

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND TRANSPORTATION

April 8, 2015  
01:00 PM

Hearing Room B

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Lee Beyer, Chair  
Sen. Fred Girod, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Rod Monroe  
Sen. Chuck Riley

**MEMBER EXCUSED:** Sen. Chuck Thomsen

**STAFF PRESENT:** James LaBar, Committee Administrator  
Jessica Wangler, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** SB 583 – Work Session  
Informational Meeting  
Transit Day  
Oregon Metropolitan Planning Organization Consortium  
SB 548 – Work Session  
SB 934 – Public Hearing  
SB 298 – Public Hearing and Work Session  
SB 417 – Public Hearing  
SB 733 – Public Hearing

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**00:00:15** Meeting Called to Order  
**00:00:16** Chair Beyer

**00:00:56** **SB 583 - Work Session**  
**00:01:01** Chair Beyer  
**00:01:01** EXHIBIT 1-5: James LaBar, Committee Administrator  
**00:01:53** MOTION: CHAIR BEYER MOVES TO ADOPT THE -6 AMENDMENTS  
**00:02:01** VOTE: 3-0-2  
AYES: MONROE, GIROD, BEYER  
EXCUSED: RILEY, THOMSEN

**00:02:02** MOTION: CHAIR BEYER MOVES SB 583 DO PASS AS AMENDED  
**00:02:11** VOTE: 3-0-2  
AYES: MONROE, GIROD, BEYER  
EXCUSED: RILEY, THOMSEN  
CARRIER: SEN. GIROD WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

**00:02:43**      **Transit Day - Informational Meeting**  
**00:03:10**      Chair Beyer  
**00:03:05**      EXHIBIT 6-7: Julie Brown, General Manager, Rogue Valley Transportation District  
**00:10:33**      EXHIBIT 8: Neil McFarlane, General Manager, TriMet  
**00:17:57**      Ron Kilcoyne, General Manager, Lane Transit District  
**00:25:48**      Sen. Riley  
**00:28:29**      Sen. Monroe  
**00:29:45**      Art Stevenson, resident, Oregon  
**00:30:18**      Amy Kelly, resident, Oregon  
**00:31:12**      The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 9: Betty Losinger, resident, Oregon  
  
**00:31:24**      **Oregon Metropolitan Planning Organization Consortium - Informational Meeting**  
**00:31:27**      Chair Beyer  
**00:32:03**      EXHIBIT 10: Christine Lundberg, Mayor, Springfield, Oregon  
**00:35:43**      Mark Gatlin, City Council, City of Grants Pass  
**00:38:50**      Craig Dirksen, Counselor, Oregon Metro  
**00:43:37**      Sen. Monroe  
**00:44:22**      Vice-Chair Girod  
**00:45:15**      Sen. Riley  
  
**00:51:09**      **SB 548 - Work Session**  
**00:51:12**      EXHIBIT 11: James LaBar, Committee Administrator  
**00:51:40**      Chair Beyer  
**00:51:59**      Sen. Betsy Johnson, Senate District 16  
**00:52:27**      Mark Labbart, Commissioner, Tillamook Country  
**00:53:26**      MOTION: CHAIR BEYER MOVES SB 548 DO PASS  
**00:53:38**      VOTE: 4-0-1  
AYES: RILEY, MONROE, GIROD, BEYER  
EXCUSED: THOMSEN  
CARRIER: SEN. JOHNSON WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR  
  
**00:54:13**      **SB 934 - Public Hearing**  
**00:54:21**      James LaBar, Committee Administrator  
**00:54:49**      Sen. Arnie Roblan, Senate District 5  
**01:00:28**      Gene Derfler, Chair, Oregon State Fair Committee  
**01:02:21**      EXHIBIT 12: Mike Paluszak, Oregon State Fair Expo Center  
**01:04:11**      Vice-Chair Girod  
**01:05:36**      Art Stevenson, advocate for the blind; member, Business Enterprise Program  
**01:10:55**      Randy Hauth, licensed blind vendor, Business Enterprise Program  
**01:16:08**      EXHIBIT 13: Witness Registration

**01:16:11**      **SB 298 - Public Hearing**  
**01:16:18**      EXHIBIT 14: James LaBar, Committee Administrator  
**01:17:22**      EXHIBIT 15: Kathy Calise, Board Member/Past Chair, Board of Massage Therapists  
**01:19:44**      Jeremy Hilliard, Oregon Physical Therapy Association (OPTA)  
**01:20:36**      Sen. Riley  
**01:20:59**      EXHIBIT 16: Witness Registration  
**01:21:02**      The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 17: Ekaette Udosenata-Harruna, Board of Massage Therapists

**01:21:06**      **SB 298 - Work Session**  
**01:21:07**      Chair Beyer  
**01:21:07**      MOTION: CHAIR BEYER MOVES TO ADOPT THE -3 AMENDMENTS  
**01:21:13**      VOTE: 4-0-1  
AYES: RILEY, MONROE, GIROD, BEYER  
EXCUSED: THOMSEN

**01:21:21**      MOTION: CHAIR BEYER MOVES SB 298 DO PASS AS AMENDED  
**01:21:28**      VOTE: 4-0-1  
AYES: RILEY, MONROE, GIROD, BEYER  
EXCUSED: THOMSEN  
CARRIER: SEN. RILEY WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

**01:21:52**      **SB 417 - Public Hearing**  
**01:21:53**      EXHIBIT 18-19: James LaBar, Committee Administrator

**01:24:05**      **SB 733 and SB 417 - Public Hearing**  
**01:24:08**      James LaBar, Committee Administrator  
**01:24:30**      Chair Beyer  
**01:24:44**      Sen. Elizabeth Steiner Hayward, Senate District 17  
**01:30:52**      Sen. Laurie Monnes Anderson, Senate District 25  
**01:32:18**      Rep. Kathleen Taylor, House District 41  
**01:36:45**      Vice-Chair Girod  
**01:39:14**      Sen. Monroe  
**01:44:12**      Kelly Lovelace, investor of a vapor store  
**01:47:29**      Carrie Nyssen, American Lung Association  
**01:48:33**      EXHIBIT 20: Sarah Higginbotham, Oregon Government Relations Director, American Heart Association  
**01:49:50**      EXHIBIT 21: Mel Rader, Executive Director, Upstream Public Health  
**01:54:02**      EXHIBIT 22: Matt Minaham, Northwest Vapor Association  
**01:56:30**      James Right, Lab Manager, Vaperight  
**01:57:50**      Taylor Johns, Lab Manager, Vapegame  
**02:00:35**      Jae Douglas, Environmental Health Director, Multnomah County Health Department  
**02:03:17**      Dave Glenn, business owner  
**02:06:18**      Joseph Gilpatrick, owner, NW Freedom Vape  
**02:09:23**      EXHIBIT 23: Ronald Sather, board member, Northwest Vapor Association

**02:12:28** EXHIBIT 24: Witness Registration  
**02:12:29** The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 25: Jesse Sweet, Policy Analyst, Oregon Liquor Control Commission  
EXHIBIT 26: Dr. Tia Henderson, Upstream Public Health  
EXHIBIT 27: Morgan Cowling, Executive Director, Coalition of Local Health Officials  
EXHIBIT 28: Joe Gibson, Darimart Stores  
EXHIBIT 29: Jack Morton, resident, Oregon  
EXHIBIT 30: Cathy Kaiser, resident, Oregon  
EXHIBIT 31: Angela Eckhardt, resident, Oregon  
EXHIBIT 32: Tim McAfee, Senior Medical Officer, Office on Smoking and Health, Department of Health and Human Services  
EXHIBIT 33: Jenn Baker, Oregon Nurses Association  
**02:12:32** Meeting Adjourned