



Oregon State
University

Legislative Priorities
2018 Short Session

Since 2010: Short vs. Long Sessions

“Regular Sessions”



Odd numbered Years
160 Days
February - July

“Short Sessions”



Even numbered Years
35 Days
February

Funding Issues

1. Complete the work for OSU-Cascades

Governor & Regional Priority

\$39 Million to complete the Academic Building

2. Wave Energy State Match

\$2-4 Million to match \$35-40 Million in federal funding

What's not on the list:

- Recovery of OSU Statewides Shortfall (2019 issue)

Potential Policy Issues

Interest in creating state backstops for changing Federal issues

- Title IX / Student Conduct
- Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA)
- Student Financial Aid

Moving into the 2019 Budget Cycle

- Unified University support for a common operating fund increase
- Unified University support for an improved “Continuing Service Level”
- Continuing Discussions regarding Capital Construction
- 2018 elections: turnover and mega issues