

SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT & NATURAL RESOURCES

April 10, 2013
3:00 PM

Hearing Room C

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Jackie Dingfelder, Chair
Sen. Alan Olsen, Vice-Chair
Sen. Alan Bates
Sen. Bill Hansell

MEMBER EXCUSED: Sen. Mark Hass

STAFF PRESENT: Beth Reiley, Committee Administrator
Jennifer Lutman, Committee Assistant

MEASURES/ISSUES HEARD: SB 179 – Work Session
SB 839 – Public Hearing
SB 837 – Public Hearing
SB 476 – Public Hearing

Recording Log

3:05:51 PM Meeting Called to Order by Chair Dingfelder

3:06:09 PM **SB 179-Work Session**

3:06:22 PM {Exhibit} 1: Sen. Floyd Prozanski, Senate District 4

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3:11:14 PM Sen. Hansell

3:11:18 PM Sen. Prozanski

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Governor's Office

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3:36:58 PM Dave Hunnicutt, President, Oregonians in Action
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3:44:12 PM Chair Dingfelder
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3:45:55 PM Chair Dingfelder
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3:49:21 PM Chair Dingfelder
3:49:29 PM Hunnicutt
3:49:30 PM Chair Dingfelder
3:49:32 PM Sen. Johnson
3:49:37 PM Sen. Bates
3:49:38 PM Chair Dingfelder
3:50:09 PM {Exhibit} 5: Annette Price, State Affairs Manager, Port of Portland
3:51:42 PM Palmer Mason, Governmental Relations Manager, Oregon Department of Environmental Quality
3:53:58 PM Chair Dingfelder
3:54:28 PM {Exhibit} 6: Tom Quintal, Salem resident
3:56:02 PM Chair Dingfelder
3:57:00 PM Quintal

3:57:09 PM Chair Dingfelder
3:57:36 PM {Exhibit} 7: John Ledger, Vice-President, Associated Oregon Industries
3:58:12 PM Chair Dingfelder
3:58:18 PM {Exhibit} 8: witness registration
3:58:19 PM The following written testimony is submitted for the record without public testimony:
3:58:20 PM {Exhibit} 9: Jan Alexander, Oregon resident
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3:58:22 PM {Exhibit} 11: D.A. Danser, Oregon resident
3:58:23 PM {Exhibit} 12: Pat Larson, Union County Cattlemen

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3:59:40 PM {Exhibit} 13: David Pilz, Flow Restoration Director, The Freshwater Trust
4:03:35 PM Chair Dingfelder
4:03:47 PM {Exhibit} 14: April Snell, Executive Director, Oregon Water Resources Congress
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4:07:51 PM {Exhibit} 15: Teresa Huntsinger, Program Director, Clean and Plentiful Water, Oregon Environmental Council
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4:22:36 PM Jeff Stone, Executive Director, Oregon Association of Nurseries
4:24:36 PM {Exhibit} 16: Mark Landauer, Special Districts Association of Oregon
4:29:21 PM Chair Dingfelder
4:29:26 PM Tracy Rutton, League of Oregon Cities
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4:32:14 PM {Exhibit} 17: Eric Quaempts, Director, Natural Resources Department, Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation
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