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# MEMORANDUM

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**To:** *Education Subcommittee*

**From:** *Tim Walker, Legislative Fiscal Office*  
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**Date:** June 18, 2013

**Subject:** *HB 2729*  
*Work Session*

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HB 2729 appropriates \$300,000 from General Fund to Oregon Department of Education (ODE) to provide grants for purpose of United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Afterschool Meal and Snack Program. Appropriates \$60,000 from General Fund to ODE to administer grant program. Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2013.

The Work Session packet, including measure, staff measure summary, and fiscal impact statement are available on the Oregon Legislative Information System (OLIS). The measure has no revenue impact and a fiscal impact.

**Motion #1: Move the HB 2729 to the full committee with a “do pass” recommendation.**

**Chair to assign carriers:**

**Full:** \_\_\_\_\_

**House:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Senate:** \_\_\_\_\_

**FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION**

**Measure: HB 2729**

Seventy-Seventh Oregon Legislative Assembly – 2013 Regular Session  
Legislative Fiscal Office

*Only Impacts on Original or Engrossed  
Versions are Considered Official*

Prepared by: Tim Walker  
Reviewed by: Doug Wilson  
Date: 06/17/2013

**Measure Description:**

Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Department of Education for purpose of United States Department of Agriculture's Afterschool Meal and Snack Program.

**Government Unit(s) Affected:**

Department of Education

**Summary of Expenditure Impact:**

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	<b>2013-15 Biennium</b>	<b>2015-17 Biennium</b>
General Fund	\$360,000	
Lottery Funds		
Other Funds		
Federal Funds		
<b>Total Funds</b>	<b>\$360,000</b>	<b>\$0</b>

**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:** Appropriates \$300,000 from General Fund to Oregon Department of Education (ODE) to provide grants for purpose of United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Afterschool Meal and Snack Program. Appropriates \$60,000 from General Fund to ODE to administer grant program. Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2013.

Joint Committee on Ways and Means

Carrier – House: Rep.  
Carrier – Senate: Sen.

Revenue:

Fiscal:

Action:

Vote:

House

Yeas:

Nays:

Exc:

Senate

Yeas:

Nays:

Exc:

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**Meeting Date:** [Full Committee Meeting Date]

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Appropriates \$300,000 from General Fund to Oregon Department of Education (ODE) to provide grants for purpose of United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Afterschool Meal and Snack Program. Appropriates \$60,000 from General Fund to ODE to administer grant program. Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2013.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

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**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:** The Afterschool Snack Program is a federally assisted snack program operating in public and nonprofit private schools and residential child care institutions. The Afterschool Snack Program is administered at the Federal level by the Food and Nutrition Service. At the state level, the program is administered by state education agencies, which operate the program through agreements with local school food authorities in 28,000 schools and institutions.

The Afterschool Snack Program operates similar to the National School Lunch Program. School districts and independent schools that choose to take part in the snack program receive cash subsidies from the USDA for each snack they serve. In return, they must serve snacks that meet Federal requirements, and they must offer free or reduced price snacks to eligible children.

According to statistics from ODE, 53.2 percent of Oregon students are eligible for free or reduced meals in school. This number has been steadily increasing, beginning in 1995 when a little less than one third of Oregon students met eligibility guidelines.