

**HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION, INNOVATION, AND
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT**

April 3, 2015
08:00 AM

Hearing Room D

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Tobias Read, Chair
Rep. Joe Gallegos, Vice-Chair
Rep. Gene Whisnant, Vice-Chair
Rep. Cedric Hayden
Rep. Mark Johnson
Rep. Caddy McKeown
Rep. Mike Nearman
Rep. Jeff Reardon
Rep. Jennifer Williamson

STAFF PRESENT: Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
Zach Larmer, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS: Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

MEASURES/ISSUES: HB 2011 – Work Session
HB 2561 – Work Session
HB 2569 – Work Session
HB 2973 – Work Session
HB 3049 – Public Hearing

Recording Log – Recording started 07:38:03 AM

00:00:10 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:11 Chair Read

00:00:16 **HB 2011 - Work Session**
00:00:17 Chair Read
00:00:20 Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
00:01:10 MOTION: VICE CHAIR GALLEGOS MOVES HB 2011 DO PASS AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON TAX CREDITS
00:01:30 Vice-Chair Whisnant
00:02:09 VOTE: 9-0-0 (See time stamp **00:51:13**)
AYES: HAYDEN, JOHNSON, NEARMAN, REARDON, WILLIAMSON, GALLEGOS, WHISNANT, READ
EXCUSED: McKEOWN

00:02:13 **HB 2561 - Work Session**
00:02:14 Chair Read
00:02:19 EXHIBIT 1: Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
00:02:57 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GALLEGOS MOVES TO ADOPT THE -2
 AMENDMENTS
00:03:15 Vice-Chair Whisnant
00:03:40 Rep. McKeown
00:03:59 VOTE: 9-0-0
 AYES: HAYDEN, JOHNSON, McKEOWN, NEARMAN, REARDON,
 WILLIAMSON, GALLEGOS, WHISNANT, READ
00:04:00 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GALLEGOS MOVES HB 2561 DO PASS AS
 AMENDED
00:04:16 Rep. Nearman
00:05:16 Rep. Johnson
00:06:27 VOTE: 8-1-0
 AYES: HAYDEN, JOHNSON, McKEOWN, REARDON, WILLIAMSON,
 GALLEGOS, WHISNANT, READ
 NAYS: NEARMAN
 CARRIER: REP. GREENLICK WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE
 FLOOR

00:06:39 **HB 2569 - Work Session**
00:06:40 Chair Read
00:06:43 EXHIBIT 2: Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
00:07:54 Debbie Koreski, Portland State University
00:14:40 Rep. McKeown
00:15:28 Vice-Chair Whisnant
00:18:09 Rep. Reardon
00:19:20 Chris Allanach, Legislative Revenue Office
00:20:00 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GALLEGOS MOVES TO ADOPT THE -2
 AMENDMENTS
00:20:15 VOTE: 9-0-0
 AYES: HAYDEN, JOHNSON, McKEOWN, NEARMAN, REARDON,
 WILLIAMSON, GALLEGOS, WHISNANT, READ
00:20:23 MOTION: VICE-CAHIR GALLEGOS MOVES HB 2569 DO PASS AS
 AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON
 REVENUE
00:20:49 VOTE: 9-0-0
 AYES: HAYDEN, JOHNSON, McKEOWN, NEARMAN, REARDON,
 WILLIAMSON, GALLEGOS, WHISNANT, READ

00:20:53 **HB 2973 - Work Session**
00:20:54 Chair Read
00:21:02 EXHIBIT 3: Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
00:21:45 Vice-Chair Whisnant
00:24:05 Rep. Nearman

00:24:17 Rep. Johnson
00:25:04 Rep. Hayden
00:27:34 Rep. Williamson
00:28:28 Vice-Chair Gallegos
00:28:48 Rep. McKeown
00:29:26 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GALLEGOS MOVES TO ADOPT THE -2
AMENDMENTS
00:30:00 VOTE: 9-0-0
AYES: HAYDEN, JOHNSON, McKEOWN, NEARMAN, REARDON,
WILLIAMSON, GALLEGOS, WHISNANT, READ
00:30:04 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GALLEGOS MOVES HB 2973 DO PASS AS
AMENDED
00:30:26 VOTE: 9-0-0
AYES: HAYDEN, JOHNSON, McKEOWN, NEARMAN, REARDON,
WILLIAMSON, GALLEGOS, WHISNANT, READ
CARRIER: REP. WHISNANT WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:30:36 **HB 3049 - Public Hearing**
00:30:37 Chair Read
00:30:42 Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
00:31:22 Rep. Chris Gorsek, House District 49
00:33:46 Rep. Michael Dembrow, Senate District 23
00:39:56 Rep. Reardon
00:41:12 Rep. Johnson
00:43:25 EXHIBIT 4: Madilyn Zike, Chief Human Resources Officer, Department of
Administrative Services
00:51:10 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR WHISNANT MOVES TO SUSPEND THE RULES
TO ALLOW REP. McKEOWN TO VOTE AYE ON HB 2011
00:51:20 VOTE: 9-0-0
AYES: HAYDEN, JOHNSON, McKEOWN, NEARMAN, REARDON,
WILLIAMSON, GALLEGOS, WHISNANT, READ
00:56:00 Rep. Nearman
01:00:25 EXHIBIT 5: Joe Chambers, Member, Service Employees International
Union
01:04:10 Emma Kallaway, Executive Director, Oregon Student Association
01:05:59 Greg Monahan, Vice President, The Association of Oregon Faculties
01:15:20 Debbie Koreski, Portland State University
01:23:20 Glen Norowitz, Service Employees International Union
01:23:44 Dana Richardson, Deputy Director, Higher Education Coordinating
Commission
01:25:44 EXHIBIT 6: Witness Registration
01:25:44 The following is submitted to the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 7: Carla McNelly, Service Employees International Union
EXHIBIT 8: Gloria O'Brien, Service Employees International Union
EXHIBIT 9: John Ahlen, Service Employees International Union

01:25:52 EXHIBIT 10-11, Rob Fullmer, Service Employees International Union
EXHIBIT 12: Members, American Federation of Teachers - Oregon
Meeting Adjourned