

SENATE SESSION COMMITTEE ON WORKFORCE

February 13, 2017
03:00 PM

Hearing Room A

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Kathleen Taylor, Chair
Sen. Tim Knopp, Vice-Chair
Sen. Sara Gelser
Sen. Bill Hansell
Sen. Laurie Monnes Anderson

MEMBER(S) VISITING: Sen. Betsy Johnson

STAFF PRESENT: Jan Nordland, LPRO Analyst
Debbie Malone, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: Introduction of Committee Measures – Work Session
SB 559 – Public Hearing
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00:00:19 Chair Taylor

00:00:29 [Introduction of Committee Measures - Work Session](#)
00:00:33 EXHIBIT 1: Chair Taylor
00:00:50 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KNOPP MOVES LC 4151 BE INTRODUCED AS
A COMMITTEE BILL
00:01:06 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYES: GELSER, HANSELL, MONNES ANDERSON, KNOPP, TAYLOR

00:01:34 [SB 559 and SB 560 - Public Hearing](#)
00:01:38 Chair Taylor
00:02:10 Jan Nordland, LPRO Analyst
00:05:16 Sen. Knopp, Senate District 27
00:19:05 Sen. Monnes Anderson
00:25:26 EXHIBITS 2-3: Tim Nesbitt, Oregon Business Counsel
00:30:13 John Topogna, Oregon Business Counsel
00:38:29 Steve Rodeman, Executive Director, Oregon Public Employees
Retirement System

00:40:01 Sen. Johnson
00:40:41 Sen. Hansell
00:43:49 EXHIBITS 4-5: Melissa Unger, Political Director, Service Employees International Union 503
00:48:47 Jared Mason-Gere, Government Relations Consultant, Oregon Education Association
00:55:43 Brandon Silence, Fire Fighter, Paramedic, Fire Station 10
01:01:55 Sen. Gelser
01:04:17 EXHIBITS 6-7: Barbara Walsh, member, Service Employees International Union Local 503
01:08:46 Scott Winkels, League of Oregon Cities
01:10:48 Marc Thielman, Superintendent, Alsea School District
01:13:43 Sen. Monnes Anderson
01:17:45 EXHIBITS 8-9: Cheri Helt, Board Member, Bend-LaPine School District
01:17:52 Peggy Kinkade, Board Member, Bend-LaPine School District
01:24:53 EXHIBITS 10-11: Emily Gothard, member, Service Employees International Union Local 503
01:26:45 EXHIBITS 12-13: Elke Bruton, member, Service Employees International Union Local 503
01:28:32 EXHIBITS 14-15: Tifini Linford, member, Service Employees International Union Local 503
01:30:45 EXHIBITS 16-17: Teri Mills, member, Oregon Nurses Association.
01:34:43 EXHIBITS 18-19: Jose Padin, President, Oregon State Conference of the American Association of University Professors
01:37:03 Bob Livingston, President, Oregon State Fire Fighters Counsel
01:41:11 Lisa Regel, resident, Gresham
01:43:27 EXHIBITS 20-21: Tyler Shipman, Government Relations Specialist, Oregon School Employees Association
01:44:35 Travis Ovrly, resident, Bend
01:48:13 Suzanne Cohen, member, Oregon Education Association
01:50:53 EXHIBITS 22-23: Lindsay Dance, teacher, West Tualatin View Grade School
01:52:36 Ginny Ward, Educational Assistant, Prairie Mountain School
01:55:15 EXHIBITS 24-25: Brian Lewis, member, Oregon Public Employees Retirement System
01:58:54 Patrick Leach, member, Oregon Public Employees Retirement System
02:01:14 EXHIBITS 26-27: Paul Kylo, member, Salem Keizer School Board
02:05:31 Peg, retiree, Oregon Public Employees Retirement System
02:07:55 Dacia Greber, Fire Fighter, member, Oregon Public Employees Retirement System
02:11:52 EXHIBITS 28-29: witness registrations
02:11:53 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBITS 30-31: Alan Bakalinsky, President, Association of Oregon Faculties
EXHIBITS 32-33: Brian Gardner, Central Linn School District
EXHIBIT 34: Edith Rusch, Tax Fairness Oregon

EXHIBITS 35-36: Elliot Levin, Research Director and Legislative Advocate, Professional and Technical Employees Local 17
EXHIBITS 37-38: Eric King, City Manager, City of Bend
EXHIBITS 39-40: Tony Brown, Teacher, Oregon
EXHIBIT: 41: Matt Larrabee and Scott D. Preppernau, Principal and Consulting Actuaries, Milliman
EXHIBIT 42: SB 559 Combined Preliminary Analysis, staff
Meeting Adjourned

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