

HB 2880 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

House Committee On Veterans and Emergency Preparedness

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Expands definition of "public building" for determining which public buildings must comply with existing requirements to display Oregon State flag and National League of Families' POWMIA flag to include all county, municipal, school district and special school district buildings where it is usual to display the United States flag.

FISCAL: Minimal Expenditure Impact

REVENUE: No Revenue Impact

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Current law requires public buildings to display the Oregon state flag and the National League of Families' POW/MIA flag with the the United States flag. Public building is defined as state institutions, county courthouses, and all other state buildings that the Oregon Department of Administrative Services determines are suitable to display the Oregon and POW/MIA flag.

For purposes of determining which public buildings must comply with existing requirements to display the Oregon State flag and the National League of Families' POW/MIA flag, House Bill 2880 expands the definition of "public building" to include all other county, municipal, school district and special district buildings upon which it is customary and suitable to display the United States flag.