

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON WORKFORCE

April 4, 2019  
08:00 AM

Hearing Room D

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Kathleen Taylor, Chair  
Sen. Tim Knopp, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Jeff Golden  
Sen. Bill Hansell  
Sen. Laurie Monnes Anderson

**STAFF PRESENT:** Ellen Osoinach, LPRO Analyst  
Reid VanMouwerik, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** SB 726 – Work Session  
SB 332 – Work Session  
SB 507 – Work Session  
SB 750 – Work Session  
SB 1026 – Public Hearing  
SB 305 – Public Hearing

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**00:00:08** Meeting Called to Order  
**00:00:09** Chair Taylor

**00:01:16** **SB 726 - Work Session**  
**00:01:17** Chair Taylor  
**00:01:28** EXHIBIT 1: Ellen Osoinach, LPRO Analyst  
**00:03:54** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**00:04:43** Jessica Santiago, Deputy Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel  
**00:06:13** Sen. Hansell  
**00:12:34** Sen. Golden  
**00:12:53** Jess Giannettino Villatoro, Political Director, Oregon American Federation of Laborers and Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO)  
**00:16:13** Christina Stephenson, Attorney, Oregon Trial Lawyers' Association  
**00:18:14** Amanda Dalton, Northwest Grocery Association  
**00:28:45** The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBITS 2-3: Sen. Brian Boquist, Senate District 12

**00:28:46** **SB 332 - Work Session**  
**00:28:47** Chair Taylor  
**00:28:57** EXHIBIT 4: Ellen Osoinach, LPRO Analyst

00:29:50 Sen. Golden  
00:30:08 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KNOPP MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1  
AMENDMENTS  
00:30:13 VOTE: 5-0-0  
AYES: GOLDEN, HANSELL, MONNES ANDERSON, KNOPP, TAYLOR  
00:30:27 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KNOPP MOVES SB 332 DO PASS AS  
AMENDED  
00:30:40 VOTE: 5-0-0  
AYES: GOLDEN, HANSELL, MONNES ANDERSON, KNOPP, TAYLOR  
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00:31:17 **SB 507 - Work Session**  
00:31:18 Chair Taylor  
00:31:26 Ellen Osoinach, LPRO Analyst  
00:33:24 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KNOPP MOVES SB 507 WITHOUT  
RECOMMENDATION AND BE REFERRED TO THE SENATE  
COMMITTEE ON RULES  
00:33:43 VOTE: 5-0-0  
AYES: GOLDEN, HANSELL, MONNES ANDERSON, KNOPP, TAYLOR

00:34:58 **SB 750 - Work Session**  
00:34:59 Chair Taylor  
00:35:14 Ellen Osoinach, LPRO Analyst

00:36:51 **SB 1026 - Public Hearing**  
00:36:51 Chair Taylor  
00:36:54 Ellen Osoinach, LPRO Analyst  
00:37:14 Rep. David Brock Smith, House District 1  
00:38:19 Sen. Betsy Johnson, Senate District 16  
00:40:07 Rep. David Gomberg, House District 10  
00:41:04 Greg Peden, Pacific Seafood  
00:48:12 Sen. Golden  
00:50:51 EXHIBIT 5: Jess Giannettino Villatoro, Political Director, Oregon AFL-CIO  
01:01:54 Jessica Santiago, Deputy Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative  
Counsel  
01:09:37 EXHIBIT 6: witness registration

01:09:38 **SB 750 - Work Session**  
01:09:39 Chair Taylor  
01:09:47 Ellen Osoinach, LPRO Analyst  
01:10:57 EXHIBIT 7: Kate Suisman, Attorney, Northwest Workers' Justice Project  
01:18:13 EXHIBIT 8: Paloma Sparks, Senior Director, Communications and Policy  
Strategy, Oregon Business and Industry  
01:19:15 EXHIBIT 9: Fawn Barrie, Oregon Liability Reform Coalition  
01:20:07 Scott Winkels, League of Oregon Cities  
01:21:33 EXHIBIT 10: Maura Escobar, affiliation unknown (via interpreter)

**01:23:30** Vice-Chair Knopp  
**01:24:10** EXHIBIT 11: Reyna Lopez, Executive Director, Pineros y Campesinos Unidos del Noroeste (PCUN)  
**01:28:24** Sen. Golden  
**01:29:54** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR KNOPP MOVES SB 750 WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE  
**01:30:08** VOTE: 5-0-0  
**01:30:41** AYES: GOLDEN, HANSELL, MONNES ANDERSON, KNOPP, TAYLOR  
The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 12: Christina Stephenson, Attorney, Meyer Stephenson Employment Law  
EXHIBITS 13-14: D. Michael Dale, Executive Director, Northwest Workers' Justice Project  
EXHIBITS 15-16: David Shor, Statewide Organizer, Oregon Working Families Party  
EXHIBIT 17: Enrique Garcia, resident  
EXHIBIT 18: Ethan Krow, Service Employees International Union (SEIU), Oregon State Council  
EXHIBIT 19: Hank Kaplan, Bennett Hartman LLP  
EXHIBIT 20: Iris Hodge, State Lead, Main Street Alliance of Oregon  
EXHIBIT 21: Janet Bauer, Policy Analyst, Oregon Center for Public Policy  
EXHIBIT 22: Jeff Anderson, Secretary-Treasurer, United Food and Commercial Workers (UFCW) Local 555  
EXHIBIT 23: John Calhoun, Oregon Coalition of Christian Voices  
EXHIBIT 24: Lamar Wise, Political Coordinator, Oregon American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees (AFSCME) Council 75  
EXHIBIT 25: Lindsey Franklin, Legislative Staff, Oregon American Federation of Laborers and Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO)  
EXHIBIT 26: anonymous, affiliation unknown  
EXHIBIT 27: Matilda, dancer advocate  
EXHIBIT 28: Mike Swisher, resident, Bend  
EXHIBIT 29: Myriam Giles, Vice Dean and Law Professor, Cardozo School of Law  
EXHIBIT 30: Perla Alvarez, Legislative Director, Oregon Student Association (OSA)  
EXHIBIT 31: Peter Hainley, Executive Director, Community and Shelter Assistance Corporation (CASA) of Oregon  
EXHIBIT 32: Quinten Melius, resident, Portland  
EXHIBIT 33: Rachel Deutsch, Attorney, Center for Popular Democracy  
**01:30:42** **SB 305 - Public Hearing**  
**01:30:43** Chair Taylor  
**01:30:50** Sen. Hansell

**01:31:09** Vice-Chair Knopp  
**01:35:03** Ellen Osoinach, LPRO Analyst  
**01:35:33** Mike Eliason, Association of Oregon Counties  
**01:36:55** Tracy Rutten, League of Oregon Cities  
**01:37:50** Kirsten Adams, Associated General Contractors  
**01:38:34** Sen. Golden  
**01:41:06** Sen. Monnes Anderson  
**01:45:43** EXHIBIT 34: witness registration  
**01:45:44** The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 35: Russ Allen, Director, Business and Operations, Greater  
Albany Public Schools  
**01:45:45** Meeting Adjourned