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SUMMARY

Requires governing bodies of counties to submit to Department of Education record showing any changes in boundaries of school districts over which board has jurisdiction.

Directs Department of Education to make available to public information about boundaries of school districts and Higher Education Coordinating Commission to make available to public information about boundaries of community college districts and community college service districts.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

Relating to the boundaries of education districts; creating new provisions; amending ORS 330.080; and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. ORS 330.080 is amended to read:

330.080. (1) The governing body of a county shall constitute the district boundary board for laying off the county in convenient school districts.

(2) The district boundary board shall have jurisdiction over all school districts in the county and over all joint districts, the administrative offices of which are in the county.

(3) The district boundary board shall make alterations and changes in the school districts in the manner specified by law. The board shall maintain a record showing the boundaries and numbers of the districts in the county based on records in the office of the county assessor.

(4) The district boundary board shall submit to the Department of Education a record showing any changes in the boundaries of school districts over which the board has jurisdiction. The department shall

1 make the information received under this subsection available to the
2 public on the department's website.

3 **SECTION 2.** (1) The amendments to ORS 330.080 by section 1 of this
4 2023 Act apply to changes in boundaries occurring on or after January
5 1, 2024.

6 (2) No later than December 31, 2023, each district boundary board
7 shall submit to the Department of Education a record showing the
8 boundaries of the school districts over which the board has jurisdic-
9 tion.

10 **SECTION 3.** Section 4 of this 2023 Act is added to and made a part
11 of ORS 341.025 to 341.125.

12 **SECTION 4.** The Higher Education Coordinating Commission shall
13 make available to the public on the commission's website a record of
14 the boundaries of all community college districts and community col-
15 lege service districts in this state.

16 **SECTION 5.** No later than January 1, 2024, the Higher Education
17 Coordinating Commission must make the information described in
18 section 4 of this 2023 Act available on the commission's website.

19 **SECTION 6.** This 2023 Act being necessary for the immediate pres-
20 ervation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is de-
21 clared to exist, and this 2023 Act takes effect on its passage.