

Submitter: David Wall  
On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon OPPOSES HB 3183  
Committee: House Committee On Higher Education and Workforce  
Development  
Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3183

I OPPOSE [HB 3183]. Shutter, "The Higher Education Coordinating Commission."  
Save Taxpayer's money.

From the TEXT of [HB 3183], "...SECTION 1. In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropriated to the Higher Education Coordinating Commission, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2025, out of the General Fund, the amount of \$4,500,000, for purposes of the Open Educational Resources Program established under ORS 348.748 to 348.757."

\*\*[\$4,500,000] from the GENERAL FUND for 'play-money' for the Higher Education Coordinating Commission?

\*\*\*What is the State of Oregon's Total indebtedness?

\*\*\*Oregon is in debt and needs to pay-off its' indebtedness with dispatch.

\*\*\*The Higher Education Coordinating Commission's necessity is at issue.

\*\*\*It is past time the State of Oregon downsizes government expenditures, personnel and programs.

\*\*\*[HB 3183] is taxpayer monies squeezed and squeezed from their coffers without their consent so the Higher Education Coordinating Commission can give it away as 'Grants'.

Times have changed.

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