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<p><u>GENERAL SECTIONS</u></p> <p><i>State Spending and State Appropriations Paid to Local Units</i></p> <p>Sec. 201. In accordance with section 30 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2025, total state spending under part 1 from state sources is \$2,130,504,500.00 and state spending under part 1 from state sources to be paid to local units of government is \$123,656,000.00. The following itemized statement identifies appropriations from which spending to local units of government will occur:</p> <p>DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS</p> <p>Community corrections comprehensive plans and services..... \$14,198,100</p> <p>County jail reimbursement program 14,814,600</p> <p>Field Operations 71,766,700</p> <p>Leased beds and alternatives to leased beds 100</p> <p>Probation residential services 14,575,500</p> <p>Prosecutorial and detainer expenses 4,801,000</p> <p>Public safety initiative 2,000,000</p> <p>Residential alternative to prison program 1,500,000</p> <p>TOTAL \$123,656,000</p> <p><i>Subjects Appropriations to the Management and Budget Act</i></p> <p>Sec. 202. The appropriations under this part and part 1 are subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-201. Retains current law with technical changes; adjusts amounts to reflect appropriations included in the executive bill; updates fiscal year.</p>			
<p>Sec. 4-202. Retains current law.</p>				



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<p>Terms and Acronyms</p> <p>Sec. 203. As used in this part and part 1:</p> <p>(a) “Administrative segregation” means confinement for maintenance of order or discipline to a cell or room apart from accommodations provided for inmates who are participating in programs of the facility.</p> <p>(b) “Department” means the department of corrections.</p> <p>(c) “Director” means the director of the department.</p> <p>(d) “DOJ” means the United States Department of Justice.</p> <p>(e) “DOJ-BOP” means the DOJ Bureau of Prisons.</p> <p>(f) “Evidence-based” means a decision-making process that integrates the best available research, clinician expertise, and client characteristics.</p> <p>(g) “FTE” means full-time equated position in the classified service of this state.</p> <p>(h) “Goal” means the intended or projected result of a comprehensive corrections plan or community corrections program to reduce repeat offending, criminogenic and high-risk behaviors, prison commitment rates, the length of stay in a jail, or to improve the utilization of a jail.</p> <p>(i) “Jail” means a facility operated by a local unit of government for the physical detention and correction of individuals charged with or convicted of criminal offenses.</p> <p>(j) “OCC” means the office of community corrections.</p> <p>(k) “Offender success” means that an offender has, with the support of the community, intervention of the field agent, and benefit of any participation in programs and treatment, made an adjustment while at liberty in the community such that the offender has not been sentenced to or returned to prison for the conviction of a new crime or the revocation of probation or parole.</p> <p>(l) “Recidivism” means that term as defined in section 1 of 2017 PA 5, MCL 798.31.</p> <p>(m) “Serious emotional disturbance” means that term as defined in section 100d(3) of the mental health code, 1974 PA 258, MCL 330.1100d.</p> <p>(n) “Serious mental illness” means that term as defined in section 100d(4) of the mental health code, 1974 PA 258, MCL 330.1100d.</p> <p>(o) “SSA” means the United States Social Security Administration.</p> <p>(p) “SSA-SSI” means SSA supplemental security income.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-203. Retains current law with technical changes; adjusts acronyms to reflect acronyms included in the executive bill.</p> <p>Revises "part and part 1" to "article".</p>			



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(q) "Standard report recipients" means the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on corrections, the senate and house fiscal agencies, the senate and house policy offices, the legislative corrections ombudsman, and the state budget office.				
<p>Internet Availability of Required Reports</p> <p>Sec. 204. The department shall use the internet to fulfill the reporting requirements of this part. This requirement includes transmitting reports to the standard report recipients and any other required recipients by email and posting the reports on an internet site.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-204. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Revises "The department" to "A department or agency".</p>			
<p>Buy American</p> <p>Sec. 205. To the extent permissible under section 261 of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1261, all of the following apply to the expenditure of funds appropriated in part 1:</p> <p>(a) The funds must not be used for the purchase of foreign goods or services, or both, if competitively priced and of comparable quality American goods or services, or both, are available.</p> <p>(b) Preference must be given to goods or services, or both, manufactured or provided by Michigan businesses, if they are competitively priced and of comparable quality.</p> <p>(c) Preference must be given to goods or services, or both, that are manufactured or provided by Michigan businesses owned and operated by veterans, if they are competitively priced and of comparable quality.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-205. Retains current law.</p>			
<p>Disciplinary Action Against State Employees and Prisoners</p> <p>Sec. 206. The department shall not take disciplinary action against an employee of the department or a prisoner because the employee or prisoner communicates with a member of the legislature or legislative staff unless the communication is prohibited by law and the department is exercising its authority as provided by law.</p>	<p>Strikes current law.</p>			



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<p>Out-of-State Travel</p> <p>Sec. 207. Consistent with section 217 of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1217, the department shall prepare a report on out-of-state travel expenses not later than January 1. The report must list all travel outside this state by classified and unclassified employees in the immediately previous fiscal year that was funded in whole or in part with funds appropriated in the department's budget. The department shall submit the report to the standard report recipients and to the senate and house appropriations committees. The report must include the following information:</p> <p>(a) The dates of each travel occurrence.</p> <p>(b) The total transportation and related costs of each travel occurrence and the proportions funded with state general fund/general purpose revenues, state restricted revenues, federal revenues, and other revenues.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-207. Retains current law with technical changes.</p> <p>Revises "department" to "each department and agency receiving appropriations in part 1"; revises "department's budget" to department's or agency's budget"; revises "senate and house appropriations committees" to "house of representatives and senate appropriations committees"; adds "all of" before "the".</p>			
<p>Use of Funding for Legal Services</p> <p>Sec. 208. The department shall not use funds appropriated in part 1 to hire a person to provide legal services that are the responsibility of the attorney general. This section does not apply to legal services for bonding activities or to outside services that the attorney general authorizes.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-208. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Revises "The department" to "a principal executive department, state agency, or authority".</p>			
<p>General Fund Lapses</p> <p>Sec. 209. Not later than December 15, the state budget office shall prepare and transmit a report that provides estimates of the total general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses at the close of the previous fiscal year. The report must summarize the projected year-end general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses by major departmental program or program areas. The state budget office shall submit the report to the standard report recipients and to the chairpersons of the senate and house appropriations committees.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-209. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Adds "of representatives" after "house".</p>			



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<p>Contingency Authorization</p> <p>Sec. 210. (1) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$2,500,000.00 for federal contingency authorization. Amounts appropriated are not available for expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item in part 1 under section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.</p> <p>(2) In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$2,000,000.00 for local contingency authorization. Amounts appropriated are not available for expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item in part 1 under section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-210. Revises current law.</p> <p>Revises "Amounts appropriated" to "These funds"; adds new subsection (2) appropriating an amount not to exceed \$2.5 million in state restricted contingency authorization; revises local contingency amount from \$2.0 million to \$2.5 million.</p>			
<p>Transparency Website</p> <p>Sec. 211. The department shall cooperate with the department of technology, management, and budget to maintain a searchable website accessible by the public at no cost that includes, but is not limited to, all of the following for the department:</p> <p>(a) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by category.</p> <p>(b) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by appropriation unit.</p> <p>(c) Fiscal year-to-date payments to a selected vendor, including the vendor name, payment date, payment amount, and payment description.</p> <p>(d) The number of active department employees by job classification.</p> <p>(e) Job specifications and wage rates.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-211. Retains current law with technical changes.</p> <p>Revises "The department" to "A department or agency"; strikes "department" in subsection (d).</p>			
<p>State Restricted Fund Balances, Revenues, and Expenditures</p> <p>Sec. 212. Not later than 14 days after the release of the executive budget recommendation, the department shall cooperate with the state budget office to provide an annual report on estimated state restricted fund balances, state restricted fund projected revenues, and state restricted fund expenditures for the previous 2 fiscal years. The report must be submitted to the standard report recipients and to the chairpersons of the senate and house appropriations committees.</p>	<p>Strikes current law.</p>			



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<p>Access to Government Services</p> <p>Sec. 213. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 must not be used to restrict or impede a marginalized community's access to government resources, programs, or facilities. (2) From the funds appropriated in part 1, local governments shall report any action or policy that attempts to restrict or interfere with the duties of the local health officer.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-221. Retains current law.</p>			
<p>Geographically Disadvantaged Business Enterprises Compete for Contracts</p> <p>Sec. 214. To the extent permissible under the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594, the director shall take all reasonable steps to ensure geographically disadvantaged business enterprises compete for and perform contracts to provide services or supplies, or both. The director shall strongly encourage firms with which the department contracts to subcontract with certified geographically disadvantaged business enterprises for services, supplies, or both. As used in this section, "geographically disadvantaged business enterprises" means that term as defined in Executive Directive No. 2023-1.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-214. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Adds "of each department or agency receiving appropriations in part 1" after "director".</p>			
<p>Report on FTE Positions</p> <p>Sec. 215. On a quarterly basis, the department shall report on the number of full-time equated positions in pay status by civil service classification, including a comparison by line item of the number of full-time equated positions authorized from funds appropriated in part 1 to the actual number of full-time equated positions employed by the department at the end of the reporting period. The report must be submitted to the standard report recipients and to the senate and house appropriations committees.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-215. Retains current law with technical changes.</p> <p>Adds "or agency receiving appropriations in part 1" after "department"; reverses order of report recipients to "senate and house appropriations committees and to the standard report recipients".</p>			
<p>Guidelines for Receipt and Retention of Required Reports</p> <p>Sec. 217. The department shall receive and retain copies of all reports funded from appropriations in part 1. The department shall follow federal and state guidelines for short-term and long-term retention of records. The department may electronically retain copies of reports unless otherwise required by federal and state guidelines.</p>	<p>Strikes current law.</p>			



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<p>Report on Policy Changes Made to Implement Public Acts</p> <p>Sec. 218. Not later than April 1, the department shall report on each specific policy change made to implement a public act affecting the department that took effect during the previous calendar year. The department shall submit the report to the standard report recipients and to the senate and house appropriations committees, the joint committee on administrative rules, the senate standing committee on civil rights, judiciary, and public safety, and the house standing committee on criminal justice.</p>	Strikes current law.			
<p>Expending Available Work Project Authorization</p> <p>Sec. 219. To the extent possible, the department shall not expend appropriations under part 1 until all existing authorized work project funds available for the same purposes are exhausted.</p>	Strikes current law.			
<p>State Fiscal Recovery Funds</p> <p>Sec. 220. (1) The state budget director shall take steps to ensure that all state fiscal recovery funds allocated to this state under the American rescue plan act of 2021, Public Law 117-2, are expended by December 31, 2026, as required by law. The state budget director may reallocate appropriated funds for the purpose of fully utilizing state fiscal recovery funds that are in jeopardy of not meeting the expenditure deadline for reasons that may include, but are not limited to, completed projects coming in under budget or funds unable to be fully used by subrecipients. The state budget director shall reallocate any of the funds reallocated under this subsection to the programs or purposes specified in this section. Any funds reallocated are unappropriated and immediately reappropriated for the following purposes:</p> <p>(a) To reclassify general fund/general purpose appropriations for payroll and covered benefits for eligible public health and safety employees at the department of corrections.</p> <p>(b) To reclassify general fund/general purpose appropriations for payroll and covered benefits for eligible public health and safety employees at the department of state police.</p>	Strikes current law.			



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<p>(2) All applicable guidance, implementation, and reporting provisions of Public Law 117-2 must be followed for state fiscal recovery funds reallocated and reappropriated under subsection (1).</p> <p>(3) The state budget director shall notify the senate and house appropriations committees not later than 10 business days after making any reallocations under subsection (1). The notification must include the authorized program under which funds were originally appropriated, the amount of the reallocation, the program, or programs, or purpose, and the department to which the funds are being reallocated under subsection (1), and the amount reallocated to each program or purpose.</p> <p>(4) The state budget director and the impacted departments may make the accounting transactions necessary to implement the reallocation and subsequent appropriation of funds as authorized in this section.</p>				
<p><u>DEPARTMENTAL ADMINISTRATION AND SUPPORT</u></p> <p><i>Offender Tracking Information System</i></p> <p>Sec. 301. For 3 years after a felony offender is released from the department’s jurisdiction, the department shall maintain the offender’s file on the offender tracking information system and make it publicly accessible in the same manner as the file of the current offender. The department shall immediately remove the offender’s file from the offender tracking information system upon determination that the offender was wrongfully convicted and the offender’s file is not otherwise required to be maintained on the offender tracking information system.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-301. Retains current law.</p>			
<p><i>Allowing Staff to Reach Highest Pay Levels in Shorter Amount of Time</i></p> <p>Sec. 302. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department must submit a report by March 1 that includes an assessment of the cost and also details the effects on staffing since corrections officers and corrections medical officers were allowed to reach the highest level of pay within 3 years of service instead of reaching it within 5 years of service.</p>	<p>Strikes current law.</p>			



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<p>Staff Retention Strategies</p> <p>Sec. 303. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall submit a report not later than March 1 on the department's staff retention strategies. The report must include, but not be limited to, all of the following:</p> <p>(a) The department's strategies on how to improve employee engagement, how to improve employee wellness, and how to offer additional training and professional development for employees, including metrics the department is using to measure success of employee wellness programming.</p> <p>(b) Mechanisms by which the department receives employee feedback in areas under subdivision (a) and how the department considers suggestions made by employees.</p> <p>(c) Steps the department has taken, and future plans and goals the department has for retention and improving employee wellness.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-303. Revises current law to read:</p> <p>"The department shall submit a report not later than March 1 on the department's staff retention strategies."</p>			
<p>Staff Departures</p> <p>Sec. 304. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall submit a report not later than March 1 on the number of employee departures. The report must include all of the following:</p> <p>(a) The number of corrections officers that departed from employment at a state correctional facility in the previous fiscal year and the number of years they worked for the department.</p> <p>(b) A chart that shows the normal distribution of employee departures in the positions described under subdivision (a) based on years of service. Years of service must be grouped into the following ranges: 1 to 3 years, 3 to 5 years, 5 to 10 years, 10 to 15 years, 15 to 20 years, and 20 and more years.</p> <p>(c) A section that shows the distinction between all of the following:</p> <p>(i) Recruits who are in training at the academy that depart employment.</p> <p>(ii) Recruits who are in training at a facility that depart employment.</p> <p>(iii) Employees who have been on the job that depart employment.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-304. Retains current law with technical changes.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,"; strikes requirement for the department to review reasons for departures but retains requirement for department to report on primary reasons for departures.</p>			



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(2) The department shall review all reasons for employee departures and summarize in the report required under this section the primary reasons for departure for each of the ranges of years of service described under subdivision (1)(b) based on the available responses.				
<p>Prosecutorial and Detainer Expenses</p> <p>Sec. 305. Funds appropriated in part 1 for prosecutorial and detainer expenses must be used to reimburse counties for housing and custody of parole violators and offenders being returned by the department from community placement who are available for return to institutional status and for prisoners who volunteer for placement in a county jail.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-305. Retains current law.</p>			
<p>Sheriffs' Coordinating and Training Office</p> <p>Sec. 306. The department shall provide fiduciary oversight of funds received under the local corrections officers training act, 2003 PA 125, MCL 791.531 to 791.546.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-306. Retains current law.</p>			
<p>Vendor Contracts</p> <p>Sec. 307. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall issue a report not later than March 1 for all vendor contracts. The report must cover service contracts with a value of \$500,000.00 or more and include all of the following:</p> <p>(a) The original start date and the current expiration date of each contract.</p> <p>(b) The number of available option years.</p> <p>(c) The number, if any, of contract compliance monitoring site visits completed by the department for each vendor.</p> <p>(d) The number and amount of fines, if any, for service-level agreement noncompliance for each vendor broken down by area of noncompliance.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-307. Retains current law with technical changes.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,"; strikes "all"; strikes "The report must cover service contracts"; revises "and" to "that"; strikes "all of"; adds "in the previous fiscal year" in subsections (c) and (d).</p>			



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<p>Prisoner Telephone System</p> <p>Sec. 308. The department must ensure that a prisoner telephone system is maintained. The prisoner telephone system must meet ongoing operational needs of the department while maintaining the lowest per-minute rate possible. The department must provide notice at least 45 days in advance of each of the following taking effect:</p> <p>(a) Changes to telephone rates. (b) Extending the telephone contract, including the department exercising the option to extend the contract. (c) Rebidding the telephone contract.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-308. Retains current law.</p>			
<p>Mental Health Awareness Training</p> <p>Sec. 309. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall provide for the training of all custody staff in effective and safe ways of handling prisoners with mental illness and referring prisoners to mental health treatment programs. Mental health awareness training must be incorporated into the training of new custody staff.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-309. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,".</p>			
<p>Maintenance and Utility Costs at Facilities</p> <p>Sec. 310. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall issue a report for all correctional facilities not later than January 1 that includes all of the following information for each facility:</p> <p>(a) The name, street address, and date of construction. (b) The current maintenance costs. (c) Any maintenance planned. (d) The current utility costs. (e) The expected future capital improvement costs. (f) The current unspent balance of any authorized capital outlay projects, including the original authorized amount. (g) The expected future useful life.</p>	<p>Strikes current law.</p>			



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<p>Michigan State Industries Program</p> <p>Sec. 311. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall provide a report on the Michigan state industries program not later than December 1. The report must include, but not be limited to, all of the following information:</p> <p>(a) The locations of the programs.</p> <p>(b) The total number of participants at each location.</p> <p>(c) A description of job duties and typical inmate schedules, and the products that are produced.</p> <p>(d) How the program provides marketable skills that lead to employable outcomes after release from a department facility.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-311. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,".</p>			
<p>PTSD Outreach, Mental Health Programming, and Employee Wellness</p> <p>Sec. 312. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for employee wellness programming must be used for post-traumatic stress outreach, treating mental health issues, peer support programs, and providing mental health programming for all department staff, including former employees.</p> <p>(2) Not later than December 15, the department shall submit a report on programs the department has established, the level of employee involvement, and expenditures made by the department for employee wellness programming.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-312. Retains current law.</p>			
<p>New Employee Schools</p> <p>Sec. 313. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for new custody staff training, the department shall work to hire and train new corrections officers to address attrition of corrections officers and to decrease overtime costs. The department shall submit quarterly reports on new employee schools. The reports must include all of the following information for the immediately preceding fiscal quarter, and as much of the information as possible for the current and next fiscal year:</p> <p>(a) The number of new employee schools that took place and the location of each.</p> <p>(b) The number of recruits that started in each employee school.</p> <p>(c) The number of recruits that graduated from each employee school and continued employment with the department.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-313. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Strikes "all of".</p>			



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<p>(2) Third quarter reports must outline steps the department has taken to obtain the highest number of recruits possible for each new employee school. A report prepared under this subsection must include, but is not limited to, all of the following information:</p> <p>(a) Internal sources of recruitment, including transfers and promotions.</p> <p>(b) External sources of recruitment, including advertisements.</p> <p>(c) Job portals, social networking platforms, placement agencies, job fairs, campus placements, or professional entities used for recruitment.</p> <p>(d) Whether the department's website was used to advertise vacancies.</p>				
<p>Staff Overtime Hours</p> <p>Sec. 314. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall submit a quarterly report on the number of overtime hours worked by all custody staff, by facility. The report must include, for each facility, the reasons for overtime hours worked and the average number of overtime hours worked by active employees.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-314. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,".</p>			



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<p>Data Sharing to Improve Offender Success</p> <p>Sec. 315. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department may establish agreements and exchange offender data with local, state, and federal agencies, law enforcement, community service and treatment providers, and research partners in order to improve offender success, reduce recidivism risk, and enhance public safety. This data sharing may include, but is not limited to, efforts to support the following:</p> <p>(a) Providing continuing access to behavioral health, physical health, and medication needs through community-based providers.</p> <p>(b) Establishing assistance program eligibility and participation.</p> <p>(c) Collaborating with community service providers for continued care and access to services for offenders.</p> <p>(d) Providing ongoing cognitive and behavioral treatment programming in the community.</p> <p>(e) Providing substance abuse testing and referrals for counseling services and treatment.</p> <p>(f) Providing vocational skill training, job placement support, and monitoring employment attainment.</p> <p>(g) Determining educational attainment and needs.</p> <p>(h) Establishing accurate offender identification, criminal histories, and monitoring new criminal activity.</p> <p>(i) Measuring and evaluating treatment programs and services in support of evidence-based practices.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-315. Retains current law.</p>			
<p>Prison Population Projections</p> <p>Sec. 317. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall submit 3-year and 5-year prison population projection updates not later than April 1, including explanations of the methodology and assumptions used in developing the projection updates.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-317. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,".</p>			



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<p>Annual Statistical Reports</p> <p>Sec. 318. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall place the statistical report from the immediately preceding calendar year on a website not later than June 30. The statistical report shall include, but not be limited to, the information as provided in the 2004 statistical report.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-318. Revises current law to read:</p> <p>"The department shall provide an annual statistical report for the immediately preceding calendar year not later than June 30. The report must include, but not be limited to, the types of information as provided in the 2022 statistical report."</p>			
<p>Recidivism Measurement</p> <p>Sec. 319. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall report the reincarceration recidivism rates of offenders based on available data.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-319. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,".</p>			
<p>County Jail Reimbursement Program</p> <p>Sec. 320. (1) The department shall administer a county jail reimbursement program from the funds appropriated in part 1 for the purpose of reimbursing counties for housing in jails certain felons who otherwise would have been sentenced to prison.</p> <p>(2) The county jail reimbursement program must be used to reimburse counties for convicted felons in the custody of the sheriff if the conviction was for a crime committed on or after January 1, 1999 and 1 of the following applies:</p> <p>(a) The felon's sentencing guidelines recommended range upper limit is more than 18 months, the felon's sentencing guidelines recommended range lower limit is 12 months or less, the felon's prior record variable score is 35 or more points, and the felon's sentence is not for commission of a crime in crime class G or crime class H or a nonperson crime in crime class F under chapter XVII of the code of criminal procedure, 1927 PA 175, MCL 777.1 to 777.69.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-320. Retains current law.</p>			



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<p>(b) The felon’s minimum sentencing guidelines range minimum is more than 12 months under the sentencing guidelines described in subdivision (a).</p> <p>(c) The felon was sentenced to jail for a felony committed while the felon was on parole and under the jurisdiction of the parole board and for which the sentencing guidelines recommended range for the minimum sentence has an upper limit of more than 18 months.</p> <p>(3) State reimbursement under this section shall be \$70.00 per diem per diverted offender for offenders with a presumptive prison guideline score, \$60.00 per diem per diverted offender for offenders with a straddle cell guideline for a group 1 crime, and \$45.00 per diem per diverted offender for offenders with a straddle cell guideline for a group 2 crime. Reimbursements must be paid for sentences up to a 1-year total.</p> <p>(4) County jail reimbursement program expenditures must not exceed the amount appropriated in part 1 for the county jail reimbursement program. Payments to counties under the county jail reimbursement program must be made in the order in which properly documented requests for reimbursements are received. A request is properly documented if it meets departmental requirements for documentation. Not later than October 15, the department shall distribute the documentation requirements to all counties.</p> <p>(5) Any county that receives funding under this section for the purpose of housing in jails certain felons who otherwise would have been sentenced to prison shall, as a condition of receiving the funding, report not later than September 30 an annual average jail capacity and annual average jail occupancy for the previous fiscal year.</p>				



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<p>(6) Not later than February 1, the department shall report all of the following information:</p> <p>(a) The number of inmates sentenced to the custody of the sheriff and eligible for the county jail reimbursement program.</p> <p>(b) The total amount paid to counties under the county jail reimbursement program.</p> <p>(c) The total number of days inmates were in the custody of the sheriff and eligible for the county jail reimbursement program.</p> <p>(d) The number of inmates sentenced to the custody of the sheriff under each of the 3 categories: presumptive prison, group 1 crime, and group 2 crime in subsection (3).</p> <p>(e) The total amount paid to counties under each of the 3 categories: presumptive prison, group 1 crime, and group 2 crime in subsection (3).</p> <p>(f) The total number of days inmates were in the custody of the sheriff under each of the 3 categories: presumptive prison, group 1 crime, and group 2 crime in subsection (3).</p> <p>(g) The estimated cost of housing inmates sentenced to the custody of the sheriff and eligible for the county jail reimbursement program as inmates of a state prison.</p> <p>(7) As used in this section:</p> <p>(a) "Group 1 crime" means a crime in 1 or more of the following offense categories: arson, assault, assaultive other, burglary, criminal sexual conduct, homicide or resulting in death, other sex offenses, robbery, and weapon possession as determined by the department based on specific crimes for which counties received reimbursement under the county jail reimbursement program in fiscal year 2007 and fiscal year 2008, and listed in the county jail reimbursement program document titled "FY 2007 and FY 2008 Group One Crimes Reimbursed", dated March 31, 2009.</p> <p>(b) "Group 2 crime" means a crime that is not a group 1 crime, including larceny, fraud, forgery, embezzlement, motor vehicle offenses, malicious destruction of property, controlled substance offense, felony drunk driving, and other nonassaultive offenses.</p> <p>(c) "In the custody of the sheriff" means that the convicted felon has been sentenced to the county jail and either is housed in a county jail, is in custody but is being housed at a hospital or medical facility for a medical or mental health purpose, or has been released from jail and is being monitored through the use of the sheriff's electronic monitoring system.</p>				



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<p><i>Prison Facility and Offender Data Reports</i></p> <p>Sec. 321. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall provide all of the following information on the offender population in a monthly report:</p> <p>(a) Prison population by facility and security level, including the population of prisoners under the department’s jurisdiction housed in county jails.</p> <p>(b) Net operating capacity according to the most recent certification report.</p> <p>(c) Electronic monitoring populations.</p> <p>(d) Parole populations.</p> <p>(e) Probation populations, with identification of the number of offenders in special alternative incarceration.</p> <p>(2) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall provide all of the following information on the offender population in a quarterly report:</p> <p>(a) The number of closed housing units and beds in those units, including the security level of closed beds.</p> <p>(b) The number of prisoners serving life sentences.</p> <p>(c) The number of prisoners classified as past their earliest release date.</p> <p>(d) The number of prisoner intakes during the previous quarter.</p> <p>(e) The number of prisoner exits, including paroles, maximum discharges, and other exits during the previous quarter.</p> <p>(h) Community residential service populations.</p> <p>(3) If the department knows it will not meet the reporting requirements under this section, the department shall immediately issue a report stating that fact and that lists the reasons for not meeting the reporting requirements.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-321. Retains current law with technical changes.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,"; strikes "all of".</p>			



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<p>Report on FTE Positions (Including Vacant Positions)</p> <p>Sec. 322. (1) On a quarterly basis, the department shall report on all of the following:</p> <p>(a) A detailed accounting of all vacant positions that exist within the department.</p> <p>(b) A detailed accounting of all correction officer positions at each correctional facility, including positions that are filled and positions that are vacant by facility.</p> <p>(c) A detailed accounting of all vacant positions that are health care related.</p> <p>(d) A detailed accounting of vacant positions that are being held open for temporarily nonactive employees.</p> <p>(2) As used in this section, "vacant position" means any position that has not been filled at any time during the past 6 calendar months.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-322. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Strikes "all of".</p>			
<p>Authority to Collect Certain Reimbursements</p> <p>Sec. 323. The department may charge fees and collect revenues in excess of appropriations in part 1 not to exceed the cost of offender services and programming, employee meals, parolee loans, academic/vocational services, custody escorts, compassionate visits, union steward activities, and public works programs and services provided to local units of government or private nonprofit organizations. The revenues and fees collected are appropriated for all expenses associated with these services and activities.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-323. Retains current law.</p>			
<p>Management-to-Staff Ratio</p> <p>Sec. 324. It is the intent of the legislature that the department establish and maintain a management-to-staff ratio of not more than 1 supervisor for each 8 employees at the department's central office in Lansing and at both the northern and southern region administration offices.</p>	<p>Strikes current law.</p>			
<p>Compilation of Data for Swift and Sure Sanctions Program</p> <p>Sec. 325. The department shall provide the state court administrative office data sufficient to administer the swift and sure sanctions program.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-325. Retains current law.</p>			



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<p><u>OFFENDER SUCCESS ADMINISTRATION</u></p> <p><i>Offender Success Expenditures and Allocations</i></p> <p>Sec. 401. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall provide a report not later than March 1 on offender success expenditures, allocations, and performance. The report must include, but not be limited to, details on prior-year expenditures, including amounts spent on each project funded, itemized by service provided and service provider. Reported performance factors must be reported by region and must include, but not be limited to, all of the following:</p> <p>(a) The number of individuals who received transitional housing services.</p> <p>(b) The average length of stay in transitional housing.</p> <p>(c) The number of individuals who received a referral for economic stability assistance and the number of referred individuals who secured employment or enrolled in education/training to increase economic stability.</p> <p>(d) The number of referred individuals who maintained employment for 12 months or more.</p> <p>(e) The total amount of leveraged services secured by the contractor.</p> <p>(2) As used in this section, "leveraged services" means services that benefit clients that are not directly paid for by the department, such as educational scholarships or grants, workforce training grants, or housing choice vouchers.</p> <p>(3) The department may accept cash or in-kind donations to supplement funds for prison education training, supplies, and materials necessary to complete the academic and jobs skills related programs. All funds received are appropriated and may be expended by the department. Any unexpended or unencumbered donations at the end of the fiscal year shall not lapse to the general fund but shall be carried forward to the subsequent fiscal year.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-401. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,".</p>			



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<p><i>Matching Parolees with Potential Employers</i></p> <p>Sec. 403. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for offender success services, the department, when reasonably possible, shall ensure that inmates have potential employer matches in the communities to which they will return prior to each inmate's initial parole hearing.</p>	Strikes current law.			
<p><i>Workforce Development Program</i></p> <p>Sec. 404. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall design services for offender success and vocational education programs, collaborating with the department of labor and economic opportunity and local entities to the extent deemed necessary by the director. The department shall ensure the program provides relevant professional development opportunities to prisoners that are high quality, demand driven, locally receptive, and responsive to the needs of communities where the prisoners are expected to reside after their release from correctional facilities.</p> <p>(2) Not later than March 1, the department shall provide a report detailing the results of the workforce development program.</p>	Sec. 4-404. Retains current law.			
<p><i>Residential Probation Diversions Per Diem Reimbursement</i></p> <p>Sec. 405. Funds awarded for probation residential services in part 1 must provide for all of the following:</p> <p>(a) An initial client assessment reimbursement of \$200.00.</p> <p>(b) A per diem reimbursement of not more than \$70.00.</p>	Sec. 4-405. Retains current law.			
<p><i>Allowable Uses of Community Corrections Funds and Rates of Reimbursement</i></p> <p>Sec. 406. Allowable uses of community corrections comprehensive plans and services funds must include reimbursing counties for transportation, treatment costs, and housing drunk drivers during a period of assessment for treatment and case planning, in accordance with an approved comprehensive plan. Reimbursements for housing during the assessment process must be at the rate of \$43.50 per day per offender, up to a maximum of 5 days per offender.</p>	Sec. 4-406. Retains current law.			



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<p><i>Community Corrections Biannual Report</i></p> <p>Sec. 407. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall submit the following information for each county and counties consolidated for community corrections comprehensive plans:</p> <p>(a) Approved technical assistance grants and community corrections comprehensive plans including each program and level of funding, the utilization level of each program, and profile information of enrolled offenders.</p> <p>(b) If federal funds are made available, the number of participants funded, the number served, the number successfully completing the program, and a summary of the program activity.</p> <p>(c) Status of the community corrections information system and the jail population information system.</p> <p>(d) Data on residential services, including participant data, participant sentencing guideline scores, program expenditures, average length of stay, and bed utilization data.</p> <p>(e) Offender disposition data by sentencing guideline range, by disposition type, by prior record variable score, by number and percent statewide and by county, current year, and comparisons to the previous 3 years.</p> <p>(f) Data on the use of funding made available under the drunk driver jail reduction and community treatment program.</p> <p>(2) The report required under subsection (1) shall include the total funding allocated, program expenditures, required program data, and year-to-date totals.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-407. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,".</p>			
<p><i>Public Safety Initiative</i></p> <p>Sec. 408. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for public safety initiative, the law enforcement agency receiving funding under part 1 shall submit quarterly expenditure reports including a detailed listing of expenditures made, the purpose for which the expenditures were made, specific services provided, and the number of individuals served. Reports required under this section must be submitted to the standard report recipients and to the department of corrections.</p> <p>(2) As a condition of receiving funding appropriated for public safety initiative, reports required in the prior fiscal year must be submitted before funds may be disbursed for the current fiscal year.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-408. Retains current law.</p>			



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<p>State Identification/Birth Certificates/Military Documents for Returning Prisoners</p> <p>Sec. 409. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall establish and maintain policies and procedures that assist prisoners with obtaining a birth certificate, duplicate Social Security card, if eligible, DD Form 214 or other military documentation, state identification card, and operator’s license before parole or discharge.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-409. Retains current law.</p>			
<p>Higher Education in Prison</p> <p>Sec. 410. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for higher education in prison must be used by the department in collaboration with accredited universities or colleges to provide incarcerated individuals the opportunity to participate in comprehensive bachelor's degree programs at no cost to the incarcerated individual. The funds must be used for eligible expenses including staffing, supplies, and tuition. (2) Universities and colleges receiving funding under this section must report not later than July 1 on all of the following:</p> <p>(a) Expenditure of funds. (b) Number of participants served. (c) Enrollments, by race and gender. (d) Number of participants who completed the program.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-410. Revises current law.</p> <p>Restructures reporting so the department provides reports instead of universities and colleges; revises reporting date to March 1; includes reporting by correctional facility.</p>			



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<p>Enhanced Food Technology Program</p> <p>Sec. 411. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for enhanced food technology program, the department shall maintain a program that provides on-the-job training in prison kitchens that provides prisoners the opportunity to earn food service training credentials recognized by the restaurant industry. The department shall use the funds appropriated in part 1 for enhanced food technology program to collaborate with the Michigan Restaurant and Lodging Association and other restaurant industry stakeholders to provide job placement assistance to individuals on probation or parole.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-411. Retains current law.</p>			
<p>Medication-Assisted Treatment Offender Success Pilot Programs</p> <p>Sec. 412. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for offender success programming, the department shall establish medication-assisted treatment offender success pilot programs. A medication-assisted treatment offender success pilot program must provide prerelease treatment and postrelease referral for opioid- or alcohol-addicted offenders who voluntarily participate in a medication-assisted treatment offender success pilot program. The department shall collaborate with residential and nonresidential substance use disorder treatment providers and with community-based clinics to provide postrelease assessment and treatment. The programs shall employ a multifaceted approach to treatment, including various forms of medication-assisted treatment approved by the Food and Drug Administration for the treatment of opioid use disorder or alcohol use disorder, counseling, and postrelease referral to community-based providers. If clinically appropriate, the department shall consider the use of long-acting injectable formulations of FDA-approved medication-assisted treatment for alcohol and opioid use disorder when developing an offender’s release plan.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-412. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Strikes “all of”.</p>			



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<p>(2) The department shall submit a report not later than December 1 on all of the following:</p> <p>(a) The number of offenders who received an injectable treatment for alcohol use disorder.</p> <p>(b) The number of offenders who received an injectable treatment for opioid use disorder before release.</p> <p>(c) The number of offenders who subsequently received treatment in the community for a duration of not less than 3 months.</p> <p>(d) The number of offenders who received injections and were subsequently returned to prison during the previous fiscal year.</p>				
<p><i>Mental Health Services for Prisoners Upon Release</i></p> <p>Sec. 413. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall ensure that any inmate with a diagnosed mental illness is referred to a local mental health care provider that is able and willing to treat the inmate upon parole or discharge. Upon referral, the department shall ensure that the provider is informed of the inmate’s current treatment plan including any medications that are currently prescribed to the inmate.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-413. Retains current law.</p>			
<p><i>Goodwill Flip the Script</i></p> <p>Sec. 414. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for Goodwill Flip the Script must be distributed to a Michigan-chartered 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation operating in a county with greater than 1,500,000 people for administration and expansion of a program that serves a population of individuals aged 16 to 39. The program must target individuals who are entering the criminal justice system for the first or second time and must assist those individuals through the following program types:</p> <p>(a) Alternative sentencing programs in partnership with a local district or circuit court.</p> <p>(b) Educational recovery for special adult populations with high rates of illiteracy.</p> <p>(c) Career development and continuing education.</p> <p>(d) Financial counseling and coaching services.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-414. Retains current law.</p>			



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<p>(2) Not later than March 30, the selected program shall report on all of the following:</p> <p>(a) Program performance measurements.</p> <p>(b) The number of individuals diverted from incarceration.</p> <p>(c) The number of individuals served.</p> <p>(d) The outcomes of participants who completed the program.</p>				
<p>Academic and Vocational Programs for Prisoners</p> <p>Sec. 415. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall report not later than March 1 on academic and vocational programs, including, but not limited to, all of the following:</p> <p>(a) The number of instructors and the number of instructor vacancies, by program and facility.</p> <p>(b) The number of prisoners enrolled in each program, the number of prisoners completing each program, the number of prisoners who do not complete each program, and the number of prisoners on waiting lists for each program.</p> <p>(c) The racial demographics of prisoners enrolled in each program.</p> <p>(d) The steps the department has undertaken to improve programs, track records, accommodate transfers and prisoners with health care needs, and reduce waiting lists.</p> <p>(e) The number of prisoners paroled without a high school diploma or a high school equivalency.</p> <p>(f) The number of prisoners not paroled at their earliest release date because of a lack of a high school equivalency and the reason those prisoners have not obtained a high school equivalency.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-415. Retains current law with technical changes.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,"; strikes "all of".</p>			
<p>Faith-Based Reentry Programs</p> <p>Sec. 416. From the funds appropriated in part 1, priority may be given to funding reentry or rehabilitation programs, including faith-based initiatives, that have been demonstrated to reduce prison violence and recidivism.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-416. Retains current law.</p>			



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<p><i>Criminal Justice Reinvestment</i></p> <p>Sec. 417. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for criminal justice reinvestment must be used only to fund data collection and evidence-based programs designed to reduce recidivism among probationers, parolees, and prisoners.</p> <p>(2) Of the funds appropriated in part 1 for criminal justice reinvestment, not less than \$600,000.00 must be allocated to an organization that has received a United States Department of Labor training to work 2-adult reentry grant to provide county jail inmates with programming and services to prepare them to get and keep jobs. Examples of eligible programs and services include, but are not limited to: adult education, tutoring, manufacturing skills training, participation in a simulated work environment, mentoring, cognitive therapy groups, life skills classes, substance use disorder recovery groups, fatherhood programs, classes in understanding the legal system, family literacy, health and wellness, finance management, employer presentations, and classes on job retention. Programming and support services should begin before release and continue after release from the county jail. To be eligible for funding, an organization must show not less than 2 years of data that demonstrate program success.</p> <p>(3) The department shall report on programs described under this section not later than March 30. The report must include all of the following:</p> <p>(a) The reincarceration recidivism rate of program participants.</p> <p>(b) The employment rate of participants who complete the program.</p> <p>(c) The cost of the program per participant.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-417. Revises current law.</p> <p>Strikes subsection (3).</p>			
<p><i>Program and Special Equipment Funds</i></p> <p>Sec. 418. Revenues appropriated and collected for program and special equipment funds must be considered state restricted revenue. Funding must be used for prisoner programming, special equipment, and security projects. Not less than 75% of funding must be used for prisoner programming. Unexpended funds remaining at the close of the fiscal year must not lapse to the general fund but must be carried forward and made available for appropriation in subsequent fiscal years.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-418. Retains current law.</p>			



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<p>Reporting on Elimination of Prisoner Programming</p> <p>Sec. 419. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall report on the department’s plans to eliminate programming for prisoners. The report must be provided not less than 30 days before program elimination. As used in this section, “programming for prisoners” means a department core program or career and technical education program funded in part 1.</p>	Strikes current law.			
<p>FIELD OPERATIONS ADMINISTRATION</p> <p>Annual Program Reports</p> <p>Sec. 501. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall prepare individual reports not later than March 1 for the residential reentry program, the electronic monitoring program, and the special alternative to incarceration program. Each program’s report must include information on all of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Monthly new participants by type of offender. Residential reentry program participants must be categorized by reason for placement. For technical rule violators, the report must sort offenders by length of time since release from prison, by the most recent violation, and by the number of violations occurring since release from prison. (b) Monthly participant unsuccessful terminations, including cause. (c) Number of successful terminations. (d) End-of-month population by facility and program. (e) Average length of placement. (f) Return to prison statistics. (g) Description of each program location or locations, capacity, and staffing. (h) Sentencing guideline scores and actual sentence statistics for participants, if applicable. (i) Comparison with previous year statistics. (j) Analysis of the impact on prison admissions, jail utilization, and the cost effectiveness of the program. 	Strikes current law.			



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<p><i>Violators of Parole and Probation</i></p> <p>Sec. 502. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall review and revise as necessary policy proposals that provide alternatives to prison for offenders being sentenced to prison as a result of technical probation violations and technical parole violations. To the extent the department has insufficient policies or resources to affect the continued increase in prison commitments among these offender populations, from the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall explore other policy options to allow for program alternatives, including department or OCC-funded programs, local level programs, and programs available through private agencies that may be used as prison alternatives for these offenders.</p> <p>(2) Not later than April 1, the department shall provide a report on the number of all parolees returned to prison and probationers sentenced to prison for either a technical violation or new sentence during the preceding fiscal year. The report must include the following information for probationers, for parolees after their first parole, and for parolees who have been paroled more than once:</p> <p>(a) The numbers of parole and probation violators returned to or sent to prison for a new crime with a comparison of original versus new offenses by major offense type: assaultive, nonassaultive, drug, and sex.</p> <p>(b) The numbers of parole and probation violators returned to or sent to prison for a technical violation and the type of violation, including, but not limited to, zero gun tolerance and substance use disorder violations. For parole technical rule violators, the report shall list violations by type, by length of time since release from prison, by the most recent violation, and by the number of violations occurring since release from prison.</p> <p>(c) The educational history of those offenders, including how many had a high school equivalency or high school diploma before incarceration in prison, how many received a high school equivalency while in prison, and how many received a vocational certificate while in prison.</p>	<p>Strikes current law.</p>			



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<p>(d) The number of offenders who participated in the reentry program versus the number of those who did not.</p> <p>(e) The unduplicated number of offenders who participated in substance use disorder treatment programs, mental health treatment programs, or both, while in prison, itemized by diagnosis.</p>				
<p><i>Residential Alternative to Prison Program</i></p> <p>Sec. 503. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for residential alternative to prison program, the department shall provide vocational, educational, and cognitive programming in a secure environment to enhance existing alternative sentencing options, increase employment readiness and successful placement rates, and reduce new criminal behavior for the west Michigan probation violator population. The department must ensure the following program goals are attained:</p> <p>(a) Participants successfully complete the program.</p> <p>(b) Participants completing the program earn a nationally recognized credential for career and vocational programs.</p> <p>(c) Participants completing the program earn a certificate of completion for cognitive programming.</p> <p>(d) Reduction of the prison commitment rate for probation violators within the impacted geographic area.</p>	Strikes current law.			
<p><i>Prisoners Reviewed for Parole</i></p> <p>Sec. 504. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall issue quarterly reports for the previous 4 quarters detailing outcomes of prisoners who have been reviewed for parole. The report must include all of the following:</p> <p>(a) How many prisoners in each quarter were reviewed.</p> <p>(b) How many prisoners were granted parole.</p> <p>(c) How many prisoners were denied parole.</p> <p>(d) How many parole decisions were deferred.</p> <p>(e) The distribution of the total number of prisoners reviewed during that quarter grouped by whether the prisoner had been interviewed for the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, or more than sixth time.</p> <p>(f) The number of paroles granted, denied, or deferred for each of the parole guideline scores of low, average, and high.</p> <p>(g) The reason for denying or deferring parole.</p>	Strikes current law.			



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<p>HEALTH CARE</p> <p><i>Health Care and Pharmaceutical Expenditures</i></p> <p>Sec. 601. Not later than April 1, the department shall provide a report on all of the following:</p> <p>(a) Physical and mental health care, pharmaceutical services, and durable medical equipment for prisoners. A report under this section must detail previous fiscal year expenditures itemized by vendor, allocations, status of payments from contractors to vendors, and projected year-end expenditures from accounts. A report under this section must include a breakdown of all payments to the integrated care provider and to other providers itemized by physical health care, mental health care, pharmaceutical services, and durable medical equipment expenditures.</p> <p>(b) Pharmaceutical prescribing practices, including a detailed accounting of expenditures on antipsychotic medications, and any changes that have been made to the prescription drug formularies.</p> <p>(c) A status report on efforts to develop measurable data and outcomes for physical and mental health care within the prisoner population.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-601. Retains current law.</p>			
<p>Standard Medical Release Form</p> <p>Sec. 602. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall provide prisoners with a brochure that explains the purpose and importance of signing a medical release of information form. The department shall ensure that all prisoners, upon any health care treatment funded from appropriations in part 1, are given the opportunity to sign a medical release of information form designating a family member or other individual to whom the department shall release records and information regarding the prisoner upon the request of the prisoner. The prisoner may elect to withdraw or amend the medical release of information form at any time.</p> <p>(2) The department shall ensure that a signed medical release of information form follows a prisoner upon transfer to another department facility or to the supervision of a parole officer.</p> <p>(3) The medical release of information form must be placed online, on a public website managed by the department.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-602. Retains current law.</p>			



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<p>Health Care Utilization Reports</p> <p>Sec. 603. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall provide a report not later than April 1 on prisoner health care utilization in the previous fiscal year, by facility, that includes all of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) The number of inpatient hospital days. (b) The number of outpatient visits. (c) The number of emergency room visits. (d) The number of prisoners receiving off-site inpatient medical care. (e) The 10 most common chronic care conditions. 	<p>Strikes current law.</p>			
<p>Hepatitis C</p> <p>Sec. 604. Funds appropriated in part 1 for Hepatitis C treatment must be used only to purchase specialty medication for Hepatitis C treatment in the prison population. In addition to the above appropriation, any rebates received from the medications used must be used only to purchase specialty medication for Hepatitis C treatment. Not later than February 15, the department shall issue a report for the previous fiscal year that includes all of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) The total amount spent on specialty medication for the treatment of Hepatitis C. (b) The number of prisoners who were treated for Hepatitis C. (c) The amount of any rebates that were received from the purchase of specialty medication, and what, if any, outstanding rebates are expected to be received. (d) The Hepatitis C status of all incoming prisoners and the number of prisoners who are reinfected while incarcerated and require retreatment for Hepatitis C. (e) The number of those treated and released and then retreated upon reincarceration. 	<p>Sec. 4-604. Retains current law with technical changes.</p> <p>Revises “issue” to “provide”; strikes “all of”; adds “if known” to subsection (d).</p>			
<p>Medicaid Utilization by Prisoners</p> <p>Sec. 605. Not later than March 1, the department shall provide an annual report on the utilization of Medicaid benefits for prisoners.</p>	<p>Strikes current law.</p>			



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<p><i>Medication Assisted Therapies</i></p> <p>Sec. 606. Not later than March 1, the department shall report on the number of prisoners who received medication-assisted therapies. The report must include, but not be limited to, all of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) The length of time each prisoner received those therapies. (b) The number of prisoners who have discontinued treatment while incarcerated. (c) A listing of the medications used in medication-assisted therapies. (d) The number of prisoners prescribed each medication listed in subdivision (c). 	<p>Sec. 4-606. Retains current law and consolidates with Sec. 607.</p>			
<p><i>Medication Assisted Treatment Clinics</i></p> <p>Sec. 607. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for mental health and substance use disorder treatment, the department must maintain not less than 3 medication-assisted treatment clinics at correctional facilities that allow the department to treat the highest number of prisoners with opioid use disorder as possible. Funding must be used by the department to support costs of staff, including nurses, qualified mental health professionals, recovery coaches, and corrections officers, and costs of medication and supplies. Participating prisoners must be provided with the option of receiving 1 injection of medication immediately before being released from prison into the community.</p> <p>(2) The department shall submit quarterly reports on the establishment and operation of medication-assisted treatment clinics. A report under this section must include, but not be limited to, all of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Clinic site locations. (b) Staffing levels. (c) Expenditures on staffing and supplies, including oral and injectable medications. (d) Number of prisoners treated. (e) Number of prisoners requiring treatment but not yet receiving treatment. 	<p>Retains current law but consolidates with Sec. 606.</p>			



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<p><u>CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES AND ADMINISTRATION</u></p> <p><i>Food Service Reporting</i></p> <p>Sec. 701. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for prison food service, the department shall report not later than January 15 on the following:</p> <p>(a) Average per-meal cost for prisoner food service. Per-meal cost shall include all costs directly related to the provision of food for the prisoner population, including, but not be limited to, actual food costs, total compensation for all food service workers, including benefits and legacy costs, and inspection and compliance costs for food service.</p> <p>(b) Food service-related contracts, including goods or services to be provided and the vendor.</p> <p>(c) Major sanitation violations.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-701. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1".</p>			
<p><i>Cost Per Prisoner Per Day</i></p> <p>Sec. 702. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall calculate the cost per prisoner per day for each security custody level. This calculation shall include all actual direct and indirect costs for the previous fiscal year. To calculate the cost per prisoner per day, the department shall divide the prisoner-related costs by the total number of prisoner days for each custody level and correctional facility. For multilevel facilities, costs that cannot be accurately allocated to each custody level can be included in the calculation on a per-prisoner basis for each facility. A report summarizing these calculations shall be submitted not later than January 15. Prisoner-related costs included in the cost per prisoner per day calculation shall include all expenditures for the following, from all fund sources:</p> <p>(a) New custody staff training.</p> <p>(b) Prison industries operations.</p> <p>(c) Education/skilled trades/career readiness programs.</p> <p>(d) Enhanced food technology program.</p> <p>(e) Offender success programming.</p> <p>(f) Central records.</p> <p>(g) Correctional facilities administration.</p> <p>(h) Housing inmates in federal institutions.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-702. Retains current law with technical changes.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,"; adds "Not later than January 15" to beginning of section; revises "calculate" to "report"; revises "calculation" to "cost"; strikes "A report summarizing these calculations shall be submitted not later than January 15."; strikes "included in the cost per prisoner per day calculation".</p>			



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(i) Inmate legal services. (j) Leased beds and alternatives to leased beds. (k) Prison food service. (l) Prison store operations. (m) Transportation. (n) Health care. (o) Correctional facilities. (p) Northern and southern region administration and support.				
Public Works Program Sec. 703. Any local unit of government or private nonprofit organization that contracts with the department for public works services is responsible for financing the entire cost of such an agreement.	Sec. 4-703. Retains current law.			
Braille Program Sec. 704. The department shall allow the Michigan Braille transcribing fund program to operate at designated locations. The department shall continue to encourage the Michigan Braille transcribing fund program to produce high-quality materials for use by the visually impaired.	Sec. 4-704. Retains current law.			
Reporting Critical Incidents in Prisons Sec. 705. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall report all of the following regarding critical incidents by facility: (a) Within 72 hours of occurrence, any critical incident occurring at a correctional facility. The report must identify the facility at which the incident occurred. (b) Not later than March 1, the number of critical incidents occurring each month at each facility during the previous calendar year, categorized by type and severity of each incident. (2) As used in this section, "critical incident" includes a prisoner assault on staff that results in a serious physical injury to staff, an escape or attempted escape, a prisoner disturbance that causes facility operation concerns, a drug overdose or suspected overdose that results in inpatient hospitalization, and an unexpected death of a prisoner.	Sec. 4-705. Retains current law with technical changes. Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,"; strikes "all of".			



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<p><i>Institutional Staffing Ratios</i></p> <p>Sec. 706. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall report not later than March 1 on all of the following ratios for each correctional facility:</p> <p>(a) Corrections officers to prisoners.</p> <p>(b) Shift command staff to line custody staff.</p> <p>(c) Noncustody institutional staff to prisoners.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-706. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Strikes “all of”.</p>			
<p><i>Enrollment in and Completion of Various Programming</i></p> <p>Sec. 707. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall focus on providing required programming to prisoners who are past their earliest release date and have not been paroled because of not having received the required programming. Programming includes, but is not limited to, violence prevention programming, sexual abuse prevention programming, substance use disorder programming, thinking for a change programming, and any other programming that is required as a condition of parole.</p> <p>(2) To the extent feasible, the department shall consistently provide prisoner programming with the goal of having prisoners complete recommended cognitive programming as early as possible during the prisoner’s sentence to impact the prisoner’s behavior while incarcerated. Nothing in this section makes parole denial appealable in court.</p> <p>(3) The department shall submit a quarterly report detailing enrollment in sex abuse prevention programming, violence prevention programming, and thinking for a change programming. At a minimum, the report must include all of the following:</p> <p>(a) A full accounting, from the date of entrance to prison, of the number of individuals who are required to complete the programming, but have not yet done so.</p> <p>(b) The number of individuals who have reached their earliest release date, but who have not completed required programming.</p> <p>(c) A plan of action for addressing any waiting lists or backlogs for programming that may exist.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-707. Retains current law with technical change.</p> <p>Consolidates subsection (2) with subsection (1).</p>			



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<p><i>Pregnant Prisoner Labor and Delivery</i></p> <p>Sec. 708. If a pregnant prisoner in a facility funded from appropriations in part 1 consents to a visitor being present, the department shall allow that 1 person to be present during the prisoner’s labor and delivery, in addition to a doula being present if the pregnant prisoner wants to work with a doula. The person allowed to accompany the prisoner must be an immediate family member, legal guardian, spouse, or domestic partner. The department is authorized to deny access to a visitor if the department has a safety concern with that visitor’s access. The department is authorized to conduct a criminal background check on the visitor.</p>	Strikes current law.			
<p><i>Evaluation and Placement of Prisoners with Mental Illness</i></p> <p>Sec. 709. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall evaluate all prisoners at intake for substance use disorders, serious developmental disorders, serious mental illness, and other mental health disorders. Prisoners with serious mental illness or serious developmental disorders must not be removed from the general population as a punitive response to behavior caused by their serious mental illness or serious developmental disorder. A prisoner with serious mental illness or serious developmental disorder that is unresponsive to treatment who presents a persistent high violence risk or engages in severe disruptive behavior may be placed in secure residential housing programs that facilitate access to institutional programming and ongoing mental health services funded from appropriations in part 1. A prisoner with serious mental illness or serious developmental disorder who is confined in these specialized housing programs must be evaluated or monitored by a medical professional at a frequency of not less than every 12 hours.</p>	Sec. 4-709. Retains current law.			



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<p><i>Administrative Segregation</i></p> <p>Sec. 710. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall report not later than March 1 on the annual number of prisoners during the previous fiscal year in administrative segregation and, of those, the number who at any time during the current or previous prison term were diagnosed with serious mental illness or have a developmental disorder and the number of days each of the prisoners with serious mental illness or a developmental disorder have been confined to administrative segregation.</p> <p>(2) The report required in subsection (1) must include a chart listing the number of prisoners housed in administrative segregation for each of the following time periods:</p> <p>(a) A continuous period exceeding 3 months but less than 6 months.</p> <p>(b) A continuous period exceeding 6 months but less than 12 months.</p> <p>(c) A continuous period exceeding 12 months or longer.</p> <p>(3) For any prisoner housed in administrative segregation for 12 months or longer, an explanation of the circumstances surrounding the prisoner's placement in administrative segregation.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-710. Retains current law with technical changes.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,"; strikes "annual".</p>			



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<p><i>Youthful Offenders</i></p> <p>Sec. 711. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall do all of the following:</p> <p>(a) Ensure that any inmate care and control staff in contact with prisoners less than 18 years of age are adequately trained with regard to the developmental and mental health needs of prisoners less than 18 years of age. Not later than April 1, the department shall report on the training curriculum used and the number and types of staff receiving annual training under that curriculum.</p> <p>(b) Provide appropriate placement for prisoners less than 18 years of age who have serious mental illness, serious emotional disturbance, or a serious developmental disorder and need to be housed separately from the general population. Prisoners less than 18 years of age who have serious mental illness, serious emotional disturbance, or a serious developmental disorder must not be removed from an existing placement as a punitive response to behavior caused by their serious mental illness, serious emotional disturbance, or a serious developmental disorder. A prisoner who is less than 18 years of age with serious mental illness or a serious developmental disorder that is unresponsive to treatment who presents a persistent high violence risk or engages in severe disruptive behavior may be placed in secure residential housing programs that facilitate services. A prisoner less than 18 years of age with serious mental illness, serious emotional disturbance, or a serious developmental disorder who is confined in these specialized housing programs must be evaluated or monitored by a medical professional at a frequency of not less than every 12 hours.</p> <p>(c) Implement a specialized offender success program that recognizes the needs of prisoners less than 18 years old for supervised offender success.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-711. Revises current law.</p> <p>Revises “that facilitate services” to “facilitate access to institutional programming and ongoing mental health services”.</p>			



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<p><i>Youths In Prison</i></p> <p>Sec. 712. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall submit quarterly reports on the number of youth in prison. The report must include, but not be limited to, all of the following information:</p> <p>(a) The total number of inmates under age 18 who are not on Holmes youthful trainee act status.</p> <p>(b) The total number of inmates under age 18 who are on Holmes youthful trainee act status.</p> <p>(c) The total number of inmates aged 18 to 23 who are on Holmes youthful trainee act status.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-712. Retains current law with technical changes.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,"; revises "under age 18" to "less than 18 years of age".</p>			
<p><i>Report on Restricted Visiting Privileges</i></p> <p>Sec. 713. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department must submit a report on the number of prisoners who lost visiting privileges. The report required under this section must be submitted not later than November 15 and include data for the previous fiscal year. The report must include all of the following information:</p> <p>(a) The number of prisoners who lost visiting privileges by race and by violation type.</p> <p>(b) The number of cumulative days visitation rights were lost since the start of the fiscal year.</p> <p>(c) The number of prisoners who applied to have visiting privileges restored.</p> <p>(d) The number of prisoners who had visiting privileges restored.</p> <p>(e) The number of prisoners who had visiting restrictions extended.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-713. Retains current law with technical changes.</p> <p>Strikes "From the funds appropriated in part 1,"; adds "Not later than November 15" to beginning of section; adds "during the previous fiscal year" after "privileges"; strikes "The report required under this section must be submitted not later than November 15 and include data for the previous fiscal year."; strikes "all of"; strikes "information"; strikes subsection (b).</p>			



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<p><i>Intelligence Unit</i></p> <p>Sec. 714. Funds appropriated in part 1 for intelligence unit must be used by the department to maintain an intelligence unit to conduct investigatory and intelligence operations for the department. Intelligence operations must include, but not be limited to, intelligence operations for prisoner phone services. Savings that result from transferring responsibility for intelligence operations from the contractor to the department must be passed on to prisoners and prisoners' families as the department continues to negotiate lower phone call rates in all future contracts. The department must continue to pursue all opportunities for reducing further the cost of phone calls for prisoners and prisoners' families.</p>	Strikes current law.			
<p><i>Notification of Plans to Close, Consolidate, or Relocate Prisons and Associated Savings</i></p> <p>Sec. 715. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department must submit a preliminary report on the department's plans to close, consolidate, or relocate any correctional facility in the state. The preliminary report must be provided not less than 30 days before the effective date of the closure, consolidation, or relocation. The preliminary report must include the projected savings to the state from closure, consolidation, or relocation of the facility and must include a projection of the potential impact on staff positions.</p> <p>(2) After a prison closure, consolidation, or relocation, the department must submit a report on the actual savings achieved by the department and the impact on staff positions. Savings amounts and impact on staff positions must be itemized by facility. The report required under this subsection must be submitted 6 months after the prison closure, consolidation, or relocation.</p> <p>(3) If the department is planning to close a correctional facility, the department must complete an analysis of the potential economic impact of the correctional facility closure on the local community where the facility is located. The analysis must be submitted within 30 days of the department's announcement regarding closure of the facility.</p>	Strikes current law.			



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<p><i>Investment in Communities After Facility Closure</i></p> <p>Sec. 716. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall consult with the legislature and other appropriate state agencies to develop a framework to provide investment in communities that have formerly operational state correctional facilities that have been closed. This framework must include plans to ensure that vacant state correctional facilities do not become a nuisance or danger to the community.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-716. Retains current law.</p>			
<p><i>Information Packet for Families of Prisoners</i></p> <p>Sec. 717. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall make an information packet for the families of incoming prisoners available on the department’s website. The information packet must be reviewed not later than February 1 and updated as necessary. The department may partner with external advocacy groups and actual families of prisoners in the packet-writing process to ensure that the information is useful and complete. The packet must provide information on topics including, but not limited to, all of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) How to put money into prisoner accounts. (b) How to make telephone calls or create Jpay email accounts. (c) How to visit in person. (d) Proper procedures for filing complaints or grievances. (e) The rights of prisoners to physical and mental health care. (f) The purpose and importance of prisoners signing a medical release of information form. (g) How to utilize the offender tracking information system (OTIS). (h) Truth in sentencing and how it applies to minimum sentences. (i) The parole process. (j) Guidance on the importance of the role of families in the reentry process. 	<p>Sec. 4-717. Retains current law.</p>			
<p><i>Reduce Fees and Copays</i></p> <p>Sec. 718. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department must pursue all opportunities to reduce costs for prisoners and prisoners’ families for financial deposit fees and commissary fees when the department negotiates or renews any contract to provide these services.</p>	<p>Sec. 4-718. Retains current law.</p>			



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<p>ONE-TIME APPROPRIATIONS</p> <p><i>Breast Milk Program</i></p> <p>Sec. 801. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for breast milk program must be used to fund a program to provide breast milk to the newborns of postpartum prisoners.</p> <p>(2) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall work in collaboration with Mama’s Mobile Milk to develop a contract for delivery services to ensure that every incarcerated individual who has given birth within the last 18 months has an opportunity to express breast milk for delivery to the child. Funds appropriated in part 1 must be used by the department to ensure that participating incarcerated individuals have access to necessary supplies, including a breast pump and appropriate, sanitary containers, and suitable sanitary storage of expressed milk while milk is in the department’s possession.</p> <p>(3) The department, its officials, and employees are immune from criminal and civil liability arising out of their involvement with the processes set forth in this program.</p> <p>(4) Mama’s Mobile Milk shall submit quarterly reports on all of the following:</p> <p>(a) The number of incarcerated individuals participating in the program.</p> <p>(b) The length of time incarcerated individuals participate.</p> <p>(c) The racial demographics of incarcerated individuals participating.</p> <p>(d) The location of infants served.</p> <p>(e) The custodial responsibility of infants served.</p>	<p>Strikes current law.</p>			



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<p>(5) Unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for breast milk program are designated as a work project appropriation. Unencumbered or unallotted funds must not lapse at the end of the fiscal year and must be available for expenditure until the project has been completed. The following is in compliance with section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:</p> <p>(a) The purpose of the project is to fund a program to provide breast milk to the newborns of postpartum prisoners.</p> <p>(b) The project will be accomplished by utilizing state employees or contracts with service providers, or both.</p> <p>(c) The total estimated cost of the project is \$500,000.00.</p> <p>(d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2028.</p>				
<p><i>In-Reach Services Expansion</i></p> <p>Sec. 802. In addition to the \$900,000.00 in ongoing funding appropriated in part 1 for offender success services to provide in-reach services, the department must allocate \$500,000.00 in 1-time funding for the same purpose. Funding must be used to expand the provision of in-reach parole planning services to all parolees prior to release from prison.</p>	Strikes current law.			
<p><i>Nation Outside</i></p> <p>Sec. 803. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for Nation Outside must be used by the department to support a contract with the goal of supporting statewide peer-led reentry programming. The contract must include peer-led group mentoring, along with 1-on-1 peer mentoring for referred parolees to improve housing, civic engagement, transportation, education, employment, and access to health care and insurance.</p> <p>(2) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for Nation Outside, the program must enlist Wayne State University to perform an independent program evaluation of the pilot program</p>	Strikes current law.			



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<p>(3) By July 1, Nation Outside must submit a report that includes all of the following information, as applicable:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) A list of program expenditures. (b) The number of enrollees. (c) The number of job placements. (d) The rate of 30-day, 90-day, and 2-year employment retention post release. (e) The number of individuals who successfully complete a court-ordered sentence. (f) The 1-, 2-, and 3-year return to prison rates, if available. (g) Outcomes and performance measures. 				
<p>Peer-Led Reentry Services</p> <p>Sec. 804. In addition to the \$1,500,000.00 in ongoing funding appropriated in part 1 for offender success community partners to provide peer-led reentry services, the department must allocate \$500,000.00 in 1-time funding for the same purpose. Funding must be used to expand the provision of peer-led reentry services to parolees.</p>	Strikes current law.			
<p>Thumb Correctional Facility Education Center</p> <p>Sec. 805. (1) Unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for Thumb education center are designated as a work project appropriation. Unencumbered or unallotted funds must not lapse at the end of the fiscal year and must be available for expenditures under this section until the project has been completed. The following is in compliance with section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) The purpose of the project is to provide education and vocational training at the Thumb Correctional Facility. (b) The project will be accomplished by utilizing state employees, contracts with service providers, or both. (c) The total estimated cost of the project is \$3,400,000.00. (d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2028 	Strikes current law.			