A-Engrossed House Bill 3241

Ordered by the House April 16 Including House Amendments dated April 16

Sponsored by Representative HELT; Representative NERON

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the

Directs Department of Education to develop and administer grant program to distribute moneys to school districts and education service districts to create [safe points of entry to] secure vestibules in school buildings. Requires recipients to finance at least one-half of cost of secure vestibules with proceeds of local general obligation bonds.

Authorizes issuance of [lottery] Article XI-P general obligation bonds to finance grant pro-

Appropriates moneys from General Fund to department for purposes of grant program.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to school safety.

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

SECTION 1. (1) As used in this section, "secure vestibule" means an entry to a school building that is visually monitored by an employee of the school district or education service district.

- (2) The Department of Education shall develop and administer a grant program under which the department distributes moneys from the Secure Vestibule Grant Fund established in section 2 of this 2019 Act to school districts and education service districts to create secure vestibules.
- (3) To be eligible to receive grants under the program, a school district or education service district must:
- (a) Agree to finance at least one-half of the cost of the secure vestibule project from proceeds of local general obligation bonds for which the district has received voter approval;
- (b) Agree that, in each school building in which a secure vestibule is constructed using grant moneys, all other entry points will be converted to exit-only points.
- (4) The State Board of Education shall adopt rules necessary to ensure that proceeds of bonds issued under Article XI-P of the Oregon Constitution are used for purposes permissible under Article XI-P of the Oregon Constitution. The board may adopt any other rules necessary or convenient for the administration of the grant program.
- SECTION 2. (1) The Secure Vestibule Grant Fund is established in the State Treasury, separate and distinct from the General Fund. Interest earned on the moneys in the Secure Vestibule Grant Fund must be deposited in the fund. The Secure Vestibule Grant Fund consists of moneys deposited in the fund under sections 3 and 4 of this 2019 Act and may include

1 fees, revenues or other income deposited into the fund by the Legislative Assembly.

- (2) Moneys in the fund are continuously appropriated to the Department of Education for the purposes described in section 1 of this 2019 Act.
- SECTION 3. (1) In addition to and not in lieu of any authorization to issue general obligation bonds under ORS 286A.035, in the biennium beginning July 1, 2019, the State Treasurer is authorized to issue Article XI-P bonds in the manner provided by ORS 286A.796 to 286A.806 in an amount that produces \$____ in net proceeds for the purpose specified in subsection (2) of this section, plus an additional amount estimated by the State Treasurer to pay bond-related costs.
- (2) Net proceeds of bonds issued under this section must be transferred to the Department of Education for deposit in the Secure Vestibule Grant Fund established under section 2 of this 2019 Act to be used for the purposes set forth in section 1 of this 2019 Act.

SECTION 4. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the Department of Education, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2019, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$____ for deposit in the Secure Vestibule Grant Fund established under section 2 of this 2019 Act.