

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Measure: HB 3337 - 1

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Measure Description:

Expands state policy relating to ecosystems.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board (OWEB), Office of the Governor, Department of Land Conservation and Development, Department of Agriculture, Department of Forestry, Department of State Lands, Counties

Local Government Mandate:

This bill does not affect local governments' service levels or shared revenues sufficient to trigger Section 15, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

Analysis:

This fiscal impact statement is for the purpose of transmitting the measure from the House Committee on Energy and Environment to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means. HB 3337 - 1 directs the Governor's Office in cooperation with Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board (OWEB) to conduct an analysis of local, state, regional and federal conservation plans that could impact ecosystems, and make this information available on a website.

The bill also further develops guidelines for state agencies and local governments' goals for maintenance, enhancement and restoration of ecosystem related services. The size and scope of these related services is unclear as well as specifically intended 'incentives' that may be provided under these guidelines. Therefore the measurable impact of this bill to state agencies and local governments is not quantified at this time and additional analysis is required.

A fiscal impact associated with this bill is anticipated; the amount of this impact is still being determined. A more complete fiscal analysis on the bill will be prepared as the measure is considered in the Joint Committee on Ways and Means

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