

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

February 21, 2017
08:00 AM

Hearing Room D

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Brian Clem, Chair
Rep. Susan McLain, Vice-Chair
Rep. Sherrie Sprenger, Vice-Chair
Rep. Greg Barreto
Rep. Sal Esquivel
Rep. Caddy McKeown
Rep. Karin Power
Rep. David Brock Smith
Rep. Brad Witt

STAFF PRESENT: Misty Freeman, LPRO Analyst
Derrick Wheeler, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: HB 2106 – Public Hearing
HB 2785 – Public Hearing
HB 2786 – Public Hearing

00:00:08 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:08 Chair Clem

00:00:20 [HB 2106 - Public Hearing](#)
00:00:20 Chair Clem
00:01:32 Rich Angstrom, Oregon Mining Association
00:08:16 Rep. Esquivel
00:12:33 Rep. Power
00:16:03 EXHIBIT 1: Stacey Detwiler, Conservation Director, Rogue Riverkeeper
00:18:42 EXHIBIT 2: Bob Van Dyk, Wild Salmon Center
00:20:13 EXHIBIT 3: Tom Wolf, Executive Director, Trout Unlimited
00:22:59 Rep. Witt
00:28:32 EXHIBIT 4: Michael Hunter, Vice President, Willamette Valley Miners
Association
00:32:40 EXHIBITS 5-13: Tom Quintal, small scale miner
00:44:18 Vice-Chair Sprenger
00:45:10 Paige Spence, Director, Oregon Conservation Network
00:50:22 Peggy Lynch, League of Women Voters of Oregon
00:58:49 EXHIBITS 14-15: Tyler Alexander, Oregon Farm Bureau

- 01:01:47** Doug Cottam, Wildlife Division Administrator, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
- 01:04:19** EXHIBIT 16: Shannon Hurn, Department Director for Fish and Wildlife Programs, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
- 01:05:20** EXHIBIT 17: witness registration
- 01:05:26** The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 18: Nick Cady, Legal Director, Cascadia Wildlands
EXHIBIT 19: Jake Crawford, Southern Regional Manager, Native Fish Society
EXHIBIT 20: Lauri Aunan, Natural Resources, Office of the Governor
EXHIBIT 21: Roger Kaye, President, Friends of Marion County
EXHIBIT 22: Robyn Janssen, Momentum River Expeditions
EXHIBIT 23: Rhett Lawrence, Oregon Chapter Sierra Club
EXHIBIT 24: Paul Lipscomb, resident, Sisters
EXHIBIT 25: Meriel Darzen, 1000 Friends of Oregon
EXHIBIT 26: Lori Grant, Director, Water Program, Oregon Environmental Council
EXHIBITS 27-30: Dennis Hebard, resident, Eugene
EXHIBIT 31: Thurston Inglis, President, Harney County Farm Bureau
- 01:05:33** **HB 2785 and HB 2786 - Public Hearing**
- 01:05:33** Chair Clem
- 01:06:28** EXHIBITS 32-33: Mary Anne Nash, Oregon Farm Bureau
- 01:08:44** Vice-Chair McLain
- 01:11:15** Jessie Bounds, Bounds Hay Company
- 01:18:02** Dave Hunnicutt, Oregonians in Action
- 01:26:27** Rep. Barreto
- 01:30:02** Rep. Smith
- 01:30:39** Rep. Witt
- 01:33:18** EXHIBIT 34: Tom Wolf, Trout Unlimited
- 01:36:48** Peggy Lynch, League of Women Voters of Oregon
- 01:38:50** Bob Oleson, Steelheaders Northwest
- 01:43:26** Roger Beyer, Oregon Seed Council; Oregon Small Woodlands Association
- 01:46:45** EXHIBITS 35-36: Jim Paul, Director, Oregon Department of State Lands
- 01:54:57** Vice-Chair Sprenger
- 01:58:54** Rep. Esquivel
- 01:59:36** EXHIBITS 37-38: witness registration
- 01:59:37** The following has been submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 39: Lori Grant, Director, Water Program, Oregon Environmental Council
EXHIBIT 40: Jane Bacchieri, Manager, Watershed Services Group, Environmental Services, City of Portland
EXHIBIT 41: Cameron La Follette, Oregon Coast Alliance
EXHIBIT 42: Kimberley Priestley, WaterWatch of Oregon
- 01:59:47** Meeting Adjourned