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Date: November 18, 2025
Time: 8:30 AM
Room: HR C

Informational Meeting

Invited Speakers Only

Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs Update
Speakers TBD

Geriatric Care in the Oregon Department of Corrections
Kevin Bovenkamp, Assistant Director of Health Services, Oregon Department of Corrections
Harvey Mathews, Legislative Director, Oregon Department of Corrections

Tax Treatment of Military Pension Income
Kyle Easton, Senior Economist, Legislative Revenue Office

Oregon National Guard Update
Russell W. Gibson, Director, Government and Legislative Affairs, Oregon Military Department

Portland Police Bureau Update
Craig Dobson, Assistant Chief of Operations, Portland Police Bureau
Commander Schoening, Special Response Division, Portland Police Bureau

2025 Fire Season Recap
Chief Ruiz-Temple, Oregon State Fire Marshal
Kyle Williams, Deputy Director of Fire Operations, Oregon Department of Forestry

Establishing EMS as the Third Branch of Public Safety: A Universal Healthcare Approach
T. Brett Deedon, President of IAFF Local 851 Lane Professional Firefighters

Lane Transit District and Emergency Management Response
Pete Knox, Board Member, Lane Transit District
Mike Hursh, Chief Operations Officer, Lane Transit District

Cherkasy, Ukraine Sister State Update
Yulia Brockdorf, Ukrainian-American humanitarian efforts, Oregon business owner and mental

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