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I am writing in support of this bill and the general allocating of more funds to education in Oregon. The state of our schools is dire as it already is, and our children, families and future will not recover from inadequate funding for a LONG time, leading to even more spending in the future. We need to at the very least retain the teachers, materials and opportunities we have. Education helps everyone in the state and an uneducated populace is a target for bad actors. The potential of Oregon's future in terms of green energy, a robust economy and quality of life will be destroyed if we don't fund the foundation.