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# AGENDA

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# THURSDAY

## Date: March 19, 2015

- Time: 8:00 A.M.
- Room: HR D

## Work Session

HB 2207

CARRIED OVER FROM THE 3-17-2015 AGENDA: Requires vessels with empty ballast tanks to undergo saltwater flushing of empty ballast tanks before vessels enter waters of this state.

HB 2443

CARRIED OVER FROM THE 3-17-2015 AGENDA: Increases registration and tonnage fees for distribution, labeling and registration of various soil enhancing products.

#### **Public Hearing**

HB 3360 \*\*

\*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Higher Education Coordinating Commission for Oregon State University for bee health diagnostic facility at Honey Bee Lab.

- HB 3361 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means Appropriates moneys from General Fund to Higher Education Coordinating Commission for Oregon State University Extension Service activities relating to pollinator health.
- HB 3362

Establishes pollinator health outreach and education plan.

#### **Public Hearing and Possible Work Session**

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Recognizes importance of insect pollinators and urges support of programs to ensure safety and vitality of pollinator populations.

## AGENDA (Cont.) March 19, 2015

#### Work Session HB 2653

Requires State Department of Agriculture to establish standards for locating apiaries in residential zones in Oregon.

Note change: HB 2207 and HB 2443 have been carried over.

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