

**SB 203 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY**

**Senate Committee On Education**

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**Meeting Dates:** 3/2

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:**

Defines service areas for Columbia Gorge Community College District and Southwestern Oregon Community College District. Defines these districts as the area served prior to the annexation of new territory.

**REVENUE:** May have revenue impact, but no statement yet issued

**FISCAL:** May have fiscal impact, but no statement yet issued

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

**EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:**

**BACKGROUND:**

Community college districts are established under the provisions of ORS 341.019 and operate under guidelines established by the Higher Education Coordinating Commission. All areas within the state are served either directly or indirectly by a community college district. Local property taxes are used in part to support the community college districts.