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AGENDA

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Public Hearing

SJM 7

Requests that Congress authorize and appropriate funding for United States Coast Guard's air facility in Newport in perpetuity.

Work Session

Possible Introduction of Committee Measures

- SB 116
 - Requires State Forester to make any recreational opportunities in state forests free for disabled veterans and persons on leave from military active duty on certain holidays.
- SB 129 ** **Subsequent Řeferral(s) to General Government and Accountability then to Ways and Means Establishes Task Force on Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder in Oregon.
- SB 143 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Directs Department of Veterans' Affairs to develop and implement one or more programs statewide to establish campus veteran resource centers and campus veteran resource coordinators, or expand and enhance existing centers and coordinators, on campuses of community colleges and public universities to help veterans successfully transition from military service to college life, succeed in college, complete educational goals and transition from college to workforce and community.

- SB 476
 - Adds disabled veteran to definition of preferred worker who is eligible for reemployment assistance.
- SB 796
 - Directs Department of Transportation to issue Oregon Wounded Warrior parking permits to qualified applicants.
- SB 832 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means ural Health, to establish program to provide

Directs Department of Veterans' Affairs, in collaboration with Office of Rural Health, to establish program to provide grants to qualified nonprofit organizations to provide services to veterans and veterans' families in rural areas of this state.

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Public Hearing and Work Session

SB 573

Encourages Oregonians to honor and remember those who have given their lives in military service in war at noon on 21st day of each month.

SB 992

Designates third Friday in September of every year to be Oregon POW/MIA Recognition Day.

SB 993

Designates August 7 of each year as Oregon Purple Heart Recognition Day.

Note change: Senate Bill 476 has been added to the agenda.

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