

Dear Senators:

As a parent of children who graduated from Beaverton Public Schools and a former public school teacher, I wish to voice my support for SB 240. SB 240 removes the limitation on the percentage of students in a school district who may enroll in a virtual public charter school not sponsored by the school district without first receiving approval from that school district.

The key customer of Oregon Public Schools are the students who attend them and the parents and guardians who guide their educational choices. Oregon offers few options for those students who would often benefit from alternative means to gain the knowledge and skills that will support them in their adult lives. SB 240 offers a small step toward providing these alternatives to our students.

I urge you to support SB 240.

Thank you for considering my opinion.

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