2009 Regular Legislative Session
FISCAL ANALYSIS OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION
Prepared by the Oregon Legislative Fiscal Office

MEASURE NUMBER: SB 578 **STATUS:** Original
SUBJECT: Establishes a task force to study all terrain vehicle safety.
GOVERNMENT UNIT AFFECTED: Parks and Recreation Department, Department of Transportation, Oregon State Police, Department of Consumer and Business Services, Department of Human Services
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DATE: April 1, 2009

	2009-2011	2011-2013
EXPENDITURES:		
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EFFECTIVE DATE: The bill contains an emergency clause and is effective on passage.

GOVERNOR'S BUDGET: This bill is not anticipated by the Governor's recommended budget.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT MANDATE: This bill does not affect local governments' service levels or shared revenues sufficient to trigger Section 15, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

COMMENTS:
SB 578 establishes a Task Force on All-Terrain Vehicle Safety, consisting of 12 members. Five members are appointed by the Governor, and seven members are appointed by the Director of Transportation. The Department of Transportation (ODOT) will provide staff support to the Task Force. The Task Force is directed to report its findings to an interim committee of the Legislative Assembly by no later than October 1, 2010.

The fiscal impact of the bill is minimal, and includes costs related to member per diem, staff support, and the cost to generate the required report. The bill provides that Task Force members are to be compensated for per diem expenses "out of funds appropriated" for these expenses. However, the bill does not provide an appropriation to ODOT for these expenses.