

# HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TRADE

March 20, 2017  
08:00 AM

Hearing Room E

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. Ann Lininger, Chair  
Rep. Pam Marsh, Vice-Chair  
Rep. David Brock Smith, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Brian Clem  
Rep. David Gomberg  
Rep. Ken Helm  
Rep. Rick Lewis  
Rep. Bill Post  
Rep. E. Werner Reschke

**STAFF PRESENT:** Adam Crawford, LPRO Analyst  
Donna Burgess, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** HB 2012 – Public Hearing  
HB 2752 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HB 2904 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HB 2155 – Public Hearing

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00:00:15 Meeting Called to Order  
00:00:15 Chair Lininger

00:00:29 [HB 2012 - Public Hearing](#)  
00:00:29 Chair Lininger  
00:00:52 Adam Crawford, LPRO Analyst  
00:01:35 EXHIBIT 1: Rep. Tina Kotek, House District 44  
00:04:34 Rep. Cliff Bentz, House District 60  
00:08:19 Chris Harder, Director, Oregon Business Development Department  
00:11:55 EXHIBIT 2: Mike McArthur, Executive Director, Association of Oregon  
Counties  
00:13:56 Rep. Gomberg  
00:16:38 Rep. Post  
00:23:29 Rep. Clem  
00:28:18 Rep. Reschke  
00:31:47 Vice-Chair Smith  
00:35:23 EXHIBIT 3: Dan Joyce, Judge, Malheur County

- 00:37:43 EXHIBIT 4: Kit Kamo, Executive Director, Snake River Economic Development Alliance
- 00:39:38 EXHIBIT 5: Grant Kitamura, General Manager, Murakami Produce Co, LLC
- 00:41:58 EXHIBIT 6: Nicole Albisu, Superintendent, Ontario School District
- 00:44:17 EXHIBIT 7: Ron Verini, Mayor, City of Ontario
- 00:46:31 EXHIBIT 8: Paul Skeen, President, Malheur County Onion Growers Association
- 00:48:52 EXHIBIT 9: Lynn Findley, City Manager, City of Vale; Interim City Manager, City of Nyssa
- 00:50:57 Bill Johnson, founding member, Malheur County Poverty to Prosperity; trustee, Eastern Oregon University
- 00:53:45 EXHIBIT 10: witness registration
- 00:53:45 The following is submitted without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 11: Mary Kyle McCurdy, Deputy Director, 1,000 Friends of Oregon
- 00:53:55 **HB 2752 - Public Hearing**
- 00:53:55 Chair Lininger
- 00:54:00 EXHIBIT 12: Adam Crawford, LPRO Analyst
- 00:55:02 Len Bergstein, Framework
- 00:57:30 EXHIBIT 13: witness registration
- 00:57:35 **HB 2752 - Work session**
- 00:57:35 Chair Lininger
- 00:57:42 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR SMITH MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1 AMENDMENTS
- 00:57:49 VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: CLEM, GOMBERG, HELM, LEWIS, POST, RESCHKE, MARSH, SMITH, LININGER
- 00:58:10 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR SMITH MOVES HB 2752 DO PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
- 00:58:21 VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: CLEM, GOMBERG, HELM, LEWIS, POST, RESCHKE, MARSH, SMITH, LININGER
- 00:58:50 **HB 2904 - Public Hearing**
- 00:58:50 Chair Lininger
- 00:59:00 Adam Crawford, LPRO Analyst
- 00:59:22 Phillip Scheuers, Legislative Assistant, Rep. Greg Smith, House District 57
- 01:01:09 Lisa Mittelsdorf, Director of Economic Development, Port of Morrow
- 01:04:50 EXHIBIT 14: witness registration
- 01:04:59 **HB 2904 - Work session**
- 01:04:59 Chair Lininger

**01:05:03** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR SMITH MOVES HB 2905 DO PASS AND BE REFERRED TO HOUSE COMMITTEE ON REVENUE BY PRIOR REFERENCE.

**01:05:12** VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: CLEM, GOMBERG, HELM, LEWIS, POST, RESCHKE, MARSH, SMITH, LININGER

**01:05:55** **HB 2155 - Public Hearing**

**01:05:55** Chair Lininger

**01:06:10** Adam Crawford, LPRO Analyst

**01:06:56** EXHIBIT 15: Craig Campbell, Coalition for Capital

**01:10:45** Rep. Post

**01:12:28** Martha McLennan, Executive Director, Northwest Housing Alternatives

**01:15:21** Robin Boyce, former Executive Director, Housing Development Center

**01:20:56** Eric Davis, Chief Financial Officer, C2F, Inc.

**01:23:44** Tony Hill, accounting advisor, Advantage Dental

**01:28:44** EXHIBIT 16: Jody Wiser, Tax Fairness Oregon

**01:30:52** Marcia Kelley, Oregon Women's Rights Coalition

**01:34:02** EXHIBIT 17: David Altman, President, IPR Consulting

**01:37:04** EXHIBIT 18: Reynold Roeder, Roeder & Company

**01:39:49** EXHIBIT 19: Alan Pasternack, attorney, Butler-Snow

**01:44:12** Nicolo Pinoli, partner, Novogradac and Company

**01:46:40** EXHIBIT 20: witness registration

**01:46:41** Meeting Adjourned