

SENATE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

April 3, 2017
01:00 PM

Hearing Room D

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Sara Gelser, Chair
Sen. Alan Olsen, Vice-Chair
Sen. Michael Dembrow
Sen. Tim Knopp
Sen. Laurie Monnes Anderson

STAFF PRESENT: Matt Doumit, LPRO Analyst
Corey Rosenberg, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: SB 241 – Public Hearing
SB 242 – Public Hearing and Work Session
SB 102 – Work Session
SB 949 – Work Session
SB 1027 – Public Hearing
SB 1024 – Public Hearing

00:00:12 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:13 Vice-Chair Olsen

00:00:22 [SB 241 - Public Hearing](#)
00:00:24 Vice-Chair Olsen
00:00:32 Matt Doumit, LPRO Analyst
00:01:07 Sen. Michael Dembrow, Senate District 23
00:06:42 EXHIBIT 1: Kylie Grunow, YWCA of Greater Portland
00:07:51 EXHIBIT 2: Kelly Raths, Oregon Department of Corrections
00:09:20 Heather Rowlett, Project Coordinator, Family Preservation Project (FPP)
00:11:26 Sen. Dembrow
00:14:02 Selene Laskey, child of an FPP graduate
00:15:10 Marco Brewer, child of an FPP graduate
00:17:00 Sophia Montoya, child of an FPP graduate
00:18:06 Kendra Wright, graduate, FPP
00:21:00 Nova Sweet, graduate, FPP
00:23:22 Stacey Ayers, Manager, Child Protective Services, Oregon Department of Human Services
00:34:00 EXHIBIT 3: witness registration

00:34:01 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 4: Caitlin Mitchell, attorney, Youth, Rights and Justice
EXHIBIT 5: Clara Beas-Fitzgerald, commissioner, Oregon Commission for Women
EXHIBIT 6: Elizabeth Cushwa, Strategic Director, Children First for Oregon
EXHIBIT 7: Julia Yoshimoto, attorney, Director, Women in Prison Project and Reentry Law Project, Oregon Justice Resource Center
EXHIBIT 8: Karen Nibler, Policy Coordinator, League of Women Voters of Oregon and Norman Turrill, President, League of Women Voters of Oregon
EXHIBIT 9: Kate Newhall, Family Forward Oregon
EXHIBIT 10: Kimberly McCullough, Legislative Director, American Civil Liberties Union of Oregon
EXHIBIT 11: Marianne Kersten, program manager, Children of Incarcerated Parents Program, Northwest Family Services

00:28:35 **SB 242 - Public Hearing**

00:28:37 Vice-Chair Olson
00:28:40 Matt Doumit, LPRO Analyst
00:29:20 Sen. Michael Dembrow, Senate District 23
00:31:00 EXHIBITS 12-13: Susan Stoltenberg, Executive Director, YWCA of Greater Portland
00:38:02 Jessica Katz, Director, Family Preservation Project (FPP)
00:45:25 Ashley Dorety, participant, FPP
00:47:57 Mimi Clinton, participant, FPP
00:49:55 Ebony Howard, participant, FPP Family Resource Center
00:52:22 Carol Sweet, mother of an FPP graduate
00:57:05 EXHIBIT 14: Adrienne Ochs, Oregon Commission for Women
00:58:18 Glen Dorety, parent of an FPP graduate
01:00:52 EXHIBIT 15: Beth Melnick, resident, Portland
01:03:58 EXHIBIT 16: witness registration
01:03:58 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 17: Caitlin Mitchell, attorney, Youth, Rights and Justice
EXHIBIT 18: Crystal Lynn Magana, participant, FPP
EXHIBIT 19: Eleanor Escafi, Cambia Health Solutions
EXHIBIT 20: Elizabeth Cushwa, Strategic Director, Children First for Oregon
EXHIBIT 21: Julia Yoshimoto, attorney, Director, Women in Prison Project and Reentry Law Project, Oregon Justice Resource Center
EXHIBIT 22: Karen Nibler, Policy Coordinator, League of Women Voters of Oregon and Norman Turrill, President, League of Women Voters of Oregon
EXHIBIT 23: Kate Newhall, Family Forward Oregon
EXHIBIT 24: Kimberly McCullough, Legislative Director, American Civil Liberties Union of Oregon

EXHIBIT 25: Kylie Grunow, YWCA of Greater Portland
EXHIBIT 26: Sen. Elizabeth Steiner Hayward, Senate District 17; Sen. Kathleen Taylor, Senate District 21; Representative Karin Power, House District 41; Representative Alissa Keny-Guyer, House District 46

01:03:59 **SB 242 - Work Session**

01:04:00 Vice-Chair Olsen

01:04:02 MOTION: CHAIR GELSER MOVES SB 242 DO PASS AND BE REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

01:04:22 VOTE: 5-0-0

AYES: DEMBROW, KNOPP, MONNES ANDERSON, OLSEN, GELSER

01:05:04 **SB 102 - Work Session**

01:05:06 Chair Gelser

01:05:08 Matt Doumit, LPRO Analyst

01:05:52 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR OLSEN MOVES SB 102 DO PASS AND BE REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

01:06:09 VOTE: 5-0-0

AYES: DEMBROW, KNOPP, MONNES ANDERSON, OLSEN, GELSER

01:06:19 **SB 949 - Work Session**

01:06:21 Chair Gelser

01:06:26 Lorey Freeman, Office of the Legislative Counsel

01:08:45 Kyndall Mason, policy analyst, Service Employees International Union (SEIU) Local 503

01:09:28 Vice-Chair Olsen

01:11:40 Sen. Knopp

01:14:18 **SB 1027 - Public Hearing**

01:14:19 Chair Gelser

01:14:20 Matt Doumit, LPRO Analyst

01:15:23 David Bell, Managing Director, Oregon 529 Savings Network

01:20:46 Chelsea Brossard, policy director, Office of the Oregon State Treasurer

01:21:18 Vice-Chair Olsen

01:21:24 EXHIBIT 27: witness registration

01:21:25 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:

EXHIBIT 28: Ava Bartley, Advocacy and Engagement Director, Family Action Coalition Team

01:21:41 **SB 1024 - Public Hearing**

01:21:42 Chair Gelser

01:21:43 Matt Doumit, LPRO Analyst

01:22:22 Sen. Monnes Anderson

01:22:52 Michael McKeel, resident, Gresham

01:28:48 Vice-Chair Olsen
01:32:31 Becky Steckler, Oregon Chapter American Planning Association
01:36:43 Mark Nystrom, Association of Oregon Counties
01:39:07 Jed Thompskins, Multnomah County
01:40:50 John Chandler, Oregon Homebuilders Association
01:43:16 EXHIBIT 29: Mary Kyle McCurdy, 1000 Friends of Oregon
01:48:28 Mark Greenfield
01:49:59 EXHIBIT 30: witness registration
01:51:00 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 31: Carol Chesarek, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 32: Cindy Reid, resident, Portland, and Bharam Adrangi,
resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 33: Jeannine Rustad, President, Oregon Chapter, American
Planning Association
EXHIBIT 34: Joe McCray, resident, Sauvie Island
01:51:02 Meeting Adjourned