

2019-2021 Legislative Concepts * (DRAFT)



Oregon
Department
of Agriculture

LC Number	PROGRAM	TITLE	DESCRIPTION
LC 451	Pesticide	Program efficiency improvement	Eliminates a duplicative re-take fee (\$5) collected by ODA for pesticide applicators that failed to receive a passing grade or for other reasons was not issued a license as a result of an examination.
LC 453	Food Safety	Fee increase	Extend the existing statute which allows for fee increases of no more than 3 percent per year. Existing statute expires June 30, 2018. <i>Note: ODA will develop a Program Option Package that reverses the \$1.4M fund shift back to General Fund. <u>Both elements together are needed to keep the program whole.</u></i>
LC 454	Food Safety	Unlicensed operators	Identify and develop a process to address unlicensed food safety operators. This could include obtaining authority to close and condemn establishments or other legal means to discontinue unlicensed activities.
LC 450	Weights & Measures	Fee increase	Increase statutory maximum license fee for all weighing and measuring devices. Also allow for fee increases of no more than 3 percent per year. The last statutory fee increase was in 2007.
LC 455	CAFO Program	Fee increase	In 2011, the CAFO program fees were raised to the level that would cover the cost of one full-time equivalent (FTE) position. The current fee structure no longer fully supports the cost of one FTE. ODA proposes to increase the annual permit fee cap for each existing category (small, medium and large) for the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Discharge (NPDES) general permit holders, Wastewater Pollution Control Facilities (WPCF) general permit holders, and individual NPDES and WPCF permit holders. ODA also proposes to increase the application fee for new individual NPDES CAFO permits. The fee amount for small, medium and large CAFOs will be defined in rule.
LC 457	Oregon Invasive Species Council (OISC)	Biennial reporting	Requires the OISC to report biennially to the legislature no later than June 30 th of each even-numbered year.

*In no particular order