

1 HOUSE BILL NO. 10
2 INTRODUCED BY M. HOPKINS
3 BY REQUEST OF THE OFFICE OF BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING
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5 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT REVISING LAWS RELATED TO FINANCING INFORMATION
6 TECHNOLOGY CAPITAL PROJECTS; APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
7 CAPITAL PROJECTS FOR THE BIENNIUM ENDING JUNE 30, 2025; PROVIDING FOR MATTERS
8 RELATING TO THE APPROPRIATIONS; PROVIDING FOR A TRANSFER OF FUNDS FROM THE GENERAL
9 FUND TO THE LONG-RANGE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM ACCOUNT; PROVIDING FOR
10 THE DEVELOPMENT AND ACQUISITION OF NEW INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SYSTEMS FOR
11 VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS AND THE MONTANA UNIVERSITY SYSTEM; MODIFYING CERTAIN MOTOR
12 VEHICLE FEES; PROVIDING FOR REPAYMENT OF FUNDS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE;
13 AMENDING SECTIONS 61-3-203, 61-3-204, 61-3-550, AND 61-6-158, MCA; AND PROVIDING AN
14 IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE."

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16 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

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18 NEW SECTION. Section 1. Definitions. For the purposes of [this act], the following definitions apply:

- 19 (1) "Chief information officer" has the meaning provided in 2-17-506.
20 (2) "Information technology" has the meaning provided in 2-17-506.
21 (3) "Information technology capital project" means a group of interrelated information technology
22 activities that are planned and executed in a structured sequence to create a unique product or service.
23 (4) "LRITP" means the long-range information technology program account in the capital projects
24 fund type.

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26 NEW SECTION. Section 2. Appropriations and authorizations. (1) All business application
27 systems funded under this section must have a plan approved by the chief information officer for the design,

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1 definition, creation, storage, and security of the data associated with the application system. The security
2 aspects of the plan must address but are not limited to authentication and granting of system privileges,
3 safeguards against unauthorized access to or disclosure of sensitive information, and, consistent with state
4 records retention policies, plans for the removal of sensitive data from the system when it is no longer needed.
5 It is the intent of this subsection that specific consideration be given to the potential sharing of data with other
6 state agencies in the design, definition, creation, storage, and security of the data. This plan must be approved
7 by the chief information officer and the budget director prior to releasing a request for proposal or similar
8 procurement document.

9 (2) Funds may not be released for a project until the chief information officer and the budget
10 director approve the plans described in subsection (1) and have reviewed and approved results from requests
11 for proposals or similar procurement procedures and contract documents.

12 (3) The following money is appropriated to the department of administration to be used only for the
13 indicated information technology capital projects:

Agency/Project	LRITP	State	Federal	Proprietary	Total
		Special	Special		
		Revenue	Revenue		
DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION -STATE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES					
Montana Cybersecurity Enhancement Project					
	21,513,774				21,513,774
E-Discovery/Public Information Request Software					
	2,000,000				
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE					
Commodity Assessment System					
	350,000	20,000			370,000
SAFHER Federal System					
		166,667	33,333		200,000
Grant Management System					

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1		40,000	20,000	60,000
2	DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK			
3	Animal Health System			
4		450,000		450,000
5	Snowflake Integration			
6		125,000		125,000
7	Google AI			
8		425,000		425,000
9	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION			
10	Software Modernization (REDDI)			
11		1,496,436		1,496,436
12	DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES & CONSERVATION			
13	Financial Management System			
14		758,800	596,200	1,355,000
15	Fire Finance Processing System			
16		500,000		500,000
17	Flathead Reservation Information Technology System			
18		700,000		700,000
19	Trust Land Management System Customer Portal			
20		2,000,000		2,000,000
21	OFFICE OF PUBLIC DEFENDER			
22	Wi-Fi Updates in Courthouses			
23		350,000		350,000
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25	<u>Wi-Fi Updates in Courthouses</u>			
26		<u>350,000</u>		<u>350,000</u>
27	DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS			

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1	Offender Management System			
2		18,000,000		18,000,000
3	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES			
4	Comprehensive Child Welfare Information System			
5		12,537,881	12,537,881	25,075,762
6	Montana Child Support Enforcement Automated System			
7		4,412,940	6,304,200	20,803,860
8				31,521,000
9	Electronic Health Records & Billing – State Facilities			
10		25,000,000	2,321,690	285,614
11	Montana Healthcare Programs Modularity Project			
12		4,940,613	44,465,517	49,406,130
13	SNAP Employment & Training Enterprise Solution			
14		1,400,000	1,400,000	2,800,000
15	Electronic Benefits Transfer System Replacement			
16		1,250,000	1,250,000	2,500,000

NEW SECTION. Section 3. Judicial branch information technology capital projects

appropriation. (1) (a) There is appropriated to the supreme court \$850,000 from the LRITP for courtroom remote appearance video system in the judicial branch.

(b) There is appropriated to the supreme court \$500,000 from the LRITP for courthouse security initiative in the judicial branch.

(2) Before encumbering any funds appropriated in subsection (1), the office of court administrator shall submit a project and security plan, as described in [section 2(1)], to the chief information officer. The chief information officer shall promptly review the plan and, if necessary, make timely recommendations to the office of court administrator regarding implementation of the plan. THE PROJECT AND SECURITY PLAN, AS DESCRIBED IN [SECTION 2(1)], MUST BE IMPLEMENTED NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 30, 2024.

