

Submitter: Chelsea Waddell
On Behalf Of:
Committee: House Committee On Revenue
Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4125

Hello, Chair Nathanson and Co-Vice Chairs Reschke and Walters,

I am a resident in SE Portland and my child is a student at a SE Portland Elementary School. We care about Oregon and its students. We support HB 4125 to modernize the kicker.

Please recognize that funding schools is a critical part of your job as an Oregonian and a lawmaker. Our school already has 4th and 5th grade combined and has lost multiple teachers in the last year. Would you want your child to get a lower quality education because our state government can't figure out how to fund schools? I'm disappointed that this hasn't been figured out sooner and that I even need to write this letter. Please move forward with this and any other legislation that securely funds schools in Portland and across the state in perpetuity. Children, and their education, are our future.

Sincerely,
Chelsea