SB 264 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee On Human Services

Action Date: 04/09/19

Action: Do pass and refer to Ways and Means by prior reference.

Vote: 5-0-0-0

Yeas: 5 - Fagan, Gelser, Heard, Knopp, Monnes Anderson

Fiscal: Fiscal impact issued **Revenue:** No revenue impact

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Meeting Dates: 2/14, 4/9

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Appropriates \$1,000,000 from General Fund to Youth Development Division for grants to community-based youth development programs. Declares emergency, effective July 1, 2019.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

Provisions of measure

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

The Youth Development Division (YDD) is within the Oregon Department of Education. It provides services to school-age children and youths up to 24 years of age to support educational success, with a focus on crime prevention and reducing high-risk behaviors. According to YDD, 17,506 Oregon youths ages 16 to 21 do not have a high school diploma or GED and are not enrolled in school.

Senate Bill 264 appropriates \$1,000,000 from the General Fund to YDD for grants to community-based youth development programs.