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AGENDA

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THURSDAY

Date: March 16, 2023
Time: 3:00 P.M.
Room: HR D

Work Session

HB 3208

Authorizes Environmental Quality Commission to annually adjust, by up to three percent, fees associated with water quality programs administered by Department of Environmental Quality.

HB 2685 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Revenue

Restores availability of income or corporate excise tax credit for processing or collection of woody biomass.

HB 3231

Directs Department of Environmental Quality, in consultation with Water Resources Department, to develop recommendations and other resources to expand beneficial water reuse or recycled water programs or projects in state.

HB 2248

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

HB 3142

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

Please note: HB 3366 is scheduled solely for the purpose of hearing testimony from people who previously signed up to testify at the meeting on March 14, 2023.

Public Hearing

HB 3366 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

CARRIED OVER FROM THE 3-14-2023 MEETING: 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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HB 3179 and HB 3180 are scheduled solely for the purpose of hearing testimony from invited speakers only.

HB 3180

Requires Department of Land Conservation and Development to study land use siting of solar photovoltaic power generating facilities.

HB 3179

Requires State Department of Energy to study permitting requirements for renewable energy facilities and to develop recommendations to improve permitting process.

HB 3575

Instructs Water Resources Commission to make funding decisions for loans and grants awarded from Water Supply Development Account twice each year.

Informational Meeting

HB 3124

CARRIED OVER FROM THE 3-14-2023 MEETING: Requires Water Resources Department to study drought.

Invited Speakers Only

Chair Ken Helm

Vice-Chair Mark Owens

Note change: HB 3124 has been carried over. HB 3368 has been removed.

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