

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

February 4, 2016
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: Dan Roper, Committee Administrator
Corey Rosenberg, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: HB 4140 – Public Hearing
HB 4040 – Public Hearing

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00:00:04 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:05 Chair Witt
00:01:14 Vice-Chair Krieger

00:01:49 [HB 4140 - Public Hearing](#)
00:01:50 Vice-Chair Krieger
00:01:57 Dan Roper, Committee Administrator
00:02:17 EXHIBIT 1: Rep. David Gomberg, House District 10
00:07:13 Rep. Barreto
00:08:02 Arthur Towers, Oregon Trial Lawyers Association
00:09:12 EXHIBIT 2: Witness Registration
00:09:12 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 3: Doug Grafe, Division Chief, Fire Protection Division, Oregon
Department of Forestry

00:09:13 [HB 4040 - Public Hearing](#)
00:09:42 Vice-Chair Krieger
00:09:46 EXHIBIT 4: Dan Roper, Committee Administrator

00:10:30 Rep. Greg Barreto, House District 58
00:15:48 Sen. Bill Hansell, Senate District 29
00:20:13 Rep. Frederick
00:21:29 EXHIBIT 5: John O'Keeffe, President, Oregon Cattlemen's Association
00:24:24 Cheryl Martin, Vice-Chairman, District II, Oregon Cattlemen's Association
00:27:00 George Rollins, manager, Pine Valley Ranch
00:32:16 Chair Witt
00:33:50 Ron Anglin, Wildlife Division Administrator, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
00:39:47 Rep. Barreto
00:44:59 Rep. McKeown
00:59:03 Rep. Esquivel
01:04:35 EXHIBIT 6: Rance Shaw, legal extern, Cascadia Wildlands; student, University of Oregon School of Law
01:06:11 EXHIBIT 7-8: Sean Stevens, Executive Director, Oregon Wild
01:08:16 EXHIBIT 9: Laurel Hines, resident, Salem
01:12:36 Gil Riddell, Association of Oregon Counties
01:12:46 Rocky Dallum, Tonkon Torp LLP
01:16:32 EXHIBIT 10: Scott Beckstead, Senior Oregon State Director, The Humane Society of the United States
01:17:09 Joanie Beldin, resident, Portland
01:19:06 EXHIBIT 11: Paul Donheffner, member, Board of Directors, Oregon Hunters Association
01:21:10 Troy Hadley, farmer, Silverton
01:23:07 EXHIBIT 12: Mary Anne Nash, Oregon Farm Bureau
01:24:47 Rep. Gorsek
01:30:07 EXHIBIT 13: Stephen Kafoury, Oregon Chapter of The Wildlife Society
01:32:55 Miguel Ramirez, resident, Oregon
01:32:35 Michelle Seidelman, resident, Oregon
01:44:57 Rep. Whitsett
01:45:19 Vice-Chair McLain
01:50:06 Christy Splitt, Oregon Conservation Network
01:56:09 EXHIBIT 14: Witness Registration
01:56:09 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 15: Brian Posewitz, Humane Oregon
EXHIBIT 16: Chad Klinkenborg, Senior Regional Director - Western Division, Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation
EXHIBIT 17: L. David Mech, adjunct professor, Department of Fish, Wildlife, and Conservation Biology, University of Minnesota
EXHIBIT 18: M David Allen, President, Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation
EXHIBIT 19: Nick Cady, Legal Director, Cascadia Wildlands
EXHIBIT 20: Quinn Read, Defenders of Wildlife
EXHIBIT 21: Rhett Lawrence, Oregon Chapter Sierra Club
01:56:10 Meeting Adjourned