

#### SB 25-122: EXTENDING ORGAN & TISSUE DONATION FUND

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Fiscal note status: The fiscal note reflects the introduced bill.

## **Summary Information**

**Overview.** The bill removes the current 2027 repeal dates for the Emily Keyes – John W. Buckner Organ and Tissue Donation Awareness Fund and extends the fund indefinitely.

**Types of impacts.** The bill is projected to affect the following areas on an ongoing basis beginning in FY 2026-27:

• State Revenue

• State Expenditures

Appropriations. No appropriation is required.

# Table 1 State Fiscal Impacts<sup>1</sup>

	<b>Budget Year</b>	Out Year	Out Year
Type of Impact	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	FY 2026-27
State Revenue (Cash Funds)	\$0	\$0	\$437,550
State Expenditures (Cash Funds)	\$0	\$0	\$437,550
Transferred Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0
Change in TABOR Refunds	\$0	\$0	\$0
Change in State FTE	0.0 FTE	0.0 FTE	0.0 FTE

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Revenue and expenditures starting in FY 2026-27 represent the continuation of an existing program beyond its current repeal date.

## **Summary of Legislation**

The Emily Keyes – John W. Buckner Organ and Tissue Donation Awareness Fund was established in 2007 and receives donations to provide transplants for organs through a third-party organization. The fund is scheduled to repeal in September 2027; the bill continues the fund indefinitely.

## **State Revenue and Expenditures**

The bill is expected to continue state revenues and expenditures to the Organ and Tissue Donation Awareness Fund on an ongoing basis beginning in FY 2026-27. Based on donations received by the State Treasury for the past five fiscal years, the fund is estimated to receive about \$437,550 in donations annually. No additional workload is required for the Treasury or the Department of Revenue to implement the program.

## **Effective Date**

The bill takes effect upon signature of the Governor, or upon becoming law without his signature.

## **State and Local Government Contacts**

Revenue