

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Measure: SB 600 A

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Measure Description:

Directs district boundary board to accept petition from city for change in school district boundaries if certain conditions met.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

School Districts

Summary of Expenditure Impact:

See analysis.

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.

Analysis: This bill would allow for changes in school district boundaries if certain conditions are met.

The fiscal impact to school districts of this bill is indeterminate. If a city annexed land into their urban growth boundary that includes land currently in an adjacent school district, the school district may petition to annex the same area into their school district under certain circumstances. This could potentially result in a substantial shift of property taxes and State School Fund resources to the petitioning district depending upon the future growth of the area in question. It is not known, when or if this scenario may happen, but it could result in substantive fiscal impact to both school districts. The fiscal impact would be a shift of funds between the districts and an actual amount is unknown at this time. There would not be an impact to the State School Fund, just a change in the distribution between the districts.

The -4 amendment would require mediation between the Beaverton School District and the Hillsboro School District with respect to boundary disputes and would require a report to the Legislature if mediation is pursued.