

THREE RIVERS SCHOOL DISTRICT
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Resolution #Fiscal 08/09 - 08

SCHOOL BOARD RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the state of Oregon has funds set aside specifically to assist government agencies during times of financial crisis; and

WHEREAS, those funds now contain approximately \$620 million; and

WHEREAS, the most recent estimates indicate that the state faces a shortfall of up to \$800 million between now and June 30; and

WHEREAS, a shortfall of that magnitude is expected to result in as much as \$336 million in cuts in state funding for public schools during the current school year; and

WHEREAS, those cuts would result in a \$1.6 million shortfall, which equates to a cut of about 10 school days for the Three Rivers School District; and

WHEREAS, those reductions would cripple the ability of our schools to achieve their educational mission; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Three Rivers School District Board of Directors urges the Legislature to immediately tap the state’s Education Stabilization Fund and its “Rainy Day” fund for the purpose of significantly reducing the current funding shortfall affecting the public schools in Oregon.

ATTEST: _____
Superintendent/Clerk Board Chair

Moved: _____ Seconded: _____

Passed _____ Date: _____
(Passed/Failed)