

### **Education Cabinet Review**

#### 2009-2010





**Education Cabinet** Goals



Increase graduation rates by 50%

 Double the number of high school graduates enrolling in post-secondary education and training

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# Local and State Data



\$37,497,500	cost savings from incarceration of dropouts
\$16,785	what dropouts earn on average
\$38,548	What AA's earn on average
1%	percent increase in degree attainment that can bring additional \$6.1 billion revenue



**Cabinet Change** Levers



- Stakeholder buy-in
- Collaboration and alignment with existing systems
- Research and data

### **Cabinet Configuration**

- Diverse cross-sector
- Quarterly Meetings
- Advised by Strategy
  Team and Multnomah
  Youth Commission





## **Education Strategies**



**Summer Youth Connect:** A continuum of services that connect youth to <u>academic support</u>, <u>career and college opportunities over the</u> <u>summer time</u>.

**Future Connect Scholars:** Helping academic priority <u>youth access</u> <u>post-secondary opportunities</u> and support at local high schools and community colleges.

**Opportunity Connect:** Enhancing youth <u>opportunities to connect to</u> <u>social service, academic and health supports through SUN system</u> and other extended day programs and providers.

**Community Connect:** <u>Building caring relationships with youth</u> through support from families, communities and educators.



### Outcomes



- Increased alignment and integration of City and County services to young people
- Increased investment in summer workforce and engagement opportunities and forged partnerships with over 100 private and nonprofit sector employers, 20 colleges and 20 CBOs
- Higher percentage of students entering high school on-track as reported by local superintendents
- Analyzed poverty data and altered college-access outreach to serve larger concentration of parents in low-income neighborhoods
- Changed SUN policy to more effectively engage high-school aged youth.
- Conducted first-ever inventory on drop-out prevention services and now know where investments are being leveraged and how.
- Mapped where our youth and youth services were to know where in our region there are disparities in access to services and the youth that need them
- Held first community-wide education summit to determine how we, as a community can better support our youth

#### Birth to Career Pathway to Success

#### ACADEMIC INDICATORS



#### STUDENT SUPPORT INDICATORS