

## HOUSE COMMITTEE ON REVENUE

May 6, 2015  
1:00 P.M.

Hearing Room A

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Chair, Rep. Barnhart  
Vice-Chair, Rep. Bentz  
Vice-Chair, Rep. Vega Pederson  
Rep. Davis  
Rep. Johnson  
Rep. Lininger  
Rep. Read  
Rep. Smith Warner  
Rep. Whitsett

**STAFF PRESENT:** Kyle Easton, Economist, LRO  
Edward Klein, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** Public Hearings on: HJR 21, HJR 12 and HJR 20

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Recording Log – Recording started 12:49:14 PM

**00:00:10** Meeting Called to Order by Chair Barnhart  
**00:00:15** Chair Barnhart Opens the Public Hearing on HJR 21  
**00:00:36** Kyle Easton, Economist, LRO  
**00:00:41** EXHIBIT 1: Preliminary SMS on HJR 21  
**00:02:35** Mike McArthur, Exec. Director, AOC (time)  
**00:05:24** Martha Schrader, Clackamas Co. Commissioner  
**00:08:23** Bill Hall, Lincoln County Commissioner/AOC  
**00:08:16** EXHIBIT 2: Hall's Testimony  
**00:10:31** EXHIBITS 3 - 5: Letters from Benton, Columbia and Curry Counties  
**00:11:29** Vice-Chair Bentz  
**00:13:28** Rep. Johnson  
**00:15:03** Rep. Whitsett  
**00:17:46** Chair Barnhart  
**00:22:31** Ralph Groener, AFSCME  
**00:26:44** Chair Barnhart  
**00:27:25** Chair Barnhart Closes the Public Hearing on HJR 21  
**00:27:29** Chair Barnhart Opens the Public Hearings on HJR 20 and HJR 12  
**00:27:41** Kyle Easton, Economist, LRO  
**00:27:50** EXHIBIT 7 & 8: SMS's on HJR 20 and HJR 12  
**00:31:01** Wendy Johnson, LOC  
**00:31:48** Chair Barnhart  
**00:32:50** Pete Truax, Mayor of Forest Grove, LOC President

00:33:38 EXHIBIT 9: LOC's Presentation  
00:34:49 Rep. Smith Warner  
00:41:45 Chair Barnhart  
00:43:47 John McArdle, Mayor of Independence  
00:50:07 Rep. Whitsett  
00:55:06 Vice-Chair Bentz  
01:00:55 Brad Nanke, City Councilor, Salem/Vice President LOC  
01:07:40 Don Hudson, Finance Dir., City of Tualatin  
01:08:08 EXHIBIT 10: Hudson's Testimony  
01:08:22 EXHIBIT 11: LOC Tax Reform Information  
01:16:35 Vice-Chair Bentz  
01:20:11 Rep. Davis  
01:25:22 Roger Beyer  
01:25:31 EXHIBIT 12: Letter in opposition to HJR 20 and HJR 12  
01:29:23 Shaun Jillions, OR Assoc. of Realtors  
01:32:27 Rep. Read  
01:32:56 Chair Barnhart  
01:34:04 David Clyne, City Manager, Independence  
01:35:01 Genoa Ingram, OR Fire Directors Assoc/Clackamas Fire Dist. 1  
01:36:13 Elizabeth Edwards, City of Portland  
01:37:14 Chair Barnhart  
01:37:47 Marcia Kelley, OWRC  
01:40:32 Chair Barnhart Closes the Public Hearing on HJR 20 and HJR 12  
01:41:03 Meeting Adjourned by Chair Barnhart