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Measure Description:

Requires Department of Land Conservation and Development to establish electronic information system to receive, consolidate and organize public record information concerning shellfish mariculture in Oregon.

Government Unit(s) Affected:

Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD), Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW), Oregon Department of Agriculture (ODA), State Police

Analysis:

This fiscal impact statement is for the purpose of transmitting the measure from the House Committee on Natural Resources to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

The legislation makes three General Fund (GF) appropriations in the 2019-21 biennium: \$200,000 to the Department of Land Conservation and Development to create an electronic system to store and share public record information related to shellfish mariculture in this state; \$200,000 to the Department of Agriculture for work related to conducting preapplication conferences for oyster, clam or mussel cultivation licensing applicants; \$160,000 to the Department of Fish and Wildlife for the administration of a community outreach program conducted in cooperation with Indian tribes and the State Police regarding opportunities for recreational harvesting of shellfish.

A more complete fiscal analysis on the measure will be prepared as the measure is considered in the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

Further Analysis Required