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Suggestion for a Bill by Hans and Karin Radtke

Whereas:

All residents of Oregon may attend any Community College in Oregon

But:

1. There are real estate properties in the State of Oregon that are outside the boundaries of and not taxed by any Community College District
2. Residents outside of a Community College District may not sit on the Board of a Community College
3. Residents outside of a Community College District may not vote in an election of Members of the Board of a Community College District

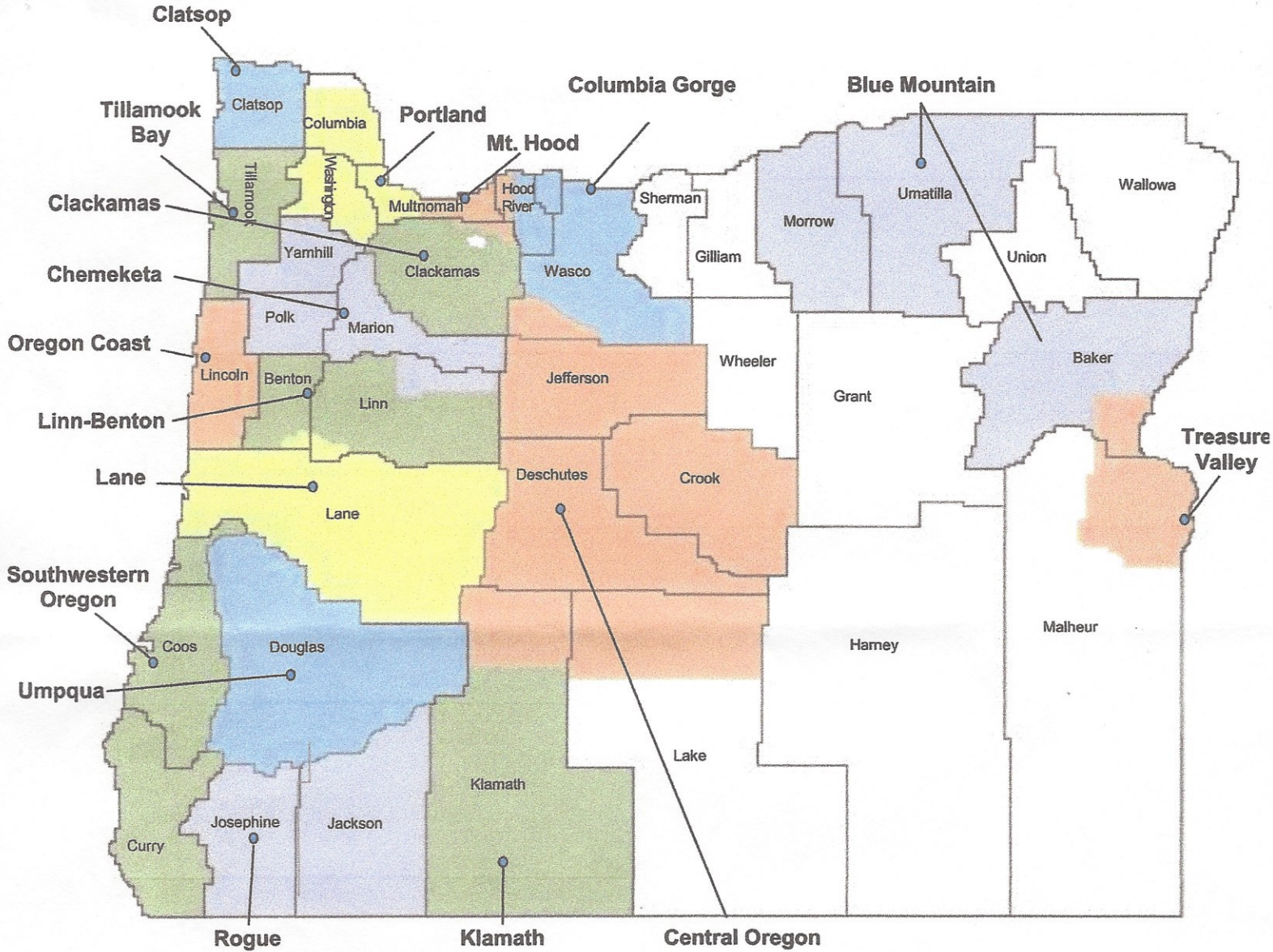
The following Bill is proposed:

Community College boundaries shall be re-drawn so that all real estate property in the State of Oregon shall be designated to exist within a Community College District, be taxable by it, and residents eligible to stand for election to a Community College Board and to vote for its members.

**Assessed Value by County, Within & Outside Community College Districts,
FY 2015-16**

County	Assessed Value		% No Community	Potential Revenue*
	Community	No Community		
Baker	1,392,640,493	0	0.0%	\$0
Benton	7,586,213,867	14,879,384	0.2%	\$17,797
Clackamas	44,289,384,476	0	0.0%	\$0
Clatsop	5,705,270,411	0	0.0%	\$0
Columbia	3,342,946,475	1,369,289,100	29.1%	\$1,335,723
Coos	4,950,889,818	61,798,906	1.2%	\$83,270
Crook	1,845,839,863	0	0.0%	\$0
Curry	2,800,498,255	0	0.0%	\$0
Deschutes	20,933,289,658	0	0.0%	\$0
Douglas	8,561,691,270	14,437,012	0.2%	\$13,073
Gilliam	0	751,179,700	100.0%	
Grant	0	539,687,528	100.0%	
Harney	0	514,407,206	100.0%	
Hood River	2,245,768,138	0	0.0%	\$0
Jackson	18,499,539,412	0	0.0%	\$0
Jefferson	1,589,591,510	0	0.0%	\$0
Josephine	6,944,418,847	0	0.0%	\$0
Klamath	5,409,037,344	9,209,711	0.2%	\$7,963
Lake	161,780,275	805,744,684	83.3%	\$1,130,571
Lane	30,396,728,809	57,022,473	0.2%	\$82,750
Lincoln	7,111,631,625	0	0.0%	\$0
Linn	9,017,708,089	0	0.0%	\$0
Malheur	1,706,018,782	85,953,952	4.8%	\$210,953
Marion	22,488,589,182	0	0.0%	\$0
Morrow	2,047,974,373	0	0.0%	\$0
Multnomah	72,186,765,443	0	0.0%	\$0
Polk	5,358,664,931	0	0.0%	\$0
Sherman	0	439,753,471	100.0%	
Tillamook	4,501,291,814	0	0.0%	\$0
Umatilla	5,193,608,374	0	0.0%	\$0
Union	0	1,794,754,243	100.0%	
Wallowa	0	730,339,891	100.0%	
Wasco	2,120,281,869	0	0.0%	\$0
Washington	56,908,257,050	0	0.0%	\$0
Wheeler	0	129,114,592	100.0%	
Yamhill	7,949,330,783	823,964	0.0%	\$1,098

*Permanent Rate and Bond Included



Areas in white are not represented by community college districts. These counties and municipalities do not pay property taxes for the operation of a community college and therefore are not served by a community college without a contract-out-of-district agreement.

Currently, Grant County receives community college services through Contracts Out-of-District (CODs) with Blue Mountain Community College.

Lake County receives community college services through CODs with Klamath Community College.

The city of Burns and Harney County receive community college services through CODs with Treasure Valley Community College.

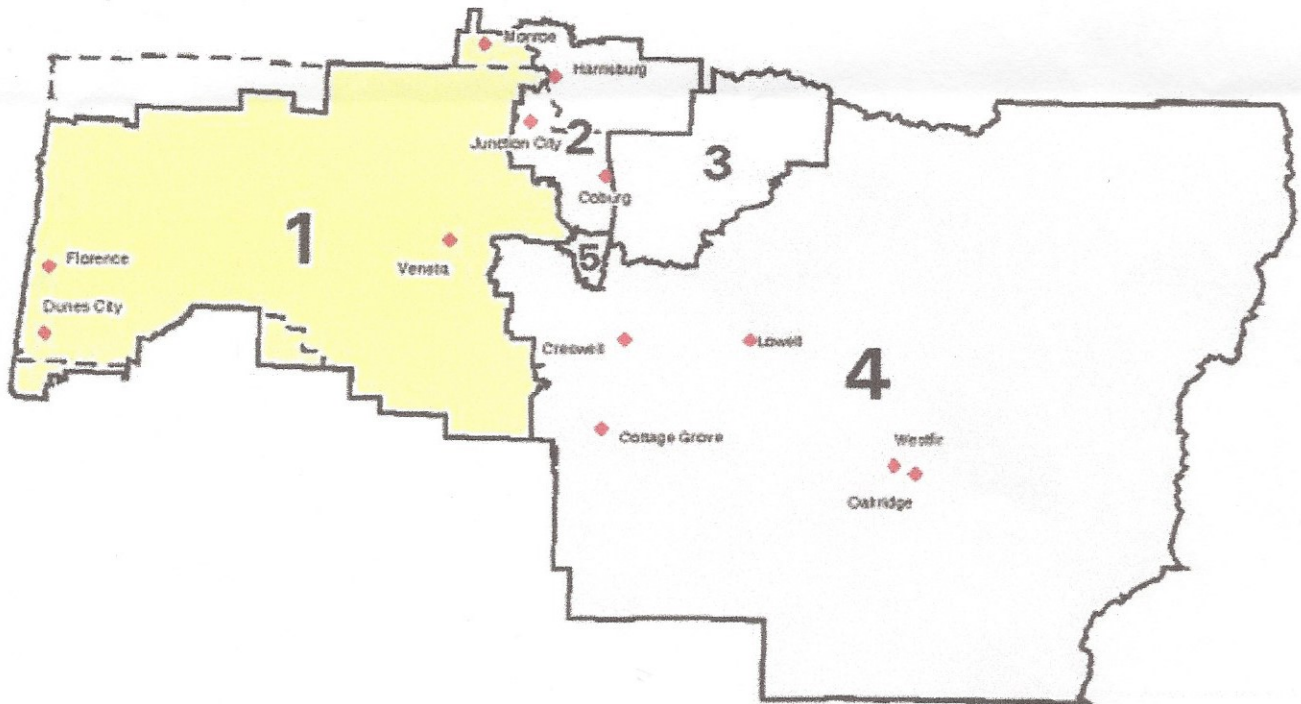
BOARD OF EDUCATION

DISTRICT MAP

The Lane Community College District serves a 5,000 square-mile area stretching from the Pacific Ocean to the Cascade Mountains. The district includes most of Lane County, as well as the Monroe Elementary School District in Benton County, the Harrisburg Union High School District in Linn County and a small area in northern Douglas County. The total district population includes about 300,000 people.

Meet the board member for each area (<https://www.lanecc.edu/board/board-members>)

Lane Community College Board Zones



The dashed lines show the boundaries of Lane County. The LCC District does not cover all of Lane County, and includes portions of Linn, Benton, and Douglas

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SUMMARY

Requires Higher Education Coordinating Commission, in consultation with Director of the Office of Community Colleges and Workforce Development, to develop plan to ensure that all real property in state is located within community college district.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to community college district boundaries.

Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:

SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section, “community college district” has the meaning given that term in ORS 341.005.

(2) The Higher Education Coordinating Commission, in consultation with the Director of the Office of Community Colleges and Workforce Development, shall develop a plan to ensure that all real property in this state is located is within a community college district.

(3) The commission shall prepare and submit a report detailing the plan developed under subsection (2) of this section, including any proposed legislation necessary to carry out the plan, to the interim legislative committees on higher education no later than September 15, 2018.

SECTION 2. Section 1 of this 2017 Act is repealed on January 2, 2020.