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Measure Description:

Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board for grants to Association of Oregon Counties to fund contracted services for coordination of tide gate permitting.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Counties, Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board (OWEB), Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW)

Analysis:

This fiscal impact statement is for the purpose of transmitting the measure from the Senate Committee on Environment and Natural Resources to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

The legislation makes three separate General Fund (GF) appropriations for the 2019-21 biennium; \$250,000 GF to the Watershed Enhancement Board to be expended as grants to the Association of Oregon Counties for the purpose of obtaining contracted services to coordinate tide gate permitting; \$262,000 GF to the Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW) for a position dedicated to providing technical support related to tide gate projects; and \$348,100 to ODFW for a position dedicated to providing fish passage engineering services related to tide gates.

A more complete fiscal analysis on the measure will be prepared as the measure is considered in the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

Further Analysis Required