

**SENATE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT
AND NATURAL RESOURCES**

May 28, 2014
2:00 PM

Hearing Room C

MEMBERS PRESENT: **Sen. Michael Dembrow, Chair**
 Sen. Alan Olsen, Vice-Chair
 Sen. Alan Bates
 Sen. Bill Hansell
 Sen. Mark Hass

VISITING MEMBERS: **Rep. Wayne Krieger**
 Rep. Lew Frederick
 Rep. Gail Whitsett
 Rep. Brad Witt
 Sen. Doug Whitsett

STAFF PRESENT: **Beth Patrino, Committee Administrator**
 Shelley Raszka, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: **Informational Meeting**
 - **Regulation of Pesticides**
 - **Upper Klamath Basin Agreement**
 - **Proposed Spill Study – Northwest Power and
 Conservation Council Fish and Wildlife Program**
 - **Clean Fuels Update**

Recording Log

2:01:23 PM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Dembrow

2:02:03 PM **Regulation of Pesticides - Informational Meeting**

2:04:55 PM {Exhibit} 1-2: Lisa Hanson, Deputy Director, Department of Agriculture

2:14:45 PM Peter Daugherty, Chief, Private Forests Division, Department of Forestry

2:19:56 PM Chair Dembrow

2:20:00 PM Daugherty

2:20:48 PM {Exhibit} 3: Katrina Hedberg, MD, MPH, State Epidemiologist and State Health Officer, Oregon Health Authority

2:26:02 PM Chair Dembrow

2:26:28 PM Hanson

2:35:50 PM Chair Dembrow

2:36:44 PM Hedberg

2:39:42 PM Chair Dembrow

2:39:48 PM Hedberg

2:41:04 PM Chair Dembrow

2:41:08 PM Hedberg
2:42:29 PM Sen. Bates
2:43:19 PM Hedberg
2:45:40 PM Sen. Hass
2:46:00 PM Hanson
2:47:08 PM Sen. Hass
2:47:38 PM Hanson
2:49:44 PM Sen. Hansell
2:50:09 PM Hanson
2:51:12 PM Rep. Witt
2:51:26 PM Hanson
2:52:20 PM Rep. Witt
2:53:44 PM Chair Dembrow
2:53:54 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
2:54:01 PM Hanson
2:54:09 PM Mike Odenthal, Pesticide Investigator, Department of Agriculture
2:54:12 PM Hanson
2:54:15 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
2:54:19 PM Odenthal
2:54:26 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
2:54:43 PM Hanson
2:55:43 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
2:55:53 PM Hanson
2:56:23 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
2:56:53 PM Odenthal
2:57:56 PM Chair Dembrow
2:58:08 PM {Exhibit} 4-6: John Burns, First Responder
3:07:00 PM Chair Dembrow
3:07:07 PM James Aldrich, logger
3:09:18 PM Chair Dembrow
3:09:21 PM Jim Welsh, resident, Dallas
3:15:00 PM Chair Dembrow
3:15:33 PM Rep. Krieger
3:16:50 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
3:18:08 PM Burns
3:18:24 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
3:18:32 PM Burns
3:18:43 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
3:18:47 PM Rep. Krieger
3:19:09 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
3:19:24 PM Burns
3:19:41 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
3:19:44 PM Burns
3:20:40 PM Chair Dembrow
3:20:44 PM Burns
3:20:57 PM Chair Dembrow

3:21:40 PM Catherine Rickard, resident, Oregon

3:24:05 PM Chair Dembrow

3:24:24 PM **Upper Klamath Basin Agreement - Informational Meeting**

3:26:26 PM {Exhibit} 7: Richard Whitman, Natural Resources Policy Director,
Governor's Office

3:36:51 PM Chair Dembrow

3:36:54 PM Whitman

3:42:21 PM Chair Dembrow

3:42:31 PM Whitman

3:42:36 PM Chair Dembrow

3:42:44 PM Rep. Krieger

3:43:17 PM Tom Paul, Deputy Director, Oregon Water Resources Department

3:43:49 PM Rep. Krieger

3:44:12 PM Whitman

3:45:33 PM Rep. Krieger

3:45:46 PM Rep. Whitsett

3:47:10 PM Whitman

3:48:34 PM Chair Dembrow

3:48:55 PM Whitman

3:50:17 PM Paul

3:50:44 PM Sen. Bates

3:51:42 PM Whitman

3:52:05 PM Sen. Bates

3:52:16 PM Chair Dembrow

3:52:28 PM Sen. Whitsett

3:53:00 PM Paul

3:53:28 PM Whitman

3:54:08 PM Sen. Whitsett

3:54:26 PM Whitman

3:54:30 PM Chair Dembrow

3:54:48 PM **Proposed Spill Study - Northwest Power and Conservation Council
Fish and Wildlife Program - Informational Meeting**

3:55:55 PM Richard Whitman, Natural Resources Policy Director, Governor's Office

4:03:13 PM {Exhibit} 8: Ed Bowles, Fish Division Administrator, Oregon Department of
Fish and Wildlife

4:18:03 PM Whitman

4:20:08 PM Chair Dembrow

4:20:22 PM Whitman

4:21:06 PM Chair Dembrow

4:21:12 PM Rep. Krieger

4:21:26 PM Bowles

4:22:07 PM Rep. Krieger

4:22:27 PM Bowles

4:23:17 PM Rep. Krieger

4:23:50 PM Sen. Hansell
4:24:05 PM Whitman
4:24:23 PM Sen. Hansell
4:24:38 PM Bowles
4:25:03 PM Sen. Hansell
4:25:16 PM Bowles
4:25:49 PM Sen. Hansell
4:26:03 PM Bowles
4:26:49 PM Sen. Hansell
4:26:51 PM Bowles
4:26:55 PM Sen. Hansell
4:27:04 PM Bowles
4:27:51 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
4:28:20 PM Bowles
4:28:38 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
4:28:51 PM Bowles
4:29:04 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
4:29:10 PM Bowles
4:29:35 PM Chair Dembrow
4:30:13 PM {Exhibit} 9-10: Crystal Ball, Oregon Liaison, Bonneville Power Administration
4:33:30 PM {Exhibit} 21: Terry Flores, Executive Director, Northwest River Partners
4:38:18 PM Ted Case, Executive Director, Oregon Rural Electric Cooperative Association
4:39:56 PM {Exhibit} 11-13: Liz Hamilton, Executive Director, Northwest Sportfishing Industry Association
4:42:05 PM Chair Dembrow
4:42:07 PM Hamilton
4:45:35 PM Chair Dembrow
4:45:52 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
4:46:02 PM Chair Dembrow

4:46:20 PM **Clean Fuels Update - Informational Meeting**
4:46:48 PM {Exhibit} 14: Dick Pedersen, Director, Department of Environmental Quality
4:50:25 PM Chair Dembrow
4:51:22 PM {Exhibit} 15: Anthony Eggert, Executive Director, Policy Institute for Energy, Environment and the Economy, UC Davis
4:51:53 PM Chair Dembrow
4:52:36 PM Eggert
5:03:01 PM Chair Dembrow
5:03:14 PM {Exhibit} 16: Jeffrey Rosenfeld, Manager, ICF International
5:12:14 PM Chair Dembrow
5:12:19 PM Rosenfeld
5:12:29 PM Chair Dembrow
5:13:14 PM Eggert

5:14:42 PM Sen. Hansell
5:14:57 PM Eggert
5:15:26 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
5:15:32 PM Eggert
5:15:56 PM Chair Dembrow
5:16:39 PM {Exhibit} 17-19: Brian Doherty, Western States Petroleum Association
5:21:32 PM Chair Dembrow
5:21:38 PM {Exhibit} 20: Chuck White, Director of Regulatory Affairs/West Public and Government Affairs, Waste Management (via telephone)
5:33:05 PM Chair Dembrow
5:33:09 PM White
5:34:32 PM Vice-Chair Olsen
5:34:41 PM White
5:35:02 PM Chair Dembrow
5:35:26 PM Meeting Adjourned by Chair Dembrow

Exhibit Summary

2:04:55 PM {Exhibit} 1: Regulation of Pesticides, PowerPoint presentation, Lisa Hanson, 23 pp
2:04:55 PM {Exhibit} 2: Regulation of Pesticides, written information, Lisa Hanson, 2 pp
2:20:48 PM {Exhibit} 3: Regulation of Pesticides, written testimony, Katrina Hedberg, 2 pp
2:58:08 PM {Exhibit} 4: Regulation of Pesticides, *Cedar Valley, Curry County*, PowerPoint presentation, John Burns, 10 pp
2:58:08 PM {Exhibit} 5: Regulation of Pesticides, video, John Burns, oversized
2:58:08 PM {Exhibit} 6: Regulation of Pesticides, informational packet, John Burns, 137 pp
3:26:26 PM {Exhibit} 7: Upper Klamath Basin Agreement, *Synopsis of the Upper Klamath Basin Comprehensive Agreement*, report, Richard Whitman, 12 pp
4:03:13 PM {Exhibit} 8: Proposed Spill Study – Northwest Power and Conservation Council Fish and Wildlife Program, *Proposed Spill Experiment*, PowerPoint presentation, Ed Bowles, 16 pp
4:30:13 PM {Exhibit} 9: Proposed Spill Study – Northwest Power and Conservation Council Fish and Wildlife Program, written testimony, Crystal Ball, 2 pp
4:30:13 PM {Exhibit} 10: Proposed Spill Study – Northwest Power and Conservation Council Fish and Wildlife Program, *Preliminary Hydrosystem Impact Analysis*, report, Crystal Ball, 8 pp
4:39:56 PM {Exhibit} 11: Proposed Spill Study – Northwest Power and Conservation Council Fish and Wildlife Program, PowerPoint presentation, Liz Hamilton, 7 pp

- 4:39:56 PM** {Exhibit} 12: Proposed Spill Study – Northwest Power and Conservation Council Fish and Wildlife Program, written testimony, Liz Hamilton, 9 pp
- 4:39:56 PM** {Exhibit} 13: Proposed Spill Study – Northwest Power and Conservation Council Fish and Wildlife Program, written testimony of Sara Patton, Liz Hamilton, 2 pp
- 4:46:48 PM** {Exhibit} 14: Clean Fuels Update, written information, Dick Pedersen, 2 pp
- 4:51:22 PM** {Exhibit} 15: Clean Fuels Update, PowerPoint presentation, Anthony Eggert, 17 pp
- 5:03:14 PM** {Exhibit} 16: Clean Fuels Update, *California's Low Carbon Fuel Standard Program Update*, PowerPoint presentation, Jeffrey Rosenfeld, 8 pp
- 5:16:39 PM** {Exhibit} 17: Clean Fuels Update, written testimony, Brian Doherty, 4 pp
- 5:16:39 PM** {Exhibit} 18: Clean Fuels Update, written testimony, Brian Doherty, 6 pp
- 5:16:39 PM** {Exhibit} 19: Clean Fuels Update, written testimony, Brian Doherty, 1 p
- 5:21:38 PM** {Exhibit} 20: Clean Fuels Update, *Creating Value and Energy from Waste; Financing Low Carbon Fuels*, PowerPoint presentation, Chuck White, 10 pp
- 4:33:30 PM** {Exhibit} 21: Proposed Spill Study – Northwest Power and Conservation Council Fish and Wildlife Program, written testimony, Terry Flores, 2 pp
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