

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE & REVENUE

September 17, 2013  
08:00 AM

Hearing Room A  
ID# 12162

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Ginny Burdick, Chair  
Sen. Mark Hass  
Sen. Diane Rosenbaum  
Sen. Herman Baertschiger, Jr.

**MEMBERS EXCUSED:** Sen. Larry George, Vice-Chair

**STAFF PRESENT:** Paul Warner, Legislative Revenue Officer  
Mazen Malik, Sr. Economist  
Chris Allanach, Sr. Economist  
Dae Baek, Economist  
Corinne Gavette, Office Manager

**ISSUES HEARD:** Review of 2013-14 School Revenue Allocation  
BETC Renewable Energy Project Definition  
IRS Ruling on DOMA: Implications for Tax Returns  
The Growth of E-Cigarettes – Revenue Policy implications  
State and Local Gov't Revenue: Newly released Census Data

**(Met with House Interim Revenue Committee)**

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## SFR

HREV and SFR  
9/17/2013 8:15:18 AM

**8:15:24 AM** Meeting Called to Order by SFR Chair Burdick  
**8:15:30 AM** Meeting Called to Order by HREV Chair Barnhart  
**8:15:43 AM** Paul Warner, Legislative Revenue Officer  
**8:16:03 AM** School Finance: Review of 2013-14 Revenue Allocation  
**8:16:44 AM** Dae Baek, LRO  
**8:19:56 AM** Michael Elliot, Dept of Education  
**8:23:39 AM** Dae Baek, LRO  
**8:26:39 AM** {Exhibit} A: School Revenue Allocation presentation  
**8:29:27 AM** Vice-Chair Berger  
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8:30:09 AM Vice-Chair Berger  
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8:30:18 AM Vice-Chair Berger  
8:30:24 AM Dae Baek, LRO  
8:33:36 AM Rep. Gelser  
8:34:09 AM Dae Baek, LRO  
8:34:34 AM Michael Elliot  
8:35:03 AM Rep. Gelser  
8:35:26 AM Chair Barnhart  
8:35:33 AM Michael Elliot  
8:35:51 AM Dae Baek, LRO  
8:38:16 AM Chair Barnhart  
8:38:31 AM Dae Baek, LRO  
8:38:45 AM Michael Elliot  
8:40:43 AM Dae Baek, LRO  
8:41:06 AM Michael Elliot  
8:41:57 AM Vice-Chair Berger  
8:42:19 AM Michael Elliot  
8:42:47 AM Chair Barnhart  
8:42:55 AM Michael Elliot  
8:43:04 AM Dae Baek, LRO  
8:43:11 AM Chair Barnhart  
8:44:18 AM Chris Allanach, LRO  
8:45:17 AM Lisa Swartz, Director, Dept of Energy  
8:45:44 AM {Exhibit} B: Dept of Energy handout  
8:46:09 AM BETC Renewable Energy Project Definition and Division  
9:04:01 AM Chair Barnhart  
9:04:07 AM Vice-Chair Bailey  
9:05:13 AM Lisa Swartz  
9:07:00 AM Vice-Chair Bailey  
9:07:57 AM Lisa Swartz  
9:08:47 AM Vice-Chair Bailey  
9:09:02 AM Lisa Swartz  
9:10:16 AM Chair Burdick  
9:10:56 AM Lisa Swartz  
9:12:50 AM Anthony Buckley, Dept of Energy  
9:13:26 AM Chair Burdick  
9:15:03 AM Lisa Swartz  
9:15:13 AM Anthony Buckley  
9:15:52 AM Chair Burdick  
9:17:03 AM Maureen Bock  
9:17:48 AM Chair Burdick  
9:18:21 AM Lisa Swartz  
9:18:33 AM Chair Burdick

9:18:37 AM Chair Barnhart  
9:18:39 AM Rep. Conger  
9:18:57 AM Chris Allanach  
9:18:59 AM Rep. Conger  
9:19:06 AM Lisa Swartz  
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9:19:22 AM Chair Barnhart  
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10:01:59 AM Chair Barnhart  
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10:06:25 AM Chair Barnhart  
10:08:22 AM Mike McArthur, Assoc of Oregon Counties  
10:10:29 AM {Exhibit} D: BETC presentation - Assoc of Oregon Counties

10:11:34 AM Judge Steve Shaffer, Gilliam County  
10:12:27 AM {Exhibit} E: Gilliam County wind farm handout  
10:17:22 AM Chair Barnhart  
10:17:41 AM Judge Terry Tallman, Morrow County  
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