

# HOUSE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

April 16, 2015  
08:00 AM

Hearing Room D

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. Brad Witt, Chair  
Rep. Wayne Krieger, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Susan McLain, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Greg Barreto  
Rep. Sal Esquivel  
Rep. Lew Frederick  
Rep. Chris Gorsek  
Rep. Caddy McKeown  
Rep. Gail Whitsett

**STAFF PRESENT:** Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator  
Shelley Raszka, Committee Assistant

**EXHIBITS:** Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** HB 3434 – Work Session  
HB 3539 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HB 3533 – Work Session  
HB 2668 – Work Session  
HB 2984 – Work Session  
HB 2985 – Work Session  
HB 2182 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HB 2402 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
HB 3529 – Work Session and Work Session

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**00:00:08** Meeting Called to Order  
**00:00:08** Chair Witt

**00:00:56** **HB 3434 - Work Session**  
**00:00:57** Chair Witt  
**00:01:04** Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator  
**00:01:41** Rep. Ann Lininger, House District 38  
**00:03:37** Rep. McKeown

**00:04:21** **HB 3539 - Public Hearing**  
**00:04:24** Chair Witt  
**00:04:31** Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator

00:04:46 Rep. McKeown  
00:05:51 Rep. David Gomberg, House District 10  
00:15:36 EXHIBIT 1: Witness Registration

00:06:48 **HB 3539 - Work Session**  
00:06:50 Chair Witt  
00:07:08 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KRIEGER MOVES HB 3539 DO PASS  
00:07:28 VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: BARETTO, ESQUIVEL, FREDERICK, GORSEK, McKEOWN,  
WHITSETT, KRIEGER, McLAIN, WITT  
CARRIER: REP. McKEOWN AND REP. GOMBERG WILL LEAD  
DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:08:18 **HB 3533 - Work Session**  
00:08:20 Chair Witt  
00:08:24 Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator  
00:08:53 Rep. McKeown  
00:10:13 Rep. Barreto  
00:10:55 Vice-Chair Krieger  
00:12:06 Rep. Gorsek  
00:13:17 Rep. Frederick  
00:14:10 Vice-Chair McLain  
00:15:11 Rep. Esquivel  
00:15:57 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KRIEGER MOVES 3533 WITHOUT  
RECOMMENDATION AND BE REFERRED TO THE HOUSE  
COMMITTEE ON RULES  
00:16:22 VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: BARETTO, ESQUIVEL, FREDERICK, GORSEK, McKEOWN,  
WHITSETT, KRIEGER, McLAIN, WITT

00:17:23 **HB 2668 - Work Session**  
00:17:25 Chair Witt  
00:17:31 EXHIBIT 2: Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator  
00:19:25 Rep. Gorsek  
00:19:44 Rep. Esquivel  
00:20:10 Vice-Chair McLain  
00:20:29 Vice-Chair Krieger  
00:21:06 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KRIEGER MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1  
AMENDMENTS  
00:21:24 Rep. Whitsett  
00:23:01 VOTE: 6-3-0  
AYES: FREDERICK, GORSEK, McKEOWN, KRIEGER, McLAIN, WITT  
NAYS: BARETTO, ESQUIVEL, WHITSETT  
00:23:33 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KRIEGER MOVES HB 2668 WITHOUT  
RECOMMENDATION AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE  
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON RULES

**00:24:36** VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: BARETTO, ESQUIVEL, FREDERICK, GORSEK, McKEOWN,  
WHITSETT, KRIEGER, McLAIN, WITT

**00:25:17** Meeting Recessed  
**00:25:18** Meeting Reconvened

**00:25:22** **HB 2984 - Work Session**  
**00:25:21** Chair Witt  
**00:25:33** EXHIBIT 3: Rep. Julie Parrish, House District 37

**00:27:42** **HB 2985 - Work Session**  
**00:27:44** Chair Witt  
**00:27:47** EXHIBIT 4: Rep. Parrish, House District 37  
**00:29:28** Tracy Rutten, League of Oregon Cities  
**00:30:29** Vice-Chair McLain  
**00:35:20** Meeting Recessed  
**00:35:21** Meeting Reconvened

**00:35:30** **HB 2182 - Public Hearing**  
**00:35:32** Chair Witt  
**00:38:19** EXHIBIT 5: Stan Steele, Oregon Outdoor Council  
**00:42:47** Brett Brownscombe, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife  
**00:46:58** Rep. Esquivel  
**00:48:41** Scott Beckstead, Humane Society of the United States  
**00:51:21** EXHIBIT 6: Tom Wolf, Trout Unlimited  
**00:54:22** Gil Riddell, Association of Oregon Counties  
**00:56:29** Joe Rohleder, Sports and Commercial Fishermen  
**00:59:53** Al Elkins, Oregon Hunters Association  
**01:00:51** EXHIBIT 7: Witness Registration

**01:01:38** **HB 2402 - Public Hearing**  
**01:01:43** Chair Witt  
**01:01:55** Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator  
**01:02:42** Laurie Annan, Office of the Governor  
**01:04:21** Amanda Rich, The Nature Conservancy  
**01:07:39** Rep. Esquivel  
**01:08:39** Vice-Chair Krieger  
**01:09:17** Al Elkins, Oregon Hunters Association  
**01:10:42** Brett Brownscombe, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife  
**01:13:25** EXHIBIT 8: Witness Registration  
**01:13:25** The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 9: Tom Wolf, Trout Unlimited  
EXHIBIT 10: Jim Hagerman, Environmental Services, City of Portland

**01:14:01** **HB 3529 - Public Hearing**  
**01:14:02** Chair Witt

01:14:05 Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator  
01:15:27 EXHIBIT 11: Stan Steele, Oregon Outdoor Council  
01:19:29 Sen. Arnie Roblan, Senate District 5  
01:22:44 Rep. Esquivel  
01:23:13 Rep. Frederick  
01:29:48 Rep. McKeown  
01:34:09 Vice-Chair McLain  
01:36:00 EXHIBIT 12: Witness Registration

01:36:33 **HB 2402 - Work Session**  
01:36:35 Chair Witt  
01:36:41 Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator  
01:36:53 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KRIEGER MOVES HB 2402 DO PASS AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

01:37:19 VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: BARETTO, ESQUIVEL, FREDERICK, GORSEK, McKEOWN, WHITSETT, KRIEGER, McLAIN, WITT

01:37:49 Meeting went into Recess  
01:37:49 Meeting Reconvened

01:37:54 **HB 2182 - Work Session**  
01:37:56 Chair Witt  
01:38:07 Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator  
01:38:36 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KRIEGER MOVES HB 2182 DO PASS  
01:38:58 VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: BARETTO, ESQUIVEL, FREDERICK, GORSEK, McKEOWN, WHITSETT, KRIEGER, McLAIN, WITT  
CARRIER: REP. BARETTO WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

01:39:47 **HB 3529 - Work Session**  
01:39:51 Chair Witt  
01:39:52 Chuck Gallagher, Committee Administrator  
01:41:56 Rep. Esquivel  
01:43:14 Rep. Whitsett  
01:43:53 Vice-Chair Krieger  
01:44:57 Rep. Gorsek  
01:46:10 EXHIBIT 13: Zach Widner, Congressional Sportsmen's Foundation  
01:47:38 EXHIBIT 14-15: Tom Wolf, Trout Unlimited  
01:50:00 Meeting Adjourned