

**JOINT INTERIM COMMITTEE ON  
TRANSPORTATION PRESERVATION AND MODERNIZATION**

September 15, 2016  
05:00 PM

Newport, OR

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**      **Sen. Lee Beyer, Co-Chair**                      **Rep. Caddy McKeown, Co-Chair**  
                                 **Sen. Brian Boquist, Co-Vice-Chair**  
                                 **Sen. Chris Edwards**                      **Rep. Cliff Bentz, Co-Vice-Chair**  
                                 **Sen. Fred Girod**                              **Rep. John Lively**  
                                    **Rep. Susan McLain**  
                                    **Rep. Andy Olson**  
                                    **Rep. Barbara Smith Warner**

**MEMBER EXCUSED:**      **Sen. Betsy Johnson**                      **Rep. Greg Smith**  
                                 **Sen. Rod Monroe**  
                                 **Sen. Jackie Winters**

**MEMBERS VISITING:**      **Sen. Arnie Roblan**                      **Rep. David Gomberg**

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

**EXHIBITS:**                      Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

**MEASURES/ISSUES:**      **Public Hearing**

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**00:00:05**      Meeting Called to Order  
**00:00:05**      Co-Chair McKeown  
**00:03:02**      Rep. Smith Warner  
**00:03:13**      Rep. Olson  
**00:03:16**      Rep. McLain  
**00:03:23**      Rep. Lively  
**00:03:27**      Co-Vice-Chair Bentz  
**00:03:36**      Rep. David Gomberg, House District 10  
**00:03:54**      Sen. Arnie Roblan, Senate District 5  
**00:04:17**      Sen. Edwards  
**00:04:21**      Sen. Girod  
**00:04:47**      Co-Vice-Chair Boquist  
**00:04:59**      Co-Chair Beyer

**00:05:36**      **Public Hearing**  
**00:05:36**      Co-Chair McKeown  
**00:06:37**      EXHIBIT 1: Doug Cooper, Vice-President, Resources, Hampton Lumber Mills  
**00:10:00**      Co-Chair Beyer  
**00:10:22**      Sen. Girod  
**00:10:41**      Co-Vice Chair Bentz  
**00:13:01**      Co-Vice Chair Boquist  
**00:14:54**      EXHIBITS 2-3: Jonathan Wright, City Manager, City of Reedsport  
**00:20:30**      Sen. Edwards  
**00:20:50**      Rep. Smith Warner  
**00:21:42**      Sen. Roblan  
**00:23:20**      EXHIBIT 4: Fiona Bai, Communications Assistant, Oregon International Port of Coos Bay  
**00:32:11**      David Bowman, resident, Depoe Bay  
**00:37:23**      Kevin Greenwood, General Manager, Port of Newport; President, Oregon Public Ports Association  
**00:45:29**      Rep. Gomberg  
**00:47:16**      Caroline Bowman, Executive Director, Economic Development Alliance of Lincoln County  
**00:51:01**      Selena Kelly, Member Representative, Coquille Indian Tribe  
**00:52:02**      David Rod Smith, Commissioner, Curry County; Chair, Association of Oregon Counties District 4  
**00:57:38**      Julie Brown, President, Oregon Transit Association  
**01:08:25**      Roy Kinion, Public Works Director, Lincoln County  
**01:12:58**      EXHIBIT 5: witness registration  
**01:13:06**      The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 6: Ron Preisler, Councilor, City of Florence  
EXHIBIT 7: Erin Reynolds, Florence City Manager, Lane Area Commission on Transportation  
EXHIBIT 8: Kaye Starre, resident, Ashland  
EXHIBIT 9: Lennie Ellis, Business Manager/Financial Secretary, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers  
EXHIBIT 10: Lorin Weymouth, resident, Corvallis  
EXHIBIT 11: Martin Robbins, resident, Yachats  
EXHIBIT 12: Melissa Long, resident, Portland  
EXHIBIT 13: Nisha Chauhan, resident  
EXHIBIT 14: Opaline Drew, resident  
EXHIBIT 15: Susan Hogg, resident  
**01:13:07**      Meeting Adjourned