SB 1127 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee On Education

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

The measure directs the Oregon Department of Education to expend \$500,000 from the Statewide Education Initiatives Account to award grants to Title I schools for educational activities during recess, lunch, or after school. It declares an emergency and takes effect July 1, 2025.

Fiscal impact: May have fiscal impact, but no statement yet issued

Revenue impact: May have revenue impact, but no statement yet issued

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act was enacted by Congress to provide extra funding for K-12 schools in low-income communities. Records from the Oregon Department of Education indicate that in the 2023-2024 school year, Oregon had nearly 600 Title I schools.