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**A BILL**

To amend section 4501.21 and to enact section 1  
4503.725 of the Revised Code to create the "ALS 2  
Awareness" license plate. 3

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

**Section 1.** That section 4501.21 be amended and section 4  
4503.725 of the Revised Code be enacted to read as follows: 5

**Sec. 4501.21.** (A) There is hereby created in the state 6  
treasury the license plate contribution fund. The fund shall 7  
consist of all contributions paid by motor vehicle registrants 8  
and collected by the registrar of motor vehicles pursuant to 9  
sections 4503.491, 4503.492, 4503.493, 4503.494, 4503.495, 10  
4503.496, 4503.497, 4503.498, 4503.499, 4503.4910, 4503.4911, 11  
4503.50, 4503.501, 4503.502, 4503.505, 4503.51, 4503.514, 12  
4503.521, 4503.522, 4503.523, 4503.524, 4503.525, 4503.526, 13  
4503.528, 4503.529, 4503.531, 4503.534, 4503.545, 4503.55, 14  
4503.551, 4503.552, 4503.553, 4503.554, 4503.555, 4503.556, 15  
4503.561, 4503.562, 4503.564, 4503.565, 4503.566, 4503.567, 16  
4503.576, 4503.577, 4503.591, 4503.592, 4503.594, 4503.595, 17  
4503.67, 4503.68, 4503.69, 4503.701, 4503.702, 4503.71, 18

4503.711, 4503.712, 4503.713, 4503.715, 4503.72, 4503.722, 19  
4503.725, 4503.73, 4503.732, 4503.733, 4503.734, 4503.74, 20  
4503.75, 4503.751, 4503.752, 4503.763, 4503.764, 4503.765, 21  
4503.85, 4503.86, 4503.87, 4503.871, 4503.872, 4503.873, 22  
4503.874, 4503.875, 4503.876, 4503.877, 4503.878, 4503.879, 23  
4503.88, 4503.89, 4503.891, 4503.892, 4503.90, 4503.901, 24  
4503.902, 4503.903, 4503.904, 4503.905, 4503.906, 4503.907, 25  
4503.908, 4503.909, 4503.92, 4503.94, 4503.941, 4503.951, 26  
4503.952, 4503.953, 4503.954, 4503.955, 4503.97, and 4503.98 of 27  
the Revised Code. 28

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 77

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

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

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

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

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

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

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 106

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

The registrar shall pay each contribution the registrar 111  
receives pursuant to section 4503.51 of the Revised Code to the 112  
university or college whose name or marking or design appears on 113  
collegiate license plates that are issued to a person under that 114  
section. A university or college that receives contributions 115  
from the fund shall deposit the contributions into its general 116  
scholarship fund. 117

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 118  
receives pursuant to section 4503.514 of the Revised Code to the 119  
university of Notre Dame in South Bend, Indiana, for purposes of 120  
awarding grants or scholarships to residents of Ohio who attend 121  
the university. The university shall not use any of the funds it 122  
receives for purposes of administering the scholarship program. 123  
The registrar shall enter into appropriate agreements with the 124  
university of Notre Dame to effectuate the distribution of such 125  
funds as provided in this section. 126

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 127  
receives pursuant to section 4503.521 of the Revised Code to the 128  
Ohio bicycle federation to assist that organization in paying 129  
for the educational programs it sponsors in support of Ohio 130  
cyclists of all ages. 131

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 132  
receives pursuant to section 4503.522 of the Revised Code to the 133  
"friends of Perry's victory and international peace memorial, 134  
incorporated," a nonprofit corporation organized under the laws 135  
of this state, to assist that organization in paying the 136

expenses it incurs in sponsoring or holding charitable, 137  
educational, and cultural events at the monument. 138

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 139  
receives pursuant to section 4503.523 of the Revised Code to the 140  
fairport lights foundation, which shall use the money to pay for 141  
the restoration, maintenance, and preservation of the 142  
lighthouses of fairport harbor. 143

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 144  
receives pursuant to section 4503.524 of the Revised Code to the 145  
Massillon tiger football booster club, which shall use the 146  
contributions only to promote and support the football team of 147  
Washington high school of the Massillon city school district. 148

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 149  
receives pursuant to section 4503.525 of the Revised Code to the 150  
United States power squadron districts seven, eleven, twenty- 151  
four, and twenty-nine in equal amounts. Each power squadron 152  
district shall use the money it receives under this section to 153  
pay for the educational boating programs each district holds or 154  
sponsors within this state. 155

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 156  
receives pursuant to section 4503.526 of the Revised Code to the 157  
Ohio district Kiwanis foundation of the Ohio district of Kiwanis 158  
international, which shall use the money it receives under this 159  
section to pay the costs of its educational and humanitarian 160  
activities. 161

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 162  
receives pursuant to section 4503.528 of the Revised Code to the 163  
Ohio children's alliance, which shall use the money it receives 164  
under this section to pay the expenses it incurs in advancing 165

its mission of sustainably improving the provision of services 166  
to children, young adults, and families in this state. 167

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 168  
receives pursuant to section 4503.529 of the Revised Code to the 169  
Ohio nurses foundation. The foundation shall use the money it 170  
receives under this section to provide educational scholarships 171  
to assist individuals who aspire to join the nursing profession, 172  
to assist nurses in the nursing profession who seek to advance 173  
their education, and to support persons conducting nursing 174  
research concerning the evidence-based practice of nursing and 175  
the improvement of patient outcomes. 176

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 177  
receives pursuant to section 4503.531 of the Revised Code to the 178  
thank you foundation, incorporated, a nonprofit corporation 179  
organized under the laws of this state, to assist that 180  
organization in paying for the charitable activities and 181  
programs it sponsors in support of United States military 182  
personnel, veterans, and their families. 183

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 184  
receives pursuant to section 4503.534 of the Revised Code to the 185  
disabled American veterans department of Ohio, to be used for 186  
programs that serve disabled American veterans and their 187  
families. 188

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 189  
receives pursuant to section 4503.55 of the Revised Code to the 190  
pro football hall of fame, which shall deposit the contributions 191  
into a special bank account that it establishes and which shall 192  
be separate and distinct from any other account the pro football 193  
hall of fame maintains, to be used exclusively for the purpose 194  
of promoting the pro football hall of fame as a travel 195

destination. 196

The registrar shall pay the contributions that are paid to 197  
the registrar pursuant to section 4503.545 of the Revised Code 198  
to the national rifle association foundation, which shall use 199  
the money to pay the costs of the educational activities and 200  
programs the foundation holds or sponsors in this state. 201

The registrar shall pay to the Ohio pet fund the 202  
contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 203  
4503.551 of the Revised Code and any other money from any other 204  
source, including donations, gifts, and grants, that is 205  
designated by the source to be paid to the Ohio pet fund. The 206  
Ohio pet fund shall use the moneys it receives under this 207  
section to support programs for the sterilization of dogs and 208  
cats and for educational programs concerning the proper 209  
veterinary care of those animals, and for expenses of the Ohio 210  
pet fund that are reasonably necessary for it to obtain and 211  
maintain its tax-exempt status and to perform its duties. 212

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 213  
receives pursuant to section 4503.552 of the Revised Code to the 214  
rock and roll hall of fame and museum, incorporated. 215

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 216  
receives pursuant to section 4503.553 of the Revised Code to the 217  
Ohio coalition for animals, incorporated, a nonprofit 218  
corporation. Except as provided in division (B) of this section, 219  
the coalition shall distribute the money to its members, and the 220  
members shall use the money only to pay for educational, 221  
charitable, and other programs of each coalition member that 222  
provide care for unwanted, abused, and neglected horses. The 223  
Ohio coalition for animals may use a portion of the money to pay 224  
for reasonable marketing costs incurred in the design and 225



promotion of the license plate and for administrative costs 226  
incurred in the disbursement and management of funds received 227  
under this section. 228

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 229  
receives pursuant to section 4503.554 of the Revised Code to the 230  
Ohio state council of the knights of Columbus, which shall use 231  
the contributions to pay for its charitable activities and 232  
programs. 233

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 234  
receives pursuant to section 4503.555 of the Revised Code to the 235  
western reserve historical society, which shall use the 236  
contributions to fund the Crawford auto aviation museum. 237

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 238  
receives pursuant to section 4503.556 of the Revised Code to the 239  
Erica J. Holloman foundation, inc., for the awareness of triple 240  
negative breast cancer. The foundation shall use the 241  
contributions for charitable and educational purposes. 242

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 243  
receives pursuant to section 4503.561 of the Revised Code to the 244  
state of Ohio chapter of ducks unlimited, inc., which shall 245  
deposit the contributions into a special bank account that it 246  
establishes. The special bank account shall be separate and 247  
distinct from any other account the state of Ohio chapter of 248  
ducks unlimited, inc., maintains and shall be used exclusively 249  
for the purpose of protecting, enhancing, restoring, and 250  
managing wetlands and conserving wildlife habitat. The state of 251  
Ohio chapter of ducks unlimited, inc., annually shall notify the 252  
registrar in writing of the name, address, and account to which 253  
such payments are to be made. 254

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

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

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

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

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

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

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar receives pursuant to section 4503.577 of the Revised Code to the

national aviation hall of fame, which shall use the 284  
contributions to fulfill its mission of honoring aerospace 285  
legends to inspire future leaders. 286

The registrar shall pay to a sports commission created 287  
pursuant to section 4503.591 of the Revised Code each 288  
contribution the registrar receives under that section that an 289  
applicant pays to obtain license plates that bear the logo of a 290  
professional sports team located in the county of that sports 291  
commission and that is participating in the license plate 292  
program pursuant to division (E) of that section, irrespective 293  
of the county of residence of an applicant. 294

The registrar shall pay to a community charity each 295  
contribution the registrar receives under section 4503.591 of 296  
the Revised Code that an applicant pays to obtain license plates 297  
that bear the logo of a professional sports team that is 298  
participating in the license plate program pursuant to division 299  
(G) of that section. 300

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 301  
receives pursuant to section 4503.592 of the Revised Code to 302  
pollinator partnership's monarch wings across Ohio program, 303  
which shall use the contributions for the protection and 304  
preservation of the monarch butterfly and pollinator corridor in 305  
Ohio and for educational programs. 306

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 307  
receives pursuant to section 4503.594 of the Revised Code to 308  
pelotonia, which shall use the contributions for the purpose of 309  
supporting cancer research. 310

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 311  
receives pursuant to section 4503.595 of the Revised Code to the 312

Stan Hywet hall and gardens. 313

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 314  
receives pursuant to section 4503.67 of the Revised Code to the 315  
Dan Beard council of the boy scouts of America. The council 316  
shall distribute all contributions in an equitable manner 317  
throughout the state to regional councils of the boy scouts. 318

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 319  
receives pursuant to section 4503.68 of the Revised Code to the 320  
great river council of the girl scouts of the United States of 321  
America. The council shall distribute all contributions in an 322  
equitable manner throughout the state to regional councils of 323  
the girl scouts. 324

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 325  
receives pursuant to section 4503.69 of the Revised Code to the 326  
Dan Beard council of the boy scouts of America. The council 327  
shall distribute all contributions in an equitable manner 328  
throughout the state to regional councils of the boy scouts. 329

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 330  
receives pursuant to section 4503.701 of the Revised Code to the 331  
Prince Hall grand lodge of free and accepted masons of Ohio, 332  
which shall use the contributions for scholarship purposes. 333

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 334  
receives pursuant to section 4503.702 of the Revised Code to the 335  
Ohio Association of the Improved Benevolent and Protective Order 336  
of the Elks of the World, which shall use the funds for 337  
charitable purposes. 338

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 339  
receives pursuant to section 4503.71 of the Revised Code to the 340  
fraternal order of police of Ohio, incorporated, which shall 341

deposit the fees into its general account to be used for 342  
purposes of the fraternal order of police of Ohio, incorporated. 343

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 344  
receives pursuant to section 4503.711 of the Revised Code to the 345  
fraternal order of police of Ohio, incorporated, which shall 346  
deposit the contributions into an account that it creates to be 347  
used for the purpose of advancing and protecting the law 348  
enforcement profession, promoting improved law enforcement 349  
methods, and teaching respect for law and order. 350

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 351  
pursuant to section 4503.712 of the Revised Code to Ohio 352  
concerns of police survivors, which shall use those 353  
contributions to provide whatever assistance may be appropriate 354  
to the families of Ohio law enforcement officers who are killed 355  
in the line of duty. 356

The registrar shall pay the contributions received 357  
pursuant to section 4503.713 of the Revised Code to the greater 358  
Cleveland peace officers memorial society, which shall use those 359  
contributions to honor law enforcement officers who have died in 360  
the line of duty and support its charitable purposes. 361

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 362  
receives pursuant to section 4503.715 of the Revised Code to the 363  
fallen linemen organization, which shall use the contributions 364  
to recognize and memorialize fallen linemen and support their 365  
families. 366

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 367  
receives pursuant to section 4503.72 of the Revised Code to the 368  
organization known on March 31, 2003, as the Ohio CASA/GAL 369  
association, a private, nonprofit corporation organized under 370

Chapter 1702. of the Revised Code. The Ohio CASA/GAL association 371  
shall use these contributions to pay the expenses it incurs in 372  
administering a program to secure the proper representation in 373  
the courts of this state of abused, neglected, and dependent 374  
children, and for the training and supervision of persons 375  
participating in that program. 376

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 377  
receives pursuant to section 4503.722 of the Revised Code to the 378  
Down Syndrome Association of Central Ohio, which shall use the 379  
contributions for advocacy purposes throughout the state. 380

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 381  
receives pursuant to section 4503.725 of the Revised Code to the 382  
ALS association central & southern Ohio chapter, which shall 383  
split the contributions between that chapter and the ALS 384  
association northern Ohio chapter in accordance with any 385  
agreement between the two associations. The contributions shall 386  
be used to discover treatments and a cure for ALS, and to serve, 387  
advocate for, and empower people affected by ALS to live their 388  
lives to the fullest. 389

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 390  
receives pursuant to section 4503.73 of the Revised Code to 391  
Wright B. Flyer, incorporated, which shall deposit the 392  
contributions into its general account to be used for purposes 393  
of Wright B. Flyer, incorporated. 394

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 395  
receives pursuant to section 4503.732 of the Revised Code to the 396  
Siegel Shuster society, a nonprofit organization dedicated to 397  
commemorating and celebrating the creation of Superman in 398  
Cleveland, Ohio. 399

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

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

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

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

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

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 429  
receives pursuant to section 4503.752 of the Revised Code to 430  
buckeye corvettes, incorporated, which shall use the 431  
contributions to pay for its charitable activities and programs. 432

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 433  
receives pursuant to section 4503.763 of the Revised Code to the 434  
Ohio history connection to be used solely to build, support, and 435  
maintain the Ohio battleflag collection within the Ohio history 436  
connection. 437

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 438  
receives pursuant to section 4503.764 of the Revised Code to the 439  
Medina county historical society, which shall use those 440  
contributions to distribute between the various historical 441  
societies and museums in Medina county. 442

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 443  
receives pursuant to section 4503.765 of the Revised Code to the 444  
Amaranth grand chapter foundation, which shall use the 445  
contributions for communal outreach, charitable service, and 446  
scholarship purposes. 447

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 448  
receives pursuant to section 4503.85 of the Revised Code to the 449  
Ohio sea grant college program to be used for Lake Erie area 450  
research projects. 451

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 452  
receives pursuant to section 4503.86 of the Revised Code to the 453  
Ohio Lincoln highway historic byway, which shall use those 454  
contributions solely to promote and support the historical 455  
preservation and advertisement of the Lincoln highway in this 456  
state. 457



The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 458  
receives pursuant to section 4503.87 of the Revised Code to the 459  
Grove City little league dream field fund, which shall use those 460  
contributions solely to build, maintain, and improve youth 461  
baseball fields within the municipal corporation of Grove City. 462

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 463  
receives pursuant to section 4503.871 of the Revised Code to the 464  
Solon city school district. The school district shall use the 465  
contributions it receives to pay the expenses it incurs in 466  
providing services to the school district's students that assist 467  
in developing or maintaining the mental and emotional well-being 468  
of the students. The services provided may include bereavement 469  
counseling, instruction in defensive driving techniques, 470  
sensitivity training, and the counseling and education of 471  
students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug abuse, 472  
suicide prevention, and human trafficking. The school district 473  
superintendent or, in the school district superintendent's 474  
discretion, the appropriate school principal or appropriate 475  
school counselors shall determine any charitable organizations 476  
that the school district hires to provide those services. The 477  
school district also may use the contributions it receives to 478  
pay for members of the faculty of the school district to receive 479  
training in providing such services to the students of the 480  
school district. The school district shall ensure that any 481  
charitable organization that is hired by the district is exempt 482  
from federal income taxation under subsection 501(c)(3) of the 483  
Internal Revenue Code. The school district shall not use the 484  
contributions it receives for any other purpose. 485

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 486  
receives pursuant to section 4503.872 of the Revised Code to the 487  
Canton city school district. The district may use the 488

contributions for student welfare, but shall not use the 489  
contributions for any political purpose or to pay salaries of 490  
district employees. 491

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 492  
receives pursuant to section 4503.873 of the Revised Code to 493  
Padua Franciscan high school located in the municipal 494  
corporation of Parma. The school shall use fifty per cent of the 495  
contributions it receives to provide tuition assistance to its 496  
students. The school shall use the remaining fifty per cent to 497  
pay the expenses it incurs in providing services to the school's 498  
students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 499  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 500  
include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 501  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 502  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 503  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 504  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 505  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 506  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 507  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 508  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 509  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 510  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 511  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 512  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 513  
purpose. 514

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 515  
receives pursuant to section 4503.874 of the Revised Code to St. 516  
Edward high school located in the municipal corporation of 517  
Lakewood. The school shall use fifty per cent of the 518  
contributions it receives to provide tuition assistance to its 519

students. The school shall use the remaining fifty per cent to 520  
pay the expenses it incurs in providing services to the school's 521  
students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 522  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 523  
include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 524  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 525  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 526  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 527  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 528  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 529  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 530  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 531  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 532  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 533  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 534  
subsection 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 535  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 536  
purpose. 537

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 538  
receives pursuant to section 4503.875 of the Revised Code to 539  
Walsh Jesuit high school located in the municipal corporation of 540  
Cuyahoga Falls. The school shall use fifty per cent of the 541  
contributions it receives to provide tuition assistance to its 542  
students. The school shall use the remaining fifty per cent to 543  
pay the expenses it incurs in providing services to the school's 544  
students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 545  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 546  
include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 547  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 548  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 549  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 550

providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 551  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 552  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 553  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 554  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 555  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 556  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 557  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 558  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 559  
purpose. 560

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 561  
receives pursuant to section 4503.876 of the Revised Code to the 562  
North Royalton city school district. The school district shall 563  
use the contributions it receives to pay the expenses it incurs 564  
in providing services to the school district's students that 565  
assist in developing or maintaining the mental and emotional 566  
well-being of the students. The services provided may include 567  
bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 568  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 569  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 570  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. The school 571  
district superintendent or, in the school district 572  
superintendent's discretion, the appropriate school principal or 573  
appropriate school counselors shall determine any charitable 574  
organizations that the school district hires to provide those 575  
services. The school district also may use the contributions it 576  
receives to pay for members of the faculty of the school 577  
district to receive training in providing such services to the 578  
students of the school district. The school district shall 579  
ensure that any charitable organization that is hired by the 580  
district is exempt from federal income taxation under subsection 581

501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school district 582  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 583  
purpose. 584

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 585  
receives pursuant to section 4503.877 of the Revised Code to the 586  
Independence local school district. The school district shall 587  
use the contributions it receives to pay the expenses it incurs 588  
in providing services to the school district's students that 589  
assist in developing or maintaining the mental and emotional 590  
well-being of the students. The services provided may include 591  
bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 592  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 593  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 594  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. The school 595  
district superintendent or, in the school district 596  
superintendent's discretion, the appropriate school principal or 597  
appropriate school counselors shall determine any charitable 598  
organizations that the school district hires to provide those 599  
services. The school district also may use the contributions it 600  
receives to pay for members of the faculty of the school 601  
district to receive training in providing such services to the 602  
students of the school district. The school district shall 603  
ensure that any charitable organization that is hired by the 604  
district is exempt from federal income taxation under subsection 605  
501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school district 606  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 607  
purpose. 608

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 609  
receives pursuant to section 4503.878 of the Revised Code to the 610  
Cuyahoga Heights local school district. The school district 611  
shall use the contributions it receives to pay the expenses it 612

incurs in providing services to the school district's students 613  
that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 614  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 615  
include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 616  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 617  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 618  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. The school 619  
district superintendent or, in the school district 620  
superintendent's discretion, the appropriate school principal or 621  
appropriate school counselors, shall determine any charitable 622  
organizations that the school district hires to provide those 623  
services. The school district also may use the contributions it 624  
receives to pay for members of the faculty of the school 625  
district to receive training in providing such services to the 626  
students of the school district. The school district shall 627  
ensure that any charitable organization that is hired by the 628  
district is exempt from federal income taxation under subsection 629  
501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school district 630  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 631  
purpose. 632

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 633  
receives pursuant to section 4503.879 of the Revised Code to the 634  
west technical high school alumni association, which shall use 635  
the contributions for activities sponsored by the association. 636

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 637  
receives pursuant to section 4503.88 of the Revised Code to the 638  
Kenston local school district. The school district shall use the 639  
contributions it receives to pay the expenses it incurs in 640  
providing services that assist in developing or maintaining a 641  
culture of environmental responsibility and an innovative 642  
science, technology, engineering, art, and math (S.T.E.A.M.) 643

curriculum to the school district's students. The school 644  
district shall not use the contributions it receives for any 645  
other purpose. 646

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 647  
receives pursuant to section 4503.89 of the Revised Code to the 648  
American red cross of greater Columbus on behalf of the Ohio 649  
chapters of the American red cross, which shall use the 650  
contributions for disaster readiness, preparedness, and response 651  
programs on a statewide basis. 652

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 653  
receives pursuant to section 4503.891 of the Revised Code to the 654  
Ohio lions foundation. The foundation shall use the 655  
contributions for charitable and educational purposes. 656

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 657  
receives pursuant to section 4503.892 of the Revised Code to the 658  
Hudson city school district. The school district shall not use 659  
the contributions it receives for any political purpose. 660

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 661  
receives pursuant to section 4503.90 of the Revised Code to the 662  
nationwide children's hospital foundation. 663

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 664  
receives pursuant to section 4503.901 of the Revised Code to the 665  
Ohio association for pupil transportation, which shall use the 666  
money to support transportation programs, provide training to 667  
school transportation professionals, and support other 668  
initiatives for school transportation safety. 669

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 670  
receives pursuant to section 4503.902 of the Revised Code to St. 671  
Ignatius high school located in the municipal corporation of 672

Cleveland. The school shall use fifty per cent of the 673  
contributions it receives to provide tuition assistance to its 674  
students. The school shall use the remaining fifty per cent to 675  
pay the expenses it incurs in providing services to the school's 676  
students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 677  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 678  
include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 679  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 680  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 681  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 682  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 683  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 684  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 685  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 686  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 687  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 688  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 689  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 690  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 691  
purpose. 692

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 693  
receives pursuant to section 4503.903 of the Revised Code to the 694  
Brecksville-Broadview Heights city school district. The school 695  
district shall use the contributions it receives to pay the 696  
expenses it incurs in providing services to the school 697  
district's students that assist in developing or maintaining the 698  
mental and emotional well-being of the students. The services 699  
provided may include bereavement counseling, instruction in 700  
defensive driving techniques, sensitivity training, and the 701  
counseling and education of students regarding bullying, dating 702  
violence, drug abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. 703



The school district superintendent or, in the school district 704  
superintendent's discretion, the appropriate school principal or 705  
appropriate school counselors shall determine any charitable 706  
organizations that the school district hires to provide those 707  
services. The school district also may use the contributions it 708  
receives to pay for members of the faculty of the school 709  
district to receive training in providing such services to the 710  
students of the school district. The school district shall 711  
ensure that any charitable organization that is hired by the 712  
district is exempt from federal income taxation under subsection 713  
501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school district 714  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 715  
purpose. 716

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 717  
receives pursuant to section 4503.904 of the Revised Code to the 718  
Chagrin Falls exempted village school district. The school 719  
district shall use the contributions it receives to pay the 720  
expenses it incurs in providing services to the school 721  
district's students that assist in developing or maintaining the 722  
mental and emotional well-being of the students. The services 723  
provided may include bereavement counseling, instruction in 724  
defensive driving techniques, sensitivity training, and the 725  
counseling and education of students regarding bullying, dating 726  
violence, drug abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. 727  
The school district superintendent or, in the school district 728  
superintendent's discretion, the appropriate school principal or 729  
appropriate school counselors shall determine any charitable 730  
organizations that the school district hires to provide those 731  
services. The school district also may use the contributions it 732  
receives to pay for members of the faculty of the school 733  
district to receive training in providing such services to the 734

students of the school district. The school district shall 735  
ensure that any charitable organization that is hired by the 736  
district is exempt from federal income taxation under subsection 737  
501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school district 738  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 739  
purpose. 740

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 741  
receives pursuant to section 4503.905 of the Revised Code to the 742  
Cuyahoga valley career center. The career center shall use the 743  
contributions it receives to pay the expenses it incurs in 744  
providing services to the career center's students that assist 745  
in developing or maintaining the mental and emotional well-being 746  
of the students. The services provided may include bereavement 747  
counseling, instruction in defensive driving techniques, 748  
sensitivity training, and the counseling and education of 749  
students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug abuse, 750  
suicide prevention, and human trafficking. The career center's 751  
superintendent or in the career center's superintendent's 752  
discretion, the school board or appropriate school counselors 753  
shall determine any charitable organizations that the career 754  
center hires to provide those services. The career center also 755  
may use the contributions it receives to pay for members of the 756  
faculty of the career center to receive training in providing 757  
such services to the students of the career center. The career 758  
center shall ensure that any charitable organization that is 759  
hired by the career center is exempt from federal income 760  
taxation under subsection 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue 761  
Code. The career center shall not use the contributions it 762  
receives for any other purpose. 763

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 764  
receives pursuant to section 4503.906 of the Revised Code to the 765

Stow-Munroe Falls city school district. The school district 766  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any political 767  
purpose. 768

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 769  
receives pursuant to section 4503.907 of the Revised Code to the 770  
Twinsburg city school district. The school district shall not 771  
use the contributions it receives for any political purpose. 772

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 773  
receives pursuant to section 4503.908 of the Revised Code to St. 774  
Xavier high school located in Springfield township in Hamilton 775  
county. The school shall use fifty per cent of the contributions 776  
it receives to provide tuition assistance to its students. The 777  
school shall use the remaining fifty per cent to pay the 778  
expenses it incurs in providing services to the school's 779  
students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 780  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 781  
include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 782  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 783  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 784  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 785  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 786  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 787  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 788  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 789  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 790  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 791  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 792  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 793  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 794  
purpose. 795

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

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

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

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

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

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar

receives pursuant to section 4503.952 of the Revised Code to 825  
Hawken school located in northeast Ohio. The school shall use 826  
fifty per cent of the contributions it receives to provide 827  
tuition assistance to its students. The school shall use the 828  
remaining fifty per cent to pay the expenses it incurs in 829  
providing services to the school's students that assist in 830  
developing or maintaining the mental and emotional well-being of 831  
the students. The services provided may include bereavement 832  
counseling, instruction in defensive driving techniques, 833  
sensitivity training, and the counseling and education of 834  
students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug abuse, 835  
suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 836  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 837  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 838  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 839  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 840  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 841  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 842  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 843  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 844  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 845  
purpose. 846

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 847  
receives pursuant to section 4503.953 of the Revised Code to 848  
Gilmour academy located in the municipal corporation of Gates 849  
Mills. The school shall use fifty per cent of the contributions 850  
it receives to provide tuition assistance to its students. The 851  
school shall use the remaining fifty per cent to pay the 852  
expenses it incurs in providing services to the school's 853  
students that assist in developing or maintaining the mental and 854  
emotional well-being of the students. The services provided may 855

include bereavement counseling, instruction in defensive driving 856  
techniques, sensitivity training, and the counseling and 857  
education of students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug 858  
abuse, suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 859  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 860  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 861  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 862  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 863  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 864  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 865  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 866  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 867  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 868  
purpose. 869

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 870  
receives pursuant to section 4503.954 of the Revised Code to 871  
University school located in the suburban area near the 872  
municipal corporation of Cleveland. The school shall use fifty 873  
per cent of the contributions it receives to provide tuition 874  
assistance to its students. The school shall use the remaining 875  
fifty per cent to pay the expenses it incurs in providing 876  
services to the school's students that assist in developing or 877  
maintaining the mental and emotional well-being of the students. 878  
The services provided may include bereavement counseling, 879  
instruction in defensive driving techniques, sensitivity 880  
training, and the counseling and education of students regarding 881  
bullying, dating violence, drug abuse, suicide prevention, and 882  
human trafficking. As a part of providing such services, the 883  
school may pay for members of the faculty of the school to 884  
receive training in providing those services. The school 885  
principal or, in the school principal's discretion, appropriate 886

school counselors shall determine any charitable organizations 887  
that the school hires to provide those services. The school 888  
shall ensure that any such charitable organization is exempt 889  
from federal income taxation under subsection 501(c)(3) of the 890  
Internal Revenue Code. The school shall not use the 891  
contributions it receives for any other purpose. 892

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 893  
receives pursuant to section 4503.955 of the Revised Code to 894  
Saint Albert the Great school located in North Royalton. The 895  
school shall use fifty per cent of the contributions it receives 896  
to provide tuition assistance to its students. The school shall 897  
use the remaining fifty per cent to pay the expenses it incurs 898  
in providing services to the school's students that assist in 899  
developing or maintaining the mental and emotional well-being of 900  
the students. The services provided may include bereavement 901  
counseling, instruction in defensive driving techniques, 902  
sensitivity training, and the counseling and education of 903  
students regarding bullying, dating violence, drug abuse, 904  
suicide prevention, and human trafficking. As a part of 905  
providing such services, the school may pay for members of the 906  
faculty of the school to receive training in providing those 907  
services. The school principal or, in the school principal's 908  
discretion, appropriate school counselors shall determine any 909  
charitable organizations that the school hires to provide those 910  
services. The school shall ensure that any such charitable 911  
organization is exempt from federal income taxation under 912  
subsection 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The school 913  
shall not use the contributions it receives for any other 914  
purpose. 915

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 916  
receives pursuant to section 4503.97 of the Revised Code to the 917

friends of united Hatzalah of Israel, which shall use the money 918  
to support united Hatzalah of Israel, which provides free 919  
emergency medical first response throughout Israel. 920

The registrar shall pay the contributions the registrar 921  
receives pursuant to section 4503.98 of the Revised Code to the 922  
Westerville parks foundation to support the programs and 923  
activities of the foundation and its mission of pursuing the 924  
city of Westerville's vision of becoming "A City Within A Park." 925

(C) All investment earnings of the license plate 926  
contribution fund shall be credited to the fund. Not later than 927  
the first day of May of every year, the registrar shall 928  
distribute to each entity described in division (B) of this 929  
section the investment income the fund earned the previous 930  
calendar year. The amount of such a distribution paid to an 931  
entity shall be proportionate to the amount of money the entity 932  
received from the fund during the previous calendar year. 933

Sec. 4503.725. (A) The owner or lessee of any passenger 934  
car, noncommercial motor vehicle, recreational vehicle, or other 935  
vehicle of a class approved by the registrar of motor vehicles 936  
may apply to the registrar for the registration of the vehicle 937  
and issuance of "ALS Awareness" license plates. The application 938  
may be combined with a request for a special reserved license 939  
plate under section 4503.40 or 4503.42 of the Revised Code. Upon 940  
receipt of the completed application and compliance by the 941  
applicant with divisions (B) and (C) of this section, the 942  
registrar shall issue to the applicant the appropriate vehicle 943  
registration and a set of "ALS Awareness" license plates and a 944  
validation sticker, or a validation sticker alone when required 945  
by section 4503.191 of the Revised Code. 946

In addition to the letters and numbers ordinarily 947



inscribed on the license plates, "ALS Awareness" license plates 948  
shall display an appropriate logo and words selected by 949  
representatives of the ALS association central & southern Ohio 950  
chapter and the ALS association northern Ohio chapter, and that 951  
are approved by the registrar. "ALS Awareness" license plates 952  
shall display county identification stickers that identify the 953  
county of registration as required under section 4503.19 of the 954  
Revised Code. 955

(B) "ALS Awareness" license plates and a validation 956  
sticker, or validation sticker alone, shall be issued upon 957  
receipt of an application for registration of a motor vehicle 958  
under this section; payment of the regular license tax as 959  
prescribed under section 4503.04 of the Revised Code, any 960  
applicable motor vehicle license tax levied under Chapter 4504. 961  
of the Revised Code, any applicable additional fee prescribed by 962  
section 4503.40 or 4503.42 of the Revised Code, an additional 963  
administrative fee of ten dollars, and a contribution as 964  
provided in division (C) (1) of this section; and compliance with 965  
all other applicable laws relating to the registration of motor 966  
vehicles. 967

(C) (1) For each application for registration and 968  
registration renewal notice the registrar receives under this 969  
section, the registrar shall collect a contribution of twenty- 970  
five dollars. The registrar shall deposit this contribution into 971  
the state treasury to the credit of the license plate 972  
contribution fund created in section 4501.21 of the Revised 973  
Code. 974

(2) The registrar shall deposit the administrative fee of 975  
ten dollars, the purpose of which is to compensate the bureau of 976  
motor vehicles for additional services required in the issuing 977

of "ALS Awareness" license plates, into the state treasury to 978  
the credit of the public safety - highway purposes fund created 979  
in section 4501.06 of the Revised Code. 980

**Section 2.** That existing section 4501.21 of the Revised 981  
Code is hereby repealed. 982