

## HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION

March 2, 2023  
03:00 PM

Hearing Room F

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. John Lively, Chair  
Rep. Emily McIntire, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Ricki Ruiz, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Ben Bowman  
Rep. Lucetta Elmer  
Rep. Zach Hudson  
Rep. Kevin Mannix  
Rep. Nathan Sosa

**MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:** Rep. Boomer Wright

**STAFF PRESENT:** Ellen O'Brien, LPRO Analyst  
Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst  
Frona Liljequist, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** HB 3115 – Public Hearing  
HB 2204 – Public Hearing  
HB 3089 – Work Session

**00:00:40** Meeting Called to Order  
**00:00:41** Chair Lively

**00:01:00** [HB 3115 - Public Hearing](#)  
**00:01:01** Chair Lively  
**00:02:19** Nathan Lillegard, part-time faculty, University of Oregon; Business consultant, RAIN Catalysts  
**00:09:11** Rep. Hudson  
**00:12:49** Vice-Chair McIntire  
**00:17:14** John Wykoff, Deputy Director, Oregon Community College Association

**00:21:51** [HB 2204 - Public Hearing](#)  
**00:21:52** Chair Lively  
**00:21:58** Ellen O'Brien, LPRO Analyst  
**00:22:49** Sen. David Brock Smith, Senate District 1  
**00:26:21** Kyle Stevens, Executive Director, Southwestern Oregon Workforce Investment Board  
**00:28:26** Rep. Mannix

00:29:02 Rep. Sosa  
00:29:27 Vice-Chair McIntire

00:32:30 **HB 2802 - Work Session**  
00:32:31 Chair Lively  
00:32:42 Vice-Chair McIntire  
00:34:54 Rep. Elmer  
00:36:40 Rep. Sosa  
00:38:49 Rep. Mannix

00:39:24 **HB 3089 - Work Session**  
00:39:25 Chair Lively  
00:39:56 Rep. Elmer  
00:42:30 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR RUIZ MOVES HB 3089 DO PASS AS AMENDED  
AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND  
MEANS  
00:43:02 Rep. Hudson  
00:43:14 Rep. Mannix  
00:43:34 Ellen O'Brien, LPRO Analyst  
00:46:07 VOTE: 7-1-1  
AYE: BOWMAN, HUDSON, MANNIX, SOSA, MCINTIRE, RUIZ, LIVELY  
NAY: ELMER  
EXCUSED: WRIGHT  
00:47:01 Meeting Adjourned