

**JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS**  
**SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION**

February 10, 2026  
01:00 PM

Hearing Room G

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Sen. Janeen Sollman, Co-Chair  
Sen. Lew Frederick  
Sen. Suzanne Weber

Rep. Ricki Ruiz, Co-Chair  
Rep. Zach Hudson  
Rep. Susan McLain  
Rep. Boomer Wright  
Rep. Dwayne Yunker

**GUEST MEMBER(S):**

Rep. Emily McIntire

**STAFF PRESENT:**

Kim To, Legislative Fiscal Office  
Ron Nalley, Committee Assistant

**EXHIBITS:**

Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

**00:00:26**     [Meeting Called to Order](#)  
**00:00:27**     Senator Sollman, Presiding Co-Chair  
**00:00:53**     Kim To, Legislative Fiscal Office  
**00:01:05**     Co-Chair Sollman  
  
**00:01:07**     [Higher Education Coordinating Commission Report - Spending and Efficiency in Oregon Public Universities](#)  
**00:01:16**     Kim To, Legislative Fiscal Office  
**00:01:52**     Co-Chair Sollman  
**00:04:40**     Ben Cannon, Executive Director, Higher Education Coordinating Commission  
**00:29:43**     Rep. McLain  
**00:30:26**     Ben Cannon  
**00:31:37**     Rep. Yunker  
**00:32:33**     Ben Cannon  
**00:34:55**     Rep. Yunker  
**00:35:47**     Ben Cannon  
**00:37:27**     Rep. Wright

00:37:40 Ben Cannon  
00:37:49 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:37:56 Rep. Wright  
00:38:08 Ben Cannon  
00:38:54 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:39:10 Rep. McLain  
00:40:05 Ben Cannon  
00:40:16 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:40:47 Ben Cannon  
00:40:55 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:41:59 Ben Cannon  
00:43:09 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:43:43 Sen. Frederick  
00:44:34 Co-Chair Ruiz  
00:45:54 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:45:57 Rep. Wright  
00:46:22 Sen. Weber  
00:47:02 Rep. McIntire, House District 56  
00:47:29 Ben Cannon  
00:47:42 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:47:45 Rep. McIntire  
00:48:38 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:48:42 Ben Cannon  
00:48:46 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:48:49 Ben Cannon  
01:01:23 Rep. Yunker  
01:02:07 Ben Cannon  
01:02:43 Rep. McIntire  
01:03:23 Ben Cannon  
01:04:28 Rep. McLain  
01:05:54 Ben Cannon  
01:06:45 Rep. McIntire  
01:07:05 Ben Cannon  
01:09:37 Co-Chair Sollman  
01:12:16 Ben Cannon  
01:18:53 Rep. Wright  
01:20:12 Ben Cannon  
01:21:23 Rep. Wright  
01:22:03 Co-Chair Sollman  
01:22:35 Stacey Chase, Chief Financial Office, Department of Administrative Services  
01:22:47 Co-Chair Sollman  
01:22:50 Kim To  
01:22:57 MOTION: Co-Chair Ruiz moves the report to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to acknowledge receipt

**01:23:01** Co-Chair Sollman

**01:23:11** VOTE: 8-0-0

Ayes: Sens. Frederick, Sollman, Weber; Reps. Hudson, McLain, Ruiz, Wright,  
Yunker

MOTION CARRIES

Carrier: Rep. Ruiz

**01:23:26** Co-Chair Sollman

**01:24:06** [Meeting Adjourned](#)