

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES AND HOUSING

March 7, 2017
08:00 AM

Hearing Room E

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Alissa Keny-Guyer, Chair
Rep. Andy Olson, Vice-Chair
Rep. Tawna Sanchez, Vice-Chair
Rep. Chris Gorsek
Rep. Mark Meek
Rep. Mike Nearman
Rep. Ron Noble
Rep. Carla Piluso

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED: Rep. Duane Stark

STAFF PRESENT: Cassandra Soucy, LPRO Analyst
Ashley Clark, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: HB 2170 – Public Hearing
HB 2347 – Public Hearing
HB 2684 – Public Hearing
HB 2685 – Public Hearing

00:00:11 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:12 Chair Keny-Guyer

00:00:19 [HB 2170 - Public Hearing](#)
00:00:20 Chair Keny-Guyer
00:00:26 Cassandra Soucy, LPRO Analyst
00:01:48 Sen. Sara Gelser, Senate District 8
00:04:47 EXHIBITS 1-2: Dawn Philips, Chief of Staff, Office of Rep. Duane Stark,
House District 4
00:13:34 Rep. Nearman
00:14:46 Ryan Frazier, foster parent, Oregon
00:19:26 Barbara Frazier, board member, Josephine County Foster Parent
Association; foster parent, Oregon
00:25:47 Rep. Meek
00:27:00 Brittany Hope, former foster youth, Oregon Foster Youth Connection
00:34:13 Rep. Gorsek

00:35:02 Jim Davis, United Seniors for Oregon; Oregon State Council for Retired Citizens; Governor's Commission on Senior Services; Oregon Disabilities Commission

00:37:48 John Mullin, Oregon Law Center

00:40:12 Fred Steele, State Long-Term Care Ombudsman; Director, Office of the Long-Term Care Ombudsman

00:43:35 Lena Alhousseini, Director, Child Welfare Division, Department of Human Services (DHS)

00:44:11 EXHIBIT 3: witness registration

00:44:12 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 4: Mark McKechnie, Youth, Rights and Justice
EXHIBIT 5: Oregon Foster Parents Association

00:44:17 **HB 2347 - Public Hearing**

00:44:18 Chair Keny-Guyer

00:44:33 Cassandra Soucy, LPRO Analyst

00:46:10 Jill Gray, Legislative Coordinator, Self Sufficiency Program, Department of Human Services (DHS)

00:54:07 Phillip Kennedy-Wong, Oregon Food Bank

00:57:08 EXHIBIT 6: Janet Bauer, Policy Analyst, Oregon Center for Public Policy

01:03:37 EXHIBIT 7: witness registration

01:03:41 **HB 2684 - Public Hearing**

01:03:42 Chair Keny-Guyer

01:03:53 Cassandra Soucy, LPRO Analyst

01:05:13 EXHIBITS 8-10: Emily Sokolski, senior researcher, Service Employees International Union (SEIU) Local 503

01:13:27 EXHIBIT 11: Kyndall Mason, policy strategist, SEIU Local 503

01:17:49 EXHIBIT 12: Gordon DiQuattro, direct support professional, Alvord-Taylor

01:21:57 EXHIBIT 13: Darla Pena, direct support professional, Oregon

01:26:53 EXHIBIT 14: Lili Hoag, Director, Oregon CareWorks

01:28:18 EXHIBIT 15: Andrea Hehn, direct support provider, Oregon

01:31:35 Eva Rippeteau, AFSCME Council 75

01:35:41 EXHIBITS 16-17: Chris Burnett, Executive Director, Oregon Resource Association

01:39:50 Vice-Chair Olson

01:41:23 EXHIBIT 18: witness registration

01:41:24 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 19: Rep. Dan Rayfield, House District 16
EXHIBIT 20: Debbie Price, direct support provider, Eastco Diversified Services, Inc.
EXHIBIT 21: Karen Rutledge, CEO, Shangri-La

01:41:28 **HB 2685 - Public Hearing**

01:41:29 Chair Keny-Guyer

01:41:41 Cassandra Soucy, LPRO Analyst

01:42:06 EXHIBIT 22: Erik Ferguson, resident, CareWorks
01:44:18 EXHIBIT 23: Sarah Schneider, Board Chair, Autistic Self Advocacy Network; Service Employees International Union (SEIU) Local 503
01:50:03 EXHIBIT 24: Anna Joy Brown, CareWorks
01:53:42 EXHIBIT 25: David Beem, advocate, Oregon
01:55:18 Rep. Mike Nearman, House District 23
01:55:31 EXHIBIT 26: Tiffany Russell, direct support provider, Oregon
01:57:11 Josh Russell, direct support care recipient, Oregon
02:00:12 EXHIBIT 27: witness registration
02:00:13 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 28: Rep. Dan Rayfield, House District 16
02:00:57 Meeting Adjourned