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## **AGENDA**

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## **TUESDAY**

**Date:** March 14, 2023

Time: 3:00 P.M. Room: HR D

### **Work Session**

HB 2998 \*\*

\*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Creates Oregon Soil Health Initiative.

HB 3098

Directs State Department of Agriculture, in consultation with Pesticide Analytical and Response Center, to establish farmworker outreach program.

HB 2610 \*\*

\*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Directs Oregon State University to research reduced-risk pest management tools for Oregon's specialty crops and report to interim committees of Legislative Assembly no later than September 15, 2027.

HB 2647

Declares harmful algal blooms to be menace to public health and welfare.

HB 2248

Requires Water Resources Department and Department of Environmental Quality to study impacts of wildfire on water quality of streams and tributaries.

HB 2835 \*\*

\*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Directs State Department of Fish and Wildlife to establish pilot program to award grants for recreational fishing facilities within urban growth boundary.

HB 3125 \*\*

\*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Establishes Public Drinking Water and Sewer Ratepayer Assistance Fund.

HB 3142

Directs Oregon Department of Administrative Services to provide grants to counties and soil and water conservation districts for removal of western juniper.

HB 3187

Makes individuals employed seven or more years by certain types of districts eligible to apply for certification as water right examiners.

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HB 3247 \*\*

\*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Appropriates moneys to Higher Education Coordinating Commission, for allocation to Oregon State University through Oregon Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory, for specified purposes related to zoonotic disease.

## **Public Hearing**

HB 3124

Requires Water Resources Department to study drought.

HB 3244

Establishes Task Force on the Economic Competitiveness of Oregon Agriculture.

HB 3366 \*\*

\*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Appropriates moneys to Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board for deposit in Oregon Agricultural Heritage Fund for hiring related to Oregon agricultural heritage programs.

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