

REVENUE: No revenue impact

FISCAL: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued

Action: Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed

Vote: 5 - 0 - 0

Yeas: Bonamici, Kruse, Metsger, Morse, Hass

Nays: 0

Exc.: 0

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Meeting Dates: 4/24

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES: Requires county budgets to contain a summary of revenues and expenditures for specified major programs funded in part by state resources. Specifies that summary must include revenues and expenditures in adopted budget, previous year's budget, and actual revenue and expenditure data from the previous two years. Reduces amount of time for which county governing body may change fee from one year to six months. Allows local governments to publish annual budget summaries by program instead of by fund or organizational unit. Permits mailing to each post office box and rural route number belonging to a resident to serve as publication under local budget law.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Potential savings
- Provisions of the measure

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT: Permits mailing to each post office box and rural route number belonging to a resident to serve as publication under local budget law. Removes language allowing local governments to use their own format for annual budgets. Removes language raising amount by which estimated expenditures may be increased.

BACKGROUND: The Association of Oregon Counties put forward Senate Bill 916A to provide for uniform collection of county financial summary data information in order to further the work of counties in presenting their budgets to the Legislative Assembly.