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**A BILL**

To amend section 4501.21 and to enact section 1  
4503.507 of the Revised Code to create the 2  
"Rabbit Friendly" license plate. 3

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:**

**Section 1.** That section 4501.21 be amended and section 4  
4503.507 of the Revised Code be enacted to read as follows: 5

**Sec. 4501.21.** (A) There is hereby created in the state 6  
treasury the license plate contribution fund. The fund shall 7  
consist of all contributions paid by motor vehicle registrants 8  
and collected by the registrar of motor vehicles pursuant to 9  
sections 4503.491, 4503.492, 4503.493, 4503.494, 4503.495, 10  
4503.496, 4503.497, 4503.498, 4503.499, 4503.4910, 4503.4911, 11  
4503.50, 4503.501, 4503.502, 4503.505, 4503.507, 4503.51, 12  
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4503.567, 4503.576, 4503.577, 4503.591, 4503.592, 4503.594, 17  
4503.595, 4503.67, 4503.68, 4503.69, 4503.701, 4503.702, 18

4503.71, 4503.711, 4503.712, 4503.713, 4503.715, 4503.72, 19  
4503.722, 4503.73, 4503.732, 4503.733, 4503.734, 4503.74, 20  
4503.75, 4503.751, 4503.752, 4503.763, 4503.764, 4503.765, 21  
4503.85, 4503.86, 4503.87, 4503.871, 4503.872, 4503.873, 22  
4503.874, 4503.875, 4503.876, 4503.877, 4503.878, 4503.879, 23  
4503.88, 4503.89, 4503.891, 4503.892, 4503.90, 4503.901, 24  
4503.902, 4503.903, 4503.904, 4503.905, 4503.906, 4503.907, 25  
4503.908, 4503.909, 4503.92, 4503.94, 4503.941, 4503.951, 26  
4503.952, 4503.953, 4503.954, 4503.955, 4503.97, and 4503.98 of 27  
the Revised Code. 28

(B) The registrar shall pay the contributions the 29  
registrar collects in the fund as follows: 30

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 31  
pursuant to section 4503.491 of the Revised Code to the breast 32  
cancer fund of Ohio, which shall use that money only to pay for 33  
programs that provide assistance and education to Ohio breast 34  
cancer patients and that improve access for such patients to 35  
quality health care and clinical trials and shall not use any of 36  
the money for abortion information, counseling, services, or 37  
other abortion-related activities. 38

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 39  
receives pursuant to section 4503.492 of the Revised Code to the 40  
organization cancer support community central Ohio, which shall 41  
deposit the money into the Sheryl L. Kraner Fund of that 42  
organization. Cancer support community central Ohio shall expend 43  
the money it receives pursuant to this division only in the same 44  
manner and for the same purposes as that organization expends 45  
other money in that fund. 46

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 47  
pursuant to section 4503.493 of the Revised Code to the autism 48

society of Ohio, which shall use the contributions for programs 49  
and autism awareness efforts throughout the state. 50

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 51  
receives pursuant to section 4503.494 of the Revised Code to the 52  
national multiple sclerosis society for distribution in equal 53  
amounts to the northwestern Ohio, Ohio buckeye, and Ohio valley 54  
chapters of the national multiple sclerosis society. These 55  
chapters shall use the money they receive under this section to 56  
assist in paying the expenses they incur in providing services 57  
directly to their clients. 58

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 59  
receives pursuant to section 4503.495 of the Revised Code to the 60  
national pancreatic cancer foundation, which shall use the money 61  
it receives under this section to assist those who suffer with 62  
pancreatic cancer and their families. 63

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 64  
receives pursuant to section 4503.496 of the Revised Code to the 65  
Ohio sickle cell and health association, which shall use the 66  
contributions to help support educational, clinical, and social 67  
support services for adults who have sickle cell disease. 68

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 69  
receives pursuant to section 4503.497 of the Revised Code to the 70  
St. Baldrick's foundation, which shall use the contributions for 71  
its research and other programs. 72

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 73  
receives pursuant to section 4503.498 of the Revised Code to 74  
special olympics Ohio, inc., which shall use the contributions 75  
for its programs, charitable efforts, and other activities. 76

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 77

receives pursuant to section 4503.499 of the Revised Code to the 78  
children's glioma cancer foundation, which shall use the 79  
contributions for its research and other programs. 80

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 81  
receives pursuant to section 4503.4910 of the Revised Code to 82  
the KylerStrong foundation, which shall use the contributions to 83  
raise awareness of brain cancer caused by diffuse intrinsic 84  
pontine glioma and to fund research for the cure of such cancer. 85

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 86  
receives pursuant to section 4503.4911 of the Revised Code to 87  
the research institution for childhood cancer at nationwide 88  
children's hospital, which shall use the contributions to fund 89  
research for the cure of childhood cancers. 90

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 91  
receives pursuant to section 4503.50 of the Revised Code to the 92  
future farmers of America foundation, which shall deposit the 93  
contributions into its general account to be used for 94  
educational and scholarship purposes of the future farmers of 95  
America foundation. 96

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 97  
receives pursuant to section 4503.501 of the Revised Code to the 98  
4-H youth development program of the Ohio state university 99  
extension program, which shall use those contributions to pay 100  
the expenses it incurs in conducting its educational activities. 101

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 102  
pursuant to section 4503.502 of the Revised Code to the Ohio 103  
cattlemen's foundation, which shall use those contributions for 104  
scholarships and other educational activities. 105

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 106

pursuant to section 4503.505 of the Revised Code to the 107  
organization Ohio region phi theta kappa, which shall use those 108  
contributions for scholarships for students who are members of 109  
that organization. 110

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 111  
receives pursuant to section 4503.507 of the Revised Code to the 112  
Ohio house rabbit rescue, which shall use the contributions for 113  
its rescue, adoption, and educational programs. 114

The registrar shall pay each contribution the registrar 115  
receives pursuant to section 4503.51 of the Revised Code to the 116  
university or college whose name or marking or design appears on 117  
collegiate license plates that are issued to a person under that 118  
section. A university or college that receives contributions 119  
from the fund shall deposit the contributions into its general 120  
scholarship fund. 121

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 122  
receives pursuant to section 4503.514 of the Revised Code to the 123  
university of Notre Dame in South Bend, Indiana, for purposes of 124  
awarding grants or scholarships to residents of Ohio who attend 125  
the university. The university shall not use any of the funds it 126  
receives for purposes of administering the scholarship program. 127  
The registrar shall enter into appropriate agreements with the 128  
university of Notre Dame to effectuate the distribution of such 129  
funds as provided in this section. 130

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 131  
receives pursuant to section 4503.521 of the Revised Code to the 132  
Ohio bicycle federation to assist that organization in paying 133  
for the educational programs it sponsors in support of Ohio 134  
cyclists of all ages. 135

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.522 of the Revised Code to the "friends of Perry's victory and international peace memorial, incorporated," a nonprofit corporation organized under the laws of this state, to assist that organization in paying the expenses it incurs in sponsoring or holding charitable, educational, and cultural events at the monument.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.523 of the Revised Code to the fairport lights foundation, which shall use the money to pay for the restoration, maintenance, and preservation of the lighthouses of fairport harbor.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.524 of the Revised Code to the Massillon tiger football booster club, which shall use the contributions only to promote and support the football team of Washington high school of the Massillon city school district.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.525 of the Revised Code to the United States power squadron districts seven, eleven, twenty-four, and twenty-nine in equal amounts. Each power squadron district shall use the money it receives under this section to pay for the educational boating programs each district holds or sponsors within this state.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.526 of the Revised Code to the Ohio district Kiwanis foundation of the Ohio district of Kiwanis international, which shall use the money it receives under this section to pay the costs of its educational and humanitarian activities.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.528 of the Revised Code to the Ohio children's alliance, which shall use the money it receives under this section to pay the expenses it incurs in advancing its mission of sustainably improving the provision of services to children, young adults, and families in this state.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.529 of the Revised Code to the Ohio nurses foundation. The foundation shall use the money it receives under this section to provide educational scholarships to assist individuals who aspire to join the nursing profession, to assist nurses in the nursing profession who seek to advance their education, and to support persons conducting nursing research concerning the evidence-based practice of nursing and the improvement of patient outcomes.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.531 of the Revised Code to the thank you foundation, incorporated, a nonprofit corporation organized under the laws of this state, to assist that organization in paying for the charitable activities and programs it sponsors in support of United States military personnel, veterans, and their families.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.534 of the Revised Code to the disabled American veterans department of Ohio, to be used for programs that serve disabled American veterans and their families.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.55 of the Revised Code to the pro football hall of fame, which shall deposit the contributions

into a special bank account that it establishes and which shall 196  
be separate and distinct from any other account the pro football 197  
hall of fame maintains, to be used exclusively for the purpose 198  
of promoting the pro football hall of fame as a travel 199  
destination. 200

The registrar shall pay the contributions that are paid to 201  
the registrar pursuant to section 4503.545 of the Revised Code 202  
to the national rifle association foundation, which shall use 203  
the money to pay the costs of the educational activities and 204  
programs the foundation holds or sponsors in this state. 205

The registrar shall pay to the Ohio pet fund the 206  
contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 207  
4503.551 of the Revised Code and any other money from any other 208  
source, including donations, gifts, and grants, that is 209  
designated by the source to be paid to the Ohio pet fund. The 210  
Ohio pet fund shall use the moneys it receives under this 211  
section to support programs for the sterilization of dogs and 212  
cats and for educational programs concerning the proper 213  
veterinary care of those animals, and for expenses of the Ohio 214  
pet fund that are reasonably necessary for it to obtain and 215  
maintain its tax-exempt status and to perform its duties. 216

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 217  
receives pursuant to section 4503.552 of the Revised Code to the 218  
rock and roll hall of fame and museum, incorporated. 219

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 220  
receives pursuant to section 4503.553 of the Revised Code to the 221  
Ohio coalition for animals, incorporated, a nonprofit 222  
corporation. Except as provided in division (B) of this section, 223  
the coalition shall distribute the money to its members, and the 224  
members shall use the money only to pay for educational, 225



charitable, and other programs of each coalition member that 226  
provide care for unwanted, abused, and neglected horses. The 227  
Ohio coalition for animals may use a portion of the money to pay 228  
for reasonable marketing costs incurred in the design and 229  
promotion of the license plate and for administrative costs 230  
incurred in the disbursement and management of funds received 231  
under this section. 232

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 233  
receives pursuant to section 4503.554 of the Revised Code to the 234  
Ohio state council of the knights of Columbus, which shall use 235  
the contributions to pay for its charitable activities and 236  
programs. 237

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 238  
receives pursuant to section 4503.555 of the Revised Code to the 239  
western reserve historical society, which shall use the 240  
contributions to fund the Crawford auto aviation museum. 241

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 242  
receives pursuant to section 4503.556 of the Revised Code to the 243  
Erica J. Holloman foundation, inc., for the awareness of triple 244  
negative breast cancer. The foundation shall use the 245  
contributions for charitable and educational purposes. 246

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 247  
receives pursuant to section 4503.561 of the Revised Code to the 248  
state of Ohio chapter of ducks unlimited, inc., which shall 249  
deposit the contributions into a special bank account that it 250  
establishes. The special bank account shall be separate and 251  
distinct from any other account the state of Ohio chapter of 252  
ducks unlimited, inc., maintains and shall be used exclusively 253  
for the purpose of protecting, enhancing, restoring, and 254  
managing wetlands and conserving wildlife habitat. The state of 255

Ohio chapter of ducks unlimited, inc., annually shall notify the registrar in writing of the name, address, and account to which such payments are to be made.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.562 of the Revised Code to the Mahoning river consortium, which shall use the money to pay the expenses it incurs in restoring and maintaining the Mahoning river watershed.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.564 of the Revised Code to Antioch college for the use of the Glen Helen ecology institute to pay expenses related to the Glen Helen nature preserve.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.565 of the Revised Code to the conservancy for Cuyahoga valley national park, which shall use the money in support of the park.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.566 of the Revised Code to the Ottawa national wildlife refuge, which shall use the contributions for wildlife preservation purposes.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.567 of the Revised Code to the girls on the run of Franklin county, inc., which shall use the contributions to support the activities of the organization.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.576 of the Revised Code to the Ohio state beekeepers association, which shall use those contributions to promote beekeeping, provide educational information about beekeeping, and to support other state and

local beekeeping programs. 285

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 286  
receives pursuant to section 4503.577 of the Revised Code to the 287  
national aviation hall of fame, which shall use the 288  
contributions to fulfill its mission of honoring aerospace 289  
legends to inspire future leaders. 290

The registrar shall pay to a sports commission created 291  
pursuant to section 4503.591 of the Revised Code each 292  
contribution the registrar receives under that section that an 293  
applicant pays to obtain license plates that bear the logo of a 294  
professional sports team located in the county of that sports 295  
commission and that is participating in the license plate 296  
program pursuant to division (E) of that section, irrespective 297  
of the county of residence of an applicant. 298

The registrar shall pay to a community charity each 299  
contribution the registrar receives under section 4503.591 of 300  
the Revised Code that an applicant pays to obtain license plates 301  
that bear the logo of a professional sports team that is 302  
participating in the license plate program pursuant to division 303  
(G) of that section. 304

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 305  
receives pursuant to section 4503.592 of the Revised Code to 306  
pollinator partnership's monarch wings across Ohio program, 307  
which shall use the contributions for the protection and 308  
preservation of the monarch butterfly and pollinator corridor in 309  
Ohio and for educational programs. 310

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 311  
receives pursuant to section 4503.594 of the Revised Code to 312  
pelotonia, which shall use the contributions for the purpose of 313

supporting cancer research. 314

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 315  
receives pursuant to section 4503.595 of the Revised Code to the 316  
Stan Hywet hall and gardens. 317

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 318  
receives pursuant to section 4503.67 of the Revised Code to the 319  
Dan Beard council of the boy scouts of America. The council 320  
shall distribute all contributions in an equitable manner 321  
throughout the state to regional councils of the boy scouts. 322

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 323  
receives pursuant to section 4503.68 of the Revised Code to the 324  
great river council of the girl scouts of the United States of 325  
America. The council shall distribute all contributions in an 326  
equitable manner throughout the state to regional councils of 327  
the girl scouts. 328

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 329  
receives pursuant to section 4503.69 of the Revised Code to the 330  
Dan Beard council of the boy scouts of America. The council 331  
shall distribute all contributions in an equitable manner 332  
throughout the state to regional councils of the boy scouts. 333

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 334  
receives pursuant to section 4503.701 of the Revised Code to the 335  
Prince Hall grand lodge of free and accepted masons of Ohio, 336  
which shall use the contributions for scholarship purposes. 337

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 338  
receives pursuant to section 4503.702 of the Revised Code to the 339  
Ohio Association of the Improved Benevolent and Protective Order 340  
of the Elks of the World, which shall use the funds for 341  
charitable purposes. 342

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 343  
receives pursuant to section 4503.71 of the Revised Code to the 344  
fraternal order of police of Ohio, incorporated, which shall 345  
deposit the fees into its general account to be used for 346  
purposes of the fraternal order of police of Ohio, incorporated. 347

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 348  
receives pursuant to section 4503.711 of the Revised Code to the 349  
fraternal order of police of Ohio, incorporated, which shall 350  
deposit the contributions into an account that it creates to be 351  
used for the purpose of advancing and protecting the law 352  
enforcement profession, promoting improved law enforcement 353  
methods, and teaching respect for law and order. 354

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 355  
pursuant to section 4503.712 of the Revised Code to Ohio 356  
concerns of police survivors, which shall use those 357  
contributions to provide whatever assistance may be appropriate 358  
to the families of Ohio law enforcement officers who are killed 359  
in the line of duty. 360

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 361  
pursuant to section 4503.713 of the Revised Code to the greater 362  
Cleveland peace officers memorial society, which shall use those 363  
contributions to honor law enforcement officers who have died in 364  
the line of duty and support its charitable purposes. 365

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 366  
receives pursuant to section 4503.715 of the Revised Code to the 367  
fallen linemen organization, which shall use the contributions 368  
to recognize and memorialize fallen linemen and support their 369  
families. 370

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 371

receives pursuant to section 4503.72 of the Revised Code to the 372  
organization known on March 31, 2003, as the Ohio CASA/GAL 373  
association, a private, nonprofit corporation organized under 374  
Chapter 1702. of the Revised Code. The Ohio CASA/GAL association 375  
shall use these contributions to pay the expenses it incurs in 376  
administering a program to secure the proper representation in 377  
the courts of this state of abused, neglected, and dependent 378  
children, and for the training and supervision of persons 379  
participating in that program. 380

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 381  
receives pursuant to section 4503.722 of the Revised Code to the 382  
Down Syndrome Association of Central Ohio, which shall use the 383  
contributions for advocacy purposes throughout the state. 384

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 385  
receives pursuant to section 4503.73 of the Revised Code to 386  
Wright B. Flyer, incorporated, which shall deposit the 387  
contributions into its general account to be used for purposes 388  
of Wright B. Flyer, incorporated. 389

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 390  
receives pursuant to section 4503.732 of the Revised Code to the 391  
Siegel Shuster society, a nonprofit organization dedicated to 392  
commemorating and celebrating the creation of Superman in 393  
Cleveland, Ohio. 394

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 395  
receives pursuant to section 4503.733 of the Revised Code to the 396  
central Ohio chapter of the juvenile diabetes research 397  
foundation, which shall distribute the contributions to the 398  
chapters of the juvenile diabetes research foundation in whose 399  
geographic territory the person who paid the contribution 400  
resides. 401

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.734 of the Revised Code to the Ohio highway patrol auxiliary foundation, which shall use the contributions to fulfill the foundation's mission of supporting law enforcement education and assistance.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.74 of the Revised Code to the Columbus zoological park association, which shall disburse the moneys to Ohio's major metropolitan zoos, as defined in section 4503.74 of the Revised Code, in accordance with a written agreement entered into by the major metropolitan zoos.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.75 of the Revised Code to the rotary foundation, located on March 31, 2003, in Evanston, Illinois, to be placed in a fund known as the permanent fund and used to endow educational and humanitarian programs of the rotary foundation.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.751 of the Revised Code to the Ohio association of realtors, which shall deposit the contributions into a property disaster relief fund maintained under the Ohio realtors charitable and education foundation.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.752 of the Revised Code to buckeye corvettes, incorporated, which shall use the contributions to pay for its charitable activities and programs.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.763 of the Revised Code to the Ohio history connection to be used solely to build, support, and

maintain the Ohio battleflag collection within the Ohio history 431  
connection. 432

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 433  
receives pursuant to section 4503.764 of the Revised Code to the 434  
Medina county historical society, which shall use those 435  
contributions to distribute between the various historical 436  
societies and museums in Medina county. 437

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 438  
receives pursuant to section 4503.765 of the Revised Code to the 439  
Amaranth grand chapter foundation, which shall use the 440  
contributions for communal outreach, charitable service, and 441  
scholarship purposes. 442

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 443  
receives pursuant to section 4503.85 of the Revised Code to the 444  
Ohio sea grant college program to be used for Lake Erie area 445  
research projects. 446

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 447  
receives pursuant to section 4503.86 of the Revised Code to the 448  
Ohio Lincoln highway historic byway, which shall use those 449  
contributions solely to promote and support the historical 450  
preservation and advertisement of the Lincoln highway in this 451  
state. 452

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 453  
receives pursuant to section 4503.87 of the Revised Code to the 454  
Grove City little league dream field fund, which shall use those 455  
contributions solely to build, maintain, and improve youth 456  
baseball fields within the municipal corporation of Grove City. 457

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 458  
receives pursuant to section 4503.871 of the Revised Code to the 459



Solon city school district. The school district shall use the 460  
contributions it receives to pay the expenses it incurs in 461  
providing services to the school district's students that assist 462  
in developing or maintaining the mental and emotional well-being 463  
of the students. The services provided may include bereavement 464  
counseling, instruction in defensive driving techniques, 465  
sensitivity training, and the counseling and education of 466  
students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug abuse, 467  
suicide prevention, and human trafficking. The school district 468  
superintendent or, in the school district superintendent's 469  
discretion, the appropriate school principal or appropriate 470  
school counselors shall determine any charitable organizations 471  
that the school district hires to provide those services. The 472  
school district also may use the contributions it receives to 473  
pay for members of the faculty of the school district to receive 474  
training in providing such services to the students of the 475  
school district. The school district shall ensure that any 476  
charitable organization that is hired by the district is exempt 477  
from federal income taxation under subsection 501(c)(3) of the 478  
Internal Revenue Code. The school district shall not use the 479  
contributions it receives for any other purpose. 480

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 481  
receives pursuant to section 4503.872 of the Revised Code to the 482  
Canton city school district. The district may use the 483  
contributions for student welfare, but shall not use the 484  
contributions for any political purpose or to pay salaries of 485  
district employees. 486

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 487  
receives pursuant to section 4503.873 of the Revised Code to 488  
Padua Franciscan high school located in the municipal 489  
corporation of Parma. The school shall use fifty per cent of the 490

contributions it receives to provide tuition assistance to its 491  
students. The school shall use the remaining fifty per cent to 492  
pay the expenses it incurs in providing services to the school's 493  
students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 494  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 495  
include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 496  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 497  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 498  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 499  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 500  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 501  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 502  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 503  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 504  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 505  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 506  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 507  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 508  
purpose. 509

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 510  
receives pursuant to section 4503.874 of the Revised Code to St. 511  
Edward high school located in the municipal corporation of 512  
Lakewood. The school shall use fifty per cent of the 513  
contributions it receives to provide tuition assistance to its 514  
students. The school shall use the remaining fifty per cent to 515  
pay the expenses it incurs in providing services to the school's 516  
students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 517  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 518  
include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 519  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 520  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 521

abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 522  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 523  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 524  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 525  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 526  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 527  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 528  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 529  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 530  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 531  
purpose. 532

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 533  
receives pursuant to section 4503.875 of the Revised Code to 534  
Walsh Jesuit high school located in the municipal corporation of 535  
Cuyahoga Falls. The school shall use fifty per cent of the 536  
contributions it receives to provide tuition assistance to its 537  
students. The school shall use the remaining fifty per cent to 538  
pay the expenses it incurs in providing services to the school's 539  
students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 540  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 541  
include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 542  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 543  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 544  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 545  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 546  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 547  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 548  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 549  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 550  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 551  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 552

subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 553  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 554  
purpose. 555

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 556  
receives pursuant to section 4503.876 of the Revised Code to the 557  
North Royalton city school district. The school district shall 558  
use the contributions it receives to pay the expenses it incurs 559  
in providing services to the school district's students that 560  
assist in developing or maintaining the mental and emotional 561  
well-being of the students. The services provided may include 562  
bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 563  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 564  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 565  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. The school 566  
district superintendent or, in the school district 567  
superintendent's discretion, the appropriate school principal or 568  
appropriate school counselors shall determine any charitable 569  
organizations that the school district hires to provide those 570  
services. The school district also may use the contributions it 571  
receives to pay for members of the faculty of the school 572  
district to receive training in providing such services to the 573  
students of the school district. The school district shall 574  
ensure that any charitable organization that is hired by the 575  
district is exempt from federal income taxation under subsection 576  
501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school district 577  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 578  
purpose. 579

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 580  
receives pursuant to section 4503.877 of the Revised Code to the 581  
Independence local school district. The school district shall 582  
use the contributions it receives to pay the expenses it incurs 583

in providing services to the school district's students that 584  
assist in developing or maintaining the mental and emotional 585  
well-being of the students. The services provided may include 586  
bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 587  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 588  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 589  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. The school 590  
district superintendent or, in the school district 591  
superintendent's discretion, the appropriate school principal or 592  
appropriate school counselors shall determine any charitable 593  
organizations that the school district hires to provide those 594  
services. The school district also may use the contributions it 595  
receives to pay for members of the faculty of the school 596  
district to receive training in providing such services to the 597  
students of the school district. The school district shall 598  
ensure that any charitable organization that is hired by the 599  
district is exempt from federal income taxation under subsection 600  
501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school district 601  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 602  
purpose. 603

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 604  
receives pursuant to section 4503.878 of the Revised Code to the 605  
Cuyahoga Heights local school district. The school district 606  
shall use the contributions it receives to pay the expenses it 607  
incurs in providing services to the school district's students 608  
that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 609  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 610  
include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 611  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 612  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 613  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. The school 614

district superintendent or, in the school district 615  
superintendent's discretion, the appropriate school principal or 616  
appropriate school counselors, shall determine any charitable 617  
organizations that the school district hires to provide those 618  
services. The school district also may use the contributions it 619  
receives to pay for members of the faculty of the school 620  
district to receive training in providing such services to the 621  
students of the school district. The school district shall 622  
ensure that any charitable organization that is hired by the 623  
district is exempt from federal income taxation under subsection 624  
501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school district 625  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 626  
purpose. 627

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 628  
receives pursuant to section 4503.879 of the Revised Code to the 629  
west technical high school alumni association, which shall use 630  
the contributions for activities sponsored by the association. 631

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 632  
receives pursuant to section 4503.88 of the Revised Code to the 633  
Kenston local school district. The school district shall use the 634  
contributions it receives to pay the expenses it incurs in 635  
providing services that assist in developing or maintaining a 636  
culture of environmental responsibility and an innovative 637  
science, technology, engineering, art, and math (S.T.E.A.M.) 638  
curriculum to the school district's students. The school 639  
district shall not use the contributions it receives for any 640  
other purpose. 641

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 642  
receives pursuant to section 4503.89 of the Revised Code to the 643  
American red cross of greater Columbus on behalf of the Ohio 644

chapters of the American red cross, which shall use the 645  
contributions for disaster readiness, preparedness, and response 646  
programs on a statewide basis. 647

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 648  
receives pursuant to section 4503.891 of the Revised Code to the 649  
Ohio lions foundation. The foundation shall use the 650  
contributions for charitable and educational purposes. 651

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 652  
receives pursuant to section 4503.892 of the Revised Code to the 653  
Hudson city school district. The school district shall not use 654  
the contributions it receives for any political purpose. 655

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 656  
receives pursuant to section 4503.90 of the Revised Code to the 657  
nationwide children's hospital foundation. 658

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 659  
receives pursuant to section 4503.901 of the Revised Code to the 660  
Ohio association for pupil transportation, which shall use the 661  
money to support transportation programs, provide training to 662  
school transportation professionals, and support other 663  
initiatives for school transportation safety. 664

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 665  
receives pursuant to section 4503.902 of the Revised Code to St. 666  
Ignatius high school located in the municipal corporation of 667  
Cleveland. The school shall use fifty per cent of the 668  
contributions it receives to provide tuition assistance to its 669  
students. The school shall use the remaining fifty per cent to 670  
pay the expenses it incurs in providing services to the school's 671  
students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 672  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 673

include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 674  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 675  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 676  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 677  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 678  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 679  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 680  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 681  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 682  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 683  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 684  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 685  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 686  
purpose. 687

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 688  
receives pursuant to section 4503.903 of the Revised Code to the 689  
Brecksville-Broadview Heights city school district. The school 690  
district shall use the contributions it receives to pay the 691  
expenses it incurs in providing services to the school 692  
district's students that assist in developing or maintaining the 693  
mental and emotional well-being of the students. The services 694  
provided may include bereavement counseling, instruction in 695  
defensive driving techniques, sensitivity training, and the 696  
counseling and education of students regarding bullying, dating 697  
violence, drug abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. 698  
The school district superintendent or, in the school district 699  
superintendent's discretion, the appropriate school principal or 700  
appropriate school counselors shall determine any charitable 701  
organizations that the school district hires to provide those 702  
services. The school district also may use the contributions it 703  
receives to pay for members of the faculty of the school 704



district to receive training in providing such services to the 705  
students of the school district. The school district shall 706  
ensure that any charitable organization that is hired by the 707  
district is exempt from federal income taxation under subsection 708  
501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school district 709  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 710  
purpose. 711

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 712  
receives pursuant to section 4503.904 of the Revised Code to the 713  
Chagrin Falls exempted village school district. The school 714  
district shall use the contributions it receives to pay the 715  
expenses it incurs in providing services to the school 716  
district's students that assist in developing or maintaining the 717  
mental and emotional well-being of the students. The services 718  
provided may include bereavement counseling, instruction in 719  
defensive driving techniques, sensitivity training, and the 720  
counseling and education of students regarding bullying, dating 721  
violence, drug abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. 722  
The school district superintendent or, in the school district 723  
superintendent's discretion, the appropriate school principal or 724  
appropriate school counselors shall determine any charitable 725  
organizations that the school district hires to provide those 726  
services. The school district also may use the contributions it 727  
receives to pay for members of the faculty of the school 728  
district to receive training in providing such services to the 729  
students of the school district. The school district shall 730  
ensure that any charitable organization that is hired by the 731  
district is exempt from federal income taxation under subsection 732  
501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school district 733  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 734  
purpose. 735

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.905 of the Revised Code to the Cuyahoga valley career center. The career center shall use the contributions it receives to pay the expenses it incurs in providing services to the career center's students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. The career center's superintendent or in the career center's superintendent's discretion, the school board or appropriate school counselors shall determine any charitable organizations that the career center hires to provide those services. The career center also may use the contributions it receives to pay for members of the faculty of the career center to receive training in providing such services to the students of the career center. The career center shall ensure that any charitable organization that is hired by the career center is exempt from federal income taxation under subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The career center shall not use the contributions it receives for any other purpose.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.906 of the Revised Code to the Stow-Munroe Falls city school district. The school district shall not use the contributions it receives for any political purpose.

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.907 of the Revised Code to the Twinsburg city school district. The school district shall not

use the contributions it receives for any political purpose. 767

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 768  
receives pursuant to section 4503.908 of the Revised Code to St. 769  
Xavier high school located in Springfield township in Hamilton 770  
county. The school shall use fifty per cent of the contributions 771  
it receives to provide tuition assistance to its students. The 772  
school shall use the remaining fifty per cent to pay the 773  
expenses it incurs in providing services to the school's 774  
students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 775  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 776  
include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 777  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 778  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 779  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 780  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 781  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 782  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 783  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 784  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 785  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 786  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 787  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 788  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 789  
purpose. 790

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 791  
receives pursuant to section 4503.909 of the Revised Code to the 792  
Grandview Heights city school district, which shall use the 793  
contributions for its gifted programs and special education and 794  
related services. 795

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 796

pursuant to section 4503.92 of the Revised Code to support our 797  
troops, incorporated, a national nonprofit corporation, which 798  
shall use those contributions in accordance with its articles of 799  
incorporation and for the benefit of servicemembers of the armed 800  
forces of the United States and their families when they are in 801  
financial need. 802

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 803  
receives pursuant to section 4503.94 of the Revised Code to the 804  
Michelle's leading star foundation, which shall use the money 805  
solely to fund the rental, lease, or purchase of the simulated 806  
driving curriculum of the Michelle's leading star foundation by 807  
boards of education of city, exempted village, local, and joint 808  
vocational school districts. 809

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 810  
receives pursuant to section 4503.941 of the Revised Code to the 811  
Ohio chapter international society of arboriculture, which shall 812  
use the money to increase consumer awareness on the importance 813  
of proper tree care and to raise funds for the chapter's 814  
educational efforts. 815

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 816  
receives pursuant to section 4503.951 of the Revised Code to the 817  
Cincinnati city school district. 818

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 819  
receives pursuant to section 4503.952 of the Revised Code to 820  
Hawken school located in northeast Ohio. The school shall use 821  
fifty per cent of the contributions it receives to provide 822  
tuition assistance to its students. The school shall use the 823  
remaining fifty per cent to pay the expenses it incurs in 824  
providing services to the school's students that assist in 825  
developing or maintaining the mental and emotional well-being of 826

the students. The services provided may include bereavement 827  
counseling, instruction in defensive driving techniques, 828  
sensitivity training, and the counseling and education of 829  
students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug abuse, 830  
suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 831  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 832  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 833  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 834  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 835  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 836  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 837  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 838  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 839  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 840  
purpose. 841

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 842  
receives pursuant to section 4503.953 of the Revised Code to 843  
Gilmour academy located in the municipal corporation of Gates 844  
Mills. The school shall use fifty per cent of the contributions 845  
it receives to provide tuition assistance to its students. The 846  
school shall use the remaining fifty per cent to pay the 847  
expenses it incurs in providing services to the school's 848  
students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 849  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 850  
include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 851  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 852  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 853  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 854  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 855  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 856  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 857

discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 858  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 859  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 860  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 861  
subsection 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 862  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 863  
purpose. 864

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 865  
receives pursuant to section 4503.954 of the Revised Code to 866  
University school located in the suburban area near the 867  
municipal corporation of Cleveland. The school shall use fifty 868  
per cent of the contributions it receives to provide tuition 869  
assistance to its students. The school shall use the remaining 870  
fifty per cent to pay the expenses it incurs in providing 871  
services to the school's students that assist in developing or 872  
maintaining the mental and emotional well-being of the students. 873  
The services provided may include bereavement counseling, 874  
instruction in defensive driving techniques, sensitivity 875  
training, and the counseling and education of students regarding 876  
bullying, dating violence, drug abuse, suicide prevention, and 877  
human trafficking. As a part of providing such services, the 878  
school may pay for members of the faculty of the school to 879  
receive training in providing those services. The school 880  
principal or, in the school principal's discretion, appropriate 881  
school counselors shall determine any charitable organizations 882  
that the school hires to provide those services. The school 883  
shall ensure that any such charitable organization is exempt 884  
from federal income taxation under subsection 501(c) (3) of the 885  
Internal Revenue Code. The school shall not use the 886  
contributions it receives for any other purpose. 887

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 888

receives pursuant to section 4503.955 of the Revised Code to 889  
Saint Albert the Great school located in North Royalton. The 890  
school shall use fifty per cent of the contributions it receives 891  
to provide tuition assistance to its students. The school shall 892  
use the remaining fifty per cent to pay the expenses it incurs 893  
in providing services to the school's students that assist in 894  
developing or maintaining the mental and emotional well-being of 895  
the students. The services provided may include bereavement 896  
counseling, instruction in defensive driving techniques, 897  
sensitivity training, and the counseling and education of 898  
students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug abuse, 899  
suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 900  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 901  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 902  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 903  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 904  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 905  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 906  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 907  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 908  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 909  
purpose. 910

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 911  
receives pursuant to section 4503.97 of the Revised Code to the 912  
friends of united Hatzalah of Israel, which shall use the money 913  
to support united Hatzalah of Israel, which provides free 914  
emergency medical first response throughout Israel. 915

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 916  
receives pursuant to section 4503.98 of the Revised Code to the 917  
Westerville parks foundation to support the programs and 918  
activities of the foundation and its mission of pursuing the 919

city of Westerville's vision of becoming "A City Within A Park." 920

(C) All investment earnings of the license plate 921  
contribution fund shall be credited to the fund. Not later than 922  
the first day of May of every year, the registrar shall 923  
distribute to each entity described in division (B) of this 924  
section the investment income the fund earned the previous 925  
calendar year. The amount of such a distribution paid to an 926  
entity shall be proportionate to the amount of money the entity 927  
received from the fund during the previous calendar year. 928

Sec. 4503.507. (A) The owner or lessee of any passenger 929  
car, noncommercial motor vehicle, recreational vehicle, or other 930  
vehicle of a class approved by the registrar of motor vehicles 931  
may apply to the registrar for the registration of the vehicle 932  
and issuance of "Rabbit Friendly" license plates. The 933  
application may be combined with a request for a special 934  
reserved license plate under section 4503.40 or 4503.42 of the 935  
Revised Code. Upon receipt of the completed application and 936  
compliance by the applicant with divisions (B) and (C) of this 937  
section, the registrar shall issue to the applicant the 938  
appropriate vehicle registration and a set of "Rabbit Friendly" 939  
license plates and a validation sticker, or a validation sticker 940  
alone when required by section 4503.191 of the Revised Code. 941

In addition to the letters and numbers ordinarily 942  
inscribed on the license plates, "Rabbit Friendly" license 943  
plates shall display an appropriate logo and words, selected by 944  
representatives of the Ohio house rabbit rescue, that are 945  
approved by the registrar. "Rabbit Friendly" license plates 946  
shall display county identification stickers that identify the 947  
county of registration as required under section 4503.19 of the 948  
Revised Code. 949



(B) "Rabbit Friendly" license plates and a validation sticker, or validation sticker alone, shall be issued upon receipt of an application for registration of a motor vehicle under this section; payment of the regular license tax as prescribed under section 4503.04 of the Revised Code, any applicable motor vehicle license tax levied under Chapter 4504. of the Revised Code, any applicable additional fee prescribed by section 4503.40 or 4503.42 of the Revised Code, an additional administrative fee of ten dollars, and a contribution as provided in division (C) (1) of this section; and compliance with all other applicable laws relating to the registration of motor vehicles. 950  
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(C) (1) For each application for registration and registration renewal notice the registrar receives under this section, the registrar shall collect a contribution of fifteen dollars. The registrar shall deposit this contribution into the state treasury to the credit of the license plate contribution fund created in section 4501.21 of the Revised Code. 962  
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(2) The registrar shall deposit the administrative fee of ten dollars, the purpose of which is to compensate the bureau of motor vehicles for additional services required in the issuing of "Rabbit Friendly" license plates, into the state treasury to the credit of the public safety - highway purposes fund created in section 4501.06 of the Revised Code. 968  
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**Section 2.** That existing section 4501.21 of the Revised Code is hereby repealed. 974  
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