

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

March 22, 2017  
03:00 PM

Hearing Room C

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Michael Dembrow, Chair  
Sen. Alan Olsen, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Herman Baertschiger, Jr.  
Sen. Floyd Prozanski  
Sen. Arnie Roblan

**STAFF PRESENT:** Beth Patrino, LPRO Analyst  
Shelley Raszka, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** SB 892 – Public Hearing  
SB 500 – Public Hearing

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00:00:10 Meeting Called to Order  
00:00:10 Chair Dembrow

00:01:20 [SB 892 - Public Hearing](#)  
00:01:20 Chair Dembrow  
00:01:33 EXHIBITS 1-2: Beth Patrino, LPRO Analyst  
00:09:38 Vice-Chair Olsen  
00:11:11 Sen. Roblan  
00:16:17 EXHIBITS 3-4: Laurie Bernstein, resident, Douglas County  
00:20:25 EXHIBIT 5: Nancy Webster, resident, Rockaway Beach  
00:25:56 James Aldridge, resident, Curry County  
00:31:50 EXHIBIT 6: Scott Dahlman, Policy Director, Oregonians for Food and  
Shelter  
00:37:06 Heath Curtiss, Oregon Forest Industries Council  
00:39:11 EXHIBIT 7: Barry Bushue, Oregon Farm Bureau  
00:43:28 Sen. Prozanski  
00:46:42 Gary Hale, resident, Coast Range of Oregon  
00:49:05 EXHIBITS 8-9: Ellen Saunders, resident, Manning  
00:53:10 EXHIBIT 10: Mysti Frost, resident, Curry County  
00:57:18 EXHIBITS 11-12: Mark Gourley, Forester, Starker Forest, Inc.  
01:02:36 EXHIBIT 13: Ted Reiss, Timberlands Manager, Seneca Jones Timber  
Company

**01:08:42** Dale Claussen, Land Manager, Hampton Family Forest  
**01:18:50** Sen. Baertschiger Jr.  
**01:21:13** EXHIBIT 14: John Burns, resident, Gold Beach  
**01:24:32** EXHIBIT 15: Lisa Arkin, Executive Director, Beyond Toxics  
**01:29:58** EXHIBIT 16: David Eisler, retired anthropologist; forest land manager, Walton  
  
**01:33:23** EXHIBIT 17: Dave Rankin, forest land owner, Lane County  
**01:37:40** EXHIBIT 18: Dustin Clarke, President, Coos County Sheep Company  
**01:41:23** Dave Cramsey, area forester, Roseburg Forest Products  
**01:47:01** Peter Daugherty, Director, Oregon Department of Forestry  
**01:49:11** EXHIBIT 19: Lena Tucker, Chief, Private Forest Division, Oregon Department of Forestry  
  
**02:13:56** Thomas Mosher, Audubon Society of Portland  
**02:15:01** EXHIBIT 20: Nancy Hathaway, tree farmer and land owner, Corvallis  
**02:19:05** EXHIBIT 21: Greg Peterson, tree farmer, Lane County  
**02:27:04** EXHIBIT 22: witness registration  
**02:27:05** The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 23: Oregon residents' support emails, various submitters  
EXHIBIT 24: Arthur Towers, Oregon Trial Lawyers Association  
EXHIBIT 25: Chris Hewitt, Oregon Nurseries Association  
EXHIBIT 26: Clair Klock, resident, Corbett  
EXHIBIT 27: Eric Richardson, NAACP Eugene Springfield branch  
EXHIBIT 28: Geoff Wullschlager, Wheeler City Council  
EXHIBIT 29: Gerik Kransky, land owner, Nehalem Bay  
EXHIBIT 30: Gillian Holbrook, resident, Rockaway Beach  
EXHIBIT 31: Gordon and Gail Culbertson, residents, Coast Range of Oregon  
EXHIBIT 32: Jane and Jack Anderson, resident, Garibaldi  
EXHIBIT 33: Janet Moore, Coos Head Food Co-op  
EXHIBIT 34: Jeanne Roy, affiliation unknown  
EXHIBIT 35: Jim Sweeney, forest landowner and victim of aerial spraying  
EXHIBIT 36: Joan Cutuly, resident, Tillamook  
EXHIBIT 37: Karl Anuta, Law Office of Karl G Anuta  
EXHIBIT 38: Levi Beelart, B&G Logging & Construction  
EXHIBIT 39: Lori Grant, Oregon Environmental Council  
EXHIBIT 40: Meg Thompson, resident, Tillamook  
EXHIBIT 41: Michael Clark, Coos County Sheep Company  
EXHIBIT 42: Michael Cook, resident, Nehalem/Hehkahnne  
EXHIBIT 43: Michael Manzulli, resident, Arch Cape  
EXHIBIT 44: Michael Newton, tree farmer  
EXHIBIT 45: Mike Barsotti, Family Forest Landowner, Linn County  
EXHIBIT 46: Patricia Noonan, resident, Arch Cape  
EXHIBIT 47: Paul Engelmeyer, affiliation unknown  
EXHIBIT 48: Paul Washburn, forestry manager  
EXHIBIT 49: Roxanne Hills, Isabella Dog Biscuits  
EXHIBIT 50: Sarah Deumling, commercial timberland owner; manager,

Polk County  
EXHIBIT 51: Tim Palmer, Kalmiopsis Audubon Society  
EXHIBIT 52: Van Decker, Decker Tree Farm, Corvallis

**02:27:20**     **SB 500 - Public Hearing**  
**02:27:20**     Chair Dembrow  
**02:27:45**     EXHIBIT 53: Lisa Arkin, Executive Director, Beyond Toxics  
**02:30:08**     James Aldridge, resident, Curry County  
**02:32:33**     Lisa Hanson, Deputy Director, Oregon Department of Agriculture  
**02:32:50**     Dale Mitchel, Pesticide Program Manager, Oregon Department of  
Agriculture  
**02:38:41**     EXHIBIT 54: Denver Pugh, 6th generation farmer, Shedd  
**02:42:05**     Greg Peterson, tree farmer, Lane County  
**02:44:21**     Gary Hale, resident, Coast Range of Oregon  
**02:45:56**     EXHIBIT 55: witness registration  
**02:45:57**     The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 56: Oregon residents' support emails, various submitters  
EXHIBIT 57: Anna Scharf, farmer and owner, Scharf Farms Inc.  
EXHIBIT 58: Arthur Towers, Oregon Trial Lawyers Association  
EXHIBIT 59: Brenda Frketich, Kirsch Family Farm  
EXHIBIT 60: David Rankin, resident, Lane County  
EXHIBIT 61: Ellen Saunders, resident, Coast Range of Oregon  
EXHIBIT 62: Jeff Stone, Oregon Association of Nurseries  
EXHIBIT 63: Jenny Dressler, Oregon Farm Bureau  
EXHIBIT 64: John and Barbara Burns, resident, Gold Beach  
EXHIBIT 65: Karl Anuta, Law Offices of Karl G. Anuta  
EXHIBIT 66: Kathryn and Eric Rickard, resident, Gold Beach  
EXHIBIT 67: Kent Burkholder, farmer, Albany  
EXHIBIT 68: Lori Grant, Oregon Environmental Council  
EXHIBIT 69: Michael Clark, Coos County Sheep Company  
EXHIBIT 70: Mike Barsiotti, family forest landowner, Linn County  
EXHIBIT 71: Nancy Hathaway, tree farmer, Corvallis  
EXHIBIT 72: Paul Engelmeyer, affiliation unknown  
EXHIBIT 73: Roxanne Hills, Isabella Dog Biscuits  
EXHIBIT 74: Scott Dahlman, Oregonians for Food and Shelter  
**02:46:01**     Meeting Adjourned