## **BILL SUMMARY**

1<sup>st</sup> Session of the 59<sup>th</sup> Legislature

Bill No.: HB2884 Version: PCS1

**Request Number:** 

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Impact: Appropriates from the Statewide

**Recovery Fund: DHS:**\$65,242,360

## **Research Analysis**

The proposed committee substitute for HB2884 outlines appropriations from the State Recovery Fund to the Department of Human Services to implement and fund program recommendations adopted by the Joint Committee on Pandemic Relief. DHS is required to submit quarterly budget and expenditure reports to the committee and legislative leaders. Appropriations to DHS include:

- \$25 million for expanding care services;
- \$2.8 million to support domestic violence victims;
- \$700,000 to support services for child abuse and neglect;
- \$1 million for building improvements for a facility that serves domestic violence, sexual assault and sex trafficking victims;
- \$2 million to develop a multipurpose community facility for domestic violence and sexual abuse victims:
- \$30.1 million to promote health childhood environments and address educational disparities;
- \$3 million for a food program that focuses on food distribution, education, workforce development and health assessments;
- \$342,360 to provide counseling and support services to at-risk youth and their parents; and
- \$300,000 for mental health and substance abuse services, education, job training and placement.

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## **Fiscal Analysis**

HB 2884 appropriates \$65,242,360 to the Department of Human Services for listed projects.

Other Considerations
None.
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