

**HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION, INNOVATION, AND
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT**

April 8, 2015
08:00 AM

Hearing Room D

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Tobias Read, Chair
Rep. Joe Gallegos, Vice-Chair
Rep. Gene Whisnant, Vice-Chair
Rep. Cedric Hayden
Rep. Mark Johnson
Rep. Caddy McKeown
Rep. Mike Nearman
Rep. Jeff Reardon
Rep. Jennifer Williamson

STAFF PRESENT: Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
Zach Larmer, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: HCR 17 – Public Hearing and Work Session
HB 3511 – Public Hearing

Recording Log – Recording started 07:48:11 AM

00:00:13 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:14 Chair Read

00:00:53 **HCR 17 - Public Hearing**
00:00:54 Chair Read
00:00:55 Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
00:01:05 Rep. Peter Buckley, House District 5
00:05:09 Rep. McKeown
00:07:00 EXHIBIT 1: Witness Registration

00:07:00 **HCR 17 - Work session**
00:07:01 Chair Read
00:07:05 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR GALLEGOS MOVES HCR 17 BE ADOPTED
00:07:23 VOTE: 8-0-1
AYES: HAYDEN, JOHNSON, McKEOWN, REARDON, WILLIAMSON,
GALLEGOS, WHISNANT, READ

EXCUSED: NEARMAN
CARRIER: REP. BUCKLEY WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:07:35 **HB 3511 - Public Hearing**
00:07:36 Chair Read
00:07:40 Victoria Cox, Committee Administrator
00:08:33 EXHIBIT 2-4: Don Domes, Retired Career and Technical Education
Teacher
00:13:08 EXHIBIT 5: John Niebergall, Teacher, Sherwood High School
00:14:25 Andrew Scholer, Chemeketa Community College
00:16:39 Terrel Smith, Teacher, Sherwood High School
00:22:19 Vice-Chair Gallegos
00:27:47 Vice-Chair Whisnant
00:30:10 Rep. Nearman
00:35:45 Rep. Johnson
00:36:33 Rep. Reardon
00:43:08 Joel Fischer, Oregon Business Association
00:44:29 Eric Meslow, Chair, Engineering and Technology Industry Council
00:54:03 EXHIBIT 6: Witness Registration
00:54:06 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 7: Daniel Velasquez, Teacher, Southridge High School
EXHIBIT 8: John Tortorici, Chief Executive Officer, Chart Solutions
EXHIBIT 9: Patrick Kraft, Portland Community College
EXHIBIT 10: Dave Porter, Resident, South East Portland
EXHIBIT 11: Thompson Morrison, Executive Director, TAO Foundation
EXHIBIT 12: Beth Unverzagt, Director, Oregon Afterschool Network
00:54:07 Meeting Adjourned