

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND LABOR

March 22, 2013
8:00 AM

Hearing Room E

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Margaret Doherty, Chair
Rep. Brent Barton, Vice-Chair
Rep. Bill Kennemer, Vice-Chair
Rep. Shemia Fagan
Rep. Paul Holvey
Rep. Greg Matthews
Rep. Kim Thatcher
Rep. Jim Thompson
Rep. Jim Weidner
Rep. Brad Witt

STAFF PRESENT: Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator
Branden Pursinger, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: HB 3352 – Public Hearing
HB 3436 – Public Hearing
HB 3361 – Public Hearing
HB 2654 – Public Hearing

Recording Log

8:00:52 AM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Doherty

8:01:09 AM **HB 3352 - Public Hearing**

8:01:18 AM Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator

8:01:34 AM Chair Doherty

8:02:14 AM {Exhibit} 1: J.L. Wilson, Associated Oregon Industries

8:06:41 AM {Exhibit} 2: Tom Fahey, Vice President for Human Resources, Siltronic Corp

8:12:19 AM Chair Doherty

8:12:21 AM Rep. Matthews

8:12:36 AM Fahey

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8:12:48 AM Rep. Matthews

8:12:49 AM Chair Doherty

8:13:17 AM Elana Guiney, Oregon American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations

8:16:09 AM Mike Sullivan, Political Director, Association of Western Pulp and Paper

Workers
8:16:21 AM Chair Doherty
8:16:26 AM Sullivan
8:18:46 AM Genice Rabe, Northwest Workers Justice Project
8:20:46 AM Chair Doherty
8:20:50 AM Rep. Weidner
8:20:58 AM Sullivan
8:21:06 AM Rep. Weidner
8:21:18 AM Sullivan
8:21:53 AM Rep. Witt
8:22:08 AM Giuney
8:23:03 AM Rep. Witt
8:23:21 AM Sullivan
8:24:00 AM Rep. Witt
8:24:06 AM Chair Doherty
8:24:31 AM {Exhibit} 3: Witness Registration
8:24:34 AM The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:
8:24:34 AM {Exhibit} 4: Bob Sowdon, Economic Development and Land Use Team Leader, Oregon Citizen Lobby

8:24:36 AM **HB 3436 - Public Hearing**
8:25:05 AM Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator
8:25:25 AM Chair Doherty
8:25:33 AM Sen. Lee Beyer, Senate District 6
8:29:59 AM {Exhibit} 5: Chair Doherty
8:30:05 AM {Exhibit} 6: Mike Selvaggio, Office of the State Treasurer
8:32:26 AM Vice-Chair Kennemer
8:32:39 AM Selvaggio
8:32:45 AM Vice-Chair Kennemer
8:32:50 AM Selvaggio
8:33:36 AM Rep. Weidner
8:34:14 AM Sen. Beyer
8:35:35 AM Rep. Witt
8:36:00 AM Selvaggio
8:36:38 AM Rep. Witt
8:36:51 AM Rep. Thatcher
8:37:12 AM Sen. Beyer
8:38:07 AM Rep. Thatcher
8:38:27 AM Sen. Beyer
8:39:04 AM Chair Doherty
8:39:05 AM Rep. Thompson
8:40:27 AM Selvaggio
8:41:05 AM Chair Doherty
8:41:07 AM Selvaggio
8:42:50 AM Sen. Beyer

8:43:42 AM Chair Doherty
8:45:06 AM Rep. Holvey
8:46:12 AM Selvaggio
8:47:09 AM Chair Doherty
8:47:11 AM Vice-Chair Kennemer
8:49:20 AM Selvaggio
8:49:28 AM Chair Doherty
8:49:29 AM Vice-Chair Kennemer
8:49:32 AM Selvaggio
8:49:41 AM Rep. Fagan
8:50:34 AM Chair Doherty
8:50:38 AM Sen. Beyer
8:50:41 AM Chair Doherty
8:51:10 AM {Exhibit} 7: John Mangan, Regional Vice President, American Council of Life Insurers
8:55:35 AM {Exhibit} 8: Jan Meekcoms, National Federation of Independant Businesses
8:58:30 AM J.L. Wilson, Associated Oregon Industries
8:58:50 AM Chair Doherty
8:58:53 AM Rep. Fagan
9:00:07 AM Mangan
9:01:47 AM Meekcoms
9:02:30 AM Rep. Weidner
9:04:22 AM Mangan
9:05:21 AM Rep. Witt
9:05:41 AM Mangan
9:05:52 AM Meekcoms
9:06:00 AM Chair Doherty
9:06:26 AM {Exhibit} 9: Joyce Demonnin, AARP
9:09:23 AM {Exhibit} 10: Andrea Paluso, Executive Director, Family Forward Oregon and Family Forward Education Fund
9:12:27 AM Chair Doherty
9:12:50 AM {Exhibit} 11: Tom Simpson, Standard Insurance Company
9:14:03 AM Sven Anderson, Incoming President, National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors
9:17:36 AM Matt Benjamin, member, National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors
9:17:38 AM Chair Doherty
9:17:42 AM Benjamin
9:17:53 AM Chair Doherty
9:18:04 AM Rep. Fagan
9:18:28 AM Vice-Chair Kennemer
9:18:33 AM Rep. Fagan
9:18:37 AM Vice-Chair Barton
9:18:40 AM Chair Doherty
9:18:41 AM Rep. Witt
9:18:58 AM Simpson

9:19:09 AM Rep. Weidner
9:19:37 AM Chair Doherty
9:20:07 AM {Exhibit} 12-14: Lee Mercer, Main Street Alliance of Oregon
9:21:29 AM {Exhibit} 15: Gloria McMurtry, former owner, Talking Gum Bookstore and Reflections Coffee House
9:23:40 AM Chair Doherty
9:24:06 AM Roger Beyer, Oregon Seed Council; Oregon Dairy Farmers Association; Oregon Blueberry Commission; Katie Fast of the Oregon Farm Bureau
9:25:53 AM Chair Doherty
9:26:09 AM {Exhibit} 16: Witness Registration

9:26:40 AM **HB 3361 - Public Hearing**
9:26:46 AM Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator
9:27:27 AM Mary Botkin, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME)
9:28:01 AM Tim Woalery, Chief Spokesman with Bargaining, AFSCME
9:30:36 AM Brian Branstelter, Corrections Office, Eastern Oregon Correctional Institution
9:32:07 AM Brian DeLashmutt, Association of Oregon Corrections Employees
9:32:33 AM Chair Doherty
9:32:39 AM Rep. Matthews
9:33:01 AM Rep. Weidner
9:33:14 AM Botkin
9:33:25 AM Chair Doherty
9:33:49 AM Rep. Weidner
9:33:52 AM Chair Doherty
9:33:55 AM Rep. Weidner
9:33:59 AM Chair Doherty
9:34:02 AM {Exhibit} 17: Witness Registration
9:34:04 AM The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:
9:34:04 AM {Exhibit} 18: Sarah Miller, Deputy Chief Operations Officer, Department of Administrative Services

9:34:05 AM **HB 2654 - Public Hearing**
9:34:12 AM {Exhibit} 19-20: Jan Nordlund, Committee Administrator
9:34:39 AM Chair Doherty
9:34:44 AM Rep. Fagan
9:34:54 AM Rep. Margaret Doherty, House District 35
9:36:42 AM Chair Doherty
9:37:03 AM Becky Straus, American Civil Liberties Union Oregon
9:38:56 AM Chair Doherty
9:39:07 AM Mike Sullivan, Political Director, Association of Western Pulp and Paper Workers
9:40:18 AM Elana Guiney, Oregon American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations

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9:48:29 AM Straus
9:49:19 AM Chair Doherty
9:49:34 AM Vice-Chair Barton
9:50:19 AM Chair Doherty
9:50:24 AM Rep. Thatcher
9:51:01 AM Straus
9:51:30 AM Chair Doherty
9:52:02 AM Jim Craven, Tech America
9:58:27 AM Kevin Campbell, Executive Director, Oregon Association Chiefs of Police
10:01:09 AM Will Aitchison, Oregon Council of Police Associations
10:01:29 AM Cravan
10:02:24 AM Chair Doherty
10:02:25 AM Rep. Weidner
10:03:21 AM Chair Doherty
10:03:25 AM Rep. Fagan
10:04:04 AM Cravan
10:04:50 AM Chair Doherty
10:04:55 AM {Exhibit} 21: Witness Registration
10:05:04 AM Meeting Adjourned by Chair Doherty

Exhibit Summary

8:02:14 AM {Exhibit} 1: HB 3352, written testimony, J.L. Wilson, 1 p
8:06:41 AM {Exhibit} 2: HB 3352, written testimony, Tom Fahey, 2 pp
8:24:31 AM {Exhibit} 3: HB 3352, witness registration, staff, 1 p
8:24:34 AM {Exhibit} 4: HB 3352, written testimony, Bob Sowdon, 4 pp
8:29:59 AM {Exhibit} 5: HB 3436, written testimony, Representative Bailey, 3 pp
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8:51:10 AM {Exhibit} 7: HB 3436, written testimony, John Mangan, 16 pp
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9:20:07 AM {Exhibit} 12: HB 3436, written testimony, Lee Mercer, 2 pp
9:20:07 AM {Exhibit} 13: HB 3436, written testimony of Deborah Field, Lee Mercer, 1 p
9:20:07 AM {Exhibit} 14: HB 3436, written testimony of Jose Gonzalez, Lee Mercer, 1 p
9:21:29 AM {Exhibit} 15: HB 3436, written testimony, Gloria McMurtry, 1 p
9:26:09 AM {Exhibit} 16: HB 3436, witness registration, staff, 2 pp
9:34:02 AM {Exhibit} 17: HB 3361, witness registration, staff, 1 p
9:34:04 AM {Exhibit} 18: HB 3361, written testimony, Sarah Miller, 1 p

9:34:12 AM {Exhibit} 19: HB 2654, -3 amendments, staff, 1 p
9:34:12 AM {Exhibit} 20: HB 2654, -4 amendments, staff, 2 pp
10:04:55 AM {Exhibit} 21: HB 2654, witness registration, staff, 1 p