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Measure: SB1521

SB1521 is anti-democratic and prevents school boards from firing superintendents. And, if they do, must give them 12 months' notice of termination. Don't forget: Renee Powell and Trevor DeHart were ELECTED by the PEOPLE of Newberg to do precisely what they did: end political indoctrination in their schools. SB1521 will remove this civil remedy that we, the People, have in order to save our schools from the radicalized left: the ability to elect school boards and seek change in our schools. If this passes, taxpayer and parent influence in our local public schools is OVER in Oregon.

SB 1521 is an absolutely senseless bill. Given that the ODE runs one of the worst-performing public school systems in the nation, why would it make any sense to give MORE POWER to the state over local school districts?

Understand that the passing of 1521 has more negative consequences for schools, parents, and kids than are foreseeable.