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Bill Analysis

SB 944 creates the Oklahoma Semiquincentennial Commission until June 30, 2027. The Commission is directed to develop plans for the official observance of the 250th anniversary of the founding of the United States in 2026 and to cooperate with the United States Semiquincentennial Commission and various state agencies, boards, commissions, departments, and political subdivisions in order to execute commemorative events. The Commission shall be comprised of 25 members. All appointments to the Commission shall be made no later than August 1, 2023. Members of the Commission shall receive no compensation for serving on the Commission but shall receive travel reimbursements. The measure also creates the Semiquincentennial Revolving Fund, which shall sunset on June 30, 2027.

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