

**SENATE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS, TRANSPORTATION AND  
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT**

March 26, 2007 Hearing Room B  
1:00 P.M. Tapes 65 - 66

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Rick Metsger, Chair  
Sen. Bruce Starr, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Larry George  
Sen. Laurie Monnes Anderson

**MEMBERS EXCUSED:** Sen. Ryan Deckert

**STAFF PRESENT:** Janet Adkins, Committee Administrator  
Adam Hicks, Committee Assistant

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:**  
SB 492 – Work Session  
SB 734 – Work Session  
SB 827 – Public Hearing  
SB 545 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
SB 894 – Public Hearing and Work Session

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<b>TAPE # AND SIDE</b>	<b>COUNTER NUMBER</b>	<b>BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT MATTER OR CHANGE IN SPEAKER</b>
<b>65A</b>	003	Chair Metsger calls the meeting to order at 1:05 p.m.
<b><u>SB 492 – WORK SESSION</u></b>	006	Janet Adkins, Committee Administrator ( <b>EXHIBIT A</b> )
	036	Chair Metsger
	039	Brad Darcy, Director, Oregon Boxing and Wrestling Commission (OBWC)
	051	Chair Metsger
	055	Sen. L. George
	056	Chair Metsger
	057	Sen. Starr
	058	Darcy
	061	Chair Metsger
	062	Sen. Starr
	064	Darcy
	065	Chair Metsger
	066	Darcy
	067	Sen. Monnes Anderson
<b>65A</b>	069	Darcy
	073	Sen. Starr
	081	Darcy
	084	Sen. Starr
	086	Sen. Monnes Anderson
	091	Darcy
	094	Chair Metsger

095 Darcy  
 096 Sen. Starr  
 099 Darcy  
 106 Chair Metsger  
 107 Adkins  
 110 Chair Metsger  
 119 Sen. Starr  
 123 Darcy  
 124 Chair Metsger  
 139 Sen. Starr  
 143 Chair Metsger  
 144 Darcy  
 145 Sen. Starr  
 146 Chair Metsger  
 147 Darcy  
 154 Sen. Starr  
 157 Sen. Monnes Anderson  
 159 Darcy  
 170 Chair Metsger

**SB 734 - WORK SESSION**

174 Janet Adkins, Committee Administrator (**EXHIBIT B**)  
 186 Chair Metsger  
 189 Tim Martinez, Representative, Oregon Banker's Association  
 (OBA)  
 193 Chair Metsger  
 194 **MOTION: Sen. Starr moves to ADOPT SB 734-1  
 amendments dated 3/20/07.**  
 195 **VOTE: 4-0-1**  
**EXCUSED: 1 - Sen. Deckert**  
 196 **Chair Metsger, hearing no objection, declares the motion  
 CARRIED.**  
 197 **MOTION: Sen. Starr moves SB 734 to the floor with a DO  
 PASS AS AMENDED recommendation.**  
 198 **VOTE: 4-0-1**  
**EXCUSED: 1 - Sen. Deckert**  
 65A 203 **Chair Metsger, hearing no objection, declares the motion  
 CARRIED.**  
**SEN. METSGER will lead discussion on the floor.**  
 207 Chair Metsger

**SB 827 – PUBLIC HEARING**

208 Janet Adkins, Committee Administrator  
 209 Chair Metsger  
 210 Adkins (**EXHIBIT C**)  
 227 Chair Metsger  
 228 Sen. Laurie Monnes Anderson, State Senator, Senate District #25  
 240 Chair Metsger  
 244 Ron Papsdorf, Government Relations Manager, City of Gresham  
 (**EXHIBIT D**)  
 260 Papsdorf  
 302 Chair Metsger  
 323 Sen. Starr

	325	Papsdorf
	337	Sen. Starr
	348	Papsdorf
	380	Sen. Starr
	411	Papsdorf
	436	Sen. Starr
	438	Chair Metsger
	445	Amanda Rich, Representative, Special Districts Association of Oregon
<b>66A</b>	016	Rich
	022	Chair Metsger
	026	Jon Chandler, Chief Executive Officer, Oregon Home Builders Association
	061	Chair Metsger
	073	Chandler
	094	Chair Metsger
	095	Sen. Monnes Anderson
	106	Chair Metsger
	112	Adkins ( <b>EXHIBIT E</b> )
	115	Sen. Starr
	140	Chandler
	154	Chair Metsger

**SB 545 – PUBLIC HEARING**

	159	Janet Adkins, Committee Administrator ( <b>EXHIBITS F, G</b> )
<b>66A</b>	183	Chair Metsger
	187	John Brennehan, Lobbyist, Oregon Funeral Directors Association, (OFDA)
	193	Chair Metsger
	200	Wally Ordeman, Funeral Director, Albany ( <b>EXHIBIT H</b> )
	247	Chair Metsger
	249	Ordeman
	261	Chair Metsger
	272	Ordeman
	281	Chair Metsger
	287	Ordeman
	510	Chair Metsger
	412	Sen. Monnes Anderson
	422	Ordeman
	430	Chair Metsger

**SB 545 – WORK SESSION**

439 Chair Metsger

**SB 894 –PUBLIC HEARING**

	440	Janet Adkins, Committee Administrator ( <b>EXHIBIT I</b> )
	461	Brant Wolf, Executive Vice President, Oregon Telecommunications Association, (OTA)
	466	Chair Metsger
	468	Sen. Richard Devlin, State Senator, Senate District #19
<b>65B</b>	026	Chair Metsger
	030	Rick Willis, Executive Director, Oregon Public Utility Commission (OPUC) ( <b>EXHIBIT J</b> )

	058	Chair Metsger
	062	Willis
	063	Sen. Starr
	066	Willis
	067	Sen. Starr
	068	Willis
	069	Sen. Starr
	077	Sen. Devlin
	096	Sen. Starr
	098	Willis
	104	Sen. Starr
	120	Chair Metsger
	124	Sen. Starr
<b>65B</b>	126	Chair Metsger
	127	Sen. L. George
	135	Willis
	148	Sen. L. George
	156	Willis
	161	Sen. L. George
	167	Willis
	174	Adkins
	180	Willis
	184	Adkins
	185	Chair Metsger
<b><u>SB 894 – WORK SESSION</u></b>		
	<b>188</b>	<b>MOTION: Sen. Starr moves to ADOPT SB 894-1 amendments dated 3/23/07.</b>
	194	Sen. Starr
	195	Rick Willis, Executive Director, Oregon Public Utility Commission
	201	Chair Metsger
	202	Willis
	215	Sen. Richard Devlin, State Senator, Senate District #19
	239	Chair Metsger
	241	Sen. L. George
	251	Chair Metsger
	252	Brant Wolf, Executive Vice President, Oregon Telecommunications Association, OTA
	258	Sen. Devlin
	259	Wolf
	264	Chair Metsger
	270	Wolf
	277	Chair Metsger
	278	Wolf
	290	Sen. Starr
	292	Chair Metsger
	<b>293</b>	<b>VOTE: 4-0-1</b>
		<b>EXCUSED: 1 - Sen. Deckert</b>
	<b>294</b>	<b>Chair Metsger, hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.</b>

	295	<b>MOTION: Sen. Starr moves SB 894 to the floor with a DO PASS AS AMENDED recommendation.</b>
	296	<b>VOTE: 4-0-1</b>
	297	<b>EXCUSED: 1 - Sen. Deckert</b> <b>Chair Metsger, hearing no objection, declares the motion CARRIED.</b> <b>SEN. DEVLIN will lead discussion on the floor.</b>
<b>65B</b>	298	Sen. Starr
	300	Chair Metsger
	301	Sen. L. George
	305	Chair Metsger adjourns the meeting at 2:25 p.m.

### **EXHIBIT SUMMARY**

- A. **SB 492, -4 amendments, staff, 2 pp**
- B. **SB 734, -1 amendments, staff, 1 p**
- C. **SB 827, -1 amendments, staff, 1 p**
- D. **SB 827, written testimony, Ron Papsdorf, 1 p**
- E. **SB 827, written testimony of Mary Kyle McCurdy, staff, 1 p**
- F. **SB 545, -1 amendments, staff, 3 pp**
- G. **SB 545, -2 amendments, staff, 3 pp**
- H. **SB 545, written testimony, Wally Ordeman, 1 p**
- I. **SB 894, -1 amendments, staff, 1 p**
- J. **SB 894, written testimony, Rick Willis, 3 pp**