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**WHAT THE BILL DOES**: Extends the sunset of the Small School District Grants by five years to June 30, 2018. Takes effect on passage.

## **ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Purpose and use of the grants
- Distance consideration in defining small high school
- Five-year extension vs. two-year extension

## EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS: No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:** Small school districts with small high schools defined in the ORS 327.355 receive their respective prorated shares of the Small School District Grants of \$2.5 million per school year. The current law regarding the grants is set to be repealed on June 30, 2013.