

## HOUSE COMMITTEE ON RULES

February 21, 2012  
3:00 PM

Hearing Room C

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. Tina Kotek, Co-Chair  
Rep. Andy Olson, Co-Chair  
Rep. Vicki Berger, Co-Vice Chair  
Rep. Paul Holvey, Co-Vice Chair  
Rep. Phil Barnhart  
Rep. Terry Beyer  
Rep. Sal Esquivel  
Rep. Tim Freeman  
Rep. Chris Garrett  
Rep. Matt Wingard

**STAFF PRESENT:** Cheyenne Ross, Committee Administrator  
Aimee Steketee, Committee Assistant

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:** SCR 205 - Work Session  
HB 4173 - Public Hearing  
HB 4174 - Public Hearing  
HB 4170 - Work Session  
HB 4172 - Work Session  
HB 4176 - Public Hearing

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### Recording Log

**3:05:20 PM** Meeting Called to Order by Co-Chair Olson

**3:05:45 PM** SCR 205-Work Session

**3:05:47 PM** Cheyenne Ross, Committee Administrator

**3:06:03 PM** Representative Carolyn Tomei, House District 41

**3:07:51 PM** Co-Chair Olson

**3:08:02 PM** Rep. Jefferson Smith, House District 47

**3:09:31 PM** Co-Chair Olson

**3:09:53 PM** Co-Vice Chair Berger

**3:09:54 PM** Co-Chair Olson

**3:10:19 PM** HB 4173-Public Hearing

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**3:11:06 PM** {Exhibit} 1: Mike Eliason, Association of Oregon Counties

**3:11:07 PM** {Exhibit} 2: Eliason

**3:13:19 PM** Tim Scott, Director of Elections, Multnomah County

**3:16:34 PM** Co-Chair Olson

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3:17:31 PM Scott  
3:18:35 PM Co-Chair Kotek  
3:18:40 PM Scott  
3:19:18 PM Co-Chair Kotek  
3:19:20 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:19:21 PM Rep. Garrett  
3:19:42 PM Scott  
3:20:10 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:20:36 PM Steve Trout, Oregon State Elections Director  
3:21:51 PM Rep. Garrett  
3:22:06 PM Trout  
3:22:16 PM Rep. Garrett  
3:22:29 PM Trout  
3:23:00 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:23:36 PM Dan Meek, Independent Party of Oregon  
3:29:43 PM Ruth Bendl, Voter Integrity Chair, Washington County Republican Party  
3:30:40 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:30:48 PM Bendl  
3:30:58 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:31:01 PM Steve Hughes, State Director, Oregon Working Families Party  
3:33:46 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:33:52 PM Co-Chair Kotek  
3:34:48 PM Meek  
3:34:52 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:34:55 PM Meek  
3:35:01 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:35:13 PM Meek  
3:35:24 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:35:28 PM Meek  
3:35:32 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:35:33 PM The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
3:35:34 PM {Exhibit} 3: Robin Wisdom and Kappy Eaton, League of Women Voters  
  
3:36:00 PM **HB 4174-Public Hearing**  
3:36:04 PM {Exhibit} 4: Cheyenne Ross, Committee Administrator  
3:37:10 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:38:30 PM {Exhibit} 5: Ruth Bendl, Voter Integrity Chair, Washington County Republican Party  
3:41:51 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:41:56 PM {Exhibit} 6: Wendy Frome, Albany resident  
3:46:03 PM Bev Hanes, Oregon resident  
3:46:21 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:46:55 PM Andrew Nisbet, Oregon resident  
3:47:10 PM Co-Chair Olson

3:47:13 PM Nisbet  
3:48:49 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:48:54 PM Tim Scott, Director of Elections, Multnomah County  
3:52:56 PM {Exhibit} 7: Steve Trout, Oregon State Elections Director  
3:54:04 PM {Exhibit} 8: Trout  
3:58:22 PM Co-Chair Olson  
3:59:22 PM {Exhibit} 9: Janice Dysinger, Gresham resident  
4:03:32 PM Dan Meek, Independent Party of Oregon  
4:04:15 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:04:30 PM Meek  
4:04:36 PM Janice Thompson, Common Cause Oregon  
4:07:00 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:07:01 PM The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
4:07:02 PM {Exhibit} 10: Gloria Bernard, Beaverton resident  
4:07:03 PM {Exhibit} 11: Carol Orr, Freedom Works  
4:07:04 PM {Exhibit} 12: Jeanee Swanson, Oregon citizen  
4:07:05 PM {Exhibit} 13: Greg Russell, Columbia County resident  
4:07:06 PM {Exhibit} 14: Jane Newton, Philomath resident  
4:07:07 PM {Exhibit} 15: Jeffery Reynolds, Portland resident  
4:07:08 PM {Exhibit} 16: Nicole and Terry White Beaverton resident  
4:07:09 PM {Exhibit} 17: Robin Wisdom and Kappy Eaton, League of Women Voters  
4:07:10 PM {Exhibit} 18: Connie Francis, Oregon resident  
4:07:11 PM {Exhibit} 19: Sandy Raddue, Beaverton resident  
  
4:07:20 PM **HB 4170-Work Session**  
4:07:49 PM Co-Vice Chair Berger  
4:07:50 PM Co-Chair Kotek  
4:08:08 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:08:11 PM Co-Vice Chair Holvey  
4:08:13 PM MOTION: CO-VICE CHAIR HOLVEY MOVES HB 4170 DO PASS AS AMENDED  
4:08:20 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:08:34 PM VOTE: 10-0-0 (PLEASE SEE TIME STAMP 4:36:19)  
4:08:34 PM AYES: BARNHART, BERGER, BEYER, ESQUIVEL, FREEMAN, GARRETT, HOLVEY, KOTEK, OLSON  
4:08:35 PM EXCUSED: WINGARD  
4:09:04 PM CARRIER: REP. HOLVEY WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR  
4:09:21 PM Meeting Recessed  
4:15:19 PM Meeting Reconvened  
  
4:15:22 PM **HB 4172-Work Session**  
4:15:30 PM {Exhibit} 20: Cheyenne Ross, Committee Administrator  
4:16:32 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:17:08 PM Rep. Garrett  
4:17:10 PM MOTION: REP. GARRETT MOVES THE -1 AMENDMENTS BE

ADOPTED

- 4:17:10 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:17:19 PM Rep. Freeman  
4:17:48 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:17:49 PM Co-Vice Chair Holvey  
4:17:59 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:18:28 PM VOTE: 9-0-1  
4:18:28 PM AYES: BARNHART, BEYER, ESQUIVEL, FREEMAN, GARRETT, BERGER, HOLVEY, KOTEK, OLSON  
4:18:29 PM EXCUSED: WINGARD  
4:18:34 PM Rep. Garrett  
4:18:35 PM MOTION: REP. GARRETT MOVES HB 4172 DO PASS AS AMENDED  
4:18:44 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:18:47 PM Rep. Garrett  
4:18:52 PM Ross  
4:18:58 PM Rep. Garrett  
4:19:09 PM Co-Vice Chair Holvey  
4:19:11 PM MOTION: REP. HOLVEY MOVES HB 4172 DO PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE  
4:19:25 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:19:44 PM VOTE: 10-0-0  
4:19:45 PM AYES: BARNHART, BEYER, ESQUIVEL, FREEMAN, GARRETT, WINGARD, BERGER, HOLVEY, KOTEK, OLSON  
4:20:21 PM The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
4:20:22 PM {Exhibit} 21: Maura Roche, American Heart Association  
  
4:20:28 PM **SCR 205-Work Session**  
4:20:44 PM Rep. Barnhart  
4:20:46 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:20:47 PM Rep. Barnhart  
4:20:48 PM MOTION: REP. BARNHART MOVES SCR 205 BE ADOPTED  
4:20:58 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:21:11 PM VOTE: 9-0-1  
4:21:12 PM AYES: BARNHART, BEYER, ESQUIVEL, FREEMAN, GARRETT, WINGARD, BERGER, HOLVEY, OLSON  
4:21:13 PM EXCUSED: KOTEK  
4:21:20 PM CARRIER: REP. NOLAN WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR  
  
4:21:24 PM **HB 4176-Public Hearing**  
4:21:30 PM {Exhibit} 22: Cheyenne Ross, Committee Administrator  
4:22:36 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:22:59 PM {Exhibit} 23: Mike McArthur, Association of Counties  
4:25:33 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:25:46 PM {Exhibit} 24: Alex Cuyler, Intergovernmental Relations Manger, Lane County

4:27:46 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:27:48 PM Darrell Fuller, Oregon State Sherriff's Association  
4:28:05 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:28:12 PM Fuller  
4:28:14 PM Rep. Barnhart  
4:28:21 PM Co-Chair Olson  
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4:29:39 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:29:40 PM Rep. Freeman  
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4:31:41 PM McArthur  
4:31:53 PM Co-Vice Chair Berger  
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4:35:58 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:36:17 PM Co-Vice Chair Holvey  
4:36:19 PM MOTION: REP. HOLVEY MOVES THAT THE RULES BE SUSPENDED  
TO ALLOW REP. WINGARD TO VOTE ON THE MOTION TO PASS HB  
4170  
4:36:20 PM VOTE: 10-0-0  
4:36:21 PM AYES: BARNHART, BEYER, ESQUIVEL, FREEMAN, GARRETT,  
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4:38:16 PM Co-Chair Olson  
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4:38:20 PM Co-Vice Chair Berger  
4:38:23 PM Rep. Barnhart  
4:38:30 PM Co-Chair Olson  
4:38:31 PM Ross  
4:38:32 PM Co-Chair Olson

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4:38:39 PM Meeting Adjourned by Co-Chair Olson

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### Exhibit Summary

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McArthur, 12pp  
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