

SENATE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND TRANSPORTATION

March 29, 2017
03:00 PM

Hearing Room B

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

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

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: SB 1020 – Public Hearing and Work Session
SB 974 – Public Hearing
SB 980 – Public Hearing
SB 981 – Public Hearing
SB 982 – Public Hearing
SB 867 – Work Session

00:00:10 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:11 Vice-Chair Thomsen

00:00:27 **SB 1020 - Public Hearing**
00:00:28 Vice-Chair Thomsen
00:00:37 Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
00:00:45 Chair Beyer
00:01:21 Sen. James Manning Jr., Senate District 7
00:03:41 Sen. Riley
00:05:06 EXHIBITS 1-3: Edward McGlone, Director, Public Affairs, Lane Transit District

00:06:10 Aurora Jackson, General Manager, Lane Transit District
00:09:28 Sen. Monroe
00:11:11 EXHIBIT 4: Carleen Reilly, resident, Eugene
00:15:50 Eric Gunderson, retired principal, PIVOT Architecture
00:17:42 Bree Nicoletto, professional planner, Schirmer Satre Group
00:20:49 EXHIBIT 5: Rob Zako, Executive Director, Better Eugene-Springfield Transportation
00:26:02 Mark Knecht, resident, Marion County

00:26:08 EXHIBIT 6: witness registration
00:26:20 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 7: Alan Zelenka, President, Eugene City Council
EXHIBIT 8: Hal Gard, Administrator, Rail and Public Transit Division,
Oregon Department of Transportation
EXHIBIT 9: Michele O'Leary, resident, Eugene

00:26:58 **SB 1020 - Work Session**
00:26:59 Chair Beyer
00:27:01 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1
AMENDMENTS
00:27:10 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYES: GIROD, MONROE, RILEY, THOMSEN, BEYER
00:27:16 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES SB 1020 DO PASS AS
AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS
AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE
00:27:39 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYES: GIROD, MONROE, RILEY, THOMSEN, BEYER

00:28:06 **SB 974 - Public Hearing**
00:28:07 Chair Beyer
00:28:08 EXHIBIT 10: Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
00:28:50 EXHIBIT 11: Darrell Fuller, Oregon Vehicle Dealers Association
00:32:51 Young Walgenkim, attorney, Hanson and Walgenkim, LLC
00:35:42 Gary Sargent, Chairman, Oregon Independent Automobile Dealers
Association
00:35:50 EXHIBIT 12: witness registration
00:35:47 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 13: Diane Sparks, Executive Director, Oregon Independent Auto
Dealers Association

00:39:34 **SB 980 - Public Hearing**
00:39:35 Chair Beyer
00:39:40 EXHIBIT 14: Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
00:41:10 EXHIBITS 15-16: Bill Perry, Oregon Auto Dealers Association
00:43:04 Tim Urness, President, Oregon Auto Dealers Association
00:44:04 Sen. Girod
00:44:46 Robert Lanphere, Lanphere Enterprises, Inc; former president, Oregon
Auto Dealers Association
00:46:20 Sen. Monroe
00:47:56 EXHIBIT 17: Jolene Thomson, Manager, Customer Relations, Guaranty
RV
00:49:30 Craig Nicholes, attorney, Oregon Auto Dealers Association
00:53:17 Paul Cosgrove, Alliance of Automobile Manufacturers
00:55:13 Curt Augustine, Director, Policy & Government Affairs, Alliance of
Automobile Manufacturers

00:57:58 EXHIBIT 18: witness registration
00:55:50 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 19: Damon Shelby Porter, Director, State Government Affairs, Global Automakers
EXHIBIT 20: Kathy R. Van Kleeck, Senior Vice President, Government Relations, Motorcycle Industry Council

01:06:05 **SB 981 - Public Hearing**
01:06:06 Chair Beyer
01:06:09 Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
01:07:04 EXHIBIT 21: Harry Lightsey, Executive Director, Emerging Technologies, General Motors
01:16:47 Sen. Riley
01:22:05 EXHIBIT 22: Travis Brouwer, Assistant Director, Oregon Department of Transportation
01:28:58 Sen. Girod
01:30:46 EXHIBIT 23: John Powell, State Farm Fire and Casualty Company
01:34:53 EXHIBIT 24: Erik Jones, Counsel, Self-Driving Coalition for Safer Streets
01:37:46 Mark Macpherson, Labor Organizer, Teamsters Joint Council 37
01:42:18 Quinn Webb, Union Representative, Teamsters Local 324
01:44:05 EXHIBIT 25: Elizabeth Edwards, Interim Director, Government Relations, City of Portland
01:45:45 EXHIBIT 26: Arthur Towers, Oregon Trial Lawyers Association
01:48:35 EXHIBIT 27: witness registration
01:48:36 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 28: Anthony Stephens, Director, Advocacy and Governmental Affairs, American Council of the Blind
EXHIBIT 29: Josh Fisher, Manager, State Government Affairs, Association of Global Automakers, Inc.
EXHIBIT 30: Nicole Barranco, Volkswagen of America; Audi of America; Daimler

01:48:37 **SB 982 - Public Hearing**
01:48:38 Chair Beyer
01:48:40 EXHIBIT 31: Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
01:49:22 EXHIBIT 32: Eric Wareham, Director, Government Affairs, Western Equipment Dealers Association
01:50:28 Eric Stritzke, Store Manager, Linn Benton Tractor
01:52:25 Paul Cosgrove, John Deere
01:53:08 EXHIBIT 33: witness registration
01:53:09 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBITS 34-35: George Whitaker, State Government Affairs, CNH Industrial America LLC
EXHIBIT 36: Kathy Van Kleeck, Senior Vice President, Government Relations, Specialty Vehicle Institute of America; Recreational Off-Highway Vehicle Association

EXHIBIT 37: Katy McDowell, Association of Equipment Manufacturers
EXHIBIT 38: Nick Yaksich, Senior Vice President, Government and Industry Relations, Association of Equipment Manufacturers
EXHIBIT 39: Thomas Iles, Director, State Public Affairs, John Deere
EXHIBIT 40: Vernon Schmidt, Executive Vice President, Farm Equipment Manufacturers Association

01:53:08 **SB 867 - Work Session**

01:53:09 Chair Beyer

01:53:13 EXHIBIT 41: Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst

01:53:46 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1 AMENDMENTS

01:53:55 VOTE: 4-0-1

AYES: MONROE, RILEY, THOMSEN, BEYER

EXCUSED: GIROD

01:54:00 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR THOMSEN MOVES SB 867 DO PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO SENATE COMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY THEN TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

01:54:22 VOTE: 3-1-1

AYES: MONROE, RILEY, BEYER

NAY: THOMSEN

EXCUSED: GIROD

01:54:58 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:

EXHIBIT 42: Charlie Fisher, Environment Oregon; Oregon Environmental Council; Oregon Shores Conservation Coalition; Climate Solutions; OCEANA; Oregon Coast Alliance; Center for Biological Diversity

01:55:00 Meeting Adjourned