

HOUSE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

December 15, 2020
03:30 PM

Remote Meeting

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. John Lively, Chair
Rep. Julie Fahey, Vice-Chair
Rep. Carl Wilson, Vice-Chair
Rep. Daniel Bonham
Rep. Ken Helm
Rep. Pam Marsh
Rep. Caddy McKeown
Rep. Tiffany Mitchell
Rep. Kim Wallan
Rep. Marty Wilde

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED: Rep. Greg Barreto

STAFF PRESENT: Melissa Leoni, LPRO Analyst
Lisa Rybloom, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: Informational Meeting
Eastern Oregon Border Economic Board Report
Business Assistance Programs and Gaps
Innovation and Entrepreneurship Support
Committee Legislative Concepts

This meeting was held virtually with remote participation only

00:00:16 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:18 Chair Lively
00:00:40 ROLL CALL
00:03:37 Melissa Leoni, LPRO Analyst

00:03:48 Eastern Oregon Border Economic Development Board Report -
Informational Meeting
00:03:49 Chair Lively
00:04:03 Shawna Peterson, Executive Director, Eastern Oregon Border Economic
Development Board
00:23:26 Rep. Mitchell
00:24:07 Rep. McKeown

00:25:10 Rep. Marsh
00:26:09 Vice-Chair Wilson

00:27:50 Business Assistance Programs and Gaps - Informational Meeting

00:27:51 Chair Lively
00:28:51 Chris Cummings, Interim Director, Business Oregon
00:37:51 John Saris, Finance Manager, Business Oregon
00:46:30 Rep. Bonham
00:49:48 Jason Brandt, President and Chief Executive Officer, Oregon Restaurant
and Lodging Association
01:00:35 Ricky Gomez, Owner, Bar Palomar; founding member, Independent
Restaurant Alliance of Oregon
01:08:38 Leah Horner, Jobs and Economy Policy Advisor, Director of Regional
Solutions, Office of the Governor
01:15:26 Vice-Chair Wilson

01:19:36 Innovation and Entrepreneurship Support - Informational Meeting

01:19:37 Chair Lively
01:20:50 Kate Sinner, Innovation and Entrepreneurship Manager, Business Oregon
01:31:05 Deborah Cummings, Principal and Senior Director, TEconomy
01:44:32 Caroline Cummings, Executive Director, Oregon RAIN

02:00:03 Committee Member Legislative Concepts - Informational Meeting

02:00:04 Chair Lively
02:00:12 Rep. Bonham
02:01:52 Meeting Adjourned