

HB 2899 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Carrier: Rep. Boone

House Committee On Economic Development and Trade

Action Date: 03/08/17

Action: Do Pass.

Vote: 9-0-0-0

Yeas: 9 - Clem, Gomberg, Helm, Lewis, Lininger, Marsh, Post, Reschke, Smith DB

Fiscal: No fiscal impact

Revenue: No revenue impact

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Allows ports to enter into intergovernmental agreements allowed by Oregon Revised Statute Chapter 190.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Limitations of intergovernmental agreements that ports are currently allowed
- Oregon laws governing ports
- Contents of the measure

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Current Oregon law restricts the types of intergovernmental agreements ports may enter into to those that improve or maintain bays, harbors, channels, banks and shores. Chapter 190 of the Oregon Revised Statutes allows units of local government to enter into intergovernmental agreements for a broader number of reasons and purposes.

House Bill 2899 allows ports to enter into any intergovernmental agreement currently allowed under ORS Chapter 190.