

A-Engrossed
House Bill 3532

Ordered by the House March 29
Including House Amendments dated March 29

Sponsored by COMMITTEE ON REVENUE

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure.

Permits counties to reduce certain certified expenditures subject to conditions.
Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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2 Relating to county assessment function funding assistance payments; and declaring an emergency.

3 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

4 **SECTION 1. Notwithstanding ORS 294.178 (4), for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2006,**
5 **and ending June 30, 2007, a county's reduction in expenditures certified by the Department**
6 **of Revenue does not alter the percentage to be paid to the county under ORS 294.178 (4) or**
7 **the payments from the County Assessment Function Funding Assistance Account under ORS**
8 **294.178 (3), provided:**

9 (1) **The revenue of the county for the previous fiscal year was supplemented by federal**
10 **payments pursuant to the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of**
11 **2000 (P.L. 106-393) in an amount equal to at least 10 percent of the revenue;**

12 (2) **The reduction in county expenditures does not exceed 10 percent of the expenditures**
13 **certified by the department; and**

14 (3) **The reduction in county expenditures does not result in a failure by the county to**
15 **adequately provide the resources needed to achieve proper compliance with ORS 308.232 and**
16 **308.234, ORS chapter 309, other laws requiring equality and uniformity in the system of**
17 **property taxation and applicable rules of the department.**

18 **SECTION 2. This 2007 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public**
19 **peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2007 Act takes effect**
20 **on its passage.**

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NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted.
New sections are in **boldfaced** type.