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AGENDA

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Date: March 24, 2025
Time: 3:00 PM
Room: HR C

Public Hearing

SB 301

Requires the State Marine Board to study issues related to the safe operation of motorboats.

SB 1062

Requires the Secretary of State to study local authority over regulated utility rates and infrastructure maintenance.

The work session on Senate Bill 88 is scheduled solely for the purpose of moving the bill to the committee on rules.

Possible Work Session

SB 88 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Judiciary

Prohibits an electric or gas company from recovering from ratepayers costs or expenses associated with advertising, political influence activity, litigation, penalties or fines and certain compensation.

SB 688 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Directs the Public Utility Commission to adopt not later than January 2, 2027, a framework for carrying out performance-based regulation of electric utilities.

SB 355 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

Directs the State Forestry Department to establish a pilot grant program to manage wildfire risk by promoting the use of air curtains by persons that make biochar.

SB 929

Appropriates moneys from the General Fund to the State Parks and Recreation Department for planning and coordination to continue to develop, maintain or work toward completion of the Oregon Coast Trail.

Public Hearing

Youth Voices

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