

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

**February 27, 2009
1:00 P.M.**

Hearing Room E

MEMBERS PRESENT: **Rep. Sara Gelser, Chair**
 Rep. Michael Dembrow, Vice-Chair
 Rep. Sherrie Sprenger, Vice-Chair
 Rep. Chris Harker
 Rep. John Huffman
 Rep. Betty Komp
 Rep. Ron Maurer
 Rep. Arnie Roblan
 Rep. Kim Thatcher
 Rep. Suzanne VanOrman

STAFF PRESENT: **Kevin Christiansen, Committee Administrator**
 Debbie Malone, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: **Early Intervention and Childhood Special Education**
 – Informational Meeting
 Services to Children with Visual Impairments
 – Informational Meeting
 Introduction to Committee Bill – Work Session

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1:07:18 PM Meeting Called to Order
1:07:18 PM Chair Gelser
1:10:50 PM Rep. Roblan
1:10:57 PM Chair Gelser
1:11:50 PM Early Intervention and Early Childhood Special Education-
Informational Meeting
1:12:22 PM {Exhibit} 1: Julie Newman, Co-Director of EC CARES
1:19:16 PM Rep. Maurer
1:19:33 PM Newman
1:25:59 PM Chair Gelser
1:26:53 PM Newman
1:33:43 PM Rep. Komp
1:34:20 PM Newman
1:34:57 PM Rep. Roblan
1:35:42 PM Newman
1:35:53 PM Chair Gelser
1:37:12 PM Austin Hoppy, Parent, Polk County
1:40:26 PM {Exhibit} 2: Christy Reese, Parent, Gresham, Oregon
1:44:44 PM {Exhibit} 3: Whitney Trost, Parent, Tualatin, Oregon
1:48:56 PM Chair Gelser
1:49:52 PM {Exhibit} 4: Cathy Mihaileseu, Parent, Washington County
1:53:32 PM Ashley Strong, Parent
1:57:17 PM {Exhibit} 5: Laura Dahill, Parent
2:04:06 PM Chair Gelser
2:04:10 PM Rep. Maurer
2:04:21 PM Strong
2:04:23 PM Rep. Maurer
2:04:25 PM Strong
2:04:34 PM Rep. Maurer
2:04:46 PM Strong
2:05:29 PM Rep. Harker
2:05:56 PM Chair Gelser
2:06:36 PM Mickey Hill, Parent
2:12:55 PM Chair Gelser
2:13:20 PM Services to Children with Visual Impairments-Informational Meeting
2:13:35 PM {Exhibit} 6: Maureen Casey, Superintendent, Willamette Education
Service District
2:15:14 PM Chair Gelser
2:15:25 PM Casey

2:16:22 PM Rep. Komp
2:16:34 PM Chair Gelser
2:16:35 PM Rep. Komp
2:16:57 PM Casey
2:17:29 PM Rep. Harker
2:17:47 PM Casey
2:18:14 PM Rep. Komp
2:18:16 PM Rep. Maurer
2:18:36 PM Rep. Roblan
2:18:50 PM Casey
2:19:02 PM Rep. Roblan
2:19:12 PM Casey
2:19:20 PM Chair Gelser
2:20:23 PM {Exhibit} 7: Ryan McBee, Student, Franklin High School, Portland, Oregon
2:27:01 PM Chair Gelser
2:27:14 PM Rep. Huffman
2:27:24 PM Chair Gelser
2:27:25 PM Vice-Chair Dembrow
2:27:35 PM McBee
2:27:38 PM Vice-Chair Dembrow
2:27:56 PM McBee
2:28:24 PM Rep. Harker
2:28:40 PM Chair Gelser
2:28:56 PM {Exhibit} 8: Jill Hickenlooper, Parent, Jefferson, Oregon
2:34:58 PM Rep. Maurer
2:36:21 PM Hickenlooper
2:36:47 PM Chair Gelser
2:37:49 PM Hetabel Franco, Student, Chemeketa Community College
2:46:20 PM Chair Gelser
2:46:37 PM {Exhibit} 9: Zebadia Rodriguez, Student, West Salem High School, Salem, Oregon
2:50:17 PM Chair Gelser
2:50:50 PM {Exhibit} 10: Trisha McCready, Parent
2:56:17 PM {Exhibit} 11: Bob Prenevost, Grandparent
2:58:08 PM Chair Gelser
2:58:19 PM Prenevost
2:59:38 PM Chair Gelser
3:00:13 PM Introduction of Committee Bills - Work Session
3:00:33 PM Meeting Adjourned

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- 1:57:17 PM** {Exhibit} 5: Early Intervention & Early Childhood Special Education, written testimony, Laura Dahill, 4 pp
- 2:13:35 PM** {Exhibit} 6: Services to Children with Visual Impairments, *Oregon Regional Programs Serving Students with Low Incidence Disabilities*, Maureen Casey, 2 pp
- 2:20:23 PM** {Exhibit} 7: Services to Children with Visual Impairments, written testimony, Ryan McBee, 2 pp
- 2:28:56 PM** {Exhibit} 8: Services to Children with Visual Impairments, written testimony, Jill Hickenlooper, 2 pp
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