

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 March 5, 2025

3 **AS AMENDED**

4 SENATE BILL NO. 750

5 By: Stewart

6 [law enforcement canines - Grant Program - Revolving
7 Fund - sources of funding - expenditures -
8 promulgation of rules - financial assistance - fund
9 retention - grant limits - codification - effective
10 date]

11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

12 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
13 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 2-122.4 of Title 47, unless
14 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

15 A. The **Oklahoma Department of Emergency Management** shall
16 promulgate rules to create the Canine Cooperative Grant Program to
17 provide financial assistance to state, county, and municipal law
18 enforcement entities and fire departments for the acquisition and
19 training of law enforcement canines and search, rescue, and recovery
20 canines and medical expenses for the canines related to injuries
21 sustained while in the line of service; provided, canines shall be
22 trained in accordance with state law and agency standards and shall
23 be specifically allocated for law enforcement officers and fire
24 departments.

1 B. There is hereby created in the State Treasury a revolving
2 fund for the **Oklahoma Department of Emergency Management** to be
3 designated the "Canine Cooperative Grant Program Revolving Fund".
4 The fund shall be a continuing fund, not subject to fiscal year
5 limitations, and shall consist of all monies received from
6 legislative appropriations, private donations, and federal grant
7 programs. All monies accruing to the credit of the fund are hereby
8 appropriated and may be budgeted and expended by the **Oklahoma**
9 **Department of Emergency Management** for the administration of the
10 Canine Cooperative Grant Program. Expenditures from the fund shall
11 be made upon warrants issued by the State Treasurer against claims
12 filed as prescribed by law with the Director of the Office of
13 Management and Enterprise Services for approval and payment.

14 C. The **Oklahoma Department of Emergency Management** may retain
15 five percent (5%) of the proceeds of the fund annually to be used
16 for the administration of the program.

17 D. Subject to the availability of funds, the program shall have
18 the following annual limits for grants:

19 1. Grants not to exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) per
20 county sheriff for canine purchases or canine training;

21 2. Grants not to exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) per
22 municipal police department for canine purchases or canine training;

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1 3. Grants not to exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) per
2 fire department for canine purchases or canine training.

3 E. Subject to the availability of funds, the program shall make
4 grants for the reimbursement of medical expenses for canines injured
5 in the line of service with state, county, or municipal law
6 enforcement or a fire department.

7 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2025.

8 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS
9 March 5, 2025 - DO PASS AS AMENDED

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