

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

March 7, 2013
8:00 AM

Hearing Room D

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Brad Witt, Chair
Rep. Sal Esquivel, Vice-Chair
Rep. Brian Clem
Rep. Wayne Krieger
Rep. Jeff Reardon
Rep. Jim Thompson
Rep. Ben Unger
Rep. Gail Whitsett

MEMBER EXCUSED: Rep. Caddy McKeown, Vice-Chair

STAFF PRESENT: Beth Patrino, Committee Administrator
Maria Kelly, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: HB 3262 – Public Hearing and Work Session
HB 2697 – Public Hearing and Work Session
HB 3086 – Public Hearing
HB 2027 – Public Hearing
HB 2252 – Work Session
HB 2249 – Work Session
HB 2649 – Work Session

Recording Log

8:06:04 AM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Witt

8:07:02 AM HB 3262 - Public Hearing

8:07:28 AM Rep. Wayne Krieger, House District 1

8:08:24 AM Chair Witt

8:08:26 AM Sen. Arnie Roblan, Senate District 5

8:10:14 AM Chair Witt

8:10:28 AM Rep. Clem

8:10:29 AM Chair Witt

8:10:31 AM Rep. Clem

8:10:35 AM Chair Witt

8:11:06 AM {Exhibit} 1-2: Joe Rohleder, Oregon Dungeness Crab Commission

8:11:09 AM Chair Witt

8:12:10 AM {Exhibit} 3: Nick Furman, past Executive Director, Oregon Dungeness Crab Commission

8:15:36 AM Chair Witt

8:15:58 AM Rep. Krieger

8:16:08 AM Furman
8:16:16 AM Chair Witt
8:16:39 AM {Exhibit} 4: Curt Melcher, Deputy Director, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
8:18:30 AM Chair Witt
8:18:31 AM Melcher
8:18:32 AM Chair Witt
8:18:49 AM {Exhibit} 5: Witness Registration

8:18:57 AM **HB 3262 - Work Session**
8:19:03 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1 AMENDMENTS
8:19:13 AM Chair Witt
8:19:28 AM VOTE: 8-0-1
8:19:29 AM AYES: CLEM, KRIEGER, REARDON, THOMPSON, UNGER, WHITSETT, ESQUIVEL, WITT
8:19:30 AM EXCUSED: McKEOWN
8:19:34 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES HB 3262 DO PASS AS AMENDED
8:19:40 AM Chair Witt
8:19:53 AM VOTE: 8-0-1
8:19:54 AM AYES: CLEM, KRIEGER, REARDON, THOMPSON, UNGER, WHITSETT, ESQUIVEL, WITT
8:19:55 AM EXCUSED: McKEOWN
8:20:32 AM CARRIER: REP. KRIEGER WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

8:21:04 AM **HB 2697 - Public Hearing**
8:21:21 AM Rep. Bill Kennemer, House District 39
8:23:16 AM {Exhibit} 6: Chair Witt
8:23:56 AM {Exhibit} 7: Russell Bassett, Executive Director, Northwest Steelheaders
8:26:29 AM Chair Witt
8:26:35 AM Tom Wolf, Executive Director, Trout Unlimited
8:29:35 AM Chair Witt
8:29:43 AM Rep. Clem
8:29:59 AM Bassett
8:30:19 AM Rep. Clem
8:30:29 AM Bassett
8:31:15 AM Rep. Clem
8:31:27 AM Bassett
8:31:38 AM Chair Witt

8:32:22 AM **HB 3086 - Public Hearing**
8:32:57 AM {Exhibits} 8-9: Rep. Cliff Bentz, House District 60
8:39:55 AM Chair Witt
8:40:07 AM Steve Grasty, Harney County Judge
8:43:15 AM Chair Witt

8:43:20 AM Rep. Krieger
8:44:09 AM Rep. Bentz
8:44:50 AM Rep. Krieger
8:45:16 AM Rep. Bentz
8:46:15 AM Chair Witt
8:46:17 AM Vice-Chair Esquivel
8:46:58 AM Rep. Bentz
8:47:30 AM Chair Witt
8:49:30 AM {Exhibit} 10: Greg Peden, Stoel Rives Lawfirm
8:52:43 AM Chair Witt
8:52:49 AM Jerry Fish, Stoel Rives Lawfirm
8:56:17 AM Chair Witt
8:56:46 AM Bill Kluting, Carpenters Industrial Council
8:57:42 AM Chair Witt
8:58:06 AM {Exhibit} 11: Witness Registration

8:58:33 AM **HB 2697 - Public Hearing**
8:59:05 AM {Exhibit} 12: Curt Melcher, Deputy Director, Oregon Department of Fish
and Wildlife
9:01:46 AM Chair Witt
9:01:51 AM George Okulitch, Northwest Sportfishing Industry Association
9:03:23 AM Chair Witt
9:03:27 AM Vice-Chair Esquivel
9:03:53 AM Okulitch
9:04:52 AM Vice-Chair Esquivel
9:05:09 AM Okulitch
9:05:12 AM Chair Witt
9:05:14 AM Rep. Clem
9:05:45 AM Melcher
9:06:07 AM Rep. Clem
9:06:09 AM Chair Witt
9:06:20 AM Okulitch
9:06:26 AM Chair Witt
9:06:45 AM Steve Frank, Stayton resident
9:11:43 AM Chair Witt
9:11:58 AM {Exhibit} 13: Witness Registration
9:12:01 AM The following exhibit is submitted for the record without public testimony:
9:12:02 AM {Exhibit} 14: Brad Staples, Western Fishing Adventures LTD

9:12:07 AM **HB 2697 - Work Session**
9:12:14 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1
AMENDMENTS
9:12:25 AM Chair Witt
9:12:41 AM VOTE: 8-0-1
9:12:42 AM AYES: CLEM, KRIEGER, REARDON, THOMPSON, UNGER,
WHITSETT, ESQUIVEL, WITT

9:12:43 AM EXCUSED: McKEOWN
9:12:48 AM Vice-Chair Esquivel
9:12:50 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES HB 2697 DO PASS AS AMENDED
9:13:03 AM Chair Witt
9:13:18 AM VOTE: 8-0-1
9:13:19 AM AYES: CLEM, KRIEGER, REARDON, THOMPSON, UNGER, WHITSETT, ESQUIVEL, WITT
9:13:20 AM EXCUSED: McKEOWN
9:13:55 AM CARRIER: REP. KENNEMER WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

9:14:15 AM **HB 2027 - Public Hearing**
9:14:59 AM {Exhibit} 15: Beth Patrino, Committee Administrator
9:15:50 AM Curt Melcher, Deputy Director, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
9:16:50 AM Chair Witt
9:16:59 AM Ron Anglin, Wildlife Division Manager, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
9:17:00 AM Chair Witt
9:17:31 AM {Exhibit} 16: Mike Dykzeul, Manager for Forest Protection, Oregon Forest Industries
9:19:23 AM Chair Witt
9:19:57 AM George Houston, past President, Northwest Chapter of North American Wild Sheep
9:20:31 AM Chair Witt
9:20:34 AM Jim Welsh, Oregon Cattlemans Association
9:20:57 AM Chair Witt
9:21:12 AM Al Elkins, Oregon Hunters Association
9:21:31 AM Chair Witt
9:22:00 AM {Exhibit} 17: Witness Registration

9:22:36 AM **HB 2252 - Work Session**
9:22:45 AM Beth Patrino, Committee Administrator
9:23:27 AM Chair Witt
9:23:46 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES HB 2252 DO PASS AND THE REFERRAL TO JOINT WAYS AND MEANS BE RECINDED AND BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR
9:24:04 AM Chair Witt
9:24:30 AM VOTE: 8-0-1
9:24:31 AM AYES: CLEM, KRIEGER, REARDON, THOMPSON, UNGER, WHITSETT, ESQUIVEL, WITT
9:24:32 AM EXCUSED: McKEOWN

9:25:11 AM **HB 2249 - Work Session**
9:25:17 AM Beth Patrino, Committee Administrator
9:25:43 AM Chair Witt

9:25:54 AM Vice-Chair Esquivel
9:26:23 AM Curt Melcher, Deputy Director, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
9:26:55 AM Chair Witt
9:27:05 AM Rep. Krieger
9:27:23 AM Melcher
9:27:48 AM Chair Witt
9:27:52 AM Rep. Whitsett
9:28:06 AM Melcher
9:28:18 AM Rep. Whitsett
9:28:36 AM Melcher
9:29:11 AM Rep. Whitsett
9:29:38 AM Chair Witt
9:29:42 AM Rep. Krieger
9:29:54 AM Melcher
9:30:12 AM Rep. Krieger
9:30:15 AM Melcher
9:30:24 AM Chair Witt
9:30:28 AM Rep. Krieger
9:30:47 AM Chair Witt
9:30:49 AM Rep. Clem
9:31:35 AM Chair Witt

9:32:36 AM **HB 2649 - Work Session**
9:32:45 AM {Exhibit} 18: Beth Patrino, Committee Administrator
9:33:41 AM Chair Witt
9:33:52 AM Patrino
9:34:11 AM Chair Witt
9:34:18 AM Rep. Clem
9:34:52 AM Chair Witt
9:34:55 AM Rep. Krieger
9:35:27 AM Chair Witt
9:35:28 AM Rep. Clem
9:36:20 AM Chair Witt
9:36:30 AM Kasandra Griffin, Upstream Public Health
9:38:27 AM Chair Witt
9:38:28 AM Rep. Whitsett
9:38:48 AM Chair Witt
9:38:58 AM Rick Sherman, Farm to School Program Coordinator, Oregon Department
of Education
9:39:33 AM Griffin
9:40:08 AM Chair Witt
9:40:49 AM {Exhibit} 19: POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST DECLARED BY
REP. CLEM
9:41:18 AM Chair Witt
9:41:33 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES TO ADOPT THE -5
AMENDMENTS

9:41:43 AM Chair Witt
9:41:56 AM VOTE: 8-0-1
9:41:57 AM AYES: CLEM, KRIEGER, REARDON, THOMPSON, UNGER,
WHITSETT, ESQUIVEL, WITT
9:41:58 AM EXCUSED: McKEOWN
9:42:06 AM MOTION: VICE-CHAIR ESQUIVEL MOVES HB2649 DO PASS AS
AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO JOINT WAYS AND MEANS BY
PRIOR REFERENCE
9:42:18 AM Chair Witt
9:42:40 AM Rep. Clem
9:42:52 AM Rep. Unger
9:43:00 AM Chair Witt
9:43:06 AM Rep. Clem
9:43:11 AM Chair Witt
9:43:18 AM VOTE: 8-0-1
9:43:19 AM AYES: CLEM, KRIEGER, REARDON, THOMPSON, UNGER,
WHITSETT, ESQUIVEL, WITT
9:43:20 AM EXCUSED: McKEOWN
9:43:49 AM Chair Witt
9:44:20 AM Rep. Krieger
9:44:36 AM Vice-Chair Esquivel
9:44:38 AM Chair Witt
9:45:10 AM Patrino
9:45:55 AM Meeting adjourned by Chair Witt

Exhibit Summary

8:11:06 AM {Exhibit} 1: HB 3262, written testimony of John Corbin, Joe Rohleder, 1 p
8:11:06 AM {Exhibit} 2: HB 3262, -1 amendments, Joe Rohleder, 1 p
8:12:10 AM {Exhibit} 3: HB 3262, written testimony, Nick Furman, 2 pp
8:16:39 AM {Exhibit} 4: HB 3262, written testimony, Curt Melcher, 1 p
8:18:49 AM {Exhibit} 5: HB 3262, witness registration, staff, 1 p
8:23:16 AM {Exhibit} 6: HB 2697, -1 amendments, staff, 1 p
8:23:56 AM {Exhibit} 7: HB 2697, written testimony, Russell Bassett, 1 p
8:32:57 AM {Exhibit} 8: HB 3086, -2 amendments, Rep. Cliff Bentz, 2 pp
8:32:57 AM {Exhibit} 9: HB 3086, maps, Rep. Cliff Bentz, 3 pp
8:49:30 AM {Exhibit} 10: HB 3086, map, Greg Peden, 1 p
8:58:06 AM {Exhibit} 11: HB 3086, witness registration, staff, 1 p
8:59:05 AM {Exhibit} 12: HB 2697, written testimony, Curt Melcher, 2 pp
9:11:58 AM {Exhibit} 13: HB 2697, witness registration, staff, 1 p
9:12:02 AM {Exhibit} 14: HB 2697, written testimony, Brad Staples, 2 pp
9:14:59 AM {Exhibit} 15: HB 2027, -2 amendments, staff, 10 pp
9:17:31 AM {Exhibit} 16: HB 2027, damage survey, Mike Dykzeul, 1 p
9:22:00 AM {Exhibit} 17: HB 2027, witness registration, staff, 1 p

9:32:45 AM {Exhibit} 18: HB 2649, -5 amendments, staff, 4 pp

9:40:49 AM {Exhibit} 19: HB 2649, conflict of interest letter, Rep. Clem, 1 p
