

**SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL
RESOURCES**

February 20, 2017
3:00 PM

Hearing Room F

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Michael Dembrow, Chair
Sen. Alan Olsen, Vice-Chair
Sen. Herman Baertschiger, Jr.
Sen. Floyd Prozanski
Sen. Arnie Roblan

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT

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

MEMBER EXCUSED: Rep. Deborah Boone

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

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: Informational Meeting
Oregon Climate Assessment Report, January 2017
Considerations for Designing a Cap-and-Trade Program in
Oregon
Economic and Emission Impacts of a Clean Air Tax or Fee
in Oregon (SB 306, 2013)

00:00:01 House Energy and Environment Meeting Called to Order
00:00:01 Chair Helm
00:00:02 Senate Environment and Natural Resources Meeting Called to Order

00:00:02 Chair Dembrow

00:01:14 **Oregon Climate Assessment Report, January 2017 - Informational Meeting**

00:01:14 Chair Helm

00:01:30 EXHIBITS 1-3: Kathie Dello, Associate Director, Oregon Climate Change Research Institute

00:19:08 Chair Dembrow

00:21:18 Vice-Chair Olsen

00:25:31 Sen. Baertschiger

00:26:15 Rep. Brock Smith

00:29:26 Sen. Roblan

00:34:00 Rep. Bentz

00:37:10 Vice-Chair Power

00:39:41 **Considerations for Designing a Cap-and-Trade Program in Oregon - Informational Meeting**

00:39:41 Rep. Chair Helm

00:40:20 EXHIBITS 4-5: Palmer Mason, Senior Legislative Advisor, Department of Environmental Quality

00:45:38 Colin McConnaha, Senior Climate Policy Advisor, Department of Environmental Quality

01:07:56 Chair Dembrow

01:09:28 Vice-Chair Olsen

01:15:40 Sen. Prozanski

01:16:32 Vice-Chair Power

01:20:00 Vice-Chair Johnson

01:25:34 Sen. Roblan

01:28:32 **Economic and Emission Impacts of a Clean Air Tax or Fee in Oregon (SB 306, 2013) - Informational Meeting**

01:28:32 Chair Helm

01:29:20 EXHIBITS 6-8: Mazen Malik, Senior Economist, Legislative Revenue Office

01:33:15 Tom Potiowsky, Director, Northwest Economic Research Center, Portland State University

01:51:29 Vice-Chair Olsen

01:52:18 Rep. Barnhart

01:54:50 Sen. Roblan

01:56:12 Vice-Chair Johnson

01:57:23 Chair Dembrow

01:58:11 House Energy and Environment Meeting Adjourned

01:58:11 Senate Environment and Natural Resources Meeting Adjourned