

**75<sup>th</sup> OREGON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY – 2009 Regular Session  
STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY**

**MEASURE: SB 441-B**

**Joint Committee on Ways and Means**

**Carrier – House: Rep. G. Smith  
Carrier – Senate: Sen. Johnson**

**Revenue: Revenue statement issued**

**Fiscal: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued**

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**Action:** Do Pass with Amendments to the A-Engrossed (Printed B-Eng.)

**Vote:** 21 – 0 – 1

House

Yeas: Buckley, C. Edwards, D. Edwards, Galizio, Garrard, Gilman, Jenson, Kotek, Nathanson, Richardson, G. Smith

Nays:

Exc: Shields

Senate

Yeas: Bates, Carter, Girod, Johnson, Monroe, Nelson, Verger, Walker, Whitsett, Winters

Nays:

Exc:

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**Meeting Date:** 6/24

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Modifies the criteria to qualify as a small high school in the school equalization formula.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Intent of House Bill 2533-A as passed by the Senate Finance and Revenue Committee
- Riverside High School (Boardman) would qualify as amended

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** Replaces the bill.

**BACKGROUND:** School districts with small high schools generally require higher funding per student to meet State requirements. Additional funding for eligible school districts is currently provided by adding student weights in the school equalization formula.