

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND TRANSPORTATION

May 3, 2017  
03:00 PM

Hearing Room B

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Lee Beyer, Chair  
Sen. Chuck Thomsen, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Fred Girod  
Sen. Chuck Riley

**MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:** Sen. Rod Monroe

**STAFF PRESENT:** Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst  
Nita Kumar, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** HB 2575 A – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HB 2695 A – Public Hearing  
HB 2899 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HB 2900 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HB 2901 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HB 2902 – Public Hearing

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00:00:03 Meeting Called to Order  
00:00:04 Chair Beyer

00:00:19 [HB 2575 A - Public Hearing](#)  
00:00:20 Chair Beyer  
00:00:21 Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst  
00:01:09 Rep. David Gomberg, House District 10  
00:01:58 Sen. Riley  
00:02:35 Sen. Arnie Roblan, Senate District 5  
00:03:59 EXHIBIT 1: Amy Joyce, Legislative Liaison, Oregon Department of  
Transportation (ODOT)  
00:05:01 EXHIBIT 2: witness registration

00:05:02 [HB 2575 A - Work Session](#)  
00:05:03 Chair Beyer  
00:05:04 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES SB 1020 DO PASS  
VOTE: 4-0-1

AYES: GIROD, RILEY, THOMSEN, BEYER

EXCUSED: MONROE

CARRIER: SEN GIROD WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

**00:05:42**      **HB 2695 A - Public Hearing**

**00:05:43**      Chair Beyer

**00:05:47**      Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst

**00:06:05**      Sen. Arnie Roblan, Senate District 5

**00:08:48**      Sen. Girod

**00:08:55**      Jason Smith, Founder, Southport Forest Products

**00:11:00**      David Bartz, Environmental Law Attorney, Schwabe

**00:12:43**      Sen. Girod

**00:13:27**      Vice-Chair Thomsen

**00:14:57**      EXHIBIT 3: Tess Milio, Coos Bay & Yaquina Bay Pilots, Columbia River Pilots

**00:19:12**      Todd Zilbert, Attorney, Coos Bay Pilots, Columbia River Pilots; Adjunct Professor, Maritime Law

**00:27:20**      EXHIBIT 4: witness registration

**00:27:22**      The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:

EXHIBIT 5: Cameron La Follette, Executive Director, Oregon Coast Alliance; Oregon Environmental Council; Oregon League of Conservation Voters

EXHIBIT 6: Kent Havlorsen, President, Boyer Towing Inc.

**00:27:23**      **HB 2899 - Public Hearing**

**00:27:24**      Chair Beyer

**00:27:28**      Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst

**00:27:48**      Rep. Deborah Boone, House District 32

**00:28:03**      Sen. Arnie Roblan, Senate District 5

**00:30:27**      Mark Landauer, Executive Director, Oregon Public Ports Association

**00:31:46**      EXHIBIT 7: witness registration

**00:31:47**      **HB 2899 - Work Session**

**00:31:48**      Chair Beyer

**00:31:49**      MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES SB 1020 DO PASS

VOTE: 4-0-1

AYES: GIROD, RILEY, THOMSEN, BEYER

EXC: MONROE

CARRIER: SEN ROBLAN WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

**00:32:17**      **HB 2900 - Public Hearing**

**00:32:18**      Chair Beyer

**00:32:24**      Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst

**00:32:40**      Rep. Deborah Boone, House District 32

**00:33:40**      Sen. Riley

**00:34:13**      Rep. David Brock Smith, House District 1

00:34:16 Sen. Arnie Roblan, House District 5  
00:35:54 Mark Landauer, Executive Director, Oregon Public Ports Association  
00:37:24 EXHIBIT 8: witness registration

00:37:25 **HB 2900 - Work Session**  
00:37:26 Chair Beyer  
00:37:29 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES SB 1020 DO PASS  
VOTE: 4-0-1  
AYES: GIROD, RILEY, THOMSEN, BEYER  
EXCUSED: MONROE  
CARRIER: SEN. ROBLAN WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:38:02 **HB 2901 - Public Hearing**  
00:38:03 Chair Beyer  
00:38:06 Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst  
00:38:25 Rep. Deborah Boone, House District 32  
00:39:05 Sen. Riley  
00:39:47 Rep. David Brock Smith, House District 1  
00:40:32 Mark Landauer, Executive Director, Oregon Public Ports Association  
00:37:23 EXHIBIT 9: witness registration

00:41:50 **HB 2901 - Work Session**  
00:41:48 Chair Beyer  
00:41:52 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES SB 1020 DO PASS  
VOTE: 4-0-1  
AYES: GIROD, RILEY, THOMSEN, BEYER  
EXCUSED: MONROE  
CARRIER: SEN. KRUSE WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:42:26 **HB 2902 - Public Hearing**  
00:42:27 Chair Beyer  
00:42:32 Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst  
00:42:48 Sen. Arnie Roblan, Senate District 5  
00:47:34 Rep. David Gomberg, House District 10  
00:50:54 Rep. David Brock Smith, House District 1  
00:56:46 Sen. Girod  
00:59:35 Aaron Olinger, Co-Owner, Operator, Ar Industries L.L.C.; resident, Coos Bay  
01:00:14 Randall Johnson, Co-Owner, Ar Industries L.L.C.; resident, Coos Bay  
01:00:56 John Burns, Chief Operating Officer, Oregon International Port of Coos Bay  
01:03:49 Mike Wahl, resident, Reedsport  
01:06:21 EXHIBITS 10-12: Jonathan Wright, City Manager, City of Reedsport  
01:13:17 Neal Reiser, CEO, Western Machine  
01:13:58 Sen. Riley  
01:14:33 Linda Mcculloch, Mayor, City of Reedsport

**01:15:14** Leslie Collier, City Counselor, City of Reedsport  
**01:15:52** EXHIBIT 13: Jim Zimmer, Manager, Fred Wahl Marine Construction  
**01:24:32** Ray Cox, Owner, Giddings Boatworks, Inc.  
**01:26:11** Steve Miller, resident, Reedsport  
**01:27:35** EXHIBITS 14-19: Kevin Mannix, West Coast Marine Trade Association,  
Oregon Shipping Group  
**01:33:41** Bud Shoemake, Port Manager, Port of Toledo  
**01:40:05** Vice-Chair Thomsen  
**01:40:29** EXHIBIT 20: Mark Landauer, Executive Director, Oregon Public Ports  
Association  
**01:47:32** EXHIBIT 21: witness registration  
**01:47:33** The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 22: Kyle Cox, owner, Tarheel Aluminum  
**01:47:56** Meeting Adjourned