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## ADVISORY: Senate Judiciary Committee to Hold Meeting on September 27th

Senators will hear updates on the public defense shortage, funding for community corrections, and the drug crisis in Oregon

**SALEM, Ore** - On Wednesday, September 27th, 2023, the Senate Interim Committee on Judiciary will hold a meeting to receive updates on public safety and the Justice System in Oregon.

"We know that public safety is top of mind for many people right now, and we need to be ready to deliver legislation in 2024 that will make a real difference for folks. This meeting will be a chance for us and the public to receive important updates and information that we can use to pursue meaningful solutions to some of Oregon's toughest problems," said **Senator Floyd Prozanski (D - Springfield & Eugene)**, chair of the committee.

Invited speakers at the meeting will cover the public defense shortage and implementation of solutions passed in 2023, funding models and population needs for community corrections, and how the public safety and public health systems are responding to the drug crisis in Oregon. The full agenda is available here.

**WHO:** Senate Interim Committee on Judiciary

WHAT: September Legislative Days Meeting | Full Agenda

WHEN: September 27th from 11:30 AM to 2:00 PM

WHERE: Hearing Room E, Oregon State Capitol | Live Stream