

# **HOUSE COMMITTEE ON VETERANS' SERVICES AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS**

May 28, 2013  
1:00 P.M.

Hearing Room E

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. Greg Matthews, Chair  
Rep. Shemia Fagan, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Julie Parrish, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Deborah Boone  
Rep. Sal Esquivel  
Rep. John Huffman  
Rep. Brad Witt

**STAFF PRESENT:** Elizabeth Edwards, Committee Administrator  
Mike Reiley, Committee Assistant

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:** SB 33 – Work Session  
Informational Meeting  
Review of Governor's Task Force on Veterans' Services  
Final Report Recommendations and Next Steps

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## **Recording Log**

**1:05:36 PM** Meeting Called to Order by Chair Matthews

**1:06:21 PM** Chair Matthews

### **1:07:45 PM SB 33 - Work Session**

**1:07:53 PM** {Exhibit} 1 - 2: Elizabeth Edwards, Committee Administrator

**1:08:39 PM** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FAGAN MOVES TO ADOPT -2 AMENDMENTS

**1:08:41 PM** Rep. Boone

**1:09:15 PM** Chair Matthews

**1:09:36 PM** VOTE: 6-0-1

**1:09:38 PM** AYES: BOONE, ESQUIVEL, HUFFMAN, WITT, FAGAN, MATTHEWS

**1:09:39 PM** EXCUSED: PARRISH

**1:10:09 PM** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FAGAN MOVES SB 33 DO PASS AS AMENDED  
AND BE REFERRED TO WAYS & MEANS

**1:10:11 PM** Rep. Boone

**1:10:34 PM** Chair Matthews

**1:10:52 PM** Rep. Esquivel

**1:11:22 PM** Rep. Boone

**1:11:43 PM** Chair Matthews

**1:12:38 PM** VOTE: 7-0-0 (See time stamp **1:47:19 PM**)

**1:12:39 PM** AYES: BOONE, ESQUIVEL, HUFFMAN, WITT, FAGAN, PARRISH,  
MATTHEWS

**1:13:27 PM Review of Governor's Task Force on Veterans' Services Final Report Recommendations and Next Steps - Informational Meeting**

**1:14:01 PM** {Exhibit} 3: Tom Mann, Administrator of Veterans' Services, Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs

**1:26:17 PM** Cameron Smith, Director, Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs

**1:38:33 PM** Rep. Huffman

**1:39:35 PM** Mann

**1:42:41 PM** Rep. Esquivel

**1:43:46 PM** Mann

**1:44:55 PM** Rep. Witt

**1:45:33 PM** Rep. Esquivel

**1:45:51 PM** Vice-Chair Fagan

**1:46:06 PM** Rep. Boone

**1:46:11 PM** Smith

**1:46:55 PM SB 33 - Work Session**

**1:47:19 PM** MOTION: REP. BOONE MOVES THAT THE RULES BE SUSPENDED TO ALLOW VICE-CHAIR PARRISH TO VOTE AYE TO MOVE SB 33 DO PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO WAYS & MEANS

**1:47:35 PM** VOTE: 6-0-1

**1:47:37 PM** AYES: BOONE, ESQUIVEL, HUFFMAN, WITT, FAGAN, PARRISH

**1:47:37 PM** EXCUSED: MATTHEWS

**1:47:55 PM** Meeting Adjourned by Vice-Chair Fagan

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**Exhibit Summary**

**1:07:53 PM** {Exhibit} 1: SB 33, -2 amendments, staff, 5 pp

**1:07:53 PM** {Exhibit} 2: SB 33, written testimony, James Bela, 10 pp

**1:14:01 PM** {Exhibit} 3: Review of Governor's Task Force on Veterans' Services Final Report Recommendations and Next Steps, *Governor's Task Force on Veterans' Services Final Report December 2008* report, staff, 279 pp