

**HOUSE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, LAND USE,
NATURAL RESOURCES, AND WATER**

May 30, 2024
02:30 PM

Hearing Room D

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Ken Helm, Co-Chair
Rep. Annessa Hartman, Vice-Chair
Rep. Court Boice
Rep. Mark Gamba
Rep. Bobby Levy
Rep. Pam Marsh
Rep. Susan McLain
Rep. Anna Scharf

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED: Rep. Mark Owens, Co-Chair

STAFF PRESENT: Anna Glueder, LPRO Analyst
Sean Murphy, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: Department of Land Conservation and Development: Update on Farm and Forest Modernization Program Rulemaking – Informational Meeting
Oregon Water Resources Department: Update on the Implementation of HB 2018 (2021) – Informational Meeting
Electronic Labeling in the Grass Seed Industry – Informational Meeting
Water Policy: Call to Action – Informational Meeting

00:00:40 Meeting Called to Order

00:00:41 Co-Chair Helm

00:02:33 [Department of Land Conservation and Development: Update on Farm and Forest Modernization Program Rulemaking - Informational Meeting](#)

00:02:34 Co-Chair Helm

00:02:54 Brenda Bateman, Director, Department of Land Conservation and Development

00:16:01 Rep. Scharf

00:17:43 Rep. Boice

00:18:19 Rep. B. Levy

00:19:00 Rep. McLain

00:22:35 **Oregon Water Resources Department: Update on the Implementation of HB 2018 (2021) - Informational Meeting**

00:22:36 Co-Chair Helm

00:23:06 Bryn Hudson, Legislative Coordinator, Oregon Water Resources Department (OWRD)

00:25:36 Annette Liebe, Administrator, Technical Services Division, OWRD

00:34:20 Kim Fritz-Ogren, Manager, Planning, Collaboration and Investments Section, OWRD

00:39:25 Rep. McLain

00:40:22 Rep. Gamba

00:44:47 **Electronic Labeling in the Grass Seed Industry - Informational Meeting**

00:44:48 Co-Chair Helm

00:45:16 Ryan Tribbett, Executive Director, Oregon Seed Association

00:48:45 Mike Baker, Co-Owner, NORAM Seed Consultants LLC

00:57:32 Rep. Scharf

01:08:36 **Water Policy: Call to Action - Informational Meeting**

01:08:37 Co-Chair Helm

01:09:05 Geoff Huntington, Senior Natural Resources Advisor, Office of the Governor

01:14:14 Janet Neuman, retired Professor of Law, Lewis and Clark Law School; retired Senior Counsel, Tonkon Torp LLC

01:17:48 David Filippi, Partner, Stoel Rives LLP

01:20:44 Josh Newton, Partner, Best Best & Krieger LLP

01:23:38 Adell Amos, Clayton R. Hess Professor of Law, University of Oregon

01:28:52 Rep. B. Levy

01:31:47 Rep. Scharf

01:32:00 Vice-Chair Hartman

01:49:25 Rep. McLain

02:11:34 Rep. Marsh

02:12:56 Rep. Boice

02:24:53 Meeting Adjourned