On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 5 through 29.

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 35 and insert:

“SECTION 1. ORS 203.079 is amended to read:

“(2) As used in this section, ‘personal property’ means any item that can reasonably be identified as belonging to an individual and that has apparent value or utility.

“(3) Except as provided in subsection (9) of this section, at least 72 hours before removing homeless individuals from an established camping site, law enforcement officials shall post a written notice, [written in English and Spanish, [24 hours in advance] at all entrances to the camping site to the extent that the entrances can reasonably be identified.

“The written notice required under subsection (3) of this section must state, at a minimum:

“(a) Where unclaimed personal property will be stored;

“(b) A phone number that individuals may call to find out where the property will be stored; or

“(c) If a permanent storage location has not yet been determined, the address and phone...
number of an agency that will have the information when available.

“(7)(a) The unclaimed personal property shall be stored in an orderly fashion, keeping items that belong to an individual together to the extent that ownership can reasonably be determined.

“(b) The property shall be stored for a minimum of 30 days during which it shall be reasonably available to any individual claiming ownership. Any personal property that remains unclaimed after 30 days may be disposed of. [For purposes of this paragraph, ‘personal property’ means any item that is reasonably recognizable as belonging to a person and that has apparent utility. Items that have no apparent utility or are in an insanitary condition may be immediately discarded upon removal of the homeless individuals from the camping site. Weapons, drug paraphernalia and items that appear to be either stolen or evidence of a crime shall be given to law enforcement officials.]

“(e) (8) Following the removal of homeless individuals from a camping site on public property, the law enforcement officials, local agency officials and outreach workers may meet to assess the notice and removal policy, to discuss whether the removals are occurring in a humane and just manner and to determine if any changes are needed in the policy.

“(2) (9) The 24-hour 72-hour notice requirement under subsection (1) (3) of this section does not apply:

“(a) When there are grounds for law enforcement officials to believe that illegal activities other than camping are occurring at an established camping site.

“(b) In the event of an exceptional emergency [such as] at an established camping site, including, but not limited to, possible site contamination by hazardous materials [or when there is], a public health emergency or other immediate danger to human life or safety.

“(3) (10) A person authorized to issue a citation for unlawful camping under state law, administrative rule or city or county ordinance may not issue the citation if the citation would be issued within 200 feet of the notice described in required under subsection (3) of this section and within two hours before or after the notice was posted.

“(11) Any law or policy of a city or county that is more specific or offers greater protections to homeless individuals subject to removal from an established camping site pre-empts contrary provisions of this section.”.