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* Decreases the Tobacco Use Prevention, Cessation, and Enforcement Fund by $4 million each FY (line 5BX0 440656—appropriations spreadsheet)
* Eliminates a $20 million cash transfer to the fund from the Pre-Securitization Tobacco Payments Fund to the Tobacco Use Prevention Fund. DOHCD19
* Removed restrictions on the sale of flavored e-cigarettes DOHCD31
* Removed the creation of a Vape Retailer registry DOHCD23
* Removed the increase on traditional cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products taxes TAXCD29
* Eliminates ODH’s Lead Safe Home Program and Lead Abatement program. DOHCD12
  + Lead Abatement, Line 440527 proposed $7 million was zeroed out and includes: payments for lead investigations, contracts for lead-safe housing, match to receive federal HUD funding for lead, middle-income housing lead abatement and demolition, workforce development for lead abatement testers and contractors, IT support for program and media campaigns around lead.
  + Lead Safe Home Fund, Line 440530 proposed $1 million was zeroed out and includes: 100% of funds going to locals for lead hazard control.
* Cuts funding for Chronic Disease, Injury Prevention, and Drug Overdose and reduces earmarks DOHCD7, GRF 440482 funding cut from $8 m to $5 m in each fiscal year from FY25 spending
* Added language that prohibits the ODH Director from adopting rules requiring a soil evaluator or soil scientist to evaluate the soil type and slope with respect to a household sewage treatment system or a proposed household sewage treatment system. Fiscal effect: Some local health departments may charge fees for soil evaluation review; thus, LHDs could experience decrease in costs to provide these reviews and a corresponding decrease in fee revenue. DOHCD36
* Removes Governor’s proposed increase of $22.5 million for Help Me Grow in FY 2027. The House version maintains an increase in the line item from $56 million in FY25 to $63 million in FY26 and FY27,
* Reduces Infant Vitality to $20 million each FY from the Governor’s proposed budget of $22 million and reduces the earmark supporting community and local faith-based service provider programming to not less than $6 million each. KIDCD2. FY 2025 appropriation is $16.7 m so House version still maintains an increase in the line item.

EPA

* Removes provision that increases fees on the disposal of solid waste. EPACD17

Marijuana Tax

* Removes Governor’s additional 10 percent tax on adult use marijuana and funding for the Public Health Lab TAXCD20. All revenues of from the tax goes to GRF except for 20% of tax revenue for 5 years to the Host Community Cannabis Fund.

Other Notes

* Medicaid coverage for Public Health Nurses is not included.
* Special Use Pools amendment is not included.
* ODH overall GRF about the same as FY25 but down $23.7 million from Governor’s proposed budget.
* Federal grant suspension OBMCD41. R.C. 126.10 Allows state programs to be reduced, suspended, or discontinued if the federal government reduces, suspends, or discontinues any corresponding federal program which provides funds for the state program. *Although this is the same as the introduced version of the budget, we do have a spreadsheet that LSC prepared that lists all of the potential federal line items that could be impacted.*