

**HOUSE COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AND EMERGENCY**  
**PREPAREDNESS**

March 30, 2017  
03:00 PM

Hearing Room E

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. Paul Evans, Chair  
Rep. Deborah Boone, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Sal Esquivel, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Rick Lewis  
Rep. John Lively  
Rep. Mark Meek  
Rep. Julie Parrish  
Rep. Bill Post

**STAFF PRESENT:** Bradley Volk, LPRO Analyst  
Skye Couvrette, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** Informational Meeting  
Veteran Support Services  
HCR 11 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HCR 22 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HJM 6 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HB 3174 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HJM 10 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HB 2886 – Work Session  
HB 2983 – Work Session

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

00:02:16 [Veterans Support Services - Informational Meeting](#)  
00:02:16 Chair Evans  
00:03:02 EXHIBIT 1: Karen Peterson, Principal Auditor, Oregon Audits Division  
00:07:08 Sheronne Blasi, Audit Manager, Oregon Audits Division  
00:13:44 Rep. Lively  
00:14:24 Cameron Smith, Director, Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs  
00:18:56 Vice-Chair Esquivel

00:27:47 [HCR 11 - Public Hearing](#)  
00:27:47 Chair Evans

00:27:59 Bradley Volk, LPRO Analyst  
00:29:20 Rep. Andy Olson, House District 15  
00:31:35 EXHIBIT 2: witness registration

00:31:37 **HCR 11 - Work session**  
00:31:37 Chair Evans  
00:31:58 VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES HCR 11 BE ADOPTED  
00:32:20 VOTE: 7-0-1  
AYES: LEWIS, LIVELY, MEEK, PARRISH, POST, ESQUIVEL, EVANS  
EXCUSED: BOONE  
CARRIER: REP. OLSON WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:32:42 **HCR 22 - Public Hearing**  
00:32:42 Chair Evans  
00:32:53 Rep. Andy Olson, House District 15  
00:34:00 Bradley Volk, LPRO Analyst  
00:35:20 EXHIBIT 3: witness registration

00:35:28 **HCR 22 - Work session**  
00:35:28 Chair Evans  
00:35:34 VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES HCR 22 BE ADOPTED  
00:35:52 VOTE: 7-0-1  
AYES: LEWIS, LIVELY, MEEK, PARRISH, POST, ESQUIVEL, EVANS  
EXCUSED: BOONE  
CARRIER: REP. OLSON AND REP. MEEK WILL LEAD DISCUSSION  
ON THE FLOOR

00:36:16 Rep. Meek  
00:36:49 Vice-Chair Esquivel  
00:37:42 Rep. Post

00:37:51 **HJM 6 - Public Hearing**  
00:37:51 Chair Evans  
00:38:04 Bradley Volk, LPRO Analyst  
00:39:00 Mike Sullivan, Oregon Political Director, Association of Western Pulp and  
Paper Workers Union  
00:44:49 Vice-Chair Esquivel  
00:45:18 Mark Knecht, resident, Marion County  
00:49:41 EXHIBIT 4: witness registration

00:46:52 **HJM 6 - Work Session**  
00:46:52 Chair Evans  
00:46:57 VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES HJM 6 BE ADOPTED  
00:47:11 VOTE: 7-0-1 (see timestamp 00:56:13)  
AYES: LEWIS, LIVELY, MEEK, POST, ESQUIVEL, EVANS  
EXCUSED: PARRISH, BOONE  
CARRIER: REP. ESQUIVEL WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

**00:47:46**      **HB 3174 - Public Hearing**  
**00:47:46**      Chair Evans  
**00:47:58**      Bradley Volk, LPRO Analyst  
**00:49:50**      Rich Angstrom, President, Oregon Concrete & Aggregate Producers Association  
**00:55:05**      EXHIBIT 5: witness registration

**00:55:09**      **HB 3174 - Work Session**  
**00:55:09**      Chair Evans  
**00:55:24**      MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES HB 3174 DO PASS AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS  
**00:55:43**      VOTE: 7-0-1  
AYES: LEWIS, LIVELY, MEEK, PARRISH, POST, ESQUIVEL, EVANS  
EXCUSED: BOONE  
**00:56:08**      Rep. Meek

**00:56:12**      **HJM 6 - Work Session**  
**00:56:12**      Chair Evans  
**00:56:13**      MOTION: REP. MEEK MOVES THAT THE RULES BE SUSPENDED TO ALLOW REP. PARRISH TO VOTE: AYE ON HJM 6  
**00:56:24**      VOTE: 7-0-1  
AYES: LEWIS, LIVELY, MEEK, PARRISH, POST, ESQUIVEL, EVANS  
EXCUSED: BOONE

**00:56:48**      **HJM 10 - Public Hearing**  
**00:56:48**      Chair Evans  
**00:56:51**      Bradley Volk, LPRO Analyst  
**01:00:11**      EXHIBIT 6: witness registration

**01:00:16**      **HJM 10 - Work Session**  
**01:00:16**      Chair Evans  
**01:00:20**      VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES HJM 10 BE ADOPTED AND REFERRED TO THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON RULES BY PRIOR REFERENCE  
**01:00:34**      VOTE: 7-0-1 (see timestamp 01:10:40)  
AYES: LEWIS, LIVELY, MEEK, POST, ESQUIVEL, EVANS  
EXCUSED: PARRISH, BOONE  
CARRIER: REP. EVANS WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

**01:01:05**      **HB 2886 - Work Session**  
**01:01:05**      Chair Evans  
**01:01:14**      EXHIBIT 7: Bradley Volk, LPRO Analyst  
**01:02:45**      MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1 AMENDMENTS

**01:02:50** VOTE: 6-0-2  
AYES: LEWIS, LIVELY, MEEK, POST, ESQUIVEL, EVANS  
EXCUSED: PARRISH, BOONE

**01:03:35** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES HB 2886 DO PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

**01:04:12** Rep. Post

**01:04:24** VOTE: 7-0-1 (see timestamp 01:10:40)  
AYES: LEWIS, LIVELY, MEEK, POST, ESQUIVEL, EVANS  
EXCUSED: PARRISH, BOONE

**01:05:00** **HB 2983 - Work Session**

**01:05:00** Chair Evans

**01:05:09** EXHIBIT 8: Bradley Volk, LPRO Analyst

**01:06:29** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES TO ADOPT THE -4 AMENDMENTS

**01:06:54** VOTE: 7-0-1 (see timestamp 01:10:40)  
AYES: LEWIS, LIVELY, MEEK, POST, ESQUIVEL, EVANS  
EXCUSED: PARRISH, BOONE

**01:07:20** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES HB 2983 DO PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

**01:07:41** VOTE: 7-0-1 (see timestamp 01:10:40)  
AYES: LEWIS, LIVELY, MEEK, POST, ESQUIVEL, EVANS  
EXCUSED: PARRISH, BOONE

**01:08:11** Rep. Lively

**01:08:18** Vice-Chair Esquivel

**01:09:59** Meeting Recessed

**01:10:08** Meeting Reconvened

**01:10:08** Chair Evans

**01:10:31** Rep. Parrish

**01:10:39** **HB 2886, HB 2983 and HJM 10 - Work Session**

**01:10:39** Chair Evans

**01:10:40** MOTION: REP. MEEK MOVES THAT THE RULES BE SUSPENDED TO ALLOW REP. PARRISH TO VOTE: AYE ON HB 2886, HB 2983 AND HJM 10

**01:10:41** VOTE: 7-0-1  
AYES: LEWIS, LIVELY, MEEK, PARRISH, POST, ESQUIVEL, EVANS  
EXCUSED: BOONE

**01:11:08** Rep. Parrish

**01:11:09** Bradley Volk, LPRO Analyst

**01:11:31** Rep. Meek

**01:11:42** **Veterans Support Services - Informational Meeting**

**01:11:42** Chair Evans  
**01:12:23** EXHIBIT 9: Sheronne Blasi, Audit Manager, Oregon Audits Division  
**01:15:44** Karen Peterson, Principal Auditor, Oregon Audits Division  
**01:22:10** Andrew Phelps, Director, Oregon Office of Emergency Management,  
Oregon Military Department  
**01:32:20** Rep. Meek  
**01:34:33** Rep. Lewis  
**01:35:13** Rep. Post  
**01:35:15** Rep. Lively  
**01:35:29** Meeting Adjourned