

SENATE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND TRANSPORTATION

March 21, 2013
3:00 PM

Hearing Room B

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Lee Beyer, Chair
Sen. Bruce Starr, Vice-Chair
Sen. Chris Edwards
Sen. Fred Girod
Sen. Rod Monroe
Sen. Chuck Thomsen

STAFF PRESENT: Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator
Karen Winkel, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: SB 561 - Public Hearing
SB 562 - Public Hearing
SB 644 - Public Hearing

Recording Log

3:03:23 PM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Beyer

3:03:49 PM **SB 561-Public Hearing**

3:03:52 PM Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator

3:04:24 PM Chair Beyer

3:05:29 PM Margi Hoffmann, Energy Policy Advisor, Governor's Office

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3:06:58 PM {Exhibit} 1: Jeff Bissonnette, Organizing Director, Citizen's Utility Board of Oregon

3:11:11 PM Gary Bauer, Director Government & Community Affairs, NW Natural

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3:14:05 PM Bissonnette

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3:17:44 PM {Exhibit} 4: Kevin Owens, General Manager, Columbia River People's Utility District

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3:27:54 PM {Exhibit} 5: Rick Crinklaw, General Manager, Lane Electric Cooperative
3:32:24 PM Chair Beyer
3:32:27 PM Crinklaw
3:32:30 PM Chair Beyer
3:33:01 PM {Exhibit} 6: Jeff Nelson, General Manager, Springfield Utility Board
3:34:40 PM Chair Beyer
3:34:44 PM Nelson
3:35:05 PM Chair Beyer
3:35:11 PM Nelson
3:38:48 PM Jason Heuser, Government Liaison, Eugene Water & Electric Board
3:41:44 PM Chair Beyer
3:42:09 PM Marion Haynes, Government Affairs, Portland General Electric
3:44:08 PM Tashiana Wangler, Government Affairs Manager, PacifiCorp
3:47:34 PM Chair Beyer
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3:47:51 PM Wangler
3:48:39 PM Chair Beyer
3:49:14 PM {Exhibit} 7: Claire Carlson, Executive Director, Solar Oregon
3:49:24 PM Chair Beyer
3:49:33 PM Glenn Montgomery, Executive Director, Oregon Solar Energy Industries Association
3:53:16 PM {Exhibit} 8: Carlson
3:55:26 PM Chair Beyer
3:55:29 PM Sen. Edwards
3:59:23 PM Chair Beyer
3:59:26 PM Montgomery
3:59:28 PM Carlson
3:59:29 PM {Exhibit} 9: witness registration
3:59:30 PM The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:
3:59:30 PM {Exhibit} 10: Andria Jacob, Senior Manager, Bureau of Planning and Sustainability
3:59:31 PM Chair Beyer

3:59:57 PM **SB 644-Public Hearing**
4:00:00 PM Patrick Brennan, Committee Administrator
4:00:38 PM Chair Beyer
4:00:58 PM {Exhibit} 11: Marshall Coba, American Council of Engineering Companies of Oregon

4:05:28 PM Chair Beyer
4:05:33 PM Sue Laszlo, Legislative Chair, American Council of Engineering
Companies; Vice President, HDR Engineering
4:06:26 PM Chair Beyer
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4:07:08 PM Laszlo
4:07:15 PM Chair Beyer
4:07:16 PM Laszlo
4:07:42 PM Chair Beyer
4:07:45 PM Laszlo
4:07:51 PM Chair Beyer
4:08:22 PM Scott Winkels, League of Oregon Cities
4:09:25 PM Chair Beyer
4:10:15 PM {Exhibit} 12: Peter Martins, Assistant Water Director, City of Hillsboro
4:12:21 PM Chair Beyer
4:12:53 PM Martins
4:13:32 PM Sen. Girod
4:13:52 PM Martins
4:14:43 PM Chair Beyer
4:14:47 PM Mike Eliason, Association of Oregon Counties
4:16:58 PM Chair Beyer
4:17:17 PM Martins
4:17:55 PM Chair Beyer
4:17:59 PM Martins
4:18:00 PM Chair Beyer
4:18:14 PM Martins
4:19:00 PM Sen. Edwards
4:19:15 PM Martins
4:19:20 PM Sen. Edwards
4:19:28 PM Chair Beyer
4:20:13 PM Ken Wightman, Chairman of the Board, David Evans and Associates
4:22:45 PM Chair Beyer
4:22:54 PM Wightman
4:22:56 PM Chair Beyer
4:23:03 PM Ken Wightman
4:23:30 PM Chair Beyer
4:23:32 PM Sen. Edwards
4:24:02 PM Ken Wightman
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4:24:08 PM Chair Beyer
4:24:13 PM Sen. Edwards
4:24:25 PM Cindy Robert, American Institute of Architects
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4:27:45 PM Robert
4:28:54 PM Chair Beyer

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4:28:57 PM {Exhibit} 14: Eric Mende, Wilsonville, Oregon
4:28:57 PM {Exhibit} 15: Betsy Martin, Administrative Coordinator, Medford Water Commission
4:28:57 PM {Exhibit} 16: Larry Rains, manager, Medford Water Commission
4:28:57 PM {Exhibit} 17: Peter Arellano, Public Works Director, City of Beaverton
4:29:06 PM Meeting Adjourned by Chair Beyer
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Exhibit Summary

- 3:06:58 PM** {Exhibit} 1: SB 561, graph, Jeff Bissonnette, 1 p
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