

OREGON'S DEATH PENALTY IS A BUDGET BUSTER



34 ARE STILL ON DEATH ROW



20 HAD THEIR SENTENCES CHANGED TO LIFE WITHOUT PAROLE OR ORDINARY LIFE



4 DIED IN PRISON OF NATURAL CAUSES



1 HAD HIS CASE DISMISSED ON APPEAL



1 HAD HIS SENTENCE REDUCED TO MANSLAUGHTER



JUST 2 HAVE BEEN EXECUTED

OF THE 62 PEOPLE SENTENCED TO DEATH IN OREGON SINCE 1984, JUST 2 HAVE ACTUALLY BEEN EXECUTED.*

WE ARE WASTING MONEY ON A DEATH PENALTY IN NAME ONLY.

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YEARS ON DEATH ROW

RANDY GUZEK



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MICHAEL MARTIN
McDONNELL



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ROBERT PAUL
LANGLEY



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DAYTON LEROY
ROGERS

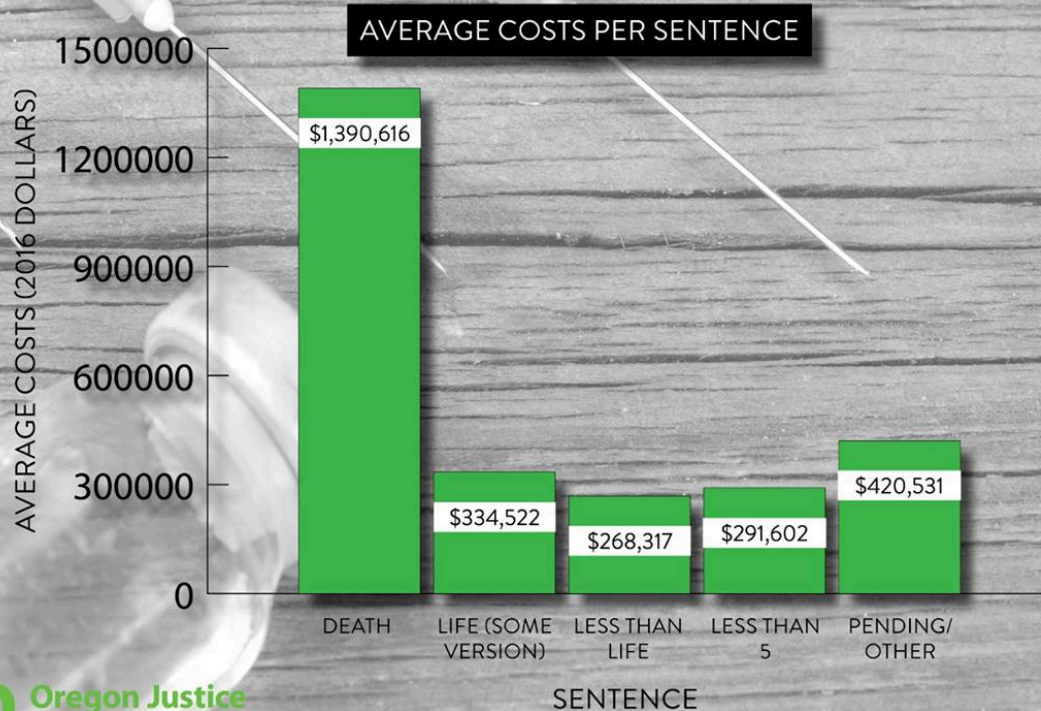


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JUST FOUR OF OREGON'S LONGEST-SERVING DEATH ROW INMATES HAVE COLLECTIVELY SPENT 110 YEARS ON THE ROW.

ALL FOUR MEN HAVE HAD THEIR SENTENCES REVERSED THREE TIMES BY THE COURTS. DESPITE MANY YEARS ON DEATH ROW, "RESOLUTION IN THESE CASES IS STILL DECADES AWAY!"

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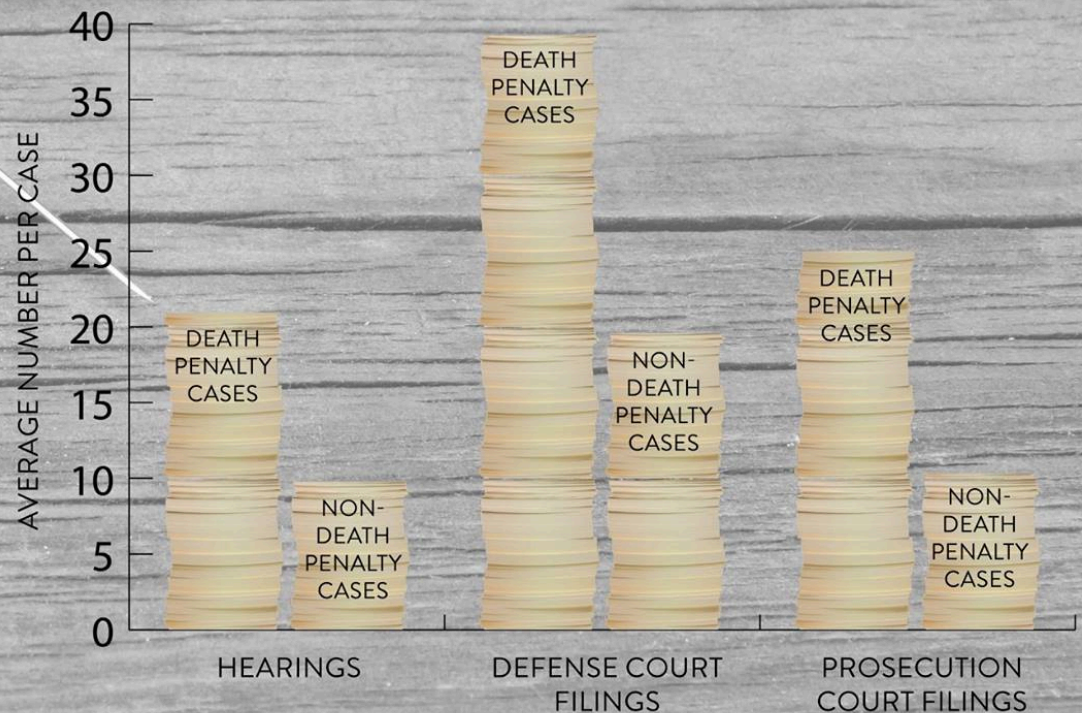
DEATH SENTENCES IN OREGON COST AT LEAST FOUR TIMES MORE THAN LIFE SENTENCES.

NEARLY \$1.4 MILLION IS SPENT ON THE AVERAGE DEATH SENTENCE COMPARED TO LESS THAN \$400,000 ON CASES WHERE DEFENDANTS ARE SENTENCED TO LIFE.*

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DEATH PENALTY CASES ARE MORE EXPENSIVE BECAUSE PROTECTIONS NEEDED TO AVOID EXECUTING AN INNOCENT PERSON MEAN MUCH MORE WORK FOR COURTS, PROSECUTORS AND DEFENSE ATTORNEYS.*

IN THE JUSTICE SYSTEM, TIME IS MONEY. SO ALL THIS EXTRA WORK ADDS UP TO A BIG BILL FOR OREGON TAXPAYERS.



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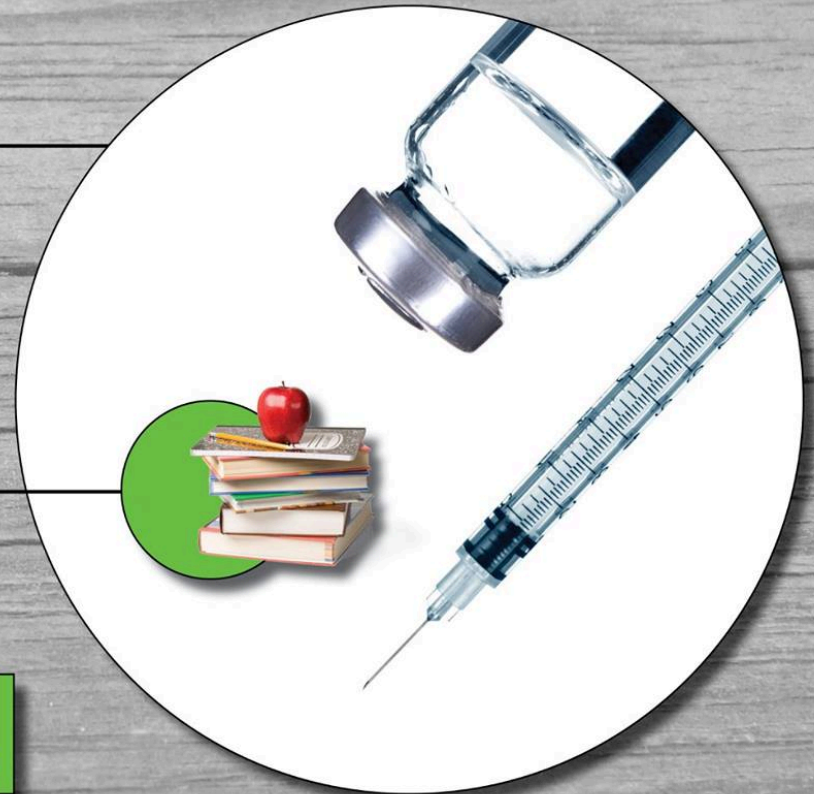
MONEY SAVED ON JUST ONE OREGON DEATH SENTENCE WOULD PAY THE SALARIES OF EIGHTEEN OREGON TEACHERS FOR ONE YEAR.*

ADDITIONAL COST OF ONE DEATH SENTENCE

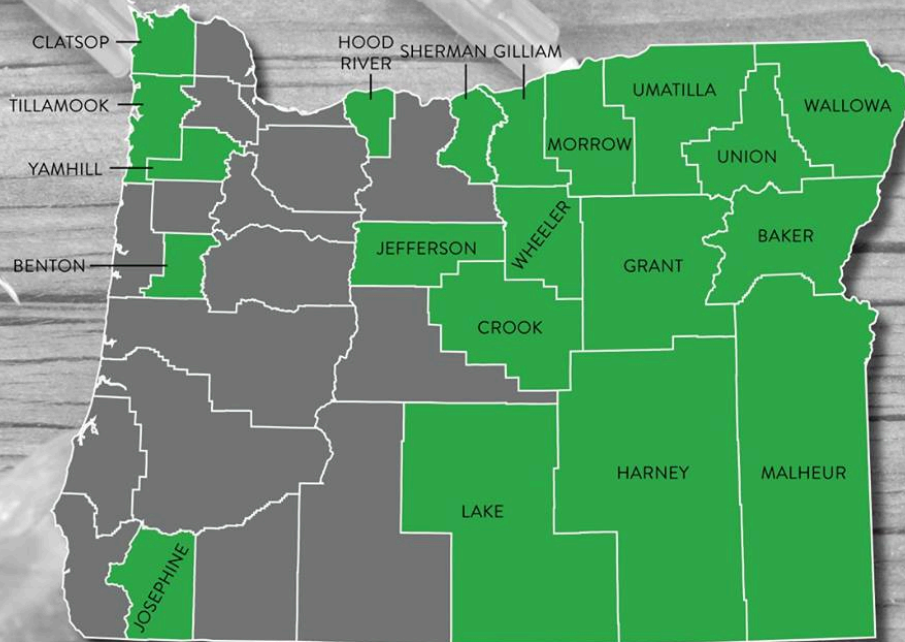
\$1,056,093

\$59,204

AVERAGE SALARY OF ONE OREGON TEACHER FOR ONE YEAR



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■ OREGON COUNTIES WITH NO DEATH SENTENCES SINCE 1984

MORE THAN HALF OF OREGON'S COUNTIES HAVE NOT SENT ANYONE TO DEATH ROW SINCE VOTERS RESTORED CAPITAL PUNISHMENT IN 1984.*

YET ALL TAXPAYERS MUST FUND OUR COSTLY DEATH PENALTY SYSTEM REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THEIR COUNTY USES IT.

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WANTED



COLD CASE

MONEY WASTED ON THE DEATH PENALTY COULD BE INVESTED IN PROGRAMS THAT WOULD ACTUALLY INCREASE PUBLIC SAFETY.

PORTLAND POLICE BUREAU ALONE HAS MORE THAN 200 COLD CASE HOMICIDES THAT HAVE NOT BEEN SOLVED.*