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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the department on aging and making
2 appropriations.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. 2011 Iowa Acts, chapter 129, section 113, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 SEC. 113. DEPARTMENT ON AGING. There is appropriated from
4 the general fund of the state to the department on aging for
5 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and ending June 30,
6 2013, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary,
7 to be used for the purposes designated:

8 For aging programs for the department on aging and area
9 agencies on aging to provide citizens of Iowa who are 60 years
10 of age and older with case management for frail elders, Iowa's
11 aging and disabilities resource center, and other services
12 which may include but are not limited to adult day services,
13 respite care, chore services, information and assistance,
14 and material aid, for information and options counseling for
15 persons with disabilities who are 18 years of age or older,
16 and for salaries, support, administration, maintenance, and
17 miscellaneous purposes, and for not more than the following
18 full-time equivalent positions:

19	\$	5,151,288
20		<u>29,942,577</u>
21	FTEs	35.00

22 1. Funds appropriated in this section may be used to
23 supplement federal funds under federal regulations. To
24 receive funds appropriated in this section, a local area
25 agency on aging shall match the funds with moneys from other
26 sources according to rules adopted by the department. Funds
27 appropriated in this section may be used for elderly services
28 not specifically enumerated in this section only if approved
29 by an area agency on aging for provision of the service within
30 the area.

31 2. The amount appropriated in this section includes
32 additional funding of ~~\$225,000~~ \$450,000 for delivery of
33 long-term care services to seniors with low or moderate
34 incomes.

35 3. Of the funds appropriated in this section, ~~\$89,973~~

1 \$179,946 shall be transferred to the department of economic
2 development for the Iowa commission on volunteer services to be
3 used for the retired and senior volunteer program.

4 3A. In addition to any other funding appropriated or
5 allocated for the following purposes, \$19,640,000 of the funds
6 appropriated in this section shall be allocated as follows:

7 a. To provide home and community-based services to reduce
8 and slow the growth of long-term care expenditures and to meet
9 the mandate of the Olmstead decision..... \$ 11,850,000

10 b. For the statewide aging and disabilities resource
11 center..... \$ 2,500,000

12 c. For elder abuse intervention and protection
13 services..... \$ 2,600,000

14 d. To support the reduction in area agencies on aging as
15 required pursuant to 2011 Iowa Acts, chapter 122, section
16 20..... \$ 390,000

17 e. To address the unmet needs of seniors as identified
18 in the department's most recent unmet needs report compiled
19 from data submitted by the case management program for frail
20 elders..... \$ 2,300,000

21 4. a. The department on aging shall establish and enforce
22 procedures relating to expenditure of state and federal funds
23 by area agencies on aging that require compliance with both
24 state and federal laws, rules, and regulations, including but
25 not limited to all of the following:

26 (1) Requiring that expenditures are incurred only for goods
27 or services received or performed prior to the end of the
28 fiscal period designated for use of the funds.

29 (2) Prohibiting prepayment for goods or services not
30 received or performed prior to the end of the fiscal period
31 designated for use of the funds.

32 (3) Prohibiting the prepayment for goods or services
33 not defined specifically by good or service, time period, or
34 recipient.

35 (4) Prohibiting the establishment of accounts from which

1 future goods or services which are not defined specifically by
2 good or service, time period, or recipient, may be purchased.

3 b. The procedures shall provide that if any funds are
4 expended in a manner that is not in compliance with the
5 procedures and applicable federal and state laws, rules, and
6 regulations, and are subsequently subject to repayment, the
7 area agency on aging expending such funds in contravention of
8 such procedures, laws, rules and regulations, not the state,
9 shall be liable for such repayment.

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EXPLANATION

11 This bill amends the FY 2012-2013 appropriations and
12 allocations to the Iowa department on aging. The bill
13 amends the appropriation to provide for funding at the FY
14 2011-2012 level and includes an additional appropriation of
15 \$19,640,000. The bill provides that in addition to any other
16 funding appropriated or allocated for the purposes specified,
17 \$19,640,000 of the funds appropriated under the bill are to be
18 allocated as follows: \$11,850,000 shall be used to provide
19 home and community-based services to reduce and slow the
20 growth of long-term care expenditures and to meet the mandate
21 of the Olmstead decision; \$2,500,000 shall be used for the
22 statewide aging and disabilities resource center; \$2,600,000
23 shall be used for elder abuse intervention and protection
24 services; \$390,000 shall be used to support the reduction
25 in area agencies on aging as required pursuant to 2011 Iowa
26 Acts, chapter 122, section 20; and \$2,300,000 shall be used
27 to address the unmet needs of seniors as identified in the
28 department's most recent unmet needs report.