

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

February 7, 2019  
01:00 PM

Hearing Room C

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Michael Dembrow, Chair  
Sen. Alan Olsen, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Cliff Bentz  
Sen. Floyd Prozanski  
Sen. Arnie Roblan

**STAFF PRESENT:** Beth Patrino, LPRO Analyst  
Remy Watts, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** Introduction of Committee Measures – Work Session  
SB 40 – Public Hearing  
SB 41 – Public Hearing  
SB 98 – Public Hearing

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00:00:05 Meeting Called to Order  
00:00:05 Chair Dembrow

00:00:24 [Introduction of Committee Measures - Work Session](#)  
00:00:24 EXHIBIT 1: Chair Dembrow  
00:00:29 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR OLSEN MOVES LC 740 BE INTRODUCED AS  
COMMITTEE MEASURE  
00:01:33 VOTE: 5-0-0  
AYES: BENTZ, PROZANSKI, ROBLAN, OLSEN, DEMBROW

00:02:02 [SB 40 - Public Hearing](#)  
00:02:02 EXHIBIT 2: Chair Dembrow  
00:02:09 Beth Patrino, LPRO Analyst  
00:02:50 EXHIBIT 3: Abby Boudouris, Land Quality Legislative Analyst, Oregon  
Department of Environmental Quality  
00:05:37 Mike Kortenhoff, Manager, Heating Oil Tank Program, Oregon  
Department of Environmental Quality  
00:11:52 Shaun Jillions, Oregon Association of Realtors  
00:13:06 Vice-Chair Olsen  
00:17:21 Sen. Bentz  
00:18:50 Sen. Prozanski  
00:19:18 Sen. Roblan

00:20:53 EXHIBIT 4: witness registration

00:21:12 **SB 41 - Public Hearing**

00:21:12 EXHIBIT 5: Chair Dembrow

00:21:33 Beth Patrino, LPRO Analyst

00:21:47 EXHIBIT 6: Abby Boudouris, Land Quality Legislative Analyst, Oregon  
Department of Environmental Quality

00:23:52 Mike Zollitsch, Oregon Department of Environmental Quality

00:30:04 Mark Landauer, Columbia River Steamship Operators Association

00:35:25 Vice-Chair Olsen

00:38:20 Sen. Bentz

00:42:33 EXHIBIT 7: witness registration

00:42:34 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 8: Paige Spence, Oregon Conservation Network Director,  
Oregon League of Conservation Voters

00:42:37 **SB 98 - Public Hearing**

00:42:37 EXHIBIT 9: Chair Dembrow

00:42:56 Beth Patrino, LPRO Analyst

00:43:15 EXHIBIT 10: Kathryn Williams, Director of Government Affairs, Northwest  
Natural

00:44:48 Anna Chittum, Business Development Segment Manager, Northwest  
Natural

00:50:11 Zack Kravitz, Director, Rates and Regulatory Affairs, Northwest Natural

00:53:11 Vice-Chair Olsen

01:03:03 Sen. Bentz

01:10:05 Shaun Jillions, Avista Utilities

01:12:36 Sen. Prozanski

01:13:32 Sen. Roblan

01:14:33 Nina Kapoor, Director, State Government Affairs, The Coalition for  
Renewable Natural Gas

01:18:16 EXHIBIT 11: Ryan Kenny, Senior Public Policy and Regulatory Affairs  
Advisor, Western US, Clean Energy

01:31:41 EXHIBIT 12: Rita Hansen, Chief Executive Officer, Onboard Dynamics

01:36:36 EXHIBIT 13: Peter Weisberg, Director of Project Development,  
NativeEnergy

01:40:41 EXHIBIT 14: Sheldon Zakreski, Chief Operating Officer, The Climate Trust

01:48:21 Ed Finklea, Natural Gas Director, Alliance of Western Energy Consumers

01:52:32 Dan Kirschner, Executive Director, Northwest Gas Association

01:55:35 EXHIBIT 15: witness registration

01:55:36 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 16: Adam Capage, Vice President, Corporate and Government  
Affairs, 3 Degrees  
EXHIBIT 17: Mike Jordan, Director, Bureau of Environmental Services,  
City of Portland  
EXHIBIT 18: Wendy Gerlitz, Policy Director, Northwest Energy Coalition

EXHIBIT 19: Mark Jockers, Government and Public Affairs Manager,  
Clean Water Services

EXHIBIT 20: Catherine MacDonald, Oregon Climate Policy Director, The  
Nature Conservancy

EXHIBIT 21: Susan Smith, Executive Director, Oregon Association of  
Clean Water Agencies

EXHIBIT 22: David Van't Hof, Policy Consultant, Climate Solutions  
Meeting Adjourned

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