

# HOUSE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, LAND USE, NATURAL RESOURCES, AND WATER

January 24, 2023  
03:00 PM

Hearing Room D

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

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

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** HB 2527 – Public Hearing  
HB 2907 – Public Hearing  
HB 2487 – Public Hearing  
HB 2616 – Public Hearing

**00:00:17** Meeting Called to Order  
**00:00:18** Chair Helm

**00:01:18** [HB 2527 - Public Hearing](#)  
**00:01:19** Chair Helm  
**00:01:37** Anna Glueder, LPRO Analyst  
**00:02:01** Sarah Reif, Administrator, Habitat Division, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife  
**00:08:40** Jason Faucera, Manager, Land Management Programs, Clackamas Soil and Water Conservation District  
**00:13:37** Susan Watkins, landowner, Yamhill County  
**00:18:31** Rep. Levy  
**00:19:15** Rep. Gamba  
**00:20:43** Clair Klock, retired farmer, Corbett  
**00:23:08** Jody Wisner, resident, Unincorporated Washington County  
**00:24:58** Ted Labbe, Executive Director, Urban Greenspaces Institute

**00:28:21** [HB 2907 - Public Hearing](#)  
**00:28:22** Chair Helm

00:28:47 Rep. David Gomberg, House District 10  
00:31:05 Rep. Mark Owens, House District 60  
00:33:14 Lauren Henderson, Acting Director, Oregon Department of Agriculture  
00:36:17 Vice-Chair Owens  
00:36:42 Rep. Levy  
00:38:39 Curtis W. Martin, life-long beef producer and rancher, Malheur and Baker Counties; past-President, Oregon Cattlemen's Association; Treasurer and board member, Oregon Beef Council  
  
00:41:30 Diana Wirth, Meat Grant Review Team; Oregon CattleWomen  
00:45:28 Paul Anderes, Commissioner, Union County; Co-Chair, Eastern Oregon Counties Association  
  
00:47:48 Bill Hoyt, fifth-generation rancher, Hawley Land and Cattle  
00:50:55 Todd Nash, Commissioner, Wallowa County; President, Oregon Cattlemen's Association  
  
00:54:01 **HB 2487 - Public Hearing**  
00:54:02 Chair Helm  
00:54:28 Rep. Mark Owens, House District 60  
00:56:41 Rep. Marsh  
00:57:24 Rep. Scharf  
00:59:18 Kathryn Jernstedt, President, Friends of Yamhill County  
01:03:23 Madeline Bean, The Five Sixteen Ranch, La Grande  
01:06:08 Paul Anderes, Commissioner, Union County; Co-Chair, Eastern Oregon Counties Association  
  
01:09:34 **HB 2616 - Public Hearing**  
01:09:35 Chair Helm  
01:09:47 Anna Glueder, LPRO Analyst  
01:10:13 Rep. Susan McLain, House District 29  
01:12:00 Vice-Chair Owens  
01:12:50 Alice Morrison, Co-Director, Friends of Family Farmers  
01:16:15 Lauren Poor, Vice President, Government and Legal Affairs, Oregon Farm Bureau  
  
01:18:04 Christine Anderson, raw milk producer  
01:21:11 Sarah Lochner, Executive Director, Oregon Coalition of Local Health Officials (CLHO)  
  
01:24:14 Ross Bansen, dairy farmer, Double J Jerseys  
01:26:52 Mike Guebert, small dairy farmer, Corbett  
01:30:11 Meeting Adjourned