

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND TRANSPORTATION

February 19, 2013  
3:00 PM

Hearing Room B

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Bruce Starr, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Chris Edwards  
Sen. Fred Girod  
Sen. Rod Monroe  
Sen. Chuck Thomsen

**MEMBER EXCUSED:** Sen. Lee Beyer, Chair

**STAFF PRESENT:** Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator  
Alexandra Bachmann, Committee Assistant

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:** SB 178 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
Introduction of Committee Measures – Work Session  
SB 276 – Work Session  
SB 260 – Public Hearing  
SB 247 – Public Hearing

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### Recording Log

**3:08:33 PM** Meeting Called to Order by Vice-Chair Starr

**3:08:50 PM** **SB 178 - Public Hearing**

**3:09:32 PM** Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator

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**3:09:37 PM** {Exhibit} 1: Mitch Swecker, Director, Department of Aviation

**3:10:23 PM** Swecker

**3:11:43 PM** Vice-Chair Starr

**3:11:46 PM** David Martin, Oregon Pilots Association

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**3:12:14 PM** Sen. Girod

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**3:14:54 PM** **SB 178 - Work Session**

3:15:00 PM Sen. Monroe  
3:15:03 PM MOTION: SEN. MONROE MOVES SB 178 DO PASS  
3:15:10 PM Vice-Chair Starr  
3:15:13 PM VOTE: 5-0-1  
3:15:16 PM AYES: EDWARDS, GIROD, MONROE, THOMSEN, STARR  
3:15:18 PM EXCUSED: BEYER  
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3:15:43 PM **Introduction of Committee Measures – Work Session**  
3:15:55 PM {Exhibit} 3-4: Starr  
3:16:09 PM Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator  
3:16:36 PM Vice-Chair Starr  
3:16:39 PM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR STARR MOVES LC 2719 AND LC 1652 BE  
ADOPTED AS COMMITTEE BILLS  
3:16:51 PM VOTE: 5-0-1  
3:16:52 PM AYES: EDWARDS, GIROD, MONROE, THOMSEN, STARR  
3:16:56 PM EXCUSED: BEYER

3:17:05 PM **SB 276 - Work Session**  
3:17:08 PM Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator  
3:17:48 PM Vice-Chair Starr  
3:17:59 PM Sen. Monroe  
3:18:00 PM MOTION: SEN. MONROE MOVES SB 276 DO PASS  
3:18:04 PM Vice-Chair Starr  
3:18:07 PM VOTE: 5-0-1  
3:18:10 PM AYES: EDWARDS, GIROD, MONROE, THOMSEN, STARR  
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3:18:35 PM **SB 260 - Public Hearing**  
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3:21:43 PM {Exhibit} 5: Martin Callery, Chief Commercial Officer, Port of Coos Bay  
3:22:26 PM {Exhibit} 6: Rob Didelius, Lake Railway  
3:25:00 PM {Exhibit} 7: Butch Roberts, general manager, Tarr LLC  
3:27:02 PM Vice-Chair Starr  
3:27:31 PM John Charles, President, Cascade Policy Institute  
3:31:20 PM {Exhibit} 8-9: Larry Scruggs, Tax Fairness Oregon  
3:35:49 PM Vice-Chair Starr  
3:37:38 PM {Exhibit} 10: Bob Ragon, coordinating member, Coos-Siskiyou Shippers  
Coalition  
3:38:49 PM {Exhibit} 11-12: Allan Pollock, general manager, Salem-Keizer Transit,  
Oregon Transit Association  
3:40:18 PM {Exhibit} 13-14: Ron Kilcoyne, general manager, Lane Transit District  
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**3:41:48 PM** Patrick Kerr, Assistant Vice President, Genesee & Wyoming Railroad  
**3:43:05 PM** John Ledger, Associated Oregon Industries  
**3:44:17 PM** John Mohlis, Oregon Building Trades  
**3:45:15 PM** Vice-Chair Starr  
**3:46:02 PM** Kerr  
**3:46:18 PM** Vice-Chair Starr  
**3:47:25 PM** Sen. Thomsen  
**3:47:33 PM** Vice-Chair Starr  
**3:48:04 PM** {Exhibit} 15: Jerri Bohard, Transportation Development Division, Oregon Department of Transportation  
**3:50:03 PM** Susie Lahsene, Transportation & Land Use Policy Manager, Port of Portland  
**3:51:58 PM** Dan Eisenbeis, City of Portland  
**3:52:33 PM** Vice-Chair Starr  
**3:52:57 PM** Bohard  
**3:53:30 PM** Vice-Chair Starr  
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**3:55:16 PM** {Exhibit} 17: Craig Honeyman, League of Oregon Cities  
**3:55:54 PM** {Exhibit} 18-19: Randy Tucker, Legislative Affairs Manager, Metro  
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**3:57:01 PM** Honeyman  
**3:57:15 PM** Vice-Chair Starr  
**3:58:17 PM** Sen. Girod  
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**3:59:07 PM** Craig Campbell, AAA  
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**4:00:10 PM** Marshall Coba, American Council of Engineering Companies  
**4:00:58 PM** Vice-Chair Starr  
**4:00:58 PM** {Exhibit} 20: Witness Registration  
**4:00:59 PM** The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
**4:01:01 PM** {Exhibit} 21: Paul Langer, President, Oregon Rail Users League  
**4:01:02 PM** {Exhibit} 22: Ron Kaufman, general manager, Mount Hood Railroad Company  
**4:01:03 PM** {Exhibit} 23: Lana Butterfield, Executive Director, ORULE  
**4:01:04 PM** {Exhibit} 24: Mark Landauer, Executive Director, Oregon Public Ports Association  
  
**4:01:39 PM** **SB 247 - Public Hearing**  
**4:01:42 PM** Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator  
**4:02:32 PM** {Exhibit} 25: Brennan  
**4:02:44 PM** Vice-Chair Starr  
**4:05:03 PM** {Exhibit} 26: Gerik Kransky, Advocacy Director, Bicycle Transportation Alliance

**4:08:16 PM** Chris Rall, Pacific Northwest Field Organizer, Transportation for America  
**4:11:33 PM** Curt Fisher, 1 to 100 Streets Initiative  
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**4:23:05 PM** {Exhibit} 28: Chris Hagerbaumer, Deputy Director, Oregon Environmental Council  
**4:28:31 PM** {Exhibit} 29-30: Cynthia Thompson, Chief Development Officer, Ride Connection  
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**4:50:23 PM** Bob Russell, Oregon Trucking Association  
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**4:52:17 PM** {Exhibit} 35: Aaron C. Deas, Office of Government Affairs, TriMet  
**4:52:50 PM** {Exhibit} 36: Mel Rader, Co-Executive Director, Upstream Public Health  
**4:54:27 PM** Vice-Chair Starr  
**4:54:51 PM** Meeting Adjourned by Vice-Chair Starr

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