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**To:** Capital Construction Subcommittee  
**From:** John Terpening, Legislative Fiscal Office  
**Date:** June 18, 2025  
**Subject:** HB 3794 – Relating to municipal solid waste  
Work Session Recommendations

HB 3794 establishes the 12-member Task Force on Municipal Solid Waste in the Willamette Valley. The task force shall study and identify solutions for solid waste disposal in the Willamette Valley; and review the findings and recommendations of the Regional Sustainable Materials Management Plan Task Force convened by Benton County. The Legislative Policy and Research Office shall provide staff support to the task force. The task force shall submit a report to interim legislative committees related to the environment by December 15, 2026. The task force sunsets on December 31, 2026. The measure takes effect 91 days after adjournment sine die.

The measure is anticipated to have a minimal fiscal impact on the Legislative Assembly and the Legislative Policy and Research Office. However, if the work required by this task force, or if the cumulative enactment of other legislation with interim task forces and committees, exceeds expenditure levels assumed in the 2025-27 budget, then additional General Fund resources may be required.

### Final Subcommittee Action

LFO recommends that HB 3794 be moved to the Ways and Means Full Committee.

**MOTION:** I move HB 3794 to the Full Committee with a do pass recommendation.  
(vote)

### Carriers

Full Committee: \_\_\_\_\_

House Floor:

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