

## HOUSE COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

May 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:** Informational Meeting  
Update on Recent Offshore Seismic Activity and  
ShakeAlert's Performance  
Ice Storm Electrical Grid Lessons Learned: Baseline  
Requirements for Resiliency

*This meeting was held virtually with remote participation only*

00:00:18 Meeting Called to Order  
00:00:19 Chair Evans  
00:00:40 ROLL CALL

00:01:48 [Update on Recent Offshore Seismic Activity and ShakeAlert's  
Performance - Informational Meeting](#)  
00:01:49 Chair Evans  
00:01:58 Doug Toomey, Dr., Oregon Hazards Lab, University of Oregon  
00:23:41 Rep. Grayber

00:26:10 [Ice Storm Electrical Grid Lessons Learned: Baseline Requirements  
for Resiliency - Informational Meeting](#)  
00:26:11 Chair Evans  
00:26:33 Megan Decker, Chair, Oregon Public Utility Commission  
00:35:22 Larry Bekkedahl, Senior Vice President, Advanced Energy Delivery,  
Portland General Electric (PGE)

**00:45:57** Allen Berreth, Vice President, Transmission and Distribution Operations,  
Pacific Power

**00:55:25** John Dietz, General Manager, McMinnville Water & Light; President,  
Oregon Municipal Electric Utilities Assn (OMEU)

**00:59:27** Tony Schacher, General Manager, Salem Electric Cooperative

**01:04:42** Vice-Chair Meek

**01:14:20** Meeting Adjourned