

SENATE COMMITTEE ON RURAL COMMUNITIES & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

May 02, 2013
3:00 PM

Hearing Room C

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Arnie Roblan, Chair
Sen. Herman Baertschiger, Vice-Chair
Sen. Ginny Burdick
Sen. Betsy Close
Sen. Floyd Prozanski

VISITING MEMBERS: Sen. Cliff Bentz
Sen. Doug Whitsett
Rep. Gail Whitsett

STAFF PRESENT: Racquel Rancier, Committee Administrator
Shelley Raszka, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: Overview on the Barry Point Fire – Informational Meeting

Recording Log

3:06:49 PM Meeting Called to Order by Vice-Chair Baertschiger

3:07:13 PM **Overview on the Barry Point Fire - Informational Meeting**

3:07:49 PM Sen. Prozanski

3:08:08 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger

3:08:23 PM {Exhibit} 1-2: Ed Shepard, President, Shepard and Associates

3:27:16 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger

3:27:33 PM Shepard

3:28:51 PM Sen. Whitsett

3:29:38 PM Shepard

3:29:55 PM Rep. Whitsett

3:30:11 PM Shepard

3:30:41 PM Rep. Whitsett

3:30:49 PM Shepard

3:31:03 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger

3:31:48 PM Shepard

3:31:58 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger

3:32:04 PM Chair Roblan

3:32:10 PM Shepard

3:32:29 PM Chair Roblan

3:32:32 PM James Evans, landowner

3:32:34 PM Chair Roblan

3:32:39 PM James Evans

3:32:57 PM Chair Roblan

3:33:00 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
3:33:03 PM Shepard
3:33:10 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
3:33:13 PM James Evans
3:33:20 PM Sen. Whitsett
3:33:54 PM Shepard
3:34:34 PM Sen. Whitsett
3:34:43 PM Shepard
3:34:46 PM Sen. Whitsett
3:34:52 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
3:35:01 PM Shepard
3:35:05 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
3:35:08 PM Shepard
3:35:20 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
3:36:15 PM {Exhibit} 3: Doug Decker, Vice President of Resources, State Forester,
Oregon Department of Forestry
3:40:17 PM Nancy Hirsch, Chief of Fire Protection, Oregon Department of Forestry
3:52:09 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
3:52:17 PM Hirsch
3:54:04 PM Decker
3:54:12 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
3:54:33 PM Sen. Whitsett
3:54:35 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
3:54:54 PM Paul Harlan, Collins Pine (via telephone)
3:54:55 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
3:55:02 PM Harlan
3:57:09 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
3:57:20 PM Harlan
3:57:41 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
3:57:54 PM Harlan
3:59:45 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
3:59:57 PM Harlan
4:00:25 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:00:35 PM Harlan
4:01:26 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:01:44 PM Harlan
4:02:16 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:02:19 PM Harlan
4:02:25 PM Chair Roblan
4:02:46 PM Harlan
4:04:11 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:04:13 PM Sen. Whitsett
4:04:23 PM Harlan
4:04:29 PM Sen. Whitsett
4:05:08 PM Harlan
4:06:44 PM Sen. Whitsett

4:07:02 PM Harlan
4:07:11 PM Rep. Whitsett
4:07:30 PM Harlan
4:08:21 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:09:04 PM Sheriff Phil McDonald, Sheriff, Lake County
4:12:56 PM Sen. Whitsett
4:13:33 PM McDonald
4:13:44 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:13:54 PM McDonald
4:14:54 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:14:59 PM McDonald
4:15:59 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:16:24 PM Ace Felder, landowner
4:16:25 PM Rose Felder, landowner
4:16:28 PM {Exhibit} 4-5: A. Felder
4:19:40 PM Sen. Whitsett
4:19:52 PM A. Felder
4:22:17 PM Chair Roblan
4:22:26 PM A. Felder
4:22:46 PM Chair Roblan
4:22:49 PM A. Felder
4:23:06 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:23:10 PM A. Felder
4:23:18 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:23:24 PM A. Felder
4:23:33 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:23:42 PM Rep. Whitsett
4:23:54 PM A. Felder
4:26:40 PM Chair Roblan
4:26:52 PM A. Felder
4:27:09 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:27:19 PM A. Felder
4:27:27 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:27:29 PM Sen. Whitsett
4:27:45 PM A. Felder
4:29:11 PM Chair Roblan
4:29:19 PM R. Felder
4:33:20 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:33:29 PM Rep. Bentz
4:33:46 PM A. Felder
4:34:35 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:35:12 PM Sharon Harvey, landowner
4:41:29 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:41:36 PM {Exhibit} 6: Dally Evans, student
4:43:25 PM {Exhibit} 7-10: James Evans
4:51:00 PM Sen. Close

4:51:27 PM James Evans
4:51:31 PM Sen. Close
4:51:46 PM James Evans
4:57:41 PM Chair Roblan
4:57:49 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
4:58:10 PM Rep. Whitsett
4:59:15 PM Harvey
4:59:20 PM James Evans
4:59:43 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
5:00:30 PM {Exhibit} 11: John Albertson, landowner
5:01:04 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
5:01:18 PM J. Albertson
5:14:26 PM Chair Roblan
5:14:29 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
5:14:32 PM J. Albertson
5:14:52 PM Chair Roblan
5:15:00 PM {Exhibit} 12: Bill Albertson, landowner
5:15:04 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
5:15:08 PM B. Albertson
5:16:20 PM J. Albertson
5:17:47 PM B. Albertson
5:19:27 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
5:19:32 PM B. Albertson
5:19:36 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
5:19:39 PM Chair Roblan
5:19:41 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
5:20:06 PM {Exhibit} 13: Jarod Bruce, landowner
5:23:36 PM Chair Roblan
5:23:40 PM Matt Morris, resident, Lakeview
5:30:59 PM Rep. Whitsett
5:31:05 PM Morris
5:31:06 PM Rep. Whitsett
5:31:11 PM Morris
5:31:16 PM Bruce
5:31:24 PM Morris
5:38:19 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
5:38:22 PM Sen. Whitsett
5:38:50 PM Morris
5:41:16 PM Sen. Whitsett
5:41:31 PM Bruce
5:42:08 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
5:42:11 PM Rep. Whitsett
5:42:28 PM Morris
5:42:36 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
5:42:38 PM Morris
5:42:47 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger

5:43:27 PM Jerry Evans, landowner
5:47:52 PM James Evans
5:48:40 PM Jerry Evans
5:52:10 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
5:52:26 PM Dan Shoun, Lake County Commissioner
5:55:42 PM Ken Kestner, Lake County Commissioner
5:57:40 PM Jerry Evans
5:58:51 PM Shoun
5:59:09 PM Chair Roblan
6:00:56 PM Sen. Prozanski
6:02:07 PM Chair Roblan
6:02:16 PM Sen. Prozanski
6:02:30 PM Kestner
6:02:48 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
6:03:23 PM Chair Roblan
6:03:29 PM Harlan
6:03:30 PM Chair Roblan
6:03:44 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
6:03:54 PM A. Felder
6:03:56 PM Chair Roblan
6:04:05 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
6:04:08 PM A. Felder
6:04:09 PM Vice-Chair Baertschiger
6:04:15 PM Meeting Adjourned by Vice-Chair Baertschiger

Exhibit Summary

3:08:23 PM {Exhibit} 1: Overview on the Barry Point Fire, PowerPoint presentation, Ed Shepard, 3 pp
3:08:23 PM {Exhibit} 2: Overview on the Barry Point Fire, report, Ed Shepard, 120 pp
3:36:15 PM {Exhibit} 3: Overview on the Barry Point Fire, PowerPoint presentation, *The 2012 Fire Season and Barry Point Fire*, Doug Decker, 15 pp
4:16:28 PM {Exhibit} 4: Overview on Barry Point Fire, written testimony, Ace Felder, 8 pp
4:16:28 PM {Exhibit} 5: Overview on the Barry Point Fire, written testimony, Ace Felder, 3 pp
4:41:36 PM {Exhibit} 6: Overview on the Barry Point Fire, school essay, Dally Evans, 1 p
4:43:25 PM {Exhibit} 7: Overview on the Barry Point Fire, article, Central Oregonian, *Forest Service Needs to Reassess Its Priorities*, James Evans, 2 pp
4:43:25 PM {Exhibit} 8: Overview on Barry Point Fire, photographs, James Evans, 10 pp
4:43:25 PM {Exhibit} 9: Overview on the Barry Point Fire, correspondence, James Evans, 2 p
4:43:25 PM {Exhibit} 10: Overview on the Barry Point Fire, written testimony of William C. Tracy, James Evans, 2 pp

- 5:00:30 PM** {Exhibit} 11: Overview on the Barry Point Fire, written testimony, John Albertson, 4 pp
- 5:15:00 PM** {Exhibit} 12: Overview on the Barry Point Fire, informational packet, Bill Albertson, 15 pp
- 5:20:06 PM** {Exhibit} 13: Overview on the Barry Point Fire, written information, Jarod Bruce, 8 pp
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