

## **HOUSE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION**

**April 13, 2009  
1:00 P.M.**

**Hearing Room D**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**      **Rep. E. Terry Beyer, Chair**  
                                 **Rep. George Gilman, Vice-Chair**  
                                 **Rep. Nick Kahl, Vice-Chair**  
                                 **Rep. Jules Bailey**  
                                 **Rep. Cliff Bentz**  
                                 **Rep. Vicki Berger**  
                                 **Rep. Debbie Boone**  
                                 **Rep. David Edwards**  
                                 **Rep. Mike Schaufler**  
                                 **Rep. Jim Weidner**

**STAFF PRESENT:**            **Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator**  
                                 **Katie Mikesell, Committee Assistant**

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:**   **HB 3379 – Public Hearing**  
   **HB 2396 – Work Session**  
   **HB 3138 – Public Hearing**  
   **HB 2956 – Public Hearing**

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## HTRANS

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1:07:29 PM Meeting Called to Order  
1:07:29 PM Chair Beyer  
1:07:48 PM HB 3379 - Public Hearing  
1:07:50 PM Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator  
1:08:36 PM Chair Beyer  
1:09:00 PM Senator Doug Whitsett, Senate District 8  
1:12:55 PM Chair Beyer  
1:13:03 PM Rep. David Edwards, House District 30  
1:13:03 PM {Exhibit} 1: Rep. Edwards D.  
1:17:40 PM Chair Beyer  
1:17:46 PM Rep. Berger  
1:18:35 PM Sen. Whitsett  
1:18:53 PM Rep. Berger  
1:18:57 PM Chair Beyer  
1:20:04 PM George Endicott, Mayor, City of Redmond  
1:20:04 PM {Exhibit} 2: Endicott  
1:22:27 PM Chair Beyer  
1:22:29 PM Chris Doty, Public Works Director, City of Redmond  
1:22:29 PM {Exhibit} 3: Doty  
1:25:03 PM Chair Beyer  
1:25:06 PM Dennis Ross, Mayor, Maupin  
1:25:48 PM Chair Beyer  
1:26:22 PM Eric King, City Manager, City of Bend  
1:28:58 PM Chair Beyer  
1:29:06 PM Eileen Stein, City Manager, City of Sisters  
1:29:06 PM {Exhibit} 4: Stein  
1:32:02 PM Chair Beyer  
1:32:06 PM Jack Isselman, Representative, City of Hillsboro  
1:33:02 PM Chair Beyer  
1:33:16 PM Isselman  
1:33:26 PM Chair Beyer  
1:33:30 PM Rep. Bentz  
1:33:48 PM King  
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**1:36:45 PM** Rep. Schaufler  
**1:37:17 PM** Chair Beyer  
**1:37:24 PM** Rep. Bailey  
**1:38:44 PM** King  
**1:39:38 PM** Stein  
**1:39:54 PM** Isselman  
**1:40:25 PM** Chair Beyer  
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**1:42:20 PM** Chair Beyer  
**1:42:20 PM** Stein  
**1:42:51 PM** Vice-Chair Kahl  
**1:43:23 PM** Isselman  
**1:44:18 PM** Chair Beyer  
**1:44:42 PM** Rep. Gene Whisnant, House District 53  
**1:46:12 PM** Chair Beyer  
**1:46:16 PM** Dennis Luke, Commissioner, Deschutes County  
**1:50:46 PM** Chair Beyer  
**1:51:08 PM** Jon Chandler, Representative, Oregon Home Builders Association  
**1:55:28 PM** Chair Beyer  
**1:55:32 PM** Chandler  
**1:55:33 PM** Chair Beyer  
**1:55:35 PM** Chandler  
**1:55:38 PM** Chair Beyer  
**1:56:03 PM** Jeri Bohard, Transportation Development Division Administrator,  
Oregon Department of Transportation  
**1:56:03 PM** {Exhibit} 5: Bohard  
**1:57:40 PM** Chair Beyer  
**1:57:56 PM** Doug Riggs, Representative, Central Oregon Cities Organization  
**1:58:46 PM** Chair Beyer  
**1:59:20 PM** The following written testimony is submitted for the record without  
public testimony:  
**1:59:20 PM** {Exhibit} 6: Ginny Woodruff, Mayor, City of La Pine  
**1:59:20 PM** {Exhibit} 7: Kathie Eckman, Mayor, City of Bend  
**1:59:20 PM** {Exhibit} 8: Jeff Fuchs, Consulting Engineer, Hickman Williams &  
Associates (HWA)  
**1:59:35 PM** HB 2396 - Work Session  
**1:59:38 PM** Vice-Chair Kahl

**1:59:47 PM** Chair Beyer  
**1:59:48 PM** Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator  
**2:00:18 PM** Chair Beyer  
**2:00:26 PM** Vice-Chair Kahl  
**2:00:29 PM** Chair Beyer  
**2:00:29 PM** MOTION: Vice-Chair Kahl moves -3 amendments  
**2:00:35 PM** Chair Beyer  
**2:00:56 PM** VOTE: 10-0-0  
**2:00:56 PM** Ayes: Reps. Bailey, Bentz, Berger, Beyer, Boone, D. Edwards, Gilman, Kahl, Schaufler, Weidner  
**2:01:02 PM** MOTION: Rep. Berger moves HB 2396 WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION and REFER to Committee on Ways & Means by prior reference  
**2:01:20 PM** Chair Beyer  
**2:01:39 PM** Rep. Schaufler  
**2:01:55 PM** Chair Beyer  
**2:01:56 PM** Vice-Chair Kahl  
**2:02:16 PM** Chair Beyer  
**2:02:18 PM** Rep. Bailey  
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**2:04:31 PM** HB 3138 - Public Hearing  
**2:04:32 PM** Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator  
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**2:05:26 PM** Craig Honeyman, Legislative Director, League of Oregon Cities  
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**2:11:37 PM** Dennis Ross, Mayor, City of Maupin  
**2:11:37 PM** {Exhibit} 10: Ross  
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**2:16:31 PM** Eileen Stein, City Manager, City of Sisters  
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**2:21:34 PM** Bill Currier, Mayor, Adair Village  
**2:24:46 PM** Chair Beyer  
**2:24:53 PM** Don Otterman, City Manager, City of North Plains  
**2:24:53 PM** {Exhibit} 12: Otterman  
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**2:40:03 PM** Doug Tindall, Deputy Director for Highways, Oregon Department of Transportation  
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**2:50:11 PM** Joe Esmonde, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers  
(IBEW) Local 48, Portland  
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**2:51:15 PM** Ryan Tribbett, Representative, National Electrical Contractors  
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