

## JOINT COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

February 28, 2023  
05:00 PM

Hearing Room F

### MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Chris Gorsek, Co-Chair  
Sen. Brian Boquist, Co-Vice Chair  
Sen. Lynn Findley  
Sen. Lew Frederick  
Sen. Aaron Woods

Rep. Susan McLain, Co-Chair  
Rep. Shelly Boshart Davis, Co-Vice  
Chair  
Rep. Paul Evans  
Rep. Kevin Mannix  
Rep. Nancy Nathanson  
Rep. Khanh Pham

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED: Rep. Jeff Helfrich

STAFF PRESENT: Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst  
Elias Karam, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: HB 3224 – Public Hearing  
HB 2692 – Public Hearing  
SB 14 – Public Hearing  
SB 16 – Public Hearing  
SB 846 – Public Hearing

00:00:04 Meeting Called to Order

00:00:05 Co-Chair McLain

00:00:21 [HB 3224 - Public Hearing](#)

00:00:22 Co-Chair McLain

00:01:08 Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst

00:02:31 Rep. Tom Andersen, House District 19

00:13:08 Russ Beaton, retired Professor, Department of Economics, Willamette University

00:16:06 Allan Pollock, General Manager, Cherriots

00:18:47 Robert Krebs, former President, Association of Oregon Rail and Transit Advocates (AORTA)

00:21:26 Richard Sheperd, resident, Portland

00:23:25 Sen. Findley

**00:24:49**      **HB 2692 - Public Hearing**  
**00:24:50**      Co-Chair McLain  
**00:25:44**      Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst  
**00:26:15**      Rep. Nancy Nathanson, House District 13  
**00:30:26**      Sen. Chris Gorsek, Senate District 25  
**00:32:29**      Rep. Mannix  
**00:33:14**      Luis Moscoso, Government Affairs Director, All Aboard Washington  
**00:35:42**      Richard Sheperd, resident, Portland  
**00:38:17**      John Nuxoll, former President, Association of Oregon Rail and Transit  
Advocated (AORTA)

**00:40:44**      **SB 14 - Public Hearing**  
**00:40:45**      Co-Chair McLain  
**00:41:00**      Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst  
**00:41:24**      Sen. Chris Gorsek, Senate District 25  
**00:47:46**      Luis Moscoso, Government Affairs Director, All Aboard Washington  
**00:50:21**      Paul Anderes, Commissioner, Union County  
**00:51:12**      Benjamin Fryback, Rail Transportation Advocate, Corvallis  
**00:53:06**      David Arnold, Former Vice-President, Association of Oregon Rail and  
Transit Advocated (AORTA)  
**00:55:40**      John Nuxoll, Past President, AORTA  
**00:58:14**      Rep. Mannix

**00:59:09**      **SB 16 - Public Hearing**  
**00:59:10**      Co-Chair McLain  
**00:59:19**      Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst  
**01:00:04**      Sen. Chris Gorsek, Senate District 25  
**01:02:38**      Margi Bradway, Deputy Director, Metro  
**01:04:04**      Toby Van Altvorst, President, Oregon Rail Users' League (ORULE)  
**01:06:40**      Cindy Robert, Union Pacific Railroad  
**01:08:37**      Jenny Dresler, Executive Director, Oregon Rail Users League  
**01:11:29**      Ross Lane, Assistant Vice President, Genesee & Wyoming

**01:14:21**      **SB 846 - Public Hearing**  
**01:14:22**      Co-Chair McLain  
**01:14:51**      Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst  
**01:15:12**      Sen. Chris Gorsek, Senate District 25  
**01:20:28**      Margi Bradway, Deputy Director, Metro  
**01:23:58**      Sen. Frederick  
**01:25:25**      Derek Bradley, City of Portland  
**01:26:51**      Miles Pengilly, State Government Affairs Manager, TriMet  
**01:29:22**      Ross Lane, Assistant Vice President, Genesee & Wyoming  
**01:31:03**      Robert Krebs, Past President, Association of Oregon Rail and Transit  
Advocates (AORTA)  
**01:33:09**      Richard Sheperd, resident, Portland  
**01:34:12**      Meeting Adjourned