

**REVENUE: No revenue impact**

**FISCAL: No fiscal impact**

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**Action:** Do Pass  
**Vote:** 6 - 1 - 1  
**Yeas:** Boone, Freeman, Matthews, Stiegler, Weidner, Cowan  
**Nays:** Esquivel  
**Exc.:** Riley  
**Prepared By:** Bill Taylor, Administrator  
**Meeting Dates:** 2/16

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Continues the Adjutant General in his or her term even if the Adjutant General is older than 65 and federal recognition is withdrawn because of the Adjutant General's age. Sunsets January 2, 2014.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- In the past, the Adjutant General has tendered his resignation to the new incoming Governor
- Constitutional provisions.
- Need federal waiver for the Adjutant General to go on active duty after he turns sixty-six

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** No amendment.

**BACKGROUND:** The Governor of Oregon is the Commander in Chief of the military and naval forces of the State of Oregon, Article V, Section 9, Oregon Constitution. The Governor, as Commander in Chief, must appoint an Adjutant General of Oregon National Guard, Article X, Section 3, Oregon Constitution. Major General Raymond Rees is currently the Adjutant General.