from:		



1	Federal revenues:		
2	Federal revenues and reimbursements		415,400
3	Special revenue funds:		
4	Prisoner health care co-payments		257,200
5	State general fund/general purpose	\$	373,980,400
6	Sec. 107. CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES		
7	Full-time equated classified positions	8,381.3	
8	Alger Correctional Facility - Munising--FTEs	259.0	\$ 33,416,400
9	Baraga Correctional Facility - Baraga--FTEs	295.8	39,605,900
10	Bellamy Creek Correctional Facility - Ionia--		
11	FTEs	415.2	52,028,100
12	Carson City Correctional Facility - Carson		
13	City--FTEs	422.4	53,554,000
14	Central Michigan Correctional Facility - St.		
15	Louis--FTEs	386.6	50,609,400
16	Charles E. Egeler Correctional Facility -		
17	Jackson--FTEs	386.6	50,267,800
18	Chippewa Correctional Facility - Kincheloe--		
19	FTEs	443.6	56,465,900
20	Cooper Street Correctional Facility - Jackson--		
21	FTEs	254.6	32,433,000
22	Detroit Detention Center--FTEs	75.8	11,419,000
23	Earnest C. Brooks Correctional Facility -		
24	Muskegon--FTEs	248.2	33,461,400
25	G. Robert Cotton Correctional Facility -		
26	Jackson--FTEs	396.0	49,669,800
27	Gus Harrison Correctional Facility - Adrian--		
28	FTEs	304.0	39,797,900



1	Ionia Correctional Facility - Ionia--FTEs	293.3	38,157,900
2	Kinross Correctional Facility - Kincheloe--FTEs	247.3	34,594,900
3	Lakeland Correctional Facility - Coldwater--		
4	FTEs	275.4	36,356,400
5	Macomb Correctional Facility - New Haven--FTEs	313.3	41,215,200
6	Marquette Branch Prison - Marquette--FTEs	319.7	41,504,500
7	Muskegon Correctional Facility - Muskegon--FTEs	217.3	30,113,900
8	Newberry Correctional Facility - Newberry--FTEs	200.1	26,912,900
9	Oaks Correctional Facility - Eastlake--FTEs	289.4	38,522,200
10	Parnall Correctional Facility - Jackson--FTEs	266.1	33,090,000
11	Richard A. Handlon Correctional Facility -		
12	Ionia--FTEs	268.3	35,454,400
13	Saginaw Correctional Facility - Freeland--FTEs	276.9	36,529,700
14	Special Alternative Incarceration Program -		
15	Jackson--FTEs	26.2	4,035,900
16	St. Louis Correctional Facility - St. Louis--		
17	FTEs	306.6	41,548,200
18	Thumb Correctional Facility - Lapeer--FTEs	295.6	37,920,600
19	Womens Huron Valley Correctional Complex -		
20	Ypsilanti--FTEs	506.1	65,059,300
21	Woodland Correctional Facility - Whitmore Lake-		
22	-FTEs	296.9	40,427,500
23	Northern region administration and support--		
24	FTEs	43.0	4,652,800
25	Southern region administration and support--		
26	FTEs	52.0	19,243,500
27	GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 1,108,068,400
28	Appropriated from:		



1	Federal revenues:		
2	DOJ, state criminal assistance program		1,034,800
3	Special revenue funds:		
4	Local funds		11,419,000
5	State restricted fees, revenues, and		
6	reimbursements		102,100
7	State general fund/general purpose	\$	1,095,512,500
8	Sec. 108. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY		
9	Information technology services and projects	\$	31,516,400
10	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	31,516,400
11	Appropriated from:		
12	Special revenue funds:		
13	Correctional industries revolving fund 110		183,000
14	Supervision fees set-aside		718,800
15	State general fund/general purpose	\$	30,614,600
16	Sec. 109. ONE-TIME APPROPRIATIONS		
17	Full-time equated classified positions	3.0	
18	Higher education in prison	\$	1,000,000
19	In-reach services expansion		2,000,000
20	Peer-led reentry services		2,000,000
21	State employees' retirement system		
22	implementation costs		16,450,000
23	Thumb Education Center--FTEs	3.0	3,400,000
24	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	24,850,000
25	Appropriated from:		
26	Special revenue funds:		
27	Program and special equipment fund		3,400,000
28	State general fund/general purpose	\$	21,450,000
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PART 2
PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025

GENERAL SECTIONS

Sec. 201. In accordance with section 30 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2025, total state spending under part 1 from state sources is \$2,132,504,500.00 and state spending under part 1 from state sources to be paid to local units of government is \$123,656,000.00. The following itemized statement identifies appropriations from which spending to local units of government will occur:

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Community corrections comprehensive plans and services	\$ 14,198,100
County jail reimbursement program	14,814,600
Field Operations	71,766,700
Leased beds and alternatives to leased beds	100
Probation residential services	14,575,500
Prosecutorial and detainer expenses	4,801,000
Public safety initiative	2,000,000
Residential alternative to prison program	1,500,000
TOTAL	\$ 123,656,000

Sec. 202. The appropriations under this part and part 1 are subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594.

Sec. 203. As used in this part and part 1:

(a) "Administrative segregation" means confinement for maintenance of order or discipline to a cell or room apart from accommodations provided for inmates who are participating in



1 programs of the facility.

2 (b) "Department" means the department of corrections.

3 (c) "Director" means the director of the department.

4 (d) "DOJ" means the United States Department of Justice.

5 (e) "DOJ-BOP" means the DOJ Bureau of Prisons.

6 (f) "Evidence-based" means a decision-making process that
7 integrates the best available research, clinician expertise, and
8 client characteristics.

9 (g) "FTE" means full-time equated.

10 (h) "Goal" means the intended or projected result of a
11 comprehensive corrections plan or community corrections program to
12 reduce repeat offending, criminogenic and high-risk behaviors,
13 prison commitment rates, the length of stay in a jail, or to
14 improve the utilization of a jail.

15 (i) "Jail" means a facility operated by a local unit of
16 government for the physical detention and correction of individuals
17 charged with or convicted of criminal offenses.

18 (j) "OCC" means the office of community corrections.

19 (k) "Offender success" means that an offender has, with the
20 support of the community, intervention of the field agent, and
21 benefit of any participation in programs and treatment, made an
22 adjustment while at liberty in the community such that the offender
23 has not been sentenced to or returned to prison for the conviction
24 of a new crime or the revocation of probation or parole.

25 (l) "Recidivism" means that term as defined in section 1 of
26 2017 PA 5, MCL 798.31.

27 (m) "Serious emotional disturbance" means that term as defined
28 in section 100d(3) of the mental health code, 1974 PA 258, MCL
29 330.1100d.



1 (n) "Serious mental illness" means that term as defined in
2 section 100d(4) of the mental health code, 1974 PA 258, MCL
3 330.1100d.

4 (o) "SSA" means the United States Social Security
5 Administration.

6 (p) "SSA-SSI" means SSA supplemental security income.

7 (q) "Standard report recipients" means the senate and house
8 appropriations subcommittees on corrections, the senate and house
9 fiscal agencies, the senate and house policy offices, the
10 legislative corrections ombudsman, and the state budget office.

11 Sec. 204. The department shall use the internet to fulfill the
12 reporting requirements of this part. This requirement includes
13 transmitting reports to the standard report recipients and any
14 other required recipients by email and posting the reports on an
15 internet site.

16 Sec. 205. To the extent permissible under section 261 of the
17 management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1261, all of the
18 following apply to the expenditure of funds appropriated in part 1:

19 (a) The funds must not be used for the purchase of foreign
20 goods or services, or both, if competitively priced and of
21 comparable quality American goods or services, or both, are
22 available.

23 (b) Preference must be given to goods or services, or both,
24 manufactured or provided by Michigan businesses, if they are
25 competitively priced and of comparable quality.

26 (c) Preference must be given to goods or services, or both,
27 that are manufactured or provided by Michigan businesses owned and
28 operated by veterans, if they are competitively priced and of
29 comparable quality.



1 Sec. 206. The department shall not take disciplinary action
2 against an employee of the department or a prisoner because the
3 employee or prisoner communicates with a member of the legislature
4 or legislative staff unless the communication is prohibited by law
5 and the department is exercising its authority as provided by law.

6 Sec. 207. Consistent with section 217 of the management and
7 budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1217, the department shall prepare
8 a report on out-of-state travel expenses not later than January 1.
9 The report must list all travel outside this state by classified
10 and unclassified employees in the immediately previous fiscal year
11 that was funded in whole or in part with funds appropriated in the
12 department's budget. The department shall submit the report to the
13 standard report recipients and to the senate and house
14 appropriations committees. The report must include the following
15 information:

16 (a) The dates of each travel occurrence.

17 (b) The total transportation and related costs of each travel
18 occurrence and the proportion funded with state general
19 fund/general purpose revenues, state restricted revenues, federal
20 revenues, and other revenues.

21 Sec. 208. The department shall not use funds appropriated in
22 part 1 to hire a person to provide legal services that are the
23 responsibility of the attorney general. This section does not apply
24 to legal services for bonding activities or to outside services
25 that the attorney general authorizes.

26 Sec. 209. Not later than December 15, the state budget office
27 shall prepare and submit a report that provides estimates of the
28 total general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses at the
29 close of the previous fiscal year. The report must summarize the



1 projected year-end general fund/general purpose appropriation
2 lapses by major departmental program or program areas. The state
3 budget office shall submit the report to the standard report
4 recipients and to the chairpersons of the senate and house
5 appropriations committees.

6 Sec. 210. (1) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1,
7 there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$2,500,000.00 for
8 federal contingency authorization. Amounts appropriated are not
9 available for expenditure until they have been transferred to
10 another line item in part 1 under section 393(2) of the management
11 and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.

12 (2) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is
13 appropriated an amount not to exceed \$2,000,000.00 for local
14 contingency authorization. Amounts appropriated are not available
15 for expenditure until they have been transferred to another line
16 item in part 1 under section 393(2) of the management and budget
17 act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.

18 Sec. 211. The department shall cooperate with the department
19 of technology, management, and budget to maintain a searchable
20 website accessible by the public at no cost that includes, but is
21 not limited to, all of the following for the department:

22 (a) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by category.

23 (b) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by appropriation unit.

24 (c) Fiscal year-to-date payments to a selected vendor,
25 including the vendor name, payment date, payment amount, and
26 payment description.

27 (d) The number of active department employees by job
28 classification.

29 (e) Job specifications and wage rates.



1 Sec. 212. Not later than 14 days after the release of the
2 executive budget recommendation, the department shall cooperate
3 with the state budget office to provide an annual report on
4 estimated state restricted fund balances, state restricted fund
5 projected revenues, and state restricted fund expenditures for the
6 previous 2 fiscal years. The report must be submitted to the
7 standard report recipients and to the chairpersons of the senate
8 and house appropriations committees.

9 Sec. 213. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 must not be used to
10 restrict or impede a marginalized community's access to government
11 resources, programs, or facilities.

12 (2) From the funds appropriated in part 1, local governments
13 shall report any action or policy that attempts to restrict or
14 interfere with the duties of the local health officer.

15 Sec. 214. To the extent permissible under the management and
16 budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594, the director shall
17 take all reasonable steps to ensure geographically disadvantaged
18 business enterprises compete for and perform contracts to provide
19 services or supplies, or both. The director shall strongly
20 encourage firms with which the department contracts to subcontract
21 with certified geographically disadvantaged business enterprises
22 for services, supplies, or both. As used in this section,
23 "geographically disadvantaged business enterprises" means that term
24 as defined in Executive Directive No. 2023-1.

25 Sec. 215. On a quarterly basis, the department shall report on
26 the number of full-time equated positions in pay status by civil
27 service classification, including a comparison by line item of the
28 number of full-time equated positions authorized from funds
29 appropriated in part 1 to the actual number of full-time equated



1 positions employed by the department at the end of the reporting
2 period. The report must be submitted to the standard report
3 recipients and to the senate and house appropriations committees.

4 Sec. 216. It is the intent of the legislature that the
5 department maximize the efficiency of the state workforce, and, if
6 possible, prioritize in-person work, and post its in-person,
7 remote, or hybrid work policy on its website.

8 Sec. 217. The department shall receive and retain copies of
9 all reports funded from appropriations in part 1. The department
10 shall follow federal and state guidelines for short-term and long-
11 term retention of records. The department may electronically retain
12 copies of reports unless otherwise required by federal and state
13 guidelines.

14 Sec. 218. Not later than April 1, the department shall report
15 on each specific policy change made to implement a public act
16 affecting the department that took effect during the previous
17 calendar year. The department shall submit the report to the
18 standard report recipients and to the senate and house
19 appropriations committees, the joint committee on administrative
20 rules, the senate standing committee on civil rights, judiciary,
21 and public safety, and the house standing committee on criminal
22 justice.

23 Sec. 219. To the extent possible, the department shall not
24 expend appropriations under part 1 until all existing authorized
25 work project funds available for the same purposes are exhausted.
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27 **DEPARTMENTAL ADMINISTRATION AND SUPPORT**

28 Sec. 301. For 3 years after a felony offender is released from
29 the department's jurisdiction, the department shall maintain the



1 offender's file on the offender tracking information system and
2 make it publicly accessible in the same manner as the file of the
3 current offender. The department shall immediately remove the
4 offender's file from the offender tracking information system upon
5 determination that the offender was wrongfully convicted and the
6 offender's file is not otherwise required to be maintained on the
7 offender tracking information system.

8 Sec. 302. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
9 department must submit a report not later than March 1 that details
10 the effects on staffing since corrections officers and corrections
11 medical officers were allowed to reach the highest level of pay
12 within 3 years of service instead of reaching it within 5 years of
13 service.

14 Sec. 303. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
15 department shall submit a report not later than March 1 on the
16 department's staff retention strategies. The report must include,
17 but not be limited to, all of the following:

18 (a) The department's strategies on how to improve employee
19 engagement, how to improve employee wellness, and how to offer
20 additional training and professional development for employees,
21 including metrics the department is using to measure success of
22 employee wellness programming.

23 (b) Mechanisms by which the department receives employee
24 feedback in areas under subdivision (a) and how the department
25 considers suggestions made by employees.

26 (c) Steps the department has taken, and future plans and goals
27 the department has for retention and improving employee wellness.

28 Sec. 304. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
29 department shall submit a report not later than March 1 on the



1 number of employee departures. The report must include all of the
2 following:

3 (a) The number of corrections officers that departed from
4 employment at a state correctional facility in the immediately
5 preceding fiscal year and the number of years they worked for the
6 department.

7 (b) A chart that shows the normal distribution of employee
8 departures in the positions described under subdivision (a) based
9 on years of service. Years of service must be grouped into the
10 following ranges: 1 to 3 years, 3 to 5 years, 5 to 10 years, 10 to
11 15 years, 15 to 20 years, and 20 and more years.

12 (c) A section that shows the distinction between all of the
13 following:

14 (i) Recruits who are in training at the academy that depart
15 employment.

16 (ii) Recruits who are in training at a facility that depart
17 employment.

18 (iii) Employees who have been on the job that depart employment.

19 (2) The department shall review all reasons for employee
20 departures and summarize in the report required under this section
21 the primary reasons for departure for each of the ranges of years
22 of service described under subdivision (1) (b) based on the
23 available responses.

24 Sec. 305. Funds appropriated in part 1 for prosecutorial and
25 detainer expenses must be used to reimburse counties for housing
26 and custody of parole violators and offenders being returned by the
27 department from community placement who are available for return to
28 institutional status and for prisoners who volunteer for placement
29 in a county jail.



1 Sec. 306. The department shall provide fiduciary oversight of
2 funds received under the local corrections officers training act,
3 2003 PA 125, MCL 791.531 to 791.546.

4 Sec. 307. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
5 department shall issue a report not later than March 1 for all
6 vendor contracts. The report must cover service contracts with a
7 value of \$500,000.00 or more and include all of the following:

8 (a) The original start date and the current expiration date of
9 each contract.

10 (b) The number of available option years.

11 (c) The number, if any, of contract compliance monitoring site
12 visits completed by the department for each vendor.

13 (d) The number and amount of fines, if any, for service-level
14 agreement noncompliance for each vendor broken down by area of
15 noncompliance.

16 Sec. 308. The department must ensure that a prisoner telephone
17 system is maintained. The prisoner telephone system must meet
18 ongoing operational needs of the department while maintaining the
19 lowest per-minute rate possible. The department must provide notice
20 at least 45 days in advance of each of the following taking effect:

21 (a) Changes to telephone rates.

22 (b) Extending the telephone contract, including the department
23 exercising the option to extend the contract.

24 (c) Rebidding the telephone contract.

25 Sec. 309. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
26 department shall provide crisis intervention training, mental
27 health awareness training, training on effective and safe ways to
28 handle prisoners with mental illness, and training on referring
29 prisoners with mental illness to mental health treatment programs.



1 The training required under this section must be included in the
2 department's mandatory annual training for all staff.

3 Sec. 310. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
4 department shall issue a report for all correctional facilities not
5 later than January 1 that sets forth all of the following
6 information for each facility:

- 7 (a) The name, street address, and date of construction.
- 8 (b) The current maintenance costs.
- 9 (c) Any maintenance planned.
- 10 (d) The current utility costs.
- 11 (e) The expected future capital improvement costs.
- 12 (f) The current unspent balance of any authorized capital
13 outlay projects, including the original authorized amount.
- 14 (g) The expected future useful life.

15 Sec. 311. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
16 department shall provide a report on the Michigan state industries
17 program not later than December 1. The report must include, but is
18 not limited to, all of the following information:

- 19 (a) The locations of the programs.
- 20 (b) The total number of participants at each location.
- 21 (c) A description of job duties and typical inmate schedules,
22 the products that are produced.
- 23 (d) How the program provides marketable skills that lead to
24 employable outcomes after release from a department facility.

25 Sec. 312. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for employee
26 wellness programming must be used for post-traumatic stress
27 outreach, treating mental health issues, peer support programs, and
28 providing mental health programming for all department staff,
29 including former employees.



1 (2) Not later than December 15, the department shall submit a
2 report on programs the department has established, the level of
3 employee involvement, and expenditures made by the department for
4 employee wellness programming.

5 Sec. 313. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for new
6 custody staff, the department shall work to hire and train new
7 corrections officers to address attrition of corrections officers
8 and to decrease overtime costs. The department shall submit
9 quarterly reports on new employee schools. The reports must include
10 all of the following information for the immediately preceding
11 fiscal quarter, and as much of the information as possible for the
12 current and next fiscal year:

13 (a) The number of new employee schools that took place and the
14 location of each.

15 (b) The number of recruits that started in each employee
16 school.

17 (c) The number of recruits that graduated from each employee
18 school and continued employment with the department.

19 (2) Third quarter reports must outline steps the department
20 has taken to obtain the highest number of recruits possible for
21 each new employee school. A report prepared under this subsection
22 must include, but is not limited to, all of the following
23 information:

24 (a) Internal sources of recruitment, including transfers and
25 promotions.

26 (b) External sources of recruitment, including advertisements.

27 (c) Job portals, social networking platforms, placement
28 agencies, job fairs, campus placements, or professional entities
29 used for recruitment.



1 (d) Whether the department's website was used to advertise
2 vacancies.

3 Sec. 314. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
4 department shall submit a quarterly report on the number of
5 overtime hours worked by all custody staff, by facility. The report
6 must include, for each facility, all of the following:

7 (a) The number of mandatory overtime hours worked.

8 (b) The number of voluntary overtime hours worked.

9 (c) The reasons for overtime hours worked.

10 (d) The average number of overtime hours worked by active
11 employees.

12 (2) As a condition of receiving the full amount of funding
13 appropriated in part 1 for budget and operations administration,
14 the department must complete and submit reports as required under
15 this section.

16 Sec. 315. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
17 department may establish agreements and exchange offender data with
18 local, state, and federal agencies, law enforcement, community
19 service and treatment providers, and research partners in order to
20 improve offender success, reduce recidivism risk, and enhance
21 public safety. This data sharing may include, but is not limited
22 to, efforts to support all of the following:

23 (a) Providing continuing access to behavioral health, physical
24 health, and medication needs through community-based providers.

25 (b) Establishing assistance program eligibility and
26 participation.

27 (c) Collaborating with community service providers for
28 continued care and access to services for offenders.

29 (d) Providing ongoing cognitive and behavioral treatment



1 programming in the community.

2 (e) Providing substance abuse testing and referrals for
3 counseling services and treatment.

4 (f) Providing vocational skill training, job placement
5 support, and monitoring employment attainment.

6 (g) Determining educational attainment and needs.

7 (h) Establishing accurate offender identification, criminal
8 histories, and monitoring new criminal activity.

9 (i) Measuring and evaluating treatment programs and services
10 in support of evidence-based practices.

11 Sec. 316. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
12 department shall submit a final report not later than November 1 on
13 the corrections officer training academy. The report must be
14 submitted to the standard report recipients and to the joint
15 capital outlay subcommittee. The report must include, but not be
16 limited to, all of the following information:

17 (a) History of all appropriations for the project, including
18 appropriations made specifically for the project and appropriations
19 made from other operating line items to support project
20 expenditures.

21 (b) The final cost of the project by phase, by purpose, by
22 line item, by fund source, and by fiscal year.

23 (c) A list of all buildings and amenities included as part of
24 the academy.

25 (d) The effect the corrections officer training academy has
26 had on staffing levels, including on the ability for the department
27 to attract new candidates.

28 (e) Any other information about the academy the department
29 considers necessary.



1 Sec. 317. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
2 department shall submit 3-year and 5-year prison population
3 projection updates not later than March 1, including explanations
4 of the methodology and assumptions used in developing the
5 projection updates.

6 Sec. 318. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
7 department shall place the statistical report from the immediately
8 preceding calendar year on a website not later than June 30. The
9 statistical report must include, but not be limited to, the
10 information as provided in the 2004 statistical report.

11 Sec. 319. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
12 department shall report the reincarceration recidivism rates of
13 offenders based on available data.

14 Sec. 320. (1) The department shall administer a county jail
15 reimbursement program from the funds appropriated in part 1 for the
16 purpose of reimbursing counties for housing in jails certain felons
17 who otherwise would have been sentenced to prison.

18 (2) The county jail reimbursement program must be used to
19 reimburse counties for convicted felons in the custody of the
20 sheriff if the conviction was for a crime committed on or after
21 January 1, 1999 and 1 of the following applies:

22 (a) The felon's sentencing guidelines recommended range upper
23 limit is more than 18 months, the felon's sentencing guidelines
24 recommended range lower limit is 12 months or less, the felon's
25 prior record variable score is 35 or more points, and the felon's
26 sentence is not for commission of a crime in crime class G or crime
27 class H or a nonperson crime in crime class F under chapter XVII of
28 the code of criminal procedure, 1927 PA 175, MCL 777.1 to 777.69.

29 (b) The felon's minimum sentencing guidelines range minimum is



1 more than 12 months under the sentencing guidelines described in
2 subdivision (a).

3 (c) The felon was sentenced to jail for a felony committed
4 while the felon was on parole and under the jurisdiction of the
5 parole board and for which the sentencing guidelines recommended
6 range for the minimum sentence has an upper limit of more than 18
7 months.

8 (3) State reimbursement under this section must be \$70.00 per
9 diem per diverted offender for offenders with a presumptive prison
10 guideline score, \$60.00 per diem per diverted offender for
11 offenders with a straddle cell guideline for a group 1 crime, and
12 \$45.00 per diem per diverted offender for offenders with a straddle
13 cell guideline for a group 2 crime. Reimbursements must be paid for
14 sentences up to a 1-year total.

15 (4) County jail reimbursement program expenditures must not
16 exceed the amount appropriated in part 1 for the county jail
17 reimbursement program. Payments to counties under the county jail
18 reimbursement program must be made in the order in which properly
19 documented requests for reimbursements are received. A request is
20 properly documented if it meets departmental requirements for
21 documentation. Not later than October 15, the department shall
22 distribute the documentation requirements to all counties.

23 (5) Any county that receives funding under this section for
24 the purpose of housing in jails certain felons who otherwise would
25 have been sentenced to prison shall, as a condition of receiving
26 the funding, report not later than September 30 an annual average
27 jail capacity and annual average jail occupancy for the immediately
28 preceding fiscal year.

29 (6) Not later than February 1, the department shall report all



1 of the following information:

2 (a) The number of inmates sentenced to the custody of the
3 sheriff and eligible for the county jail reimbursement program.

4 (b) The total amount paid to counties under the county jail
5 reimbursement program.

6 (c) The total number of days inmates were in the custody of
7 the sheriff and eligible for the county jail reimbursement program.

8 (d) The number of inmates sentenced to the custody of the
9 sheriff under each of the 3 categories: presumptive prison, group 1
10 crime, and group 2 crime in subsection (3).

11 (e) The total amount paid to counties under each of the 3
12 categories: presumptive prison, group 1 crime, and group 2 crime in
13 subsection (3).

14 (f) The total number of days inmates were in the custody of
15 the sheriff under each of the 3 categories: presumptive prison,
16 group 1 crime, and group 2 crime in subsection (3).

17 (g) The estimated cost of housing inmates sentenced to the
18 custody of the sheriff and eligible for the county jail
19 reimbursement program as inmates of a state prison.

20 (7) As used in this section:

21 (a) "Group 1 crime" means a crime in 1 or more of the
22 following offense categories: arson, assault, assaultive other,
23 burglary, criminal sexual conduct, homicide or resulting in death,
24 other sex offenses, robbery, and weapon possession as determined by
25 the department based on specific crimes for which counties received
26 reimbursement under the county jail reimbursement program in fiscal
27 year 2007 and fiscal year 2008, and listed in the county jail
28 reimbursement program document titled "FY 2007 and FY 2008 Group
29 One Crimes Reimbursed", dated March 31, 2009.



1 (b) "Group 2 crime" means a crime that is not a group 1 crime,
 2 including larceny, fraud, forgery, embezzlement, motor vehicle
 3 offenses, malicious destruction of property, controlled substance
 4 offense, felony drunk driving, and other nonassaultive offenses.

5 (c) "In the custody of the sheriff" means that the convicted
 6 felon has been sentenced to the county jail and either is housed in
 7 a county jail, is in custody but is being housed at a hospital or
 8 medical facility for a medical or mental health purpose, or has
 9 been released from jail and is being monitored through the use of
 10 the sheriff's electronic monitoring system.

11 Sec. 321. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
 12 department shall provide monthly email reports on offender
 13 populations, including, but not limited to, the following:

14 (a) Prison population by facility and security level and
 15 prisoners housed in county jails.

16 (b) Net operating capacity according to the most recent
 17 certification report.

18 (c) Number of closed housing units and beds in those units.

19 (d) Number of prisoners serving life sentences.

20 (e) Prisoners classified as past their earliest release date.

21 (f) Prisoner intakes.

22 (g) Prisoner exits, including paroles, maximum discharges, and
 23 other exits.

24 (h) Community residential service populations.

25 (i) Electronic monitoring populations.

26 (j) Parole populations.

27 (k) Probation populations, with identification of the number
 28 of offenders in special alternative incarceration.

29 (2) As a condition of receiving the full amount of funding



1 appropriated in part 1 for budget and operations administration,
2 the department must complete and submit reports as required under
3 this section.

4 Sec. 322. (1) On a quarterly basis, the department shall
5 report on all of the following:

6 (a) A detailed accounting of all vacant positions that exist
7 within the department.

8 (b) A detailed accounting of all correction officer positions
9 at each correctional facility, including positions that are filled
10 and positions that are vacant by facility.

11 (c) A detailed accounting of all vacant positions that are
12 health care related.

13 (d) A detailed accounting of vacant positions that are being
14 held open for temporarily nonactive employees.

15 (2) As used in this section, "vacant position" means any
16 position that has not been filled at any time during the past 12
17 calendar months.

18 Sec. 323. The department may charge fees and collect revenues
19 in excess of appropriations in part 1 not to exceed the cost of
20 offender services and programming, employee meals, parolee loans,
21 academic/vocational services, custody escorts, compassionate
22 visits, union steward activities, and public works programs and
23 services provided to local units of government or private nonprofit
24 organizations. The revenues and fees collected are appropriated for
25 all expenses associated with these services and activities. Not
26 later than March 1, the department shall report on the amount of
27 revenues collected and fees charged in the previous fiscal year, by
28 source, and the purpose for which the revenues and fees were
29 expended.



1 Sec. 324. It is the intent of the legislature that the
2 department establish and maintain a management-to-staff ratio of
3 not more than 1 supervisor for each 8 employees at the department's
4 central office in Lansing and at both the northern and southern
5 region administration offices.

6 Sec. 325. The department shall provide the state court
7 administrative office data sufficient to administer the swift and
8 sure sanctions program.

9 Sec. 326. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for contraband
10 prevention, the department shall submit a report not later than
11 March 1 on contraband prevention efforts made by the department.
12 The report must include, but is not limited to, all of the
13 following:

14 (a) The history of all appropriations included for contraband
15 prevention including appropriations made specifically for
16 contraband prevention and appropriations from other line items used
17 to support contraband prevention efforts.

18 (b) The history of all expenditures made for contraband
19 prevention efforts, by amounts, by purpose, and by fiscal year.

20 (c) The amount, type, and source of contraband prevented, by
21 facility.

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23 **OFFENDER SUCCESS ADMINISTRATION**

24 Sec. 401. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
25 department shall provide a report not later than March 1 on
26 offender success expenditures and allocations. At a minimum, the
27 report must include details on prior-year expenditures, including
28 amounts spent on each project funded, itemized by service provided
29 and service provider.



1 (2) The department may accept cash or in-kind donations to
2 supplement funds for prison education training, supplies, and
3 materials necessary to complete the academic and jobs skills
4 related programs. All funds received are appropriated and may be
5 expended by the department.

6 Sec. 402. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
7 department shall partner with nonprofit faith-based, business and
8 professional, civic, and community organizations for the purpose of
9 providing offender success services. Offender success services
10 include, but are not limited to, counseling, providing information
11 on housing and job placement, and money management assistance.

12 Sec. 403. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for offender
13 success services, the department, when reasonably possible, shall
14 ensure that inmates have potential employer matches in the
15 communities to which they will return prior to each inmate's
16 initial parole hearing.

17 Sec. 404. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
18 department shall design services for offender success and
19 vocational education programs, collaborating with the department of
20 labor and economic opportunity and local entities to the extent
21 deemed necessary by the director. The department shall ensure the
22 program provides relevant professional development opportunities to
23 prisoners who are high quality, demand driven, locally receptive,
24 and responsive to the needs of communities where the prisoners are
25 expected to reside after their release from correctional
26 facilities.

27 (2) Not later than March 1, the department shall provide a
28 report detailing the results of the workforce development program.

29 Sec. 405. Funds awarded for probation residential services in



1 part 1 must provide for all of the following:

2 (a) An initial client assessment reimbursement of \$200.00.

3 (b) A per diem reimbursement of not more than \$70.00.

4 Sec. 406. Allowable uses of community corrections

5 comprehensive plans and services funds must include reimbursing
6 counties for transportation, treatment costs, and housing drunk
7 drivers during a period of assessment for treatment and case
8 planning, in accordance with an approved comprehensive plan.

9 Reimbursements for housing during the assessment process must be at
10 the rate of \$43.50 per day per offender, up to a maximum of 5 days
11 per offender.

12 Sec. 407. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
13 department shall submit the following information for each county
14 and counties consolidated for community corrections comprehensive
15 plans:

16 (a) Approved technical assistance grants and community
17 corrections comprehensive plans including each program and level of
18 funding, the utilization level of each program, and profile
19 information of enrolled offenders.

20 (b) If federal funds are made available, the number of
21 participants funded, the number served, the number successfully
22 completing the program, and a summary of the program activity.

23 (c) Status of the community corrections information system and
24 the jail population information system.

25 (d) Data on residential services, including participant data,
26 participant sentencing guideline scores, program expenditures,
27 average length of stay, and bed utilization data.

28 (e) Offender disposition data by sentencing guideline range,
29 by disposition type, by prior record variable score, by number and



1 percent statewide and by county, current year, and comparisons to
2 the previous 3 years.

3 (f) Data on the use of funding made available under the drunk
4 driver jail reduction and community treatment program.

5 (2) The report required under subsection (1) must include the
6 total funding allocated, program expenditures, required program
7 data, and year-to-date totals.

8 Sec. 408. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for public
9 safety initiative, the law enforcement agency receiving funding
10 under part 1 shall submit quarterly expenditure reports including a
11 detailed listing of expenditures made, the purpose for which the
12 expenditures were made, specific services provided, and the number
13 of individuals served. Reports required under this section must be
14 submitted to the standard report recipients and to the department
15 of corrections.

16 (2) As a condition of receiving funding appropriated for
17 public safety initiative, reports required in the prior fiscal year
18 must be submitted before funds may be disbursed for the current
19 fiscal year.

20 Sec. 409. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
21 department shall establish and maintain policies and procedures
22 that assist prisoners with obtaining a birth certificate, duplicate
23 Social Security card, if eligible, DD Form 214 or other military
24 documentation, state identification card, and operator's license
25 before parole or discharge.

26 Sec. 410. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for higher
27 education in prison must be used by the department in collaboration
28 with accredited universities or colleges to provide incarcerated
29 individuals the opportunity to participate in comprehensive



1 bachelor's degree programs at no cost to the incarcerated
2 individual. The funds must be used for eligible expenses including
3 staffing, supplies, and tuition.

4 (2) Universities and colleges that receive funding under this
5 section must report not later than July 1 on all of the following:

6 (a) Expenditure of funds.

7 (b) Number of participants served.

8 (c) Enrollments, by race and gender.

9 (d) Number of participants who completed the program.

10 Sec. 411. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for enhanced
11 food technology program, the department shall maintain a program
12 that provides on-the-job training in prison kitchens that provides
13 prisoners the opportunity to earn food service training credentials
14 recognized by the restaurant industry. The department shall use the
15 funds appropriated in part 1 for enhanced food technology program
16 to collaborate with the Michigan Restaurant and Lodging Association
17 and other restaurant industry stakeholders to provide job placement
18 assistance to individuals on probation or parole.

19 Sec. 412. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for
20 offender success programming, the department shall establish
21 medication-assisted treatment offender success pilot programs. A
22 medication-assisted treatment offender success pilot program must
23 provide prerelease treatment and postrelease referral for opioid-
24 or alcohol-addicted offenders who voluntarily participate in a
25 medication-assisted treatment offender success pilot program. The
26 department shall collaborate with residential and nonresidential
27 substance abuse treatment providers and with community-based
28 clinics to provide postrelease assessment and treatment. The
29 programs shall employ a multifaceted approach to treatment,



1 including various forms of medication-assisted treatment approved
2 by the Food and Drug Administration for the treatment of opioid use
3 disorder or alcohol use disorder, counseling, and postrelease
4 referral to community-based providers. If clinically appropriate,
5 the department shall consider the use of long-acting injectable
6 formulations of FDA-approved medication-assisted treatment for
7 alcohol and opioid use disorder when developing an offender's
8 release plan.

9 (2) The department shall submit a report not later than
10 December 1 on all of the following:

11 (a) The number of offenders who received an injectable
12 treatment for alcohol use disorder.

13 (b) The number of offenders who received an injectable
14 treatment for opioid use disorder before release.

15 (c) The number of offenders who subsequently received
16 treatment in the community for a duration of not less than 3
17 months.

18 (d) The number of offenders who received injections and were
19 subsequently returned to prison during the prior fiscal year.

20 Sec. 413. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
21 department shall ensure that any inmate with a diagnosed mental
22 illness is referred to a local mental health care provider that is
23 able and willing to treat the inmate upon parole or discharge. Upon
24 referral, the department shall ensure that the provider is informed
25 of the inmate's current treatment plan including any medications
26 that are currently prescribed to the inmate.

27 Sec. 414. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for Goodwill Flip
28 the Script must be distributed to a Michigan-chartered 501(c)(3)
29 nonprofit corporation operating in a county with greater than



1 1,500,000 people for administration and expansion of a program that
2 serves a population of individuals aged 16 to 39. The program must
3 target individuals who are entering the criminal justice system for
4 the first or second time and must assist those individuals through
5 the following program types:

6 (a) Alternative sentencing programs in partnership with a
7 local district or circuit court.

8 (b) Educational recovery for special adult populations with
9 high rates of illiteracy.

10 (c) Career development and continuing education for women.

11 (2) Not later than March 30, the selected program shall report
12 on all of the following:

13 (a) Program performance measurements.

14 (b) The number of individuals diverted from incarceration.

15 (c) The number of individuals served.

16 (d) The outcomes of participants who completed the program.

17 Sec. 415. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
18 department shall report not later than March 1 on academic and
19 vocational programs, including, but not limited to, all of the
20 following:

21 (a) The number of instructors and the number of instructor
22 vacancies, by program and facility.

23 (b) The number of prisoners enrolled in each program, the
24 number of prisoners completing each program, the number of
25 prisoners who do not complete each program and are not subsequently
26 reenrolled, and the reason for not completing the program, the
27 number of prisoners transferred to another facility while enrolled
28 in a program and not subsequently reenrolled, the number of
29 prisoners enrolled who are repeating the program, and the number of



1 prisoners on waiting lists for each program, all itemized by
2 facility.

3 (c) The racial demographics of prisoners enrolled in each
4 program.

5 (d) The steps the department has undertaken to improve
6 programs, track records, accommodate transfers and prisoners with
7 health care needs, and reduce waiting lists.

8 (e) The number of prisoners paroled without a high school
9 diploma or a high school equivalency.

10 (f) The number of prisoners not paroled at their earliest
11 release date because of a lack of a high school equivalency and the
12 reason those prisoners have not obtained a high school equivalency.

13 Sec. 416. From the funds appropriated in part 1, priority may
14 be given to funding reentry or rehabilitation programs that have
15 been demonstrated to reduce prison violence and recidivism,
16 including faith-based initiatives.

17 Sec. 417. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for criminal
18 justice reinvestment must be used only to fund data collection and
19 evidence-based programs designed to reduce recidivism among
20 probationers, parolees, and prisoners.

21 (2) Of the funds appropriated in part 1 for criminal justice
22 reinvestment, not less than \$600,000.00 must be allocated to an
23 organization that has received a United States Department of Labor
24 training to work 2-adult reentry grant to provide county jail
25 inmates with programming and services to prepare them to get and
26 keep jobs. Examples of eligible programs and services include, but
27 are not limited to: adult education, tutoring, manufacturing skills
28 training, participation in a simulated work environment, mentoring,
29 cognitive therapy groups, life skills classes, substance abuse



1 recovery groups, fatherhood programs, classes in understanding the
2 legal system, family literacy, health and wellness, finance
3 management, employer presentations, and classes on job retention.
4 Programming and support services should begin before release and
5 continue after release from the county jail. To be eligible for
6 funding, an organization must show not less than 2 years of data
7 that demonstrate program success.

8 (3) The department shall report on programs described under
9 this section not later than March 30. The report must include all
10 of the following:

11 (a) The reincarceration recidivism rate of program
12 participants.

13 (b) The employment rate of participants who complete the
14 program.

15 (c) The cost of the program per participant.

16 Sec. 418. Revenues appropriated and collected for program and
17 special equipment funds must be considered state restricted revenue.
18 Funding must be used for prisoner programming, special equipment,
19 and security projects. Not less than 75% of funding must be used for
20 prisoner programming. Unexpended funds remaining at the close of the
21 fiscal year must not lapse to the general fund but must be carried
22 forward and made available for appropriation in subsequent fiscal
23 years.

24 Sec. 419. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
25 department shall report on the department's plans to eliminate
26 programming for prisoners. The report must be provided not less
27 than 30 days before program elimination. As used in this section,
28 "programming for prisoners" means a department core program or
29 career and technical education program funded in part 1.



1 (2) As a condition of receiving the full amount of funding
 2 appropriated in part 1 for budget and operations administration,
 3 the department must complete and submit reports as required under
 4 this section.

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 6 **FIELD OPERATIONS ADMINISTRATION**

7 Sec. 501. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
 8 department shall prepare individual reports not later than March 1
 9 for the residential reentry program, the electronic monitoring
 10 program, and the special alternative to incarceration program. Each
 11 program's report must include information on all of the following:

12 (a) Monthly new participants by type of offender. Residential
 13 reentry program participants must be categorized by reason for
 14 placement. For technical rule violators, the report must sort
 15 offenders by length of time since release from prison, by the most
 16 recent violation, and by the number of violations occurring since
 17 release from prison.

18 (b) Monthly participant unsuccessful terminations, including
 19 cause.

20 (c) Number of successful terminations.

21 (d) End-of-month population by facility and program.

22 (e) Average length of placement.

23 (f) Return to prison statistics.

24 (g) Description of each program location or locations,
 25 capacity, and staffing.

26 (h) Sentencing guideline scores and actual sentence statistics
 27 for participants, if applicable.

28 (i) Comparison with prior year statistics.

29 (j) Analysis of the impact on prison admissions, jail



1 utilization, and the cost effectiveness of the program.

2 Sec. 502. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
3 department shall review and revise as necessary policy proposals
4 that provide alternatives to prison for offenders being sentenced
5 to prison as a result of technical probation violations and
6 technical parole violations. To the extent the department has
7 insufficient policies or resources to affect the continued increase
8 in prison commitments among these offender populations, from the
9 funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall explore other
10 policy options to allow for program alternatives, including
11 department or OCC-funded programs, local level programs, and
12 programs available through private agencies that may be used as
13 prison alternatives for these offenders.

14 (2) Not later than April 1, the department shall provide a
15 report on the number of all parolees returned to prison and
16 probationers sentenced to prison for either a technical violation
17 or new sentence during the preceding fiscal year. The report must
18 include the following information for probationers, for parolees
19 after their first parole, and for parolees who have been paroled
20 more than once:

21 (a) The numbers of parole and probation violators returned to
22 or sent to prison for a new crime with a comparison of original
23 versus new offenses by major offense type: assaultive,
24 nonassaultive, drug, and sex.

25 (b) The numbers of parole and probation violators returned to
26 or sent to prison for a technical violation and the type of
27 violation, including, but not limited to, zero gun tolerance and
28 substance abuse violations. For parole technical rule violators,
29 the report must list violations by type, by length of time since



1 release from prison, by the most recent violation, and by the
2 number of violations occurring since release from prison.

3 (c) The educational history of those offenders, including how
4 many had a high school equivalency or high school diploma before
5 incarceration in prison, how many received a high school
6 equivalency while in prison, and how many received a vocational
7 certificate while in prison.

8 (d) The number of offenders who participated in the reentry
9 program versus the number of those who did not.

10 (e) The unduplicated number of offenders who participated in
11 substance abuse treatment programs, mental health treatment
12 programs, or both, while in prison, itemized by diagnosis.

13 Sec. 503. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for
14 residential alternative to prison program, the department shall
15 provide vocational, educational, and cognitive programming in a
16 secure environment to enhance existing alternative sentencing
17 options, increase employment readiness and successful placement
18 rates, and reduce new criminal behavior for the west Michigan
19 probation violator population. The department must ensure that all
20 of the following program goals are attained:

21 (a) Participants successfully complete the program.

22 (b) Participants completing the program earn a nationally
23 recognized credential for a career or vocational program.

24 (c) Participants completing the program earn a certificate of
25 completion for cognitive programming.

26 (d) Reduction of the prison commitment rate for probation
27 violators within the impacted geographic area.

28 Sec. 504. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
29 department shall issue quarterly reports for the previous 4



1 quarters detailing outcomes of prisoners who have been reviewed for
2 parole. The report must include all of the following:

- 3 (a) How many prisoners in each quarter were reviewed.
4 (b) How many prisoners were granted parole.
5 (c) How many prisoners were denied parole.
6 (d) How many parole decisions were deferred.
7 (e) The distribution of the total number of prisoners reviewed
8 during that quarter grouped by whether the prisoner had been
9 interviewed for the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, or
10 more than sixth time.
11 (f) The number of paroles granted, denied, or deferred for
12 each of the parole guideline scores of low, average, and high.
13 (g) The reason for denying or deferring parole.

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15 **HEALTH CARE**

16 Sec. 601. Not later than April 1, the department shall provide
17 a report on all of the following:

- 18 (a) Physical and mental health care, pharmaceutical services,
19 and durable medical equipment for prisoners. A report under this
20 section must detail current and prior fiscal year expenditures
21 itemized by vendor, allocations, status of payments from
22 contractors to vendors, and projected year-end expenditures from
23 accounts. A report under this section must include a breakdown of
24 all payments to the integrated care provider and to other providers
25 itemized by physical health care, mental health care,
26 pharmaceutical services, and durable medical equipment
27 expenditures.

- 28 (b) Pharmaceutical prescribing practices, including a detailed
29 accounting of expenditures on antipsychotic medications, and any



1 changes that have been made to the prescription drug formularies.

2 (c) A status report on efforts to develop measurable data and
3 outcomes for physical and mental health care within the prisoner
4 population.

5 Sec. 602. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
6 department shall provide prisoners with a brochure that explains
7 the purpose and importance of signing a medical release of
8 information form. The department shall ensure that all prisoners,
9 upon any health care treatment funded from appropriations in part
10 1, are given the opportunity to sign a medical release of
11 information form designating a family member or other individual to
12 whom the department shall release records and information regarding
13 the prisoner upon the request of the prisoner. The prisoner may
14 elect to withdraw or amend the medical release of information form
15 at any time.

16 (2) The department shall ensure that a signed medical release
17 of information form follows a prisoner upon transfer to another
18 department facility or to the supervision of a parole officer.

19 (3) The medical release of information form must be placed
20 online, on a public website managed by the department.

21 Sec. 603. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
22 department shall provide a report not later than April 1 on
23 prisoner health care utilization in the previous fiscal year, by
24 facility, that includes all of the following:

25 (a) The number of inpatient hospital days and the top 10
26 reasons for inpatient hospital stays.

27 (b) The number of outpatient visits and the top 10 reasons for
28 outpatient visits.

29 (c) The number of emergency room visits and the top 10 reasons



1 for emergency room visits.

2 (d) The number of prisoners receiving off-site inpatient
3 medical care and the top 10 reasons for prisoners receiving off-
4 site inpatient medical care.

5 (e) The top 10 most common chronic care conditions.

6 Sec. 604. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for Hepatitis C
7 treatment must be used only to purchase specialty medication for
8 Hepatitis C treatment in the prison population. In addition to the
9 above appropriation, any rebates received from the medications used
10 must be used only to purchase specialty medication for Hepatitis C
11 treatment. Not later than February 15, the department shall issue a
12 report for the prior fiscal year that includes all of the
13 following:

14 (a) The total amount spent on specialty medication for the
15 treatment of Hepatitis C.

16 (b) The number of prisoners who were treated for Hepatitis C.

17 (c) The amount of any rebates that were received from the
18 purchase of specialty medication, and what, if any, outstanding
19 rebates are expected to be received.

20 (2) The report required under this section must include the
21 Hepatitis C status of all incoming prisoners and the number of
22 prisoners who are reinfected while incarcerated and require
23 retreatment for Hepatitis C. The report must also include the
24 number of those treated and released and then retreated upon
25 reincarceration.

26 Sec. 605. The department shall provide an annual report on the
27 utilization of Medicaid benefits for prisoners.

28 Sec. 606. Not later than March 1, the department shall report
29 on the number of prisoners who received medication-assisted



1 therapies, the length of time each prisoner received those
2 therapies, and the number of prisoners who have discontinued
3 treatment while incarcerated.

4 Sec. 607. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for mental
5 health and substance use disorder treatment, the department must
6 maintain not less than 3 medication-assisted treatment clinics at
7 correctional facilities that allow the department to treat the
8 highest number of prisoners with opioid use disorder as possible.
9 Funding must be used by the department to support costs of staff,
10 including nurses, qualified mental health professionals, recovery
11 coaches, and corrections officers, and costs of medication and
12 supplies. Participating prisoners must be provided with the option
13 of receiving 1 injection of medication immediately before being
14 released from prison into the community.

15 (2) The department shall submit quarterly reports on the
16 establishment and operation of medication-assisted treatment
17 clinics. A report under this subsection must include, but not be
18 limited to, all of the following:

19 (a) Clinic site locations.

20 (b) Staffing levels.

21 (c) Expenditures on staffing and supplies, including oral and
22 injectable medications.

23 (d) Number of prisoners treated.

24 (e) Number of prisoners requiring treatment but not yet
25 receiving treatment.

26 (3) The department must explore all opportunities for
27 increasing the availability and usage of long-acting injectables
28 for prisoners receiving medication assisted treatment. The
29 department must work with competing entities to find ways to



1 increase usage of long-acting injectables at the most affordable
2 price to the department.

3 Sec. 608. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
4 department must screen and provide treatment to prisoners for post-
5 traumatic stress and substance use disorders. Prisoners must be
6 screened at intake, screened annually, and screened prior to
7 release. If a medical professional determines that a prisoner meets
8 the criteria for having post-traumatic stress, a substance use
9 disorder, or both, the prisoner must be provided treatment.

10 Sec. 609. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
11 department must work with department nursing staff, department
12 nursing staff collective bargaining representatives, and nursing
13 organizations, such as the Michigan Nurses Association, to develop
14 strategies to attract and retain nursing staff. Strategies must
15 include, but not be limited to, how to improve employee engagement
16 and feedback, job satisfaction, employee training and professional
17 development, employee benefits, and opportunities for employee
18 advancement. Not later than March 1, the department must submit a
19 list of strategies, including plans and goals for implementing the
20 strategies developed under this section.

21

22 CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES AND ADMINISTRATION

23 Sec. 701. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for prison
24 food service, the department shall report not later than January 15
25 on the following:

26 (a) Average per-meal cost for prisoner food service. Per-meal
27 cost includes all costs directly related to the provision of food
28 for the prisoner population, including, but not limited to, actual
29 food costs, total compensation for all food service workers,



1 including benefits and legacy costs, and inspection and compliance
2 costs for food service.

3 (b) Food service-related contracts, including goods or
4 services to be provided and the vendor.

5 (c) Major sanitation violations.

6 Sec. 702. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
7 department shall calculate the cost per prisoner per day for each
8 security custody level. This calculation must include all actual
9 direct and indirect costs for the previous fiscal year. To
10 calculate the cost per prisoner per day, the department shall
11 divide the prisoner-related costs by the total number of prisoner
12 days for each custody level and correctional facility. For
13 multilevel facilities, costs that cannot be accurately allocated to
14 each custody level may be included in the calculation on a per-
15 prisoner basis for each facility. A report summarizing these
16 calculations must be submitted not later than January 15. Prisoner-
17 related costs included in the cost per prisoner per day calculation
18 must include all expenditures for the following, from all fund
19 sources:

20 (a) New custody staff training.

21 (b) Prison industries operations.

22 (c) Education/skilled trades/career readiness programs.

23 (d) Enhanced food technology program.

24 (e) Offender success programming.

25 (f) Central records.

26 (g) Correctional facilities administration.

27 (h) Housing inmates in federal institutions.

28 (i) Inmate legal services.

29 (j) Leased beds and alternatives to leased beds.



- 1 (k) Prison food service.
2 (l) Prison store operations.
3 (m) Transportation.
4 (n) Health care.
5 (o) Correctional facilities.
6 (p) Northern and southern region administration and support.

7 Sec. 703. Any local unit of government or private nonprofit
8 organization that contracts with the department for public works
9 services is responsible for financing the entire cost of such an
10 agreement.

11 Sec. 704. The department shall allow the Michigan Braille
12 transcribing fund program to operate at designated locations. The
13 department shall continue to encourage the Michigan Braille
14 transcribing fund program to produce high-quality materials for use
15 by the visually impaired.

16 Sec. 705. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
17 department shall report all of the following regarding critical
18 incidents:

19 (a) Within 72 hours of occurrence, any critical incident
20 occurring at a correctional facility.

21 (b) Within 72 hours of the completion of autopsies and
22 investigations of unexpected deaths, the results of the autopsies
23 and investigations conducted. Results reported under this
24 subdivision must include video surveillance footage that could
25 provide causes of unexpected deaths.

26 (c) Not later than March 1, the number of critical incidents
27 occurring each month at each facility during the immediately
28 preceding calendar year, categorized by type and severity of each
29 incident.



1 (2) As used in this section, "critical incident" includes a
2 prisoner assault on staff that results in a serious physical injury
3 to staff, an escape or attempted escape, a prisoner disturbance
4 that causes facility operation concerns, a drug overdose or
5 suspected overdose, and an unexpected death of a prisoner.

6 Sec. 706. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
7 department shall report not later than March 1 on all of the
8 following ratios for each correctional facility:

- 9 (a) Corrections officers to prisoners.
10 (b) Shift command staff to line custody staff.
11 (c) Noncustody institutional staff to prisoners.

12 Sec. 707. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
13 department shall focus on providing required programming to
14 prisoners who are past their earliest release date and have not
15 been paroled because of not having received the required
16 programming. Programming includes, but is not limited to, violence
17 prevention programming, sexual abuse prevention programming,
18 substance use disorder programming, thinking for a change
19 programming, and any other programming that is required as a
20 condition of parole.

21 (2) To the extent feasible, the department shall consistently
22 provide prisoner programming with the goal of having prisoners
23 complete recommended cognitive programming as early as possible
24 during the prisoner's sentence to impact the prisoner's behavior
25 while incarcerated. Nothing in this section makes parole denial
26 appealable in court.

27 (3) The department shall submit a quarterly report detailing
28 enrollment in sex abuse prevention programming, violence prevention
29 programming, and thinking for a change programming. At a minimum,



1 the report must include all of the following:

2 (a) A full accounting, from the date of entrance to prison, of
3 the number of individuals who are required to complete the
4 programming, but have not yet done so.

5 (b) The number of individuals who have reached their earliest
6 release date, but who have not completed required programming.

7 (c) A plan of action for addressing any waiting lists or
8 backlogs for programming that may exist.

9 Sec. 708. If a pregnant prisoner in a facility funded from
10 appropriations in part 1 consents to a visitor being present, the
11 department shall allow that 1 person to be present during the
12 prisoner's labor and delivery, in addition to a doula being present
13 if the pregnant prisoner wants to work with a doula. The person
14 allowed to accompany the prisoner must be an immediate family
15 member, legal guardian, spouse, or domestic partner. The department
16 is authorized to deny access to a visitor if the department has a
17 safety concern with that visitor's access. The department is
18 authorized to conduct a criminal background check on the visitor.

19 Sec. 709. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
20 department shall evaluate all prisoners at intake for substance
21 abuse disorders, serious developmental disorders, serious mental
22 illness, and other mental health disorders. Prisoners with serious
23 mental illness or serious developmental disorders must not be
24 removed from the general population as a punitive response to
25 behavior caused by their serious mental illness or serious
26 developmental disorder. A prisoner with serious mental illness or
27 serious developmental disorder that is unresponsive to treatment
28 who presents a persistent high violence risk or engages in severe
29 disruptive behavior may be placed in secure residential housing



1 programs that facilitate access to institutional programming and
2 ongoing mental health services funded from appropriations in part
3 1. A prisoner with serious mental illness or serious developmental
4 disorder who is confined in these specialized housing programs must
5 be evaluated or monitored by a medical professional at a frequency
6 of not less than every 12 hours.

7 Sec. 710. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
8 department shall report not later than March 1 on the annual number
9 of prisoners during the prior fiscal year in administrative
10 segregation and, of those, the number who at any time during the
11 current or prior prison term were diagnosed with serious mental
12 illness or have a developmental disorder and the number of days
13 each of the prisoners with serious mental illness or a
14 developmental disorder have been confined to administrative
15 segregation.

16 Sec. 711. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
17 department shall do all of the following:

18 (a) Ensure that any inmate care and control staff in contact
19 with prisoners less than 18 years of age are adequately trained
20 with regard to the developmental and mental health needs of
21 prisoners less than 18 years of age. Not later than April 1, the
22 department shall report on the training curriculum used and the
23 number and types of staff receiving annual training under that
24 curriculum.

25 (b) Provide appropriate placement for prisoners less than 18
26 years of age who have serious mental illness, serious emotional
27 disturbance, or a serious developmental disorder and need to be
28 housed separately from the general population. Prisoners less than
29 18 years of age who have serious mental illness, serious emotional



1 disturbance, or a serious developmental disorder must not be
2 removed from an existing placement as a punitive response to
3 behavior caused by their serious mental illness, serious emotional
4 disturbance, or a serious developmental disorder. A prisoner who is
5 less than 18 years of age with serious mental illness or a serious
6 developmental disorder that is unresponsive to treatment who
7 presents a persistent high violence risk or engages in severe
8 disruptive behavior may be placed in secure residential housing
9 programs that facilitate services. A prisoner less than 18 years of
10 age with serious mental illness, serious emotional disturbance, or
11 a serious developmental disorder who is confined in these
12 specialized housing programs must be evaluated or monitored by a
13 medical professional at a frequency of not less than every 12
14 hours.

15 (c) Implement a specialized offender success program that
16 recognizes the needs of prisoners less than 18 years old for
17 supervised offender success.

18 Sec. 712. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
19 department shall submit quarterly reports on the number of youth in
20 prison. The report must include, but not be limited to, all of the
21 following information:

22 (a) The total number of inmates under age 18 who are not on
23 Holmes youthful trainee act status.

24 (b) The total number of inmates under age 18 who are on Holmes
25 youthful trainee act status.

26 (c) The total number of inmates aged 18 to 23 who are on
27 Holmes youthful trainee act status.

28 Sec. 713. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
29 department must submit a report on the number of prisoners who lost



1 visiting privileges. The report required under this section must be
2 submitted not later than November 15 and include data for the prior
3 fiscal year. The report must include all of the following
4 information:

5 (a) The number of prisoners who lost visiting privileges by
6 violation type.

7 (b) The number of prisoners who applied to have visiting
8 privileges restored.

9 (c) The number of prisoners who had visiting privileges
10 restored.

11 (d) The number of prisoners who had visiting restrictions
12 extended.

13 Sec. 714. Funds appropriated in part 1 for intelligence unit
14 must be used by the department to maintain an intelligence unit to
15 conduct investigatory and intelligence operations for the
16 department. Intelligence operations must include, but not be
17 limited to, intelligence operations for prisoner phone services.
18 Savings that result from transferring responsibility for
19 intelligence operations from the contractor to the department must
20 be passed on to prisoners and prisoners' families as the department
21 continues to negotiate lower phone call rates in all future
22 contracts. The department must continue to pursue all opportunities
23 for reducing further the cost of phone calls for prisoners and
24 prisoners' families.

25 Sec. 715. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
26 department must submit a preliminary report on the department's
27 plans to close, consolidate, or relocate any correctional facility
28 in the state. The preliminary report must be provided not less than
29 30 days before the effective date of the closure, consolidation, or



1 relocation. The preliminary report must include the projected
2 savings to the state from closure, consolidation, or relocation of
3 the facility and must include a projection of the potential impact
4 on staff positions.

5 (2) After a prison closure, consolidation, or relocation, the
6 department must submit a report on the actual savings achieved by
7 the department and the impact on staff positions. Savings amounts
8 and impact on staff positions must be itemized by facility. The
9 report required under this subsection must be submitted 6 months
10 after the prison closure, consolidation, or relocation.

11 (3) If the department is planning to close a correctional
12 facility, the department must complete an analysis of the potential
13 economic impact of the correctional facility closure on the local
14 community where the facility is located. The analysis must be
15 submitted within 30 days of the department's announcement regarding
16 closure of the facility.

17 Sec. 716. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
18 department shall consult with the legislature and other appropriate
19 state agencies to develop a framework to provide investment in
20 communities that have formerly operational state correctional
21 facilities that have been closed. This framework must include plans
22 to ensure that vacant state correctional facilities do not become a
23 nuisance or danger to the community.

24 Sec. 717. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
25 department shall make an information packet for the families of
26 incoming prisoners available on the department's website. The
27 information packet must be reviewed not later than February 1 and
28 updated as necessary. The department may partner with external
29 advocacy groups and actual families of prisoners in the packet-



1 writing process to ensure that the information is useful and
2 complete. The packet must provide information on topics including,
3 but not limited to, all of the following:

4 (a) How to put money into prisoner accounts.

5 (b) How to make telephone calls or create Jpay email accounts.

6 (c) How to visit in person.

7 (d) Proper procedures for filing complaints or grievances.

8 (e) The rights of prisoners to physical and mental health
9 care.

10 (f) The purpose and importance of prisoners signing a medical
11 release of information form.

12 (g) How to utilize the offender tracking information system
13 (OTIS).

14 (h) Truth in sentencing and how it applies to minimum
15 sentences.

16 (i) The parole process.

17 (j) Guidance on the importance of the role of families in the
18 reentry process.

19 Sec. 718. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the
20 department must pursue all opportunities to reduce costs for
21 prisoners and prisoners' families for financial deposit fees,
22 commissary fees, and medical co-pays when the department negotiates
23 or renews any contract to provide these services.

24
25 **ONE-TIME APPROPRIATIONS**

26 Sec. 801. In addition to the \$900,000.00 in ongoing funding
27 appropriated in part 1 for offender success services to provide in-
28 reach services, the department must allocate \$2,000,000.00 in 1-
29 time funding for the same purpose. Funding must be used to expand



1 the provision of in-reach parole planning services to all parolees
2 prior to release from prison.

3 Sec. 802. In addition to the \$1,500,000.00 in ongoing funding
4 appropriated in part 1 for offender success community partners to
5 provide peer-led reentry services, the department must allocate
6 \$2,000,000.00 in 1-time funding for the same purpose. Funding must
7 be used to expand the provision of peer-led reentry services to
8 parolees.

9 Sec. 803. Funds appropriated in part 1 for state employees'
10 retirement system implementation costs must be expended by the
11 department to cover additional pension-related costs if the
12 following bills of the 102nd Legislature are enacted into law:

13 (a) House Bill No. 4665.

14 (b) House Bill No. 4666.

15 (c) House Bill No. 4667.

16 Sec. 804. (1) Unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for
17 Thumb Education Center are designated as a work project
18 appropriation. Unencumbered or unallotted funds must not lapse at
19 the end of the fiscal year and must be available for expenditures
20 under this section until the project has been completed. The
21 following is in compliance with section 451a of the management and
22 budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:

23 (a) The purpose of the project is to provide education and
24 vocational training at the Thumb Correctional Facility.

25 (b) The project will be accomplished by utilizing state
26 employees, contracts with service providers, or both.

27 (c) The total estimated cost of the project is \$3,400,000.00.

28 (d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2028.

29 Sec. 805. (1) From the unexpended and unencumbered funds



1 appropriated in 2020 PA 166 that were previously designated as work
2 project appropriations for facility physical plant
3 projects/operating funds, \$12,000,000.00 must be used for
4 corrections officer signing and retention bonuses.

5 (2) Funding must be used by the department to grant up to
6 \$1,500.00 signing bonuses for new corrections officers and up to
7 \$1,500.00 retention bonuses for corrections officers currently
8 employed by the department. The department must expend a minimum of
9 50% of the signing and retention bonus in the first month of
10 employment. The remaining percentage must be paid if the
11 corrections officer continues employment with the department for at
12 least 12 months.

13 (3) Expenditure of funds for corrections officer signing and
14 retention bonuses must be agreed to by the civil service
15 commission, the office of the state employer, and the Michigan
16 corrections organization.

17 (4) Funds appropriated under this section are designated as a
18 work project appropriation. Unencumbered or unallotted funds must
19 not lapse at the end of the fiscal year and must be available for
20 expenditures under this section until the project has been
21 completed. The following is in compliance with section 451a of the
22 management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:

23 (a) The purpose of the project is to grant signing bonuses for
24 new corrections officers and retention bonuses for corrections
25 officers currently employed by the department.

26 (b) The project will be accomplished by state employees.

27 (c) The total estimated cost of the project is \$12,000,000.00.

28 (d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2025.

