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Measure Description:

Creates temporal distinction between "historically filled lands" and "new lands" for purposes of determining ownership and transfer of ownership of lands created upon submersible or submerged lands by artificial fill or deposit.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Department of Land Conservation and Development, Department of State Lands

Summary of Expenditure Impact:

	2015-17 Biennium	2017-19 Biennium
General Fund	\$328,228	\$328,228
Lottery Funds		
Other Funds		
Federal Funds		
Total Funds	\$328,228	\$328,228
Positions	2	2
FTE	2.00	2.00

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: Received additional information from the agency.

This bill requires the Department of State Lands (DSL) to inventory all historically filled lands and notify affected landowners by December 31, 2025.

DSL will be required to adopt rules, perform an inventory of historically filled lands, research ownership, identifying and digitizing historical land records, and provide notification to landowners. This work is outside of the current operations of the agency and DSL states that this effort will require 2 positions (2.00 FTE) in 2015-17 and 2 positions (2.00 FTE) in 2017-19. The bill appropriates #328,228 General Fund for the purposes of this bill.

There is no fiscal impact to the Department of Land Conservation and Development.