

**JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS**  
**SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES**

September 28, 2023  
11:30 AM

Hearing Room H-170

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Sen. Michael Dembrow, Co-Chair  
Sen. Dick Anderson  
Sen. Lew Frederick

Rep. Khanh Pham, Co-Chair  
Rep. Bobby Levy  
Rep. Emerson Levy  
Rep. Mark Owens

**MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:**

Rep. Paul Holvey

**STAFF PRESENT:**

April McDonald, Legislative Fiscal Office  
Haylee Morse-Miller, Legislative Fiscal Office  
Matt Stayner, Legislative Fiscal Office  
Vivian Stair, Committee Assistant

**EXHIBITS:**

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

**00:00:26**      [Meeting Called to Order](#)  
**00:00:27**      Senator Dembrow, Presiding Co-Chair  
**00:01:00**      April McDonald, Legislative Fiscal Office  
  
**00:01:46**      [Orientation](#)  
**00:02:02**      April McDonald, Legislative Fiscal Office  
**00:06:10**      Co-Chair Dembrow  
  
**00:06:48**      [Consent Grants](#)  
**00:06:49**      Co-Chair Dembrow  
**00:07:28**      Haylee Morse-Miller, Legislative Fiscal Office  
**00:08:15**      Co-Chair Dembrow  
**00:08:37**      Ms. Morse-Miller  
**00:13:31**      Sen. Frederick  
**00:13:47**      Ms. Morse-Miller  
**00:14:19**      Chris Benemann, Director, Plant Protection Program Area, Department of  
Agriculture  
**00:14:31**      Sen. Frederick  
**00:14:45**      Ms. Benemann

00:15:33 Sen. Frederick  
00:15:48 Ms. Benemann  
00:16:11 Co-Chair Dembrow  
00:16:56 Scott Altenhoff, Urban Community Forestry Program Manager, Department of Forestry  
00:18:26 Co-Chair Pham  
00:18:53 Mr. Altenhoff  
00:21:53 MOTION: Co-Chair Pham moves the federal grant applications to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to approve the requests  
00:22:11 VOTE: 6-0-2  
Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Dembrow, Frederick; Reps. B. Levy, E. Levy, Owens, Pham  
Exc: Rep. Holvey  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Rep. Pham  
00:22:27 Co-Chair Dembrow  
00:22:55 **22. Department of Land Conservation and Development - Development and Zoning Codes**  
00:23:13 Haylee Morse-Miller, Legislative Fiscal Office  
00:24:46 Ethan Stuckmayer, Housing Services Division Manager, Department of Land Conservation and Development  
00:27:33 Co-Chair Dembrow  
00:27:52 Mr. Stuckmayer  
00:28:48 Co-Chair Pham  
00:29:27 Sione Filimoehala, Chief Financial Office, Department of Administrative Services  
00:29:40 Ms. Morse-Miller  
00:29:48 MOTION: Co-Chair Pham moves the federal grant application to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to approve the request  
00:30:06 VOTE: 6-0-2  
Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Dembrow, Frederick; Reps. B. Levy, E. Levy, Owens, Pham  
Exc: Rep. Holvey  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Rep. Pham  
00:30:30 **27. Department of Energy - Solar for All**  
00:30:41 April McDonald, Legislative Fiscal Office  
00:31:47 Janine Benner, Director, Department of Energy  
00:32:29 Jen Senner, Grants Officer, Department of Energy  
00:37:20 Co-Chair Dembrow  
00:37:28 Ms. Benner  
00:37:46 Sen. Frederick  
00:38:02 Ms. Benner  
00:38:09 Ms. Senner  
00:38:29 Co-Chair Pham

00:39:08 Ms. Benner  
00:39:14 Ms. Senner  
00:40:12 Co-Chair Dembrow  
00:40:56 Sione Filimoehala, Chief Financial Office, Department of Administrative Services  
00:41:14 Ms. McDonald  
00:41:24 MOTION: Co-Chair Pham moves the federal grant application to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to approve the request  
00:41:38 VOTE: 5-0-3  
Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Dembrow, Frederick; Reps. B. Levy, E. Levy, Pham  
Exc: Reps. Holvey, Owens  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Sen. Dembrow  
00:41:46 Co-Chair Dembrow  
00:42:45 Ms. Benner  
00:45:46 Co-Chair Dembrow  
00:46:06 Ms. Benner  
00:49:32 Co-Chair Dembrow  
00:49:53 Ms. McDonald  
00:50:11 Ms. Benner  
  
00:51:19 **29. Parks and Recreation Department - Owyhee Fish Cleaning Station**  
00:51:43 Matt Stayner, Legislative Fiscal Office  
00:53:05 Lisa Sumption, Director, Department of Parks and Recreation  
00:55:17 Co-Chair Dembrow  
00:55:36 Sione Filimoehala, Chief Financial Office, Department of Administrative Services  
00:55:49 Mr. Stayner  
00:55:55 MOTION: Co-Chair Pham moves the federal grant application to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to approve the request  
00:56:10 VOTE: 5-0-3  
Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Dembrow, Frederick; Reps. B. Levy, E. Levy, Pham  
Exc: Reps. Holvey, Owens  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Sen. Anderson  
  
00:56:42 **31. Department of Forestry - Forest Legacy Tualatin Hills Acquisition**  
00:56:50 April McDonald, Legislative Fiscal Office  
00:57:38 Josh Barnard, Forest Resources Division Chief, Department of Forestry  
00:58:03 Lori Bell, Assistance and Incentives Manager, Department of Forestry  
01:00:43 Sione Filimoehala, Chief Financial Office, Department of Administrative Services  
01:00:53 Ms. McDonald  
01:01:01 MOTION: Co-Chair Pham moves the federal grant application to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to approve the request  
01:01:13 VOTE: 5-0-3  
Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Dembrow, Frederick; Reps. B. Levy, E. Levy, Pham

Exc: Reps. Holvey, Owens  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Sen. Frederick

- 01:01:32**      **32. Department of Forestry - Forest Legacy Minam Acquisition**
- 01:01:38**      April McDonald, Legislative Fiscal Office
- 01:02:07**      Lori Bell, Assistance and Incentives Manager, Department of Forestry
- 01:03:45**      Co-Chair Dembrow
- 01:04:08**      Ms. Bell
- 01:04:13**      Rep. B. Levy
- 01:04:25**      Sen. Frederick
- 01:04:30**      Ms. Bell
- 01:04:51**      Co-Chair Dembrow
- 01:04:56**      Ms. Bell
- 01:05:10**      Rep. B. Levy
- 01:05:23**      Sione Filimoehala, Chief Financial Office, Department of Administrative Services
- 01:05:34**      Ms. McDonald
- 01:05:43**      MOTION: Co-Chair Pham moves the federal grant application to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to approve the request
- 01:05:59**      VOTE: 5-0-3  
Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Dembrow, Frederick; Reps. B. Levy, E. Levy, Pham  
Exc: Reps. Holvey, Owens  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Sen. Dembrow
- 01:06:22**      **36. Department of Forestry - Forest Legacy Administration**
- 01:06:38**      April McDonald, Legislative Fiscal Office
- 01:07:05**      Lori Bell, Assistance and Incentives Manager, Department of Forestry
- 01:08:21**      Sione Filimoehala, Chief Financial Office, Department of Administrative Services
- 01:08:31**      Ms. McDonald
- 01:08:39**      MOTION: Co-Chair Pham moves the federal grant application to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to approve the request
- 01:08:52**      VOTE: 5-0-3  
Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Dembrow, Frederick; Reps. B. Levy, E. Levy, Pham  
Exc: Reps. Holvey, Owens  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Rep. Pham
- 01:09:06**      Co-Chair Dembrow
- 01:09:22**      Ms. McDonald
- 01:09:40**      Co-Chair Dembrow
- 01:10:23**      **Meeting Adjourned**