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Hello,

I am a concerned parent in Beaverton. Since moving here four years ago, I've been so impressed by the teaching I've seen in the Beaverton Public Schools, but sincerely disappointed at the number of bond proposals and funding crises the district seems to face annually. I moved from Michigan, and watched the state slowly slide from a leader in public education to the bottom third of all US states, in part as the state slowly funneled away funds . I am writing to ask you to support fully funding Oregon schools. The proposal currently released is a significant start toward that goal, and I would like to see it passed before adjourning.

Please help give our students and teachers what they need to be successful. I cannot see my kids remaining in the public school system if Beaverton's class sizes go back to the horror stories of 2012, and I cannot imagine what smaller districts without the resources of Beaverton's families have done to manage. Oregon has wonderful potential, but they need to take education seriously.

Thank you, Jenny Schlanser Beaverton, OR