

# Vote YES on SB 817

From the Office of Sen. Floyd Prozanski

## End Juvenile Fees & Fines to Help Youth & Families

SB 817 has bipartisan support and would [stop charging administrative fees and fines to youth](#) in the juvenile system and their families. Juvenile fees burden vulnerable families, are expensive to collect, and have long-term negative consequences. *SB 817 does not affect restitution or other accountability measures.*

### SB 817 Helps Youth and Families

Juvenile fees and fines undermine rehabilitation and community safety, while disproportionately burdening Black and Indigenous youth. **SB 817 relieves vulnerable families of financial and emotional burdens.**

### SB 817 Saves Money

Juvenile fees and fines generate little net revenue because they are collected at [low rates with high cost](#). For some fees and fines, the cost of collection exceeds revenue. **SB 817 will save Oregon money.**

### SB 817 Has Bipartisan, Local, and National Support

Since 2015, 11 states have reduced or eliminated juvenile fees and fines, including California, Washington, and Nevada. **SB 817 is endorsed by [groups](#) on both sides of the aisle.**

## Oregon Supporters



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