

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT

March 27, 2017
3:00 PM

Hearing Room D

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Ken Helm, Chair
Rep. Mark Johnson, Vice-Chair
Rep. Karin Power, Vice-Chair
Rep. Phil Barnhart
Rep. Cliff Bentz
Rep. Deborah Boone
Rep. Paul Holvey
Rep. E. Werner Reschke
Rep. David Brock Smith

STAFF PRESENT: Beth Reiley, LPRO Analyst
Holly Smith, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: HB 2020 – Public Hearing
Informational Meeting
Update Cleaner Air Oregon
HB 2722 – Work Session
HB 2954 – Work Session
HJM 5 – Work Session
HB 2236 – Public Hearing
HB 2269 – Public Hearing

00:00:00 Meeting Called to Order

00:00:00 Chair Helm

00:00:15 [HB 2020 - Public Hearing](#)

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00:01:05 Varner Seaman, Government Affairs, Portland General Electric

00:04:34 Gary Bauer, Director, Government and Community Affairs, Northwest
Natural

00:06:45 Ted Casey, Executive Director, Oregon Rural Electric Cooperative
Association

00:09:30 Paul Romain, attorney, Romain Group LLC, Oregon People's Utility
District Association

00:13:00 Vice-Chair Johnson

00:14:10 Angus Duncan, President, Bonneville Environmental Foundation; Chair,
Oregon Global Warming Commission

00:18:35 Jana Gastellum, Climate Program Director, Oregon Environmental Council

00:20:36 Sam Patrisk, Consumer Advocate, Citizens Utility Board

00:26:18 Beth Reiley, LPRO Analyst
00:26:32 Rep. Bentz
00:30:00 Nels Johnson, Renewable Northwest
00:31:23 Christine Edwards, Northwest Energy Coalition
00:33:15 Claudia Keith, League of Women Voters of Oregon
00:35:08 EXHIBIT 1: Lana Butterfield, Pacific Propane Gas Association
00:36:14 Rep. Brock Smith
00:38:20 Mike Kaplan, Director, Oregon Department of Energy
00:43:10 Rep. Holvey
00:43:41 EXHIBIT 2: HB 2020 witness registration
00:43:42 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 3: Mike Freese, Associated Oregon Industries
EXHIBIT 4: Randy Camp, CoEnergy Propane
EXHIBIT 5: Elizabeth Howe, Blachly-Lane Electric Cooperative, Central Electric Cooperative, Central Lincoln People's Utility District, Columbia Basin Electric Cooperative, Columbia Power Cooperative Association, Consumers Power Inc., Coos Curry Electric Cooperative, Douglas Electric Cooperative, Emerald People's Utility District, Eugene Water & Electric Board, Harney Electric Cooperative, Hood River Electric Cooperative, Lane Electric Cooperative, Midstate Electric Cooperative, Northern Wasco County People's Utility District, Oregon Municipal Electric Utilities Association, Oregon People's Utility District Association, Oregon Rural Electric Cooperative Association, Oregon Trail Electric Cooperative, Pacific Power, Portland General Electric, Salem Electric, Tillamook People's Utility District, Umatilla Electric Cooperative, Wasco Electric Cooperative, West Oregon Electric Cooperative

00:43:43 **Informational Meeting - Update Cleaner Air Oregon**
00:43:43 Chair Helm
00:44:30 EXHIBIT 6: Lynn Saxton, Director, Oregon Health Authority
00:49:55 Richard Whitman, Director, Department of Environmental Quality
01:06:27 Vice-Chair Johnson
01:10:03 Rep. Bentz
01:12:45 Rep. Brock Smith

01:13:44 **HB 2722 - Work Session**
01:13:44 Chair Helm
01:13:52 Beth Reiley, LPRO Analyst
01:14:47 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR POWER MOVES HB 2722 DO PASS
01:15:10 VOTE: 9-0-0
AYES: BARNHART, BENTZ, BOONE, HOLVEY, RESCHKE, BROCK SMITH, JOHNSON, POWER, HELM
CARRIER: REP. MCLAIN WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

01:15:39 **HB 2954 - Work Session**
01:15:39 Chair Helm

01:15:50 Beth Reiley, LPRO Analyst
01:16:15 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR POWER MOVES HB 2954 DO PASS AND BE REFERRED TO THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

01:16:35 Vice-Chair Power
01:17:19 Rep. Barnhart
01:18:35 Rep. Holvey
01:19:30 VOTE: 9-0-0
AYES: BARNHART, BENTZ, BOONE, HOLVEY, RESCHKE, BROCK SMITH, JOHNSON, POWER, HELM

01:20:01 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBITS 7-9: Chuck Lawrence, Crescent Sanitary District

01:20:02 **HJM 5 - Work Session**
01:20:02 Chair Helm
01:20:12 EXHIBIT 10: Beth Reiley, LPRO Analyst
01:20:52 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR POWER MOVES TO ADOPT THE -2 AMENDMENTS
01:21:15 VOTE: 9-0-0
AYES: BARNHART, BENTZ, BOONE, HOLVEY, RESCHKE, BROCK SMITH, JOHNSON, POWER, HELM
01:21:20 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR POWER MOVES HJM 5 BE ADOPTED AS AMENDED
01:22:16 VOTE: 9-0-0
AYES: BARNHART, BENTZ, BOONE, HOLVEY, RESCHKE, BROCK SMITH, JOHNSON, POWER, HELM
CARRIER: REP. HOLVEY WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

01:22:20 **HB 2236 and HB 2269 - Public Hearing**
01:22:20 Chair Helm
01:23:05 EXHIBIT 11: Palmer Mason, Senior Legislative Advisor, Department of Environmental Quality
01:29:52 Vice-Chair Johnson
01:32:15 Rep. Bentz
01:40:36 Rep. Barnhart
01:45:57 EXHIBIT 12: Jessica Applegate, member, Eastside Portland Air Coalition; committee member, Cleaner Air Oregon; small business owner, Douglas County
01:48:00 Jennifer Jones, Eastside Portland Air Coalition
01:49:14 Mary Lou Putman, Portland North Harbor Neighbors
01:52:44 Steve Putman, Portland North Harbor Neighbors
01:54:48 Lisa Frack, Communications Manager, Neighbors for Clean Air
01:57:01 Greg Thelen, resident, Portland
01:59:54 Thomas Mosher, Audubon Society of Portland
02:00:40 Heath Curtiss, General Counsel and Director of Government Affairs, Oregon Forest Industries Council

02:03:25 EXHIBIT 13: Kathryn VaNatte, Director, Government and Regulatory Affairs, Northwest Pulp and Paper Association

02:08:00 EXHIBIT 14: J. L. Wilson, Oregon Metals Industry Council

02:10:39 EXHIBIT 15: Marilyn Koenitzer, League of Women Voters of Oregon

02:12:42 Peggy Lynch, League of Women Voters of Oregon

02:14:18 EXHIBIT 16: Angela Crowley-Koch, Legislative Director, Oregon Environmental Council

02:17:16 EXHIBIT 17: witness registration

02:15:17 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:

EXHIBIT 18: Daniel Meek, Oregon Progressive Party

EXHIBIT 19: Alan Bartl, Alan Bartl Designs

EXHIBIT 20: Alana Monaco, resident, Eagle Point

EXHIBIT 21: Andrea Pellicani, What Goes Around Jewelry

EXHIBIT 22: Ata Saedi, resident, Tualatin

EXHIBIT 23: Babetta Chiarito, affiliation unknown

EXHIBIT 24: Beth Levin, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 25: Bruce Holser, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 26: C. David Cottrill, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 27: Cindy Young, neighbor, Bullseye Glass

EXHIBIT 28: Cordelia Tilghman, affiliation unknown

EXHIBIT 29: Curt Shaw, resident, Silverton

EXHIBIT 30: Deborah Kafoury, Chair, Multnomah County and Charlie Hales, Mayor, Portland

EXHIBIT 31: Donna and Jerry Slepach, residents, Portland

EXHIBIT 32: Daniel Jaffee, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 33: David Kirchfeld, affiliation unknown

EXHIBIT 34: Donna Harris, resident, Bend

EXHIBIT 35: Evelyn Kimbrell, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 36: Genevieve DeGuzman, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 37: Gisela Ray, resident, Gresham

EXHIBIT 38: Gregg Kleiner, resident, Corvallis

EXHIBIT 39: Guy Berliner, neighbor, Bullseye Glass

EXHIBIT 40: Hank Keeton, affiliation unknown

EXHIBIT 41: Ineke Deruyter, affiliation unknown

EXHIBIT 42: Jonathan Stratman and Billie Judy

EXHIBIT 43: Jacqueline Rothenberg, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 44: Jane Farrell, affiliation unknown

EXHIBIT 45: Jane Terzis, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 46: Jeanette Leardi, affiliation unknown

EXHIBIT 47: Jenny Pompilio, M.D., M. P. H., resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 48: Jessica Vega Pederson, Commissioner, Multnomah County

EXHIBIT 49: Jewell Hall, resident, Eugene

EXHIBIT 50: Jill Wyatt, resident, Baker City

EXHIBIT 51: Joe Hovey, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 52: Johann Miller, resident, Corvallis

EXHIBIT 53: John Wasiutynski, Multnomah County Office of Sustainability

EXHIBIT 54: Juliet Hyams, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 55: Kammy Kern-Korot, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 56: Katherin Jesch, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 57: Kathleen Sharp, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 58: Kelly Brignell, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 59: Leif Hatlestad, resident, Rouge River
EXHIBIT 60: Leslie Blok, resident, Bend
EXHIBIT 61: Lisa Arkin, Beyond Toxics
EXHIBIT 62: Lisa Levine, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 63: Lisa Strycker, resident, Oregon
EXHIBIT 64: Mary Peveto, President, Neighbors for Clean Air; Mark Riskedahl, Executive Director, Northwest Environmental Defense Center; Jo Ann Hardesty, President, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Portland Branch; Huy Ong, Executive Director, Organizing People Activating Leaders Environmental Justice; Maggie Tallmadge, Coalition of Communities of Color; Dr. Susan Katz, Pediatrician, Oregon Physicians for Social Responsibility; Lisa Arkin, Beyond Toxics; Jessica Applegate, Eastside Portland Air Coalition; Stacey Schroeder-Moultrie, North Portland Air Quality; Lenny Dee, Onward Oregon; Melanie Place, Clean Corvallis Air; Michelle Keip, Clean Air Grants Pass; Chris Canote and Sarah Clark, South Portland Air Quality
EXHIBIT 65: Margaret Shannon, retired RN; resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 66: Marie Wakefield, resident, Newport
EXHIBIT 67: Marna Herrington, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 68: Mary Baker, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 69: Maxine Centala, resident, Seal Rock
EXHIBIT 70: Michele Sparr, resident, Beaverton
EXHIBIT 71: Mike Freese, Associated Oregon Industries
EXHIBIT 72: Nick Rothenberg, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 73: Nina Joy Lawrence, resident, Corvallis
EXHIBIT 74: Pamela Collord, resident, District 21
EXHIBIT 75: Randall Kock, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 76: S.W., affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 77: Sally Stevens, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 78: Sandra Joos, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 79: Shantara Grace, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 80: Stacy Smith, resident, Yachats
EXHIBIT 81: Susie Stevens, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 82: Virginia Green, resident, Tualatin
EXHIBIT 83: Wendy Ferguson, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 84: Amber Taylor, Department of Environmental Quality

02:15:18 Meeting Adjourned