

I OPPOSE [HB 2731]...

There was "No" budget allocation stated for the "Family Preservation Project pilot program at the Coffee Creek Correctional Facility," therefore I Oppose **[HB 2731]**.

The Text of **[HB 2731]** states,

"... SECTION 1. (1)(a) The Oregon Criminal Justice Commission, in collaboration with the Department of Corrections, shall establish the Family Preservation Project pilot program at the Coffee Creek Correctional Facility. (b) The program shall be administered by the YWCA of Greater Portland and be located within the facility. ...

... SECTION 2. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the Oregon Criminal Justice Commission, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$_____ , for distribution to the YWCA of Greater Portland to carry out the provisions of section 1 of this 2023 Act."

*******Did the YWCA of Greater Portland give a competitive bid for services or does the YWCA of Greater Portland receive an exclusive contract?

*******I Oppose "open-ended, undefined allocations" from the GENERAL FUND.

What is the total program cost the taxpayers? It appears You don't know.

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Mr. Oregon Concur.
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