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To: Natural Resources Subcommittee
From: Twais Broadus, Legislative Fiscal Office
Date: June 5, 2025
Subject: HB 2925 – Relating to ocean shore permitting
Work Session Recommendations

HB 2925 updates the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department's (OPRD) ocean shore permitting process by establishing review timelines, expanding notification requirements, and authorizing emergency and general authorization permits for certain improvement activities. General authorization permits may be issued for low-impact projects that restore or protect the natural, scenic, or cultural values of the ocean shore. The measure directs OPRD to adopt rules setting fees for ocean shore improvement, emergency, and general authorization permits. Fee amounts must reflect administrative costs, project type, public benefit, construction value, and mitigation needs. Revenue will be deposited into a dedicated subaccount of the State Parks and Recreation Department Fund to support the Ocean Shore program. Future revenue is estimated at \$749,000 per biennium, though actual collections may vary with weather and project timing.

Final Subcommittee Action

LFO recommends that HB 2925 be moved to the Ways and Means Full Committee.

MOTION: I move HB 2925 to the Full Committee with a do pass recommendation.
(vote)

Carriers

Full Committee:
House Floor:
Senate Floor: