

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

February 20, 2013
8:00 am

Hearing Room D

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Michael Dembrow, Chair
Rep. Chris Harker, Vice Chair
Rep. John Huffman, Vice Chair
Rep. Joe Gallegos
Rep. Vic Gilliam
Rep. Chris Gorsek
Rep. Mitch Greenlick
Rep. Mark Johnson
Rep. Gene Whisnant

STAFF PRESENT: Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
Cassandra Kornacki, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: Introduction of Committee Measures – Work Session
HB 2154 – Public Hearing
Informational Meeting
Community Colleges and Workforce Development:
Opportunities to Increase Adult GEDs in Support of
40-40-20 Education Plan

Recording Log

8:02:02 AM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Dembrow
8:02:55 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:03:02 AM Chair Dembrow
8:03:03 AM Rep. Greenlick
8:03:09 AM Chair Dembrow

8:03:18 AM **Introduction of Committee Measures – Work Session**
8:03:25 AM {Exhibit} 1-7: MOTION: VICE-CHAIR HARKER MOVES LC 3582, 0311,
1866, 2896, 3175, 3543, 3590 BE INTRODUCED AS COMMITTEE BILLS
8:04:09 AM Chair Dembrow
8:05:09 AM Rep. Johnson
8:05:16 AM Chair Dembrow
8:05:18 AM Rep. Johnson
8:05:19 AM Chair Dembrow
8:05:28 AM VOTE: 9-0-0
8:05:29 AM AYES: GALLEGOS, GILLIAM, GORSEK, GREENLICK, JOHNSON,
WHISNANT, HARKER, HUFFMAN, DEMBROW

8:05:34 AM Chair Dembrow

8:06:02 AM **HB 2154 – Public Hearing**

8:06:03 AM Chair Dembrow

8:06:13 AM Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator

8:06:37 AM Chair Dembrow

8:07:45 AM Andrea Cooper, Public Affairs Consultant, Oregon Education Association

8:11:55 AM Eric Miller, Elementary Teacher, Salem Keizer School District, Vice
President, Salem Keizer Education Association

8:15:23 AM Chair Dembrow

8:15:35 AM Miller

8:15:38 AM Chair Dembrow

8:15:56 AM Miller

8:17:03 AM Chair Dembrow

8:17:05 AM Rep. Greenlick

8:17:08 AM Miller

8:17:44 AM Rep. Greenlick

8:17:48 AM Miller

8:18:01 AM Rep. Greenlick

8:18:02 AM Miller

8:18:03 AM Chair Dembrow

8:18:06 AM Dr. James Salt, President, Oregon Community Colleges and Achievement
Compacts

8:21:01 AM Chair Dembrow

8:21:08 AM Rep. Johnson

8:22:03 AM Cooper

8:22:38 AM Chair Dembrow

8:22:39 AM Rep. Johnson

8:23:21 AM Cooper

8:23:26 AM Rep. Johnson

8:23:27 AM Cooper

8:23:29 AM Rep. Johnson

8:24:12 AM Cooper

8:24:14 AM Rep. Johnson

8:25:49 AM Cooper

8:25:50 AM Chair Dembrow

8:25:51 AM Cooper

8:26:45 AM Chair Dembrow

8:26:57 AM Rep. Johnson

8:27:24 AM Chair Dembrow

8:27:31 AM Rep. Johnson

8:27:38 AM Chair Dembrow

8:27:44 AM Rep. Johnson

8:27:54 AM Chair Dembrow

8:27:55 AM Rep. Gorsek

8:28:58 AM Chair Dembrow

8:29:00 AM Salt
8:29:58 AM Chair Dembrow
8:31:00 AM Shannon Brett, American Federation of Teachers – Oregon (AFT)
8:35:09 AM Chair Dembrow
8:35:52 AM Chris Maples, President, Oregon Institute of Technology
8:42:11 AM Chair Dembrow
8:42:25 AM Rep. Gilliam
8:43:01 AM Maples
8:43:02 AM Rep. Gilliam
8:43:18 AM Chair Dembrow
8:44:10 AM Maples
8:45:10 AM Chair Dembrow
8:45:16 AM Maples
8:45:20 AM Chair Dembrow
8:45:21 AM Maples
8:46:02 AM Chair Dembrow
8:46:06 AM Rep. Johnson
8:46:57 AM Chair Dembrow
8:47:30 AM Rep. Gorsek
8:48:08 AM Maples
8:48:41 AM Chair Dembrow
8:48:43 AM Rep. Gallegos
8:48:56 AM Chair Dembrow
8:49:25 AM Andrea Henderson, Executive Director, Oregon Community College Association
8:52:43 AM Greg Hamann, President, Linn Benton Community College
8:59:00 AM Chair Dembrow
8:59:02 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
9:00:58 AM Rep. Greenlick
9:00:58 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
9:00:59 AM Chair Dembrow
9:01:00 AM Rep. Gorsek
9:01:32 AM Chair Dembrow
9:01:34 AM Rep. Johnson
9:02:44 AM Henderson
9:02:55 AM Rep. Gorsek
9:03:05 AM Chair Dembrow
9:03:15 AM Rep. Gorsek
9:03:16 AM Chair Dembrow
9:03:58 AM Rep. Greenlick
9:04:02 AM Chair Dembrow
9:04:48 AM Hamann
9:05:40 AM Chair Dembrow
9:06:38 AM Recording Paused
9:08:00 AM Recording Resumed
9:08:12 AM Chair Dembrow

- 9:08:12 AM The following testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony
- 9:08:12 AM {Exhibit} 8: David Rives, President, AFT – Oregon
- 9:08:13 AM **Community Colleges and Workforce Development: Opportunities to Increase Adult GEDs in Support of 40-40-20 Education Plan – Informational Meeting**
- 9:08:43 AM Kate Brown, Secretary of State, Oregon
- 9:12:03 AM Sheronne Blasi, Audit Manager, Secretary of State Audit Division
- 9:16:48 AM Brown
- 9:17:03 AM Chair Dembrow
- 9:17:04 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
- 9:17:27 AM Blasi
- 9:17:38 AM Brown
- 9:17:54 AM Chair Dembrow
- 9:18:17 AM Brown
- 9:18:20 AM Chair Dembrow
- 9:18:27 AM Vice-Chair Harker
- 9:19:03 AM Blasi
- 9:19:52 AM Vice-Chair Harker
- 9:19:53 AM Chair Dembrow
- 9:19:55 AM Rep. Whisnant
- 9:20:23 AM Blasi
- 9:20:58 AM Rep. Whisnant
- 9:21:05 AM Blasi
- 9:21:13 AM Chair Dembrow
- 9:21:14 AM Rep. Greenlick
- 9:21:53 AM Blasi
- 9:22:21 AM Brown
- 9:22:25 AM Rep. Greenlick
- 9:23:02 AM Blasi
- 9:25:05 AM Brown
- 9:25:51 AM Rep. Greenlick
- 9:25:52 AM Chair Dembrow
- 9:26:04 AM Brown
- 9:26:29 AM Chair Dembrow
- 9:26:33 AM Camille Preus, Director, Community Colleges and Workforce Development
- 9:28:12 AM Rep. Gorsek
- 9:28:22 AM Preus
- 9:28:37 AM Rep. Gorsek
- 9:28:39 AM Preus
- 9:30:42 AM Chair Dembrow
- 9:30:44 AM Rep. Whisnant
- 9:31:57 AM Blasi
- 9:32:46 AM Rep. Whisnant

9:32:59 AM Chair Dembrow
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9:42:36 AM Rep. Gallegos
9:43:25 AM Chair Dembrow

9:43:34 AM **HB 2154 – Public Hearing**
9:43:35 AM Chair Dembrow
9:44:11 AM Emma Kallaway, Legislative Director, Oregon Student Association
9:45:58 AM Chair Dembrow
9:46:01 AM Vice-Chair Huffman
9:46:21 AM Kallaway
9:46:37 AM Chair Dembrow
9:47:36 AM Meeting Adjourned by Chair Dembrow

Exhibit Summary

8:03:25 AM {Exhibit} 1: Introduction of Committee Measures, LC 3582, staff, 117 pp
8:03:25 AM {Exhibit} 2: Introduction of Committee Measures, LC 0311, staff, 22 pp
8:03:25 AM {Exhibit} 3: Introduction of Committee Measures, LC 1866, staff, 11 pp
8:03:25 AM {Exhibit} 4: Introduction of Committee Measures, LC 2896, staff, 3 pp
8:03:25 AM {Exhibit} 5: Introduction of Committee Measures, LC 3175, staff, 15 pp
8:03:25 AM {Exhibit} 6: Introduction of Committee Measures, LC 3543, staff, 1 p
8:03:25 AM {Exhibit} 7: Introduction of Committee Measures, LC 3590, staff, 2 pp
9:08:12 AM {Exhibit} 8: HB 2154, written testimony, David Rives, 2 pp