

# HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND THE ENVIRONMENT

## TAPE LOG

March 19, 2007 Hearing Room C  
1:00 P.M. Tapes 53 - 54

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. Jackie Dingfelder, Chair  
Rep. Chuck Burley, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Ben Cannon, Vice-Chair  
Rep. E. Terry Beyer  
Rep. Bob Jenson  
Rep. Greg Smith

**MEMBER EXCUSED:** Rep. Greg Macpherson

**STAFF PRESENT:** Cat McGinnis, Committee Administrator  
Ian Tolleson, Committee Assistant

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:**  
HB 2785 – Public Hearing  
HR 1 – Public Hearing and Work Session

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TAPE # AND SIDE	COUNTER NUMBER	BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT MATTER OR CHANGE IN SPEAKER
53A	003	Chair Dingfelder calls the meeting to order at 1:05 p.m.
<b><u>HB 2785 – PUBLIC HEARING</u></b>		
	006	Cat McGinnis, Committee Administrator
	011	Chair Dingfelder
	019	Mike Schaufler, State Representative, House District #48
	025	Chair Dingfelder
	027	Rep. Schaufler
	029	Katie Fast, Associate Director of Government Affairs, Oregon Farm Bureau Federation ( <b>EXHIBIT A</b> )
	087	Chair Dingfelder
	088	Kristina McNitt, Representative, Oregon Water Resources Congress ( <b>EXHIBIT B</b> )
	123	Jan Lee, General Manager, Swalley Irrigation District
	157	Chair Dingfelder
	164	Lee
53A	168	Chair Dingfelder
	170	Lee
	190	Chair Dingfelder
	193	Lee
	199	Chair Dingfelder
	202	Rep. Burley
	213	Lee

	217	Chair Dingfelder
	218	Rep. Burley
	224	Fast
	233	McNitt
	242	Rep. Burley
	249	Lee
	254	Chair Dingfelder
	256	Rep. Cannon
	262	Fast
	277	Chair Dingfelder
	288	Dwight French, Water Rights & Adjudication Division Administrator, Water Resources Department ( <b>EXHIBIT C</b> )
	336	Chair Dingfelder
	338	Roy Elicker, Director, Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife
	348	Chair Dingfelder
	350	Rep. Jenson
	352	Chair Dingfelder
	354	Rep. Jenson
	357	Elicker
	359	Rep. Jenson
	363	Elicker
	394	Rep. Jenson
	447	Chair Dingfelder
	459	French
	460	Chair Dingfelder
	464	French
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	474	Chair Dingfelder
	476	Rep. Jenson
54A	015	Chair Dingfelder
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54A	029	Chair Dingfelder
	034	French
	040	Chair Dingfelder
	046	French
	051	Chair Dingfelder
	052	Rep. Cannon
	054	French
	055	Rep. Cannon
	057	French
	064	Rep. Cannon
	067	French
	075	Rep. Burley
	088	Rep. Jenson
	093	French
	094	Rep. Jenson
	107	French
	108	Rep. Burley
	119	David Moskowitz, Representative, WaterWatch ( <b>EXHIBIT D</b> )

147	Rep. Jenson
151	Moskowitz
170	Chair Dingfelder
171	Rebecca Sherman, Northwest Coordinator, Hydropower Reform Coalition <b>(EXHIBIT E)</b>
208	Jeremiah Bauman, Environmental Advocate, Oregon State Public Interest Research Group (OSPIRG)
236	Chair Dingfelder
244	Willie Tiffany, Senior Associate, League of Oregon Cities & Special Districts
267	Chair Dingfelder
268	Rep. Cannon
269	Chair Dingfelder
271	Tiffany
275	Chair Dingfelder
278	Rep. Cannon
281	Chair Dingfelder

**HR 1 – PUBLIC HEARING**

	297	Cat McGinnis, Committee Administrator
	301	Chair Dingfelder
	303	Rep. Vic Gilliam, State Representative, House District #18
<b>54A</b>	305	Chair Dingfelder
	309	Rep. Gilliam
	386	Chair Dingfelder
	387	Rep. Gilliam
	393	Chair Dingfelder
	396	Jack Robertson, Chairman, Norwest Hydrogen Alliance <b>(EXHIBIT F)</b>
<b>53B</b>	076	Chair Dingfelder
	084	Robertson
	103	Chair Dingfelder
	106	Rep. Burley
	110	Chair Dingfelder
	112	Mike Grainey, Director, Department of Energy
	134	Chair Dingfelder
	138	Grainey
	146	Chair Dingfelder
	151	James Davis, Representative, Hydra Fuel Cell Corporation (HCC)
	152	James Twedt, President, HCC
	153	Davis
	193	Twedt
	212	Rep. Burley
	213	Chair Dingfelder
	216	Twedt
	221	Rep. Burley
	225	Twedt
	232	Chair Dingfelder
	234	Rep. Burley

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238	Rep. Burley
247	Chair Dingfelder
249	Twedt
250	Chair Dingfelder
252	Rep. Cannon
256	Twedt
276	Davis
287	Twedt

**The following prepared testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:**

Kent Madison, Owner, Madison Farms (**EXHIBIT G**)  
Chair Dingfelder

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**HR 1 – WORK SESSION**

**53B                      297**

**MOTION: Rep. Cannon moves HR 1 be sent to the floor  
with a BE ADOPTED recommendation.**

**VOTE: 5-0-1-1**

**AYE:                In a roll call vote, all members present vote Aye.**

**EXCUSED: 1 – Macpherson**

**ABSENT:    1 – G. Smith**

**Chair Dingfelder declares the motion CARRIED.**

**REP. GILLIAM will lead discussion on the floor.**

300                      Chair Dingfelder

313                      Rep. Vic Gilliam, State Representative, House District #18

314                      Chair Dingfelder adjourns meeting at 2:28 p.m.

**EXHIBIT SUMMARY**

- A. **HB 2785, written testimony, Katie Fast, 4 pp**
- B. **HB 2785, written testimony, Kristina McNitt, 2 pp**
- C. **HB 2785, written testimony, Dwight French, 2 pp**
- D. **HB 2785, written testimony, David Moskowitz, 3 pp**
- E. **HB 2785, written testimony, Rebecca Sherman, 3 pp**
- F. **HR 1, written testimony, Jack Robertson, 11 pp**
- G. **HB 2785, written testimony, Kent Madison, 1 p**