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I support this bill. In lieu of providing safe routes to school for all Oregon students, school districts should have the flexibility to provide supervised opportunities for walking and biking to school. Physical activity is wildly important for people, young and old. What better way to get a baseline of activity than through everyday travel? Getting students in the habit of getting around on foot and on bikes is crucial as the state looks towards meeting its emissions and mode shift goals. Establishing the habit of active transportation early in life may pay dividends as students grow into the next generation of adults and leaders.