

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 2898**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, delete “343.035” and insert “330.092 and
2 343.035; and declaring an emergency”.

3 On page 4, after line 23, insert:

4 **“SECTION 3. Section 4 of this 2013 Act is added to and made a part
5 of ORS chapter 330.**

6 **“SECTION 4. (1) Upon receipt of a petition meeting the require-
7 ments of subsections (2) to (4) of this section, the district boundary
8 board shall order a boundary change.**

9 **“(2) A petition for a proposed change allowed under this section
10 may be submitted only by a city that:**

11 **“(a) Is amending its comprehensive plan and land use regulations
12 to plan and zone land annexed to the city as the result of an urban
13 growth boundary expansion that occurred within three years before
14 the date of the submission of the petition; and**

15 **“(b) Has made findings that a change in the boundary of the school
16 district would:**

17 **“(A) Decrease total transportation costs for the affected school
18 districts; and**

19 **“(B) Result in greater efficiencies in the delivery of educational
20 services.**

21 **“(3) A petition submitted under this section shall:**

22 **“(a) Be directed to the district boundary board of the county or**

1 **counties having jurisdiction over the affected school districts;**

2 **“(b) Contain the names and numbers of the school districts affected**
3 **by the change;**

4 **“(c) Contain a concise statement of the type of change requested**
5 **and a legal description of the portion of the school district that will**
6 **be the subject of the change; and**

7 **“(d) Contain a proposal for the distribution of the assets and li-**
8 **abilities of the area affected by the proposed change.**

9 **“(4) A petition may be submitted under this section only if one**
10 **district boundary board must issue an order related to the change.**

11 **“(5) Before a petition for a proposed change is considered, the dis-**
12 **trict boundary board shall give notice in the same manner provided**
13 **by ORS 330.400 of the proposed change and the session of the board**
14 **at which it will be considered. If the district boundary board deter-**
15 **mines that the petition meets the requirements of subsections (2) to**
16 **(4) of this section, the board shall issue an order that the change shall**
17 **become effective as provided in ORS 330.103. The board may not allow**
18 **a remonstrance petition or election.**

19 **“(6) If a boundary change made under this section causes a school**
20 **to be located in a different school district, the employees of the school**
21 **may elect to transfer to the different school district. If an employee**
22 **elects a transfer as provided by this subsection, the employee may not**
23 **be deprived of seniority or accumulated sick leave solely because the**
24 **duties of the employee have been assumed or acquired by the different**
25 **school district.**

26 **“SECTION 5. ORS 330.092 is amended to read:**

27 **“330.092. The boundaries of a school district may not be changed except:**

28 **“(1) Pursuant to ORS 330.090 (1) or (3) or section 4 of this 2013 Act.**

29 **“(2) By a vote of the people pursuant to the lengthening of the course of**
30 **study under ORS chapter 335.**

1 “(3) By the mutual consent of the district school boards of the two or
2 more affected districts in the manner prescribed in ORS 330.080 to 330.107.

3 “(4) On a request for change or merger proposal submitted to the district
4 boundary board by electors of the affected districts in the manner prescribed
5 in ORS 330.080 to 330.107.

6 “**SECTION 6. This 2013 Act being necessary for the immediate
7 preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is
8 declared to exist, and this 2013 Act takes effect on its passage.”.**

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