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Overview

The community education revenue program is the general funding formula for each school district's community activities. Community education revenue consists of a basic allowance, youth service revenue, and an after school enrichment component. The 2003 Legislature lowered the basic community education revenue funding by about 12% by reducing the basic allowance from \$5.95 per capita to \$5.23 per capita beginning in fiscal year 2005.

This bill restores the basic community education revenue to \$5.95 per capita beginning in fiscal year 2006. According to preliminary data, this change will have a revenue impact of \$3.7 million per year, with the majority of that coming in a levy increase of \$2.6 million.

Section

- 1 General community education revenue.** Restores funding for the basic community education program from \$5.23 to \$5.95 per capita beginning in fiscal year 2006.
- 2 Appropriation.** Appropriates \$3.391 million in FY 06 and \$3.143 million in FY 07 for the basic community education revenue program.