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I am a firm believer in the full funding of Special Education in our beloved Oregon. This will protect not just the children who will thrive with the support they need, but also the State's future by allowing each student to become full citizens and thereby limit the money spent on adults who are unable to support themselves due to substandard education. Karen Berry, MSW, JD