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Measure, Appointment or Topic:

HB3624

I oppose HB 3624 because it will increase the amount of funds in the Education Service District and Education Department in Oregon which is already underfunded. In addition, it will put those who wish to homeschool under the Education Service District as well. The people who will write the ORS and the OAR related to this bill may encroach unlawfully upon the current rights of homeschoolers. Those who choose to educate their own children often do not want to rely on the government to pay for how to educate their children; this includes the cost of testing. In fact, the cost of testing is not expensive and is usually affordable.