

SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

March 26, 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 Reiley, LPRO Analyst
Remy Watts, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: SB 47 – Work Session
SB 884 – Work Session
SB 48 – Public Hearing
SB 927 – Public Hearing
SB 929 – Public Hearing
SB 853 – Public Hearing

00:00:08 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:08 Chair Dembrow

00:00:59 **SB 47 - Work Session**
00:00:59 EXHIBIT 1: Chair Dembrow
00:01:35 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR OLSEN MOVES TO ADOPT THE -6
AMENDMENTS
00:01:55 Larry Warren, Director, Oregon State Marine Board
00:03:04 Sen. Roblan
00:03:55 Sen. Bentz
00:04:33 Sen. Prozanski
00:05:00 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYES: BENTZ, PROZANSKI, ROBLAN, OLSEN, DEMBROW
00:05:07 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR OLSEN MOVES SB 47 DO PASS AS AMENDED
AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND
MEANS
00:05:26 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYES: BENTZ, PROZANSKI, ROBLAN, OLSEN, DEMBROW

EXHIBIT 29: Damian Syrnyk, Chair, Legislative and Policy Affairs
Committee, American Planning Association Oregon Chapter
EXHIBITS 30-31: Dean Gisvold, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 32: Doug Klotz, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 33: Elizabeth Deal, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 34: Eric Wheeler, Historian and Tour Guide, Positively Portland
EXHIBIT 35: Fred Cooper, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 36: James Gorter, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 37: Janet Baker, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 38: Jennifer, affiliation unknown
EXHIBITS 39-40: Jolene Thomson, resident, Albany
EXHIBIT 41: Jim Heuer, resident, Portland
EXHIBITS 42-43: Joanne Carlson, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 44: Karen Peinl, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 45: Katherine Showalter, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 46: Kathy Batiste, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 47: Kelly Tadlock, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 48: Lara Kohl-Johnson, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 49: Lincoln Tuchow, Board Member, Architectural Heritage
Center
EXHIBIT 50: Linda, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 51: Lisa Batey, Councilor, City of Milwaukie
EXHIBIT 52: Liza Mickle, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 53: Mary Anne Cooper, Oregon Farm Bureau; Oregon
Cattlemen's Association
EXHIBIT 54: Mary Kyle McCurdy, Deputy Director, 1000 Friends of
Oregon
EXHIBIT 55: Matthew Davis, Principal, Architectural Resources Group
EXHIBIT 56: Michael Gnat, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 57: Nancy Brown, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 58: Patrick Cummings, resident, Portland
EXHIBITS 59-61: Patty Brandt, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 62: Rick Michaelson, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 63: Sandra Shotwell, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 64: Stacey Atwell, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 65: Stephanie Whitlock, Executive Director, Steve Dotterer,
President, Architectural Heritage Center
EXHIBIT 66: Story Swett, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 67: Susan Zeidler, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 68: Suzanne Sherman, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 69: Teresa McGrath, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 70: Thomas Christ, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 71: William Cook, Associate General Counsel, National Trust for
Historic Preservation
EXHIBIT 72: Joe Zehnder, Interim Director, Bureau of Planning and
Sustainability, City of Portland

EXHIBIT 73: John Liu, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 74: Kirk Ranzetta, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 75: Peter Brown, ECONorthwest
EXHIBIT 76: Renee Kuhlman, Director of Policy Outreach, National Trust
for Historic Preservation
EXHIBIT 77: Sam Noble, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 78: Jim Barta and Anne Williamson, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 79: Kristen Minor, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 80: Sheila Dooley, resident, The Dalles

00:54:27 **SB 853 - Public Hearing**

00:54:27 Chair Dembrow

00:54:43 Beth Reiley, LPRO Analyst

00:55:05 Rep. Shelly Boshart Davis, House District 15

00:58:41 EXHIBIT 81: Megan Horton, PhD, Assistant Professor, Department of
Environment Medicine and Public Health, Icahn School of Medicine,
Mount Sinai

01:01:47 EXHIBIT 82: Tyler Smith, Staff Scientist, Earthjustice

01:04:15 EXHIBITS 83-84: Kathleen Sullivan, Commissioner, Clatsop County
Vice-Chair Olsen

01:06:23 EXHIBITS 85-86: Roger Beyer, Executive Director, Oregon Seed Council

01:06:59 EXHIBIT 87: Brenda Frketich, farmer, Woodburn

01:09:28 EXHIBITS 88-91: Michelle Armstrong, Sales Agronomist, Wilbur-Ellis

01:11:34 EXHIBIT 92: Bruce Lanphear, MD, Professor in Health Sciences, Simon
Fraser University

01:17:28 EXHIBIT 93: Ramon Ramirez, Pinosos y Campesinos Unidos del Noroeste

01:19:24 Bear Heindel, student, University of Oregon

01:21:38 EXHIBIT 94: Roger Batt, Executive Director, Pacific Seed Association

01:23:53 Bob Schaefer, Chief Executive Officer, Noble Mountain Tree Farm

01:25:38 Larry Bailey, President, Multnomah County Farm Bureau

01:29:55 Michael Barker, Unete Center for Farm Worker Advocacy

01:32:30 EXHIBITS 95-96: Kristina Lefever, President, Pollinator Project Rogue
Valley

01:35:13 EXHIBIT 97: Lynne Fessenden, Save the Bee Program Coordinator, Glory
Bee

01:38:22 EXHIBIT 98: Blake Rowe, Chief Executive Officer, Oregon Wheat
Growers League

01:40:08 Alan Van Borstel, President, Oregon Wheat Growers League

01:42:15 Lindsey Cope, Seedsman, Mid Columbia Producers

01:46:13 Shawn Donille, Vice President, Mountain Rose Herbs

01:47:38 EXHIBIT 99: Jonathan Manton, Advocate, Mountain Rose Herbs

01:49:51 EXHIBIT 100: Stacy Ann Kraker, President, Oregon Organic Coalition

01:52:35 EXHIBIT 101: Marie Bowers, farmer, Linn and Lane Counties

01:54:49 Dave Silen, Holiday Tree Farms

01:56:15 Jason Gonzales, Forest and Watershed Campaign Organizer, Oregon
Wild

01:58:47 EXHIBIT 102: witness registration
01:58:48 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 103: Aaron Schumacher, President, A and R Farms, Inc.
EXHIBIT 104: Aimee and Dan Levens, residents, Astoria
EXHIBIT 105: Aimee Code, Pesticide Program Director, The Xerces Society for Invertebrate Conservation
EXHIBIT 106: Alana Monaco, resident, Eagle Point
EXHIBIT 107: Allan Weidmeyer, resident, Ashland
EXHIBIT 108: Allyson Azar, Manager, State Government Relations and Public Policy, Household and Commercial Products Association
EXHIBIT 109: Amanda Dalton, Far West Agribusiness Association
EXHIBIT 110: Amanda Dalton, Oregon Wheat Growers League
EXHIBIT 111: Amelia Nestler, Pesticides/Toxics Portfolio, Normal Turrill, President, League of Women Voters of Oregon
EXHIBIT 112: Amy Wilson, resident, Astoria
EXHIBIT 113: Amy Wong, Our Family Farms
EXHIBIT 114: Angel Torres, Crop Advisor, Pratum Co-Op
EXHIBIT 115: Angelina McClean, resident, Ashland
EXHIBIT 116: Anna Cassilly, resident, Talent
EXHIBIT 117: Barb Iverson, resident, Woodburn
EXHIBIT 118: Barbara Comnes, resident, Ashland
EXHIBIT 119: Barbara Richard, resident, Ashland
EXHIBIT 120: Beatrice Michel, resident, Gearhart
EXHIBIT 121: Benton Elliott, resident, Eugene
EXHIBIT 122: Bill Merrigan, resident, Imbler
EXHIBIT 123: Bob Sallinger, Conservation Director, Audubon Society of Portland
EXHIBIT 124: Bob Schroeder, agricultural advisor, Adair Village
EXHIBIT 125: Bob Van Dyk, Policy Director for Oregon and California, Wild Salmon Center
EXHIBIT 126: Brett Lolley, President, Idaho-Eastern Oregon Seed Association
EXHIBIT 127: Brian Coussens, resident, Hillsboro
EXHIBIT 128: Brian Montecucco, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 129: Brian Parker, farmer, Parker Seeds Inc.
EXHIBIT 130: Cameron Hubbe, resident, Eugene
EXHIBIT 131: Camille Hall, resident, Corvallis
EXHIBIT 132: Candace Callen, resident, Gold Beach
EXHIBIT 133: Caren Weinhouse, PhD, Professor, Peter Spencer, PhD, Professor, Mitchell Turker, PhD, Professor, Oregon Health Sciences University
EXHIBIT 134: Carolyn Eady, resident, Astoria
EXHIBIT 135: Carroll Johnston, resident, Salem
EXHIBIT 136: Cecelia Goodnight, resident, Hood River
EXHIBIT 137: Chip Osborne, President, Osborne Organics
EXHIBIT 138: Chris Parta, Legislative Liaison, Oregon Chapter of the

Wildlife Society

EXHIBIT 139: Christine Perala Gardiner, PhD, member, Beyond Toxics

EXHIBIT 140: Clair Klock, retired farmer, Klock Farms

EXHIBIT 141: Clint Carlson, Vice President, Oregon Wheat Growers League

EXHIBIT 142: Colleen Weiler, Jessica Rekos Fellow, Whale and Dolphin Conservation

EXHIBIT 143: Collin Crocker, farmer, C and L Farms

EXHIBIT 144: Dallin Brooks, Executive Director, Western Wood Preservers Institute

EXHIBIT 145: Dan Sandau, affiliation unknown

EXHIBIT 146: Dana Tuckness, resident, Ontario

EXHIBIT 147: Daryl Jackson, Executive Director, Williams Water Way

EXHIBIT 148: David Wall, resident, Newberg

EXHIBIT 149: Debbie Schlenoff, PhD, Conservation Chair, Lane County Audubon Society

EXHIBIT 150: Debbie Garman, resident, Hillsboro

EXHIBIT 151: Debra McGee, resident, Eugene

EXHIBIT 152: Debra Wilson, resident, Ashland

EXHIBIT 153: DeEtte Miller, affiliation unknown

EXHIBIT 154: Deke Gundersen, PhD, Director of Environmental Studies, Pacific University

EXHIBIT 155: Dennis Hopper, farmer, Woodburn

EXHIBIT 156: Denver Pugh, farmer, Shedd

EXHIBITS 157-158: Dewey Caron, retired entomologist, Portland

EXHIBIT 159: Dianne Ensign, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 160: Doug Krahmer, resident, Saint Paul

EXHIBIT 161: Dustin Welters, Crop Advisor, Pratum Co-Op

EXHIBITS 162-163: Ellen Saunders, resident, Manning

EXHIBIT 164: Emily Heilbrun, resident, Eugene

EXHIBIT 165: Eric Robinson, resident, Eugene

EXHIBIT 166: Felice Kelly, affiliation unknown

EXHIBIT 167: Gary Vachter, resident, St. Paul

EXHIBIT 168: Gillian Holbrook, resident, Portland

EXHIBIT 169: Glenn Kolb, Executive Director, Oregon Veterinary Medical Association

EXHIBIT 170: Glenn Riley, resident, Ashland

EXHIBIT 171: Glenna Gray, resident, Nehalem

EXHIBIT 172: Greg Bennett, farmer, Silverton

EXHIBIT 173: Greg Miller, resident, Salem

EXHIBIT 174: Greg Wasson, Executive Secretary, Committee for Petition Rights

EXHIBIT 175: Harriet Edith Roberts, resident, Eugene

EXHIBIT 176: Heather Shelton, resident, Eugene

EXHIBIT 177: Heidi Geschwill, resident, Woodburn

EXHIBIT 178: Herb Everett, resident, Eugene

EXHIBIT 179: Hilary McDonald, resident, Medford
EXHIBIT 180: Jackie Hammond-Williams, Manager, Oregon City Farmers Market
EXHIBIT 181: Jake Stockfleth, President, Oregon Seed Association
EXHIBIT 182: Janaira Ramirez, Coalition Organizer, Oregon Just Transition Alliance
EXHIBIT 183: Janet Bell, resident, Ashland
EXHIBIT 184: Janice Flegel, farmer, Prineville
EXHIBIT 185: Jayne Bond, President, Permapost Products Company
EXHIBIT 186: Jeana Schorr, resident, Grants Pass
EXHIBIT 187: Jeanne Roy, Chair, Board of Directors, Eco-School Network
EXHIBIT 188: Jeff Stone, Executive Director, Oregon Association of Nurseries
EXHIBIT 189: Jenny Dresler, Oregon Farm Bureau
EXHIBIT 190: Jill Graham, resident, Ashland
EXHIBIT 191: Jim Wolfe, resident, Camas Valley
EXHIBIT 192: Joan Janowski, resident, Seaside
EXHIBIT 193: Joe DeFrancesco, Assistant Professor, Oregon State University
EXHIBIT 194: Joe Ruef, resident, Mount Angel
EXHIBIT 195: John Bianco, resident, Creswell
EXHIBIT 196: John Gardiner, PhD, Member, Beyond Toxics
EXHIBIT 197: Joyce McPartland, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 198: Julia Barbee, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 199: K.A. Hughes, resident, Astoria
EXHIBIT 200: Karen Potts, resident, Ashland
EXHIBIT 201: Karla Capacetti-Quinana, resident, Ashland
EXHIBIT 202: Kate Suisman, Northwest Workers' Justice Project; Association of Western Pulp and Paper Workers; Communication Workers of America, Local 7901; Portland Jobs with Justice; Northwest Forest Worker Center; Northwest Workers' Justice Project
EXHIBIT 203: Kate Taormina, landscape gardener, Takilma
EXHIBIT 204: Katie Fast, Executive Director, Oregonians for Food and Shelter
EXHIBIT 205: Kenny Carver, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 206: Kent Burkholder, farmer, Albany
EXHIBIT 207: Kevin Osborne, Production Manager, Allied Seed LLC
EXHIBIT 208: Kim Kelly, resident, Eugene
EXHIBIT 209: Kris Nelson, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 210: Kristin Schafer, Executive Director, Pesticide Action Network
EXHIBIT 211: LaRee Johnson, resident, Astoria
EXHIBIT 212: Larry and Karen Smith, residents, Ashland
EXHIBIT 213: Lauren Herbert MD, Miranda Lanning MD, Leslie Pelinka MD, Deborah Fuerth MD, Pediatricians, PeaceHealth Medical Group
EXHIBITS 214-215: various submitters

EXHIBIT 216: Linda Robertson, resident, Eugene
EXHIBIT 217: Lisa Arkin, Executive Director, Krystal Abrams, Pollinator
Projects Coordinator, Beyond Toxics
EXHIBIT 218: Lisa Perry, resident, Mount Hood Parkdale
EXHIBIT 219: Lisa Spears, resident, Springfield
EXHIBIT 220: Lucas Rue, farmer, Silverton
EXHIBIT 221: Margaret Magruder, resident, Clatskanie
EXHIBIT 222: Marie Gadotti, resident, Scappoose
EXHIBIT 223: Mark Dickman, farmer, Silverton
EXHIBIT 224: Marlene Javage, resident, Jacksonville
EXHIBIT 225: Marsha Barr, resident, Eugene
EXHIBIT 226: Mary Lou Emerson, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 227: Matt Hutchinson, resident, Baker City
EXHIBIT 228: Matt Laubach, resident, Eugene
EXHIBIT 229: Matt Schuster, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 230: Melanie Lee, resident, Eugene
EXHIBIT 231: Michael McLaughlin, resident, McMinnville
EXHIBIT 232: Mike Schaer, resident, Coos Bay
EXHIBIT 233: Nadine Basile, resident, Carlton
EXHIBIT 234: Nancy Matela, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 235: Nathalie Mary, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 236: Olina St. Onge, resident, Medford
EXHIBIT 237: Olivia Meyer, resident, Eugene
EXHIBIT 238: Paloma Sparks, Oregon Business and Industry
EXHIBIT 239: Pat Miller, Director, State Affairs, American Seed Trade
Association
EXHIBIT 240: Peggy Leviton, resident, Jacksonville
EXHIBIT 241: Polly Owen, Research Director, Associated Oregon
Hazelnut Industries
EXHIBIT 242: Randy Phelps, MD, Associate Professor of Pediatrics,
Oregon Health Sciences University
EXHIBIT 243: Ray Seidler, retired professor, Oregon State University
EXHIBIT 244: Rebecca Eigel, resident, Tangent
EXHIBIT 245: Rhett Lawrence, Conservation Director, Sierra Club Oregon
EXHIBIT 246: Richard Winn, Quality Assurance Manager, HM.CLAUSE,
Inc
EXHIBIT 247: Rob Keudell, farmer
EXHIBIT 248: Roger Rocka, resident, Astoria
EXHIBIT 249: Rose Sacco, affiliation unknown
EXHIBIT 250: Ryan Svaty, farmer, Ontario
EXHIBIT 251: Sabine Hilding, resident, Portland
EXHIBIT 252: Sam Krop, Grassroots Organizer, Cascadia Wildlands
EXHIBIT 253: Sharon Selvaggio, Healthy Wildlife and Water Program
Director, Northwest Center for Alternatives to Pesticides; Rhett Lawrence,
Conservation Director, Sierra Club Oregon Chapter; Nina Bell, Northwest
Environmental Advocates; Mark Sherwood, Native Fish Society

EXHIBIT 254: Sybil Hebb, Director of Policy Advocacy, Oregon Law Center
EXHIBIT 255: Steven VanGrunsven, Agronomist, Valley Agronomics LLC
EXHIBIT 256: Stuart Todd, resident, Eugene
EXHIBIT 257: Susan and Richard Harlan, residents, Cheshire
EXHIBIT 258: Ted Hake, Research Director, Specialty Seed Growers of Western Oregon
EXHIBIT 259: Thomas Klick, Jr., resident, San Bruno, California
EXHIBIT 260: Tia Marten, resident, Talent
EXHIBIT 261: Tim Knapp, Mayor, City of Wilsonville
EXHIBIT 262: Virginia Ruiz, JD, Director of Occupational and Environmental Health, Farmworker Justice; Amy Liebman, Director of Environmental and Occupational Health, Migrant Clinicians Network; Eva Galvez, MD, Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center
EXHIBIT 263: Wendy Mintey, Board Secretary; Erika Winters, Charity Director; Anna Kaplan, Board President; Heidi Fikstad, Board Vice-President; Bunni Krass, Board Treasurer; Micayla Harland, Membership Director; Bridget Gavin, Board Seat; Kathryn Albert, Board Seat, Women Leaders in Cannabis
EXHIBIT 264: Yvonne Shaw, resident, Hillsboro
EXHIBIT 265: Susan Heath, resident, Albany

01:58:53 Meeting Adjourned