



SF0030

Wyoming's investment in veteran's mental health.

Sponsored By: Joint Transportation, Highways & Military Affairs
Interim Committee

AN ACT relating to education; establishing the Wyoming veteran loan repayment program; specifying eligibility; providing for loan repayment for veterans who provide mental health services within this state to veterans; providing a definition; requiring reporting; providing an appropriation; and providing for an effective date.

12/9/2024 Bill Number Assigned
12/19/2024 S Received for Introduction
1/15/2025 S Introduced and Referred to S08 - Transportation
1/23/2025 S08 - Transportation:Recommend Amend and Do Pass 5-0-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Brennan, Cooper, Kolb, Pappas
Ayes 5 **Nays** 0 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

1/23/2025 :Rerefer to S02 - Appropriations
1/28/2025 S02 - Appropriations:Recommend Amend and Do Pass 5-0-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Driskill, Gierau, Laursen, Salazar, Smith
Ayes 5 **Nays** 0 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

1/28/2025 S Placed on General File

SF0030SS001/ADOPTED

Page 1-line 5 Delete "amending a".
Page 1-line 6 Delete "prior appropriation;".
Page 6-line 6 Delete "school foundation program account" and insert "general fund".
Pages 7 through 15 Delete entirely.
Page 16-line 2 Delete "**Section 4.**" and insert "**Section 2.**". PAPPAS, CHAIRMAN

**SF0030SS002.01/ADOPTED [DIVIDED AMENDMENT]
(CORRECTED COPY)**

Page 1-line 6 Before "and providing" insert "providing an appropriation;".
Page 6-line 6 Delete "school foundation program account" and insert "general fund".
Page 15-after line 22 Insert and renumber as necessary:

"Section 2. There is appropriated two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000.00) from the general fund to the University of Wyoming for purposes of the Wyoming veteran loan repayment program established under W.S. 21-16-2001, as created by section 1 of this act. This appropriation shall be for the period beginning with the effective date of this act and ending June 30, 2026. This appropriation shall not be transferred or expended for any other purpose and any unexpended, unobligated funds remaining from this appropriation shall revert as provided by law on June 30, 2026. It is the intent of the legislature that this appropriation be included and doubled in the standard budget of the University of Wyoming for the immediately succeeding fiscal biennium but not be included in any subsequent fiscal biennium."

Page 16-line 2 Delete the first Senate standing committee amendment (SF0030SS001/A) to this line; delete "Section 4." and insert "Section 3.". SALAZAR, CHAIRMAN

**SF0030SS002.02/FAILED [DIVIDED AMENDMENT]
(CORRECTED COPY)**

Page 6-line 17 Delete "2035" and insert "2028". SALAZAR, CHAIRMAN

1/28/2025 S COW:Passed
1/29/2025 S 2nd Reading:Passed
1/30/2025 S 3rd Reading:Passed 20-10-1-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Barlow, Biteman, Boner, Brennan, Cooper, Crago, Crum, Dockstader, Driskill, Gierau, Jones, Landen, Nethercott, Olsen, Pappas, Rothfuss, Salazar, Schuler, Scott

Nays: Senator(s) Case, French, Hicks, Hutchings, Ide, Kolb, Laursen, Mckeown, Pearson, Steinmetz

Excused: Senator Smith

Ayes 20 Nays 10 Excused 1 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

1/30/2025 H Received for Introduction
2/12/2025 H Introduced and Referred to H02 - Appropriations
2/28/2025 H No report prior to CoW Cutoff
3/3/2025 H:Died in Committee Returned Bill Pursuant to HR 5-4