

SB 14 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Carrier: Sen. Thatcher

Senate Committee On Judiciary

Action Date: 02/14/17

Action: Do pass.

Vote: 5-0-0-0

Yeas: 5 - Dembrow, Linthicum, Manning Jr, Prozanski, Thatcher

Fiscal: No fiscal impact

Revenue: No revenue impact

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Reduces frequency with which Department of Corrections reviews county's compliance with community corrections plan from annual to biennial basis.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Allows for more thorough review of county community corrections plan
- Continue to hold counties accountable for legislatively allocated funds

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

ORS 423.475 to 423.560 describes the ongoing partnership between the state and counties with respect to the administration of community corrections programs. Under this partnership, participating counties are responsible for providing supervision, sanctions and services for offenders convicted of felonies who are under supervision or who are sentenced to 12 months incarceration or less, and the state is responsible for the provision of baseline funding. Participating counties are required to develop a biennial community corrections plan and refer to that plan in an intergovernmental agreement with the Department of Corrections.