

Fiscal: No Fiscal Impact

Revenue: No Revenue Impact

Action Date: 04/14/15

Action: Do Adopt The A-Eng Bill.

Meeting Dates: 04/14

Vote:

Yeas: 4 - Beyer, Boquist, Burdick, Rosenbaum

Exc: 1 - Ferrioli

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Commemorating 100th anniversary of McKinley Elementary School.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- History and founding of McKinley Elementary School
- Significance of McKinley in Salem community
- Types of programs available to students
- Amount of time parents and community members volunteer at school

EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

McKinley Elementary School, founded 100 years ago, was named to honor United States' President William McKinley.

McKinley Elementary School has a vibrant history, serving as a junior high school and as a community hospital during the influenza pandemic of 1918-1919. It was built in the stately Tudor revival style with subsequent additions and is included in the Oregon Historic Sites Database maintained by the State Historic Preservation Office. The school also has an adjacent city park that was founded with the help of the South Central Association of Neighbors and the City of Salem.

Over the course of their academic careers, students from McKinley Elementary School have distinguished themselves as stand-outs among their peers, as measured by statewide assessments. Contributing to their success has been the approximately 1,500 hours parents and community members have volunteered with the school, including with the full-day kindergarten and the farm-to-school program.

House Concurrent Resolution 13-A commemorates 100 years of special memories and moments at McKinley Elementary School.