

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

2026 REGULAR SESSION

Introduced

Senate Bill 830

BY SENATORS SMITH (MR. PRESIDENT) AND WOELFEL

(BY REQUEST OF THE EXECUTIVE)

[Introduced February 9, 2026; referred
to the Committee on Finance]

1 A BILL supplementing and amending the appropriations of public moneys out of the Treasury
2 from the balance of moneys remaining as an unappropriated surplus balance in the State
3 Fund, General Revenue, to the Department of Human Services, Bureau for Social
4 Services – Adoption, fund 0488, fiscal year 2026, organization 0511; to the Department of
5 Human Services, Bureau for Social Services – Foster Care, fund 0489, fiscal year 2026,
6 organization 0511; and to the Department of Human Services, Bureau for Social Services
7 – Adult Services, fund 0492, fiscal year 2026, organization 0511, by adding new items of
8 appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026.

1 WHEREAS, The Governor submitted the Executive Budget Document to the Legislature
2 on January 14, 2026, containing a statement of the State Fund, General Revenue, setting forth
3 therein the cash balance as of July 1, 2025, and further included the estimate of revenue for the
4 fiscal year 2026, less net appropriation balances forwarded and regular and surplus
5 appropriations for the fiscal year 2026, and further included recommended expirations to the
6 unappropriated surplus balance of the State Fund, General Revenue; and

7 WHEREAS, It appears from the Governor’s Statement of the State Fund, General
8 Revenue, there now remains an unappropriated surplus balance in the Treasury which is
9 available for appropriation during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026; therefore

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

1 That the total appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, to fund 0488, fiscal
2 year 2026, organization 0511, be supplemented and amended by adding a new item of
3 appropriation as follows:

4 **TITLE II – APPROPRIATIONS.**

5 **Section 1. Appropriations from general revenue.**

6 **DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**

7 *89 - Bureau for Social Services –*

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Adoption

(W.V. Code Chapter 16)

Fund 0488 FY 2026 Org 0511

	Appro-	General
	priation	Revenue
		Fund
1a Social Services – Surplus	08200	7,767,412

And, that the total appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, to fund 0489, fiscal year 2026, organization 0511, be supplemented and amended by adding a new item of appropriation as follows:

TITLE II – APPROPRIATIONS.

Section 1. Appropriations from general revenue.

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

90 - Bureau for Social Services –

Foster Care

(W.V. Code Chapter 16)

Fund 0489 FY 2026 Org 0511

	Appro-	General
	priation	Revenue
		Fund
1a Social Services – Surplus	08200	19,689,498

And, that the total appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, to fund 0492, fiscal year 2026, organization 0511, be supplemented and amended by adding a new item of appropriation as follows:

TITLE II – APPROPRIATIONS.

