

SENATE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

March 12, 2019
03:00 PM

Hearing Room B

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Sara Gelser, Chair
Sen. Dallas Heard, Vice-Chair
Sen. Shemia Fagan
Sen. Tim Knopp
Sen. Laurie Monnes Anderson

STAFF PRESENT: Jamie Hinsz, LPRO Analyst
Andra Tom, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: SB 745 – Public Hearing
SB 475 – Public Hearing
HB 2215 – Work Session
SB 177 – Work Session
SB 918 – Work Session
SB 825 – Public Hearing

00:00:12 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:14 Vice-Chair Heard

00:00:22 [SB 745 - Public Hearing](#)
00:00:23 Vice-Chair Heard
00:00:29 Jamie Hinsz, LPRO Analyst
00:02:05 EXHIBIT 1: Chris Coughlin, Legislative Director, Children First for Oregon
00:06:43 EXHIBIT 2: Hanna Dekker, resident, Multnomah county
00:10:35 EXHIBIT 3: Nathaniel Schwab, member, Oregon Foster Youth Connection
00:15:30 EXHIBIT 4: Justin Bliven, member, Oregon Foster Youth Connection
00:21:47 Sen. Monnes Anderson
00:22:51 EXHIBIT 5: Megan Glines, Director, Foster Care Transition Services, New
Avenues for Youth
00:25:44 EXHIBIT 6: Jennifer Blakeslee, Research Assistant Professor, School of
Social Work, Portland State University
00:28:30 EXHIBIT 7: Jessica Lloyd Rogers, President, Oregon Foster Parent
Association
00:31:45 Chair Gelser
00:32:20 EXHIBIT 8: witness registration

00:32:22 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 9: Andrew Grover, Executive Director, Youth Villages Oregon
EXHIBIT 10: CJ Jones, member, Oregon Foster Youth Connection
EXHIBITS 11-12: Lisa McMahon, Program Director, Oregon Foster Youth Connection
EXHIBIT 13: Natalie Wood, Executive Director, Kinship House
EXHIBIT 14: Roberta Dunn, Executive Director, FACT Oregon
EXHIBIT 15: W. Kirt Toombs, Chief Executive Officer, Eastern Oregon Center for Independent Living

00:32:25 **SB 475 - Public Hearing**

00:32:27 Vice-Chair Heard

00:32:32 Jamie Hinsz, LPRO Analyst

00:33:45 Sen. Sara Gelser, Senate District 8

00:38:30 Courtney Graham, Service Employees International Union, local 503

00:44:21 EXHIBIT 16: witness registration

00:44:22 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:

EXHIBIT 17: Cyndi Karp, resident, Waldport

EXHIBIT 18: W. Kirt Toombs, Chief Executive Officer, Eastern Oregon Center for Independent Living

00:44:23 **HB 2215 - Work Session**

00:44:26 Chair Gelser

00:44:27 EXHIBIT 19: Jamie Hinsz, LPRO Analyst

00:45:44 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR HEARD MOVES TO ADOPT THE -2 AMENDMENTS

00:45:57 VOTE: 4-0-1

AYES: KNOPP, MONNES ANDERSON, HEARD, GELSER

EXCUSED: FAGAN

00:46:02 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR HEARD MOVES HB 2215 DO PASS AS AMENDED

00:46:17 VOTE: 5-0-0 (see timestamp **00:52:20**)

AYES: KNOPP, MONNES ANDERSON, HEARD, GELSER

EXCUSED: FAGAN

CARRIER: SEN. GELSER WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:46:35 **SB 177 - Work Session**

00:46:40 Chair Gelser

00:46:41 Jamie Hinsz, LPRO Analyst

00:48:00 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR HEARD MOVES SB 177 DO PASS AND BE REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH CARE BY PRIOR REFERENCE

00:48:18 VOTE: 5-0-0 (see timestamp **00:52:20**)

AYES: KNOPP, MONNES ANDERSON, HEARD, GELSER

EXCUSED: FAGAN

00:50:50 **SB 918 - Work Session**

00:50:52 Chair Gelser

00:50:53 Jamie Hinsz, LPRO Analyst

00:51:32 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR HEARD MOVES SB 918 DO PASS

00:51:42 VOTE: 5-0-0

AYES: FAGAN, KNOPP, MONNES ANDERSON, HEARD, GELSER

CARRIER: SEN. WAGNER WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

00:51:56 **HB 2215 and SB 177 - Work Session**

00:52:01 Chair Gelser

00:52:20 MOTION: VICE CHAIR HEARD MOVES THAT THE RULES BE
SUSPENDED TO ALLOW SEN. FAGAN TO VOTE AYE ON HB 2215
AND SB 177

00:52:54 VOTE: 4-0-1

AYES: FAGAN, MONNES ANDERSON, HEARD, GELSER

EXCUSED: KNOPP

00:53:25 **SB 825 - Public Hearing**

00:53:27 Chair Gelser

00:53:30 EXHIBITS 20-21: Jamie Hinsz, LPRO Analyst

00:55:48 Linda May Wacker, Program Director, Parents Anonymous of Oregon

01:00:03 EXHIBITS 22-23: Chris Coughlin, Legislative Director, Children First of
Oregon

01:12:59 EXHIBIT 24: witness registration

01:13:00 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:

EXHIBIT 25: Christine Kirk, Public Policy and Government Relations,
Oregon Youth Authority

01:13:01 Meeting Adjourned