

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

April 06, 2011
1:00 PM

Hearing Room 50

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Cliff Bentz, Co-Chair
Rep. Tobias Read, Co-Chair
Rep. E. Terry Beyer, Co-Vice Chair
Rep. Patrick Sheehan, Co-Vice Chair
Rep. Shawn Lindsay
Rep. Nancy Nathanson
Rep. Jefferson Smith
Rep. Jim Weidner

STAFF PRESENT: Zachary Rothmier, Committee Administrator
Debbie Nealy, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: Informational Meeting
Community and Economic Benefits of Transit
HB 2202-Public Hearing
HB 3213-Public Hearing
HB 2004-Work Session
HB 2327-Public Hearing
HB 2201-Public Hearing
HB 2860-Public Hearing

Recording Log

1:03:15 PM Meeting Called to Order by Co-Chair Read

1:03:27 PM **Community and Economic Benefits of Transit-Informational Meeting**

1:03:46 PM Mark Pangborn, President, Oregon Transit Association President

1:06:56 PM Co-Chair Read

1:06:59 PM Pangborn

1:07:00 PM Co-Chair Read

1:07:02 PM Neil McFarlane, General Manager, TriMet

1:07:14 PM Co-Chair Read

1:07:16 PM McFarlane

1:09:43 PM Co-Chair Read

1:09:45 PM {Exhibit} 1: Heather Ornelas, General Manager, Bend Area Transit

1:12:03 PM Co-Chair Read

1:12:03 PM Ornelas

1:12:04 PM Co-Chair Read

1:12:25 PM {Exhibit} 2: David Williams, Director, Portland Public Schools

1:13:54 PM Co-Chair Read
1:14:01 PM Deborah Dailey, Homeless Liaison, Portland School District
1:15:40 PM Co-Chair Read
1:15:46 PM Dailey
1:15:47 PM Co-Chair Read
1:15:49 PM Norman Bowen, student, Eugene School District
1:16:39 PM Co-Chair Read
1:16:46 PM Rep. Nathanson
1:16:46 PM Co-Chair Read
1:16:47 PM Rep. Nathanson
1:16:50 PM Co-Chair Read
1:16:54 PM Rep. Smith J.
1:17:21 PM Williams
1:18:16 PM Rep. Smith J.
1:18:17 PM Co-Chair Read
1:18:40 PM Annette Price, State Affairs Manager, Port of Portland, and President,
Oregon Transportation Forum
1:20:04 PM Co-Chair Read
1:20:08 PM Craig Campbell, AAA
1:21:23 PM Co-Chair Read
1:21:25 PM Bob Russell, Vice-President, Governmental Affairs, Oregon Trucking
Associations
1:21:58 PM Co-Chair Read
1:22:25 PM Shayla Hershong, transit user
1:22:48 PM Co-Chair Read
1:22:48 PM Eleanor Bailey, transit user
1:23:20 PM Co-Chair Read
1:23:22 PM Crystal Figueroa, transit user
1:23:48 PM Hershong
1:25:41 PM Co-Chair Read
1:25:44 PM Arlette Genise, transit user
1:27:44 PM Co-Chair Read
1:27:48 PM {Exhibit} 3: Eric Stachon, Communications Director, 1000 Friends of
Oregon
1:29:07 PM Co-Chair Read
1:29:13 PM Rep. Smith J.
1:29:31 PM Stachon
1:30:04 PM Co-Chair Read
1:30:05 PM Co-Vice Chair Beyer
1:30:48 PM Co-Chair Read
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testimony:
1:30:48 PM {Exhibit} 4: Chris Harvinger, Oregon Environmental Council

1:31:22 PM **HB 2202-Public Hearing**
1:31:32 PM Zach Rothmier, Committee Administrator

1:31:32 PM {Exhibit} 5: Rothmier
1:31:43 PM Co-Chair Read
1:31:46 PM Rep. Wally Hicks, House District 3
1:31:56 PM Co-Chair Read
1:31:57 PM Rep. Hicks
1:36:43 PM Co-Chair Read
1:36:54 PM Rep. Hicks
1:36:59 PM Co-Chair Read
1:37:11 PM Rep. Hicks
1:37:27 PM Co-Chair Read
1:37:31 PM Rep. Hicks
1:37:31 PM Co-Chair Read

1:37:48 PM **HB 3213-Public Hearing**

1:37:57 PM {Exhibit} 6: Rep. Phil Barnhart, House District 11
1:37:57 PM {Exhibit} 7: John Tyler, resident, Lane County
1:37:58 PM Co-Chair Read
1:37:59 PM Zach Rothmier, Committee Administrator
1:38:09 PM Co-Chair Read
1:38:10 PM Rep. Barnhart
1:38:12 PM Co-Chair Read
1:38:14 PM Rep. Barnhart
1:43:42 PM Co-Chair Read
1:43:45 PM Rep. Weidner
1:43:57 PM Rep. Barnhart
1:43:58 PM Rep. Weidner
1:44:05 PM Rep. Barnhart
1:44:30 PM Co-Chair Read
1:44:33 PM Rep. Weidner
1:44:47 PM Rep. Barnhart
1:45:03 PM Co-Chair Read
1:45:10 PM Co-Vice Chair Sheehan
1:45:17 PM Rep. Barnhart
1:45:19 PM Co-Vice Chair Sheehan
1:45:22 PM Rep. Barnhart
1:45:39 PM Co-Vice Chair Sheehan
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1:46:25 PM HB 2004-Work Session

1:46:32 PM MOTION: Co-Chair Bentz moves to suspend the rules to move HB 2004 to Veterans Committee
1:46:39 PM Co-Chair Read
1:46:45 PM Co-Vice Chair Beyer
1:46:46 PM Co-Chair Read
1:46:48 PM Co-Vice Chair Beyer
1:47:11 PM Co-Chair Read
1:47:40 PM Co-Vice-Chair Beyer
1:47:41 PM Co-Chair Read
1:47:47 PM Meeting Recessed
1:48:30 PM Meeting Reconvened
1:48:31 PM Co-Chair Bentz withdraws motion
1:48:34 PM Co-Chair Read

1:48:41 PM HB 2327-Public Hearing

1:48:48 PM {Exhibit} 9: Rep. Read
1:49:38 PM Danelle Romain, Oregon PUD Association
1:50:36 PM Co-Chair Read
1:50:38 PM Shawn Miller, Pacific Corp and Pacific Power
1:51:50 PM Co-Chair Read
1:51:53 PM Mark Landauer, Special Districts of Oregon
1:53:39 PM Co-Chair Read
1:54:03 PM Miller
1:54:19 PM Co-Chair Read
1:54:20 PM Co-Vice Chair Beyer
1:55:07 PM Co-Chair Read
1:55:30 PM Mike Dewey, Oregon Cable Telecommunications Association
1:55:30 PM {Exhibit} 10: Dewey
1:57:23 PM Co-Chair Read
1:57:24 PM Dewey
1:57:29 PM Co-Chair Read
1:57:38 PM Ralph Groener, AFSCME
1:57:40 PM Dewey
1:57:42 PM Groener
1:59:15 PM Co-Chair Read
1:59:17 PM Jim McCaulay, Washington County
1:59:59 PM Co-Chair Read
2:00:02 PM Rep. Lindsay
2:00:07 PM Groener
2:00:09 PM Rep. Lindsay
2:00:12 PM Groener
2:01:10 PM Rep. Lindsay
2:01:13 PM Groener
2:01:15 PM Rep. Lindsay
2:01:17 PM Co-Chair Read

2:01:18 PM Rep. Weidner
2:01:48 PM Groener
2:01:53 PM Rep. Weidner
2:02:05 PM Groener
2:02:50 PM Co-Chair Read
2:02:54 PM Co-Chair Bentz
2:04:16 PM Co-Chair Read
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2:05:45 PM Co-Chair Read
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2:05:45 PM {Exhibit} 11: William Garrity, Inspection Supervisor, Clackamas County

2:06:16 PM **HB 2201-Public Hearing**
2:06:20 PM Zach Rothmier, Committee Administrator
2:06:20 PM {Exhibit} 12: Rothmier
2:06:30 PM Co-Chair Read
2:06:33 PM {Exhibit} 13: Rep. Cliff Bentz, House District 60
2:08:08 PM Co-Chair Read
2:08:32 PM Jon Chandler, Oregon Home Builders Association
2:12:08 PM Co-Chair Read
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2:12:39 PM Co-Chair Read
2:12:40 PM Chandler
2:12:44 PM Co-Chair Read
2:12:45 PM Chandler
2:12:47 PM Co-Chair Read
2:12:51 PM Mazen Malik, State Legislative Revenue Office
2:15:14 PM Co-Chair Read
2:15:18 PM Sue Marshall, Tualatin and Willamette Riverkeepers
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2:23:14 PM Co-Chair Read
2:23:26 PM {Exhibit}: 14: Ann Hanus, Association of Oregon Counties
2:25:25 PM Co-Chair Read

2:25:42 PM **HB 2860-Public Hearing**
2:25:52 PM Zach Rothmier, Committee Administrator
2:25:52 PM {Exhibit} 15: Rothmier
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2:26:08 PM Rep. Nancy Nathanson, House District 13
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2:31:09 PM Co-Chair Read
2:31:24 PM Rep. Nathanson
2:32:26 PM Co-Chair Read
2:32:29 PM Kitty Piercy, Mayor, City of Eugene
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2:40:43 PM {Exhibit}: 16: Patrick Capper, Oregon Association of Nurseries
2:41:50 PM Co-Chair Read
2:41:53 PM {Exhibit} 17: Floyd Smith, Association of Oregon Rail and Transit
Advocates
2:43:16 PM Co-Chair Read
2:43:17 PM {Exhibit} 18: Dave Rosenfeld, Executive Director, OSPIRG
2:44:38 PM Co-Chair Read
2:44:53 PM {Exhibit} 19: Alex Cuyler, Intergovernmental Relations Manager, City of

Eugene
2:46:20 PM Co-Chair Read
2:46:26 PM {Exhibit} 20: Kelly Taylor, Rail Division Administrator, Oregon Department of Transportation
2:49:59 PM Co-Chair Read
2:50:03 PM Rep. Nathanson
2:50:03 PM {Exhibit} 21: Nathan Lillegard, President and CEO, Floragenex, Inc.
2:50:03 PM {Exhibit} 22: Donald Leap, President, Association of Oregon Rail and Transit Advocates
2:50:03 PM {Exhibit} 23: William Millar, President, American Public Transportation Association
2:50:03 PM {Exhibit} 24: Daniel Dorsa, Vice President for Research, Oregon Health and Science University
2:50:03 PM {Exhibit} 25: Richard Spinrad, Vice President for Research, Oregon State University
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2:51:11 PM {Exhibit} 26: Jim Bernard, Vice Chair, Clackamas County Board of Commissioners
2:51:18 PM Meeting Adjourned by Co-Chair Read

Exhibit Summary

1:09:45 PM {Exhibit} 1: Community and Economic Benefits of Transit, written testimony, Heather Ornelas, 2 pp
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