

**SENATE COMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT,  
CONSUMER & SMALL BUSINESS PROTECTION**

March 16, 2011  
1:00 PM

Hearing Room B

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**           **Sen. Chip Shields, Chair**  
   **Sen. Larry George, Vice-Chair**  
   **Sen. Suzanne Bonamici**  
   **Sen. Brian Boquist**  
   **Sen. Rod Monroe**

**STAFF PRESENT:**               **Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator**  
   **Debbie Malone, Committee Assistant**

**MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD:**   **SB 751 – Work Session**  
   **SB 719 – Public Hearing**  
   **SB 556 – Public Hearing and Work Session**  
   **SB 41 – Public Hearing**

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**Recording Log**

**1:08:46 PM** Meeting Called to Order by Chair Shields

**1:08:47 PM** Chair Shields

**1:10:16 PM** **SB 751-Work Session**

**1:10:32 PM** MOTION: Sen. Monroe moves SB 751 Without Recommendation to the Senate President's desk

**1:10:42 PM** Chair Shields

**1:10:53 PM** VOTE: 4-0-1

**1:10:54 PM** AYES: Bonamici, Boquist, Monroe, Shields; EXCUSED: George

**1:10:56 PM** Chair Shields

**1:11:01 PM** **SB 719-Public Hearing**

**1:11:06 PM** Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator

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**1:12:24 PM** {Exhibit} 1: Christopher Rycewicz, attorney, Miller Nash LLP

**1:16:51 PM** Chair Shields

**1:17:00 PM** Rycewicz

**1:17:22 PM** {Exhibit} 2: Marilyn Happold-Latham, part time consultant, medical group practices

**1:20:48 PM** Chair Shields

**1:20:55 PM** Happold-Latham

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1:21:02 PM Happold-Latham  
1:21:04 PM Chair Shields  
1:21:06 PM Happold-Latham  
1:21:07 PM Chair Shields  
1:21:09 PM {Exhibit} 3: Robin Harpole, Metropolitan Pediatrics, Portland, Oregon  
1:24:24 PM Sen. Boquist  
1:24:36 PM Brennan  
1:24:40 PM Rycewicz  
1:24:52 PM Sen. Boquist  
1:24:56 PM Chair Shields  
1:25:05 PM Vice-Chair George  
1:25:44 PM Harpole  
1:28:03 PM Chair Shields  
1:28:07 PM Harpole  
1:28:08 PM Chair Shields  
1:28:11 PM Harpole  
1:28:14 PM Sen. Bonamici  
1:28:35 PM Rycewicz  
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1:28:50 PM Sen. Bonamici  
1:29:01 PM Rycewicz  
1:29:04 PM Sen. Bonamici  
1:29:09 PM Rycewicz  
1:29:23 PM Sen. Shields  
1:29:26 PM Rycewicz  
1:29:46 PM Chair Shields  
1:29:51 PM Sen. Boquist  
1:29:58 PM Chair Shields  
1:30:26 PM {Exhibit} 4: Justin Delaney, Vice President, The Standard  
1:35:32 PM Chair Shields  
1:35:37 PM Delaney  
1:35:57 PM Chair Shields  
1:36:04 PM Jack Issleman, State Farm Insurance  
1:39:56 PM Chair Shields  
1:40:00 PM Issleman  
1:40:10 PM Chair Shields  
1:40:16 PM Issleman  
1:40:50 PM Chair Shields  
1:40:58 PM Shawn Miller, Property Casualty Insurers Association of America  
1:42:17 PM Chair Shields  
1:42:28 PM Vice-Chair George  
1:43:03 PM Delaney  
1:43:23 PM Issleman  
1:44:02 PM Sen. Bonamici

1:44:28 PM Issleman  
1:44:59 PM Chair Shields  
1:45:12 PM Sen. Boquist  
1:45:43 PM Chair Shields  
1:45:49 PM Sen. Boquist  
1:45:57 PM Edward Davis, senior account executive, Maps Insurance Services, Salem  
1:51:37 PM Chair Shields  
1:51:41 PM {Exhibit} 5-6: Lana Butterfield, The Professional Insurance Agents of Oregon and Idaho  
1:52:05 PM Bob Bloom, The Professional Insurance Agents of Oregon and Idaho  
1:55:28 PM Randy Stone, The Professional Insurance Agents of Oregon and Idaho  
1:55:54 PM Chair Shields  
1:56:38 PM {Exhibit} 7: Steven Patterson, Vice President and general counsel, Oregon Mutual Insurance Company  
1:59:32 PM Chair Shields  
1:59:41 PM Sen. Boquist  
1:59:44 PM Chair Shields  
2:00:08 PM Patterson  
2:00:12 PM Chair Shields  
2:00:13 PM Patterson  
2:00:27 PM Chair Shields  
2:00:42 PM Brian Miller, Farmers Insurance Group  
2:01:21 PM Chair Shields  
2:02:02 PM Rep. Brian Clem, District 21  
2:10:09 PM Azusa Suzuki, citizen, Clarkdale Hood River County  
2:11:11 PM Chair Shields  
2:11:21 PM Rep. Clem  
2:11:56 PM Chair Shields  
2:12:02 PM Rep. Clem  
2:12:13 PM Sen. Boquist  
2:12:17 PM Rep. Clem  
2:12:25 PM Chair Shields  
2:12:32 PM Vice-Chair George  
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2:14:21 PM Rep. Clem  
2:16:01 PM Sen. Monroe  
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2:16:17 PM Chair Shields  
2:16:30 PM The following written testimony was submitted for the record without public testimony:

**2:16:34 PM** {Exhibit} 8: Christian John Rataj, manager, Western State Affairs, National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies

**2:16:34 PM** {Exhibit} 9: J.L. Wilson, Vice President, Government Affairs, Associated Oregon Industries

**2:16:35 PM** **SB 556-Public Hearing**

**2:16:56 PM** {Exhibit} 10: Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator

**2:17:40 PM** Chair Shields

**2:17:45 PM** Sen. Chris Edwards, District 7

**2:22:35 PM** Chair Shields

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**2:22:52 PM** Brennan

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**2:25:00 PM** Sarah Hoyt, legislative policy aide

**2:25:33 PM** Brennan

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**2:26:13 PM** {Exhibit} 11: Brian King, Oregon Department of Administrative Services

**2:27:33 PM** Sen. Boquist

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**2:27:43 PM** {Exhibit} 12: Chair Shields

**2:28:14 PM** **SB 556-Work Session**

**2:28:18 PM** MOTION: Sen. George moves to adopt the -1 amendments

**2:28:22 PM** Chair Shields

**2:28:28 PM** VOTE: 5-0-0

**2:28:28 PM** AYES: Bonamici, Boquist, Monroe, George, Shields

**2:28:33 PM** MOTION: Sen. George moves SB 556 Do Pass as amended

**2:28:38 PM** Chair Shields

**2:28:46 PM** VOTE: 5-0-0

**2:28:46 PM** AYES: Bonamici, Boquist, Monroe, George, Shields

**2:28:56 PM** CARRIER: SEN. EDWARDS will lead discussion on the floor

**2:28:59 PM** Sen. Monroe

**2:29:06 PM** Chair Shields

**2:29:17 PM** **SB 41-Public Hearing**  
**2:29:18 PM** Chair Shields  
**2:29:45 PM** Sen. Monroe  
**2:29:52 PM** Chair Shields  
**2:29:55 PM** Morgan Allen, Oregon School Boards Association  
**2:33:00 PM** Sen. Boquist  
**2:33:11 PM** Allen  
**2:33:28 PM** Sen. Boquist  
**2:33:44 PM** Chair Shields  
**2:33:57 PM** Therese Bottomly, managing editor, The Oregonian  
**2:37:27 PM** Chair Shields  
**2:37:34 PM** Sen. Boquist  
**2:38:05 PM** Chair Shields  
**2:38:10 PM** Phil Lemmon, State Courts, Oregon Judicial Department  
**2:40:52 PM** Chair Shields  
**2:41:03 PM** Sen. Boquist  
**2:41:26 PM** {Exhibit} 13-14: Jon Bartholomew, policy advocate  
**2:47:19 PM** Sybil Hebb, Oregon Law Center  
**2:48:31 PM** Chair Shields  
**2:48:33 PM** {Exhibit} 15: Chad Jacobs, general counsel, League of Oregon Cities  
**2:51:00 PM** Sen. Boquist  
**2:51:04 PM** Chair Shields  
**2:51:09 PM** Vice-Chair George  
**2:51:43 PM** Chair Shields  
**2:51:49 PM** Sen. Boquist  
**2:52:15 PM** Jacobs  
**2:52:27 PM** Sen. Boquist  
**2:52:28 PM** Jacobs  
**2:52:29 PM** Chair Shields  
**2:52:37 PM** Cindy Robert, City of Medford  
**2:54:11 PM** Paul Snider, Association of Oregon Counties  
**2:56:38 PM** Sen. Boquist  
**2:56:46 PM** Chair Shields  
**2:57:04 PM** Meeting Adjourned by Chair Shields

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### **Exhibit Summary**

**1:12:24 PM** {Exhibit} 1: SB 719, written testimony, Christopher Rycewicz, 1 p  
**1:17:22 PM** {Exhibit} 2: SB 719, written testimony, Marilyn Happold-Latham, 1 p  
**1:21:09 PM** {Exhibit} 3: SB 719, informational packet, Robin Harpole, 29 pp  
**1:30:26 PM** {Exhibit} 4: SB 719, written testimony, Justin Delaney, 1 p  
**1:51:41 PM** {Exhibit} 5: SB 719, written testimony, Lana Butterfield, 1 p  
**1:51:41 PM** {Exhibit} 6: SB 719, several letters of opposition, Lana Butterfield, 6 pp  
**1:56:38 PM** {Exhibit} 7: SB 719, written testimony, Steven Patterson, 1 p

- 2:16:34 PM** {Exhibit} 8: SB 719, written testimony, Christian John Rataj, 4 pp
- 2:16:34 PM** {Exhibit} 9: SB 719, written testimony, J.L. Wilson, 1 p
- 2:16:56 PM** {Exhibit} 10: SB 556, -1 amendments, staff, 1 p
- 2:26:13 PM** {Exhibit} 11: SB 556, written testimony, Brian King, 2 pp
- 2:27:43 PM** {Exhibit} 12: SB 556, written testimony, Amelia Porterfield, 1 p
- 2:41:26 PM** {Exhibit} 13: SB 41, written testimony, Jon Bartholomew, 2 pp
- 2:41:26 PM** {Exhibit} 14: SB 41, report, *Accessibility of Public Records Relation to Oregon's Economic Development Tax Expenditures*, Jon Bartholomew, 6 pp
- 2:48:33 PM** {Exhibit} 15: SB 41, written testimony, Chad Jacobs, 2 pp
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