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Senator Anthony Broadman, Co-Chair
Representative Paul Evans, Co-Chair
Joint Committee on Ways and Means,
Subcommittee on Public Safety
900 Court St. NE, Room H-178
Salem OR 97301

Dear Co-Chairs Broadman and Evans,

Thank you for the opportunity to present information on the Department of Emergency Management's budget before your subcommittee on Monday, April 7, 2025. During our presentation, Representative Grayber had a question regarding [House Bill 3754](#) that required further clarification. Please find the answer to her question below.

The transfer of the ORVID (Oregon Volunteers in Disaster) database from its current place at the Higher Education Coordinating Commission's OR-SERVE (Oregon Serves Commission) described in [House Bill 3754-1](#) is not foreseen in OEM's budget bill, SB 5517. HB 3754-1 would have a separate fiscal impact, to enable OEM to effectively integrate and coordinate the delivery of services under the existing ORVID program. It is also not related to the crisis management system.

The crisis management system listed on slide 18 of our presentation is found in Package 113 in the Governor's Budget for OEM. As noted in our presentation, the package is to start the planning work needed to develop that system.

The learning management system described on slide 18 is not part of the Governor's Budget for OEM. It is included in the Governor's Budget for DPSST and OEM will partner with DPSST.

The grants management system and other items listed on the slide are part of the ongoing work of the agency. There is also an initial investment in the Oregon Emergency Response System (OERS) Watch Center in package 090 of the budget request.

Please let me know if additional follow-up is desired or additional questions arise.

Sincerely,

Erin McMahon, Director
Oregon Department of Emergency Management