

**SENATE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS
AND TRANSPORTATION**

December 12, 2018
08:00 AM

Hearing Room B

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Lee Beyer, Chair
Sen. Rod Monroe
Sen. Chuck Riley

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED: Sen. Chuck Thomsen, Vice-Chair
Sen. Fred Girod

STAFF PRESENT: Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
Matt DeRosa, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES:

Introduction of Committee Legislative Concepts - Work Session
Informational Meeting
Update from Autonomous Vehicles Task Force
Update from Willamette Falls Locks Commission
Update on Major Transportation Projects
Renewable Natural Gas Report (Senate Bill 334, 2017)

00:00:07 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:08 Chair Beyer

00:00:38 [Introduction of Committee Legislative Concepts - Work Session](#)

00:00:39 Chair Beyer

00:01:01 EXHIBITS 1-7: Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst

00:02:38 MOTION: CHAIR BEYER MOVES LC 816, LC 1191, LC 1917, LC 1918,
LC 2143, LC 2144, AND LC 2242 BE INTRODUCED AS COMMITTEE
MEASURES

00:03:11 VOTE 3-0-2:
AYES: MONROE, RILEY, BEYER
EXCUSED: GIROD, THOMSEN

00:03:18 [Update from Autonomous Vehicles Task Force - Informational Meeting](#)

00:03:19 Chair Beyer

00:03:25 Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
00:03:51 EXHIBIT 8: Lt. Tim Tannenbaum, Chair, Autonomous Vehicles Task Force
00:15:21 Meeting Recessed
00:15:25 Meeting returned to order

00:15:27 **Update from Willamette Falls Locks Commission - Informational Meeting**
00:15:28 Chair Beyer
00:15:35 EXHIBITS 9-15: Rep. Julie Parrish, House District 37
00:17:35 Rep. Mark Meek, House District 40
00:22:50 Russell Axelrod, Mayor, West Linn; Chair, Willamette Falls Locks Commission
00:31:12 Sen. Riley
00:32:57 Sandy Carter, Co-Vice Chair, Willamette Falls Locks Commission
00:33:01 EXHIBITS 16-17: Andy Cotugno, Senior Policy Advisor, Metro
00:43:56 Sen. Monroe

00:47:05 **Update on Major Transportation Projects - Informational Meeting**
00:47:06 Chair Beyer
00:47:18 EXHIBIT 18: Kris Strickler, Highway Division Administrator, Oregon Department of Transportation
00:48:19 Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
01:10:34 Sen. Monroe
01:14:23 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 19: Catherine Caudle, resident, Redmond

01:14:24 **Renewable Natural Gas Report (Senate Bill 334, 2017) - Informational Meeting**
01:14:25 Chair Beyer
01:14:26 Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
01:15:14 EXHIBIT 20: Dan Avery, Policy Analyst, Oregon Department of Energy
01:33:27 EXHIBIT 21: Anna Chittum, Business Development Segment Manager, NW Natural
01:46:04 Sen. Monroe
01:54:35 Sen. Riley
01:54:48 Meeting Adjourned