

2026 - Summary of Appropriations as Recommended by SEDGHA

| Bill | Program | Agency | Appropriation | Fund | Committee Priority | Notes |
|---|--|-------------|------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---|
| S.173 | Vocational Rehabilitation Working Group | DOL | \$4,000 | | | Estimated PD Cost Mediator position is included in the House passed budget |
| | Mediator Position | VLRB | N/A | General Fund | | |
| S.198 | Investigator Position | DLL | \$160,000 | Tobacco Settlement Fund | | Tobacco Fund FY27 and FY28; offset by enforcement revenues and a part of DLL's base budget starting in FY29 |
| H.211 | Study of Accessible Deletion Mechanism | SOS | \$50,000 | General Fund | | |
| S.278 | Cannabis Business Development Fund | ACCD | \$1,000,000 | General Fund | | Cannabis Business Development Fund will run out of money at the end of FY26 LAOB receives \$1.68 million in base funding in House passed budget; this would be additional one-time funding |
| | Land Access and Opportunity Board | VHCB | \$1,680,000 | General Fund | | |
| S.327 | Downtown and Village Center Tax Credit | DHCD | \$4,000,000 | General Fund | | \$1m increase |
| | Vermont Law School's Small Business Law Center | DED | \$100,000 | General Fund | | |
| | Vermont Small Business Development Center | ACCD | \$539,000 | General Fund | | |
| | Microbusiness Development Program | DCF-OEO | \$594,000 | General Fund | | |
| | Professionals of Color | ACCD | \$200,000 | General Fund | | |
| | VOREC | DFW | \$200,000 | General Fund | | |
| | International Trade Division | ACCD | \$150,000 | General Fund | | |
| Brownfielddds | DED | \$3,000,000 | General Fund | | | |
| Convention Center Task Force | GA | \$9,600 | | | Estimated PD Cost | |
| S.328 | Down Payment Assistance Program | VHFA | \$350,000 | General Fund | | Credits authorized over a five-year period. Fiscal impact increases by \$350,000 per year until FY31 before decreasing Per diems for council members |
| | Service-Supported Housing Advisory Council | DAIL | \$3,600 | | | |
| | Municipal and Regional Planning and Resilience Fund - Muni Planning Grants | ACCD | \$250,000 | General Fund | | \$4 million base in House passed budget; this would represent a \$1 million increase in base funding Not in DHCD's budget request or House passed budget; \$400,000 is an estimated cost |
| | Vermont Housing Improvement Program (VHIP) | DHCD | \$5,000,000 base | General Fund | | |
| Grants and Program Management Positions | DHCD | \$400,000 | General Fund | | | |