

BILL SUMMARY
2nd Session of the 57th Legislature

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| Bill No.: | HB 2753 |
| Version: | FULLPCS2 |
| Request Number: | 11763 |
| Author: | Rep. Wallace |
| Date: | 5/12/2020 |
| Impact: | Transfer of Quartz Mountain From Regents to Tourism |

Funding Transfer, Effective October 1, 2020
\$794,126 to Tourism

Research Analysis

The second proposed committee substitute for HB 2753 transfers the properties defined as Quartz Mountain to the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department from the board of trustees for the Quartz Mountain Arts and Conference Center and Nature Park, effective October 1, 2020.

The measure authorizes the Tourism Department to establish funds and accounts, including a revolving fund in the Office of Management and Enterprise Services for servicing the fiscal operations of the Center. The measure also authorizes the Department to enter into one or more contracts for management services of the Center.

The second proposed committee substitute requires the Tourism Department to succeed to any contractual rights and responsibilities the board of trustees has incurred on behalf of Quartz Mountain.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure transfers the Quartz Mountain Arts and Conference Center and Nature Park from the board of trustees for the facility to the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department (“Tourism”), effective October 1, 2020.

The budget of the facility of approximately \$1,060,000 will be divided between the trustees (until the effective date) and Tourism. Tourism received funding of \$794,126 for the balance of FY-21.

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Other Considerations

None.

