

SB 61 A STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Carrier: Rep. Lively

House Committee On Veterans and Emergency Preparedness

Action Date: 04/25/17

Action: Do Pass the A-Eng bill.

Vote: 7-0-1-0

Yeas: 7 - Esquivel, Evans, Lewis, Lively, Meek, Parrish, Post

Exc: 1 - Boone

Fiscal: Has minimal fiscal impact

Revenue: No revenue impact

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Adds 11 new designees to list of state agencies, entities and officials required to coordinate emergency preparedness and response with Office of Emergency Management (OEM).

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

- Additional agencies/officials to assist OEM with emergency preparedness/response

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

Oregon law currently requires 22 state agencies/entities to designate a liaison who has authority during an emergency to allocate resources and assets in coordination with the Office of Emergency Management (OEM) regarding emergency preparedness and response. Senate Bill 61 A adds 11 more designees from the following entities: the Department of Education, the Department of Public Safety Standards and Training, the Department of State Lands, the Department of Veterans' Affairs, the Employment Department, Oregon Housing and Community Services, Oregon Business Development Department, the Military Department, the Tourism Commission, the Secretary of State's office and the Oregon Travel Information Council.