

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

April 2, 2025
08:00 AM

Hearing Room D

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Ken Helm, Co-Chair
Rep. Mark Owens, Co-Chair
Rep. Sarah Finger McDonald, Vice-Chair
Rep. Court Boice
Rep. Bobby Levy
Rep. Pam Marsh
Rep. Susan McLain
Rep. Anna Scharf

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED: Rep. Annessa Hartman

STAFF PRESENT: Anna Glueder, LPRO Analyst
Allison Darne, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: HB 3871 – Work Session
HB 3544 – Public Hearing

00:00:03 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:04 Co-Chair Owens

00:02:00 **HB 3871 - Work Session**

00:02:01 Co-Chair Owens

00:02:06 Anna Glueder, LPRO Analyst

00:02:32 Rep. B. Levy

00:03:20 Meeting Recessed

00:03:27 Meeting Reconvened

00:05:10 Rep. Marsh

00:05:23 Co-Chair Helm

00:06:47 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1
AMENDMENTS

00:07:09 Rep. Boice

00:07:55 Rep. Scharf

00:08:34 VOTE: 8-0-1

AYE: BOICE, B. LEVY, MARSH, MCLAIN, SCHARF, FINGER

MCDONALD, HELM, OWENS
EXCUSED: HARTMAN
00:08:47 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES HB 3871 DO
PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE
ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE
00:09:50 VOTE: 8-0-1
AYE: BOICE, B. LEVY, MARSH, MCLAIN, SCHARF, FINGER
MCDONALD, HELM, OWENS
EXCUSED: HARTMAN

00:09:58 **HB 3544 - Public Hearing**
00:09:59 Co-Chair Owens
00:10:20 Co-Chair Helm
00:12:40 Rep. Marsh
00:13:50 Racquel Rancier, Deputy Director, Strategy and Administration, Oregon
Water Resources Department (OWRD)
00:15:12 Rep. Scharf
00:15:54 Rep. McLain
00:28:46 Jesse Ratcliffe, General Counsel, OWRD
00:32:13 Rep. Boice
00:59:18 Brian Posewitz, Staff Attorney, WaterWatch of Oregon
01:05:43 Caylin Barter, Water Policy Director, Wild Salmon Center
01:13:05 Jeff Stone, Executive Director, Oregon Association of Nurseries
01:16:14 Rep. B. Levy
01:20:47 Meeting Adjourned