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I am in strong support of HB 3444.

Oregon Charter schools deserve the same funding that public schools receive. Oregon Charter school teachers deserve to make the same wage as public school teachers. Oregon Charter schools should be able to offer the same transportation conveniences as public schools.

As a parent whose kids all go to a Charter school I see no reason why the taxes I pay towards Oregon education does not contribute equally to all students in Oregon.