

## HOUSE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT

March 29, 2017  
3:00 PM

Hearing Room D

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. Ken Helm, Chair  
Rep. Mark Johnson, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Karin Power, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Phil Barnhart  
Rep. Cliff Bentz  
Rep. Deborah Boone  
Rep. Paul Holvey  
Rep. David Brock Smith

**MEMBER EXCUSED:** Rep. E. Werner Reschke

**STAFF PRESENT:** Beth Reiley, LPRO Analyst  
Holly Smith, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** HB 2111 – Work Session  
HB 2132 – Work Session  
Informational Meeting  
Tax Credit Review: 2017 Legislative Session  
HB 2681 – Public Hearing  
HB 2760 – Public Hearing  
HB 2074 – Public Hearing  
HB 2680 – Public Hearing

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**00:00:00** Meeting Called to Order

**00:00:00** Chair Helm

**00:01:39** [HB 2111 - Work Session](#)

**00:01:39** Chair Helm

**00:01:52** Beth Reiley, LPRO Analyst

**00:02:17** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR POWER MOVES HB 2111 DO PASS

**00:02:33** Vice-Chair Johnson

**00:03:39** Rep. Bentz

**00:04:10** Rep. Barnhart

**00:06:55** [HB 2132 - Work Session](#)

**00:06:55** Chair Helm

**00:07:00** Beth Reiley, LPRO Analyst

**00:07:40** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR POWER MOVES HB 2132 DO PASS

**00:07:55** VOTE: 8-0-1  
AYES: BARNHART, BENTZ, BOONE, HOLVEY, BROCK SMITH,  
JOHNSON, POWER, HELM  
EXCUSED: RESCHKE  
CARRIER: REP. RESCHKE WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

**00:09:09** **Informational Meeting - Tax Credit Review: 2017 Legislative Session**  
**00:09:09** Chair Helm  
**00:10:05** EXHIBIT 1: Chris Allanach, Senior Economist, Legislative Revenue Office  
**00:14:25** Rep. Holvey  
**00:15:40** Vice-Chair Johnson  
**00:18:04** Rep. Boone  
**00:19:05** Vice-Chair Power

**00:21:00** **HB 2681 - Public Hearing**  
**00:21:00** Chair Helm  
**00:21:12** Rep. Rob Nosse, House District 42  
**00:26:08** EXHIBITS 2: Jeff Bissonnette, Oregon Solar Energy Industries  
Association  
**00:35:15** EXHIBIT 3: Shaun Franks, True South Solar  
**00:37:27** EXHIBIT 4: Shannon Souza, resident, Coos Bay; Principal, Sol Coast  
Companies  
**00:41:25** Rep. Bentz  
**00:44:35** Vice-Chair Johnson  
**00:47:32** Rep. Holvey

**00:53:15** **HB 2760, HB 2074, HB 2680 and HB 2681 - Public Hearing**  
**00:53:15** Chair Helm  
**00:54:14** Jim Walls, Executive Director, Lake County Resources Initiative  
**00:58:21** Robert Westerman, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers 932,  
Coos Bay and Lincoln City  
**01:00:31** John Erickson, sales, Gensco, Inc.  
**01:03:05** Robert Hamerly, founder, Green Savers  
**01:05:55** EXHIBITS 5-6: Hannah Cruz, Energy Trust of Oregon  
**01:10:15** Jed Jorgensen, Energy Trust of Oregon  
**01:14:40** Vice-Chair Johnson  
**01:17:21** Rep. Bentz  
**01:20:06** John Patterson, Sol-Reliant  
**01:22:24** EXHIBITS 7-8: Jeremy Anderson, Weatherization Industries Save Energy  
**01:25:25** Paul Curley, resident and landlord, Salem  
**01:29:33** EXHIBITS 9-10: Jerry Page, Total Comfort Weatherization  
**01:31:59** EXHIBIT 11: Mary Mann, President, Goose Hollow Window Company, Inc.  
**01:36:05** Jaimes Valdez, Policy Manager, Northwest Seed  
**01:38:35** EXHIBIT 12: Megan Beyer, Oregon State Association of Electrical  
Workers

**01:40:12** EXHIBIT 13: Oriana Magnera, Outreach and Policy Advocate, Northwest Energy Coalition

**01:43:35** Bruce Anderson, Northwest Natural

**01:44:45** Janice Thompson, Advocacy Director, Citizens Utility Board

**01:46:35** EXHIBIT 14: Carlina Arango, campaign organizer, Environment Oregon

**01:48:20** Jeff Bissonette, Oregon Solar Energy Industries Association

**01:49:30** Rep. Barnhart

**01:51:50** EXHIBITS 15-19: witness registration

**01:51:51** The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 20: Ivan Maluski, Friends of Family Farmers  
EXHIBITS 21-25: Mike Kaplan, Director, Oregon Department of Energy  
EXHIBIT 26: Todd Hansen, Biomass One, L.P.  
EXHIBIT 27: Gerritt Rosenthal, Tax Fairness Oregon  
EXHIBITS 28-30: Rikki Seguin, Renewable Northwest  
EXHIBIT 31: Don MacOdrum, Home Performance Guild of Oregon  
EXHIBIT 32: Jana Gastellum, Oregon Environmental Council  
EXHIBIT 33: Meredith Connolly, Climate Solutions  
EXHIBIT 34: Susan Anderson, Bureau of Planning and Sustainability  
EXHIBIT 35: Tim Miller, Enhabit  
EXHIBITS 36-37: Wendy Gerlitz, Northwest Energy Coalition  
EXHIBIT 38: Max Muller, Oregon Solar Energy Industries Association  
EXHIBIT 39: Susan Anderson, Bureau of Planning and Sustainability

**01:51:52** Meeting Adjourned