

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: Fiscal statement issued

Action:	Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed
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Yeas:	Boone, Esquivel, Freeman, Komp, Matthews, Riley, Weidner, Cowan
Nays:	0
Exc.:	0
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Meeting Dates:	5/19, 5/26

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Authorizes the Office of Emergency Management in the Oregon Military Department to accept gifts, grants, bequests, endowments and donations, from public and private sources, including federal funds amounting in the aggregate of \$250,000 for the purpose of strengthening security in and around facilities of the Jewish Federation of Greater Portland. Requires Oregon Military Department to adopt rules for the disbursement of moneys. Requires moneys to be deposited in the Oregon Pre-Disaster Mitigation Fund. Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2009.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- The need to ensure the protection of Oregon citizens
- The need to grant authority to Office of Emergency Management, Oregon Military Department
- Provides flexibility and additional options

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: Clarifies language that grants received will amount in the aggregate to \$250,000.

BACKGROUND: Founded in 1920, The Jewish Federation of Greater Portland is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that works to assure the building and strengthening of the Jewish community locally, nationally, overseas, and in Israel, in accordance with Jewish values. The Federation is the central planning, coordinating, and fundraising body for a wide range of local and international agencies that offer the entire community a broad spectrum of humanitarian programs.

Proponents of Senate Bill 871-B assert the need to strengthen security in and around facilities of the Jewish Federation of Greater Portland, specifically The Robison Jewish Health Center, Maimonides Day School and Summer Camp and Mittleman Jewish Community Center.

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