

**HOUSE COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AND EMERGENCY
MANAGEMENT**

March 11, 2021
03:15 PM

Hearing Room Remote 170

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Paul Evans, Chair
Rep. Rick Lewis, Vice-Chair
Rep. Mark Meek, Vice-Chair
Rep. Dacia Grayber
Rep. Kim Wallan
Rep. Boomer Wright

STAFF PRESENT: Cassie Passon, Counsel
Kaitlyn Bishop, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: HB 2425 – Work Session
HB 2890 – Work Session
HB 2893 – Work Session
HB 2304 – Public Hearing
HB 2305 – Public Hearing
HB 2308 – Public Hearing
HB 2850 – Public Hearing

This meeting was held virtually with remote participation only

00:00:31 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:32 Chair Evans
00:00:53 ROLL CALL

00:02:49 **HB 2425 - Work Session**
00:02:53 Chair Evans
00:03:06 Cassie Passon, Counsel
00:04:49 Rep. Nancy Nathanson, House District 13
00:08:30 Rep. Wallan
00:12:54 Vice-Chair Lewis
00:13:00 Vice-Chair Meek
00:13:58 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR LEWIS MOVES TO ADOPT THE -2
AMENDMENTS
00:14:24 VOTE: 4-1-1
AYE: WRIGHT, LEWIS, MEEK, EVANS

NAY: WALLAN
EXCUSED: GRAYBER
00:15:39 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR LEWIS MOVES HB 2425 DO PASS AS
AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON
WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE
00:16:28 VOTE: 5-1-0 (see timestamp 00:37:28)
AYE: WRIGHT, LEWIS, MEEK, EVANS
NAY: WALLAN
EXCUSED: GRAYBER

00:17:44 **HB 2890 - Work Session**
00:17:45 Chair Evans
00:17:51 Cassie Passon, Counsel
00:18:33 Vice-Chair Lewis
00:18:47 Vice-Chair Meek

00:19:22 **HB 2893 - Work Session**
00:19:23 Chair Evans
00:19:31 Cassie Passon, Counsel
00:20:58 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR MEEK MOVES HB 2893 DO PASS AND BE
REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS BY
PRIOR REFERENCE
00:21:42 VOTE: 6-0-0 (see timestamp 00:37:28)
AYE: WALLAN, WRIGHT, LEWIS, MEEK, EVANS
EXCUSED: GRAYBER

00:22:26 **HB 2304 - Public Hearing**
00:22:27 Chair Evans
00:22:41 Cassie Passon, Counsel
00:23:35 Angela Crowley-Koch, Executive Director, Oregon Solar + Storage
Industries Association
00:26:45 Rep. Wallan

00:29:24 **HB 2305 and HB 2308 - Public Hearing**
00:29:25 Chair Evans
00:29:40 Cassie Passon, Counsel
00:31:40 Rep. Wallan

00:32:34 **HB 2850 - Public Hearing**
00:32:35 Chair Evans
00:32:42 Cassie Passon, Counsel
00:33:11 Rep. Wright
00:37:10 Meeting Recessed
00:37:19 Meeting Reconvened

00:37:24 **HB 2425 and HB 2893 - Work Session**
00:37:25 Chair Evans
00:37:28 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR LEWIS MOVES THAT THE RULES BE
 SUSPENDED TO ALLOW REP. GRAYBER TO VOTE AYE ON HB 2425;
 AYE ON HB 2893
00:38:00 VOTE: 6-0-0
 AYE: GRAYBER, WALLAN, WRIGHT, LEWIS, MEEK, EVANS
00:39:45 Rep. Grayber
00:40:07 Meeting Adjourned