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House Bill 3251

Sponsored by Representative NATHANSON; Representatives BARKER, ROSENBAUM, SCHAUFLER, SHIELDS, Senators BROWN, WESTLUND

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced.**

Requires Oregon Criminal Justice Commission to administer collaboration grants for local public safety coordinating councils. Appropriates moneys to commission for purposes of Act. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to local public safety coordinating councils; appropriating money; and declaring an emergency.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> (1) The Oregon Criminal Justice Commission shall administer a grant program that encourages collaboration between local agencies and organizations involved in the criminal justice system.

- (2) The grants shall be available to local public safety coordinating councils described in ORS 423.560. To be eligible for a grant, the local public safety coordinating council must:
 - (a) Be in existence on the effective date of this 2007 Act;
- (b) Propose an interagency project that utilizes a collaborative approach to solving a problem of local public safety concern; and
- (c) Involve multiple agencies and organizations in the oversight and administration of the project.
- (3) A local public safety coordinating council is eligible for a grant, in an amount that the council can demonstrate matching funds, not to exceed \$100,000.
- (4) The Oregon Criminal Justice Commission shall adopt rules to carry out the provisions of this 2007 Act, including additional eligibility criteria and enforcement mechanisms.
 - (5) The commission may give preference to projects that:
 - (a) Encourage collaboration among a broad array of agencies and organizations; or
 - (b) Do not require an additional investment in council personnel.

SECTION 2. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the Oregon Criminal Justice Commission, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2007, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$1 million, for the purposes described in section 1 of this 2007 Act.

<u>SECTION 3.</u> This 2007 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2007 Act takes effect on its passage.

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