

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TRADE

February 6, 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. Andy Olson
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: Informational Meeting
Overview of Oregon's Economy
Issues Affecting Economic Development and Trade in Oregon
Federal and Local Economic Development Agencies
Introduction to Advocacy Organizations

00:00:10 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:10 Chair Lininger

00:01:22 [Overview of Oregon's Economy - Informational Meeting](#)
00:01:22 Chair Lininger
00:01:40 EXHIBIT 1: Mark McMullen, State Economist, Office of Economic Analysis
00:05:48 Josh Lehner, Senior Economist, Office of Economic Analysis
00:11:51 Rep. Clem
00:13:19 Rep. Post
00:14:53 Vice-Chair Smith
00:29:01 Rep. Gomberg

00:31:38 [Issues Affecting Economic Development and Trade in Oregon - Informational Meeting](#)
00:31:38 Chair Lininger
00:31:42 Kathryn Williams, State Affairs Manager, Port of Portland

00:32:04 EXHIBIT 2: Keith Leavitt, Chief Commercial Officer, Port of Portland
00:43:47 Rep. Clem

00:46:48 **Federal and Local Economic Development Agencies - Informational Meeting**

00:46:48 Chair Lininger
00:47:29 EXHIBIT 3: Martin Golden, District Director, US Small Business Administration

00:53:45 EXHIBIT 4-5: Jill A. Rees, Acting Director, USDA Rural Development
01:00:23 Vice-Chair Smith
01:00:57 Rep. Gomberg
01:01:17 Lisa Siesennop, Business and Cooperative Program Director, USDA Rural Development

01:04:11 Kristin Retherford, Immediate Past President, Oregon Economic Development Association

01:12:46 **Introduction to Advocacy Organizations - Informational Meeting**
01:12:46 Chair Lininger
01:13:50 Betsy Earls, Vice President, Associated Oregon Industries
01:18:33 D.J. Vogt, Vice President, Oregon Business Association
01:24:06 EXHIBIT 6: Skip Newberry, Executive Director, Technology Association of Oregon

01:32:03 Jonath Colon Montesi, Interim Co-President, Hispanic Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce
01:36:40 Vice-Chair Marsh
01:39:13 Rep. Helm
01:44:40 Meeting Adjourned