

SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

February 4, 2026
12:45 PM

Hearing Room C

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Floyd Prozanski, Chair
Sen. Kim Thatcher, Vice-Chair
Sen. Anthony Broadman
Sen. Sara Gelser Blouin
Sen. James Manning Jr.
Sen. Mike McLane

STAFF PRESENT: Amie Fender-Sosa, LPRO Analyst
Tisha Pascone, LPRO Analyst
William Best, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: SB 1550 – Public Hearing
SB 1556 – Public Hearing
SB 1557 – Public Hearing
SB 1594 – Public Hearing
SB 1515 – Public Hearing
SB 1563 – Public Hearing
SB 1517 – Public Hearing
SB 1583 – Public Hearing

00:00:03 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:04 Chair Prozanski

00:01:50 SB 1550 - Public Hearing
00:01:51 Chair Prozanski
00:02:08 Amie Fender-Sosa, LPRO Analyst
00:02:49 Ashley Carson, Executive Director, Center for Hope and Safety

00:05:06 SB 1556 - Public Hearing
00:05:07 Chair Prozanski
00:05:20 Amie Fender-Sosa, LPRO Analyst
00:05:33 Kimberly McCullough, Senior Counsel, Government Relations, Oregon
Judicial Department

00:06:38 SB 1557 - Public Hearing
00:06:39 Chair Prozanski
00:07:11 Amie Fender-Sosa, LPRO Analyst
00:07:34 Channa Newell, Oregon Judicial Department

00:09:33 Keith Raines, Senior Circuit Court Judge, Washington County
00:10:42 Lane Shetterly, Commissioner, Uniform Law Commission
00:12:54 Robin Pope, Oregon Universal Parentage Act 2017 Work Group

00:13:29 **SB 1594 - Public Hearing**
00:13:30 Chair Prozanski
00:13:59 Amie Fender-Sosa, LPRO Analyst
00:14:41 Frank Garcia, Executive Director, Immigration Counseling Service
00:17:41 Isa Pena, Director, Strategy, Innovation Law Lab
00:19:54 Ethan Krow, Associate Director, Policy and Organizing, American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) of Oregon

00:20:48 Sal Peralta, Counsel President, McMinnville City Council
00:22:40 Sen. McLane
00:23:22 Ira Cuello-Martinez, Pineros y Campesinos Unidos del Noroeste

00:25:31 **SB 1515 - Public Hearing**
00:25:32 Chair Prozanski
00:25:47 Amie Fender-Sosa, LPRO Analyst
00:26:30 Sen. Kim Thatcher, Senate District 11

00:29:40 **SB 1563 - Public Hearing**
00:29:41 Chair Prozanski
00:29:54 Tisha Pascone, LPRO Analyst
00:30:12 Sen. Bruce Starr, Senate District 12

00:33:49 **SB 1594 - Public Hearing**
00:33:50 Chair Prozanski
00:34:15 Sen. Kayse Jama, Senate District 24

00:37:21 **SB 1515 - Public Hearing**
00:37:22 Chair Prozanski
00:38:05 Andrew Lauersdorf, Attorney, Forensic Justice Project
00:41:52 Scott Cannon, wrongly convicted felon
00:46:05 Winnie Ye, State Policy Advocate, Innocence Project
00:49:15 Alicia Carriquiry, Distinguished Professor, Statistics, Iowa State University
00:53:06 John Wentworth, President, Oregon District Attorney's Association

00:56:08 **SB 1563 - Public Hearing**
00:56:09 Chair Prozanski
00:56:30 Rep. Ed Diehl, House District 17
00:59:18 Sen. Cedric Hayden, Senate District 6
01:04:46 Scott Winkels, League of Oregon Cities
01:06:10 Nick Hunter, Sheriff, Marion County; Oregon State Sheriffs' Association, Oregon Association Chiefs of Police
01:09:28 Justin Low, Legislative Affairs Manager, Association of Oregon Counties
01:11:52 Jennifer Williamson, former state representative
01:14:36 Tisha Pascone, LPRO Analyst

01:14:45 **SB 1517 - Public Hearing**
01:14:46 Chair Prozanski
01:14:53 Tisha Pascone, LPRO Analyst
01:16:20 Lauren Bagley, mother of plaintiff
01:20:01 Tate Metcalf, Owner, Sisters Athletic Club
01:22:25 Kimberly McGair, Attorney, Pacific Northwest Ski Areas Association
01:24:14 Pete Wallstrom, Owner, Momentum River Expeditions; Oregon Outfitters
and Guides Association
01:26:20 Robin Pace, Owner, Winding Waters River Expeditions
01:28:17 Charles Regnante, Manager, Government Affairs, Health and Fitness
Association
01:30:52 Jim Zupancic, President, General Counsel, Oregon Health and Fitness
Alliance
01:32:57 Will Volpert, President, Wild Rogue Outfitters Association
01:35:16 Megan Perkins, Mayor Pro Tem, City of Bend
01:37:54 Fawn Barrie, Executive Director, Oregon Liability Reform Coalition
01:40:23 Dave Jones, Director, Climate Risk Initiative, University of California
Berkeley School of Law

01:48:04 **SB 1583 - Public Hearing**
01:48:05 Chair Prozanski
01:48:11 Amie Fender-Sosa, LPRO Analyst
01:49:13 Arturo Zamudio, Supervisor, Ideal Option
01:51:34 Karen Chirre, Stadium Superette
01:55:18 Mercedes Elizalde, Director of Advocacy, Latino Network
01:57:45 Shannon Wight, Deputy Director, Partnership for Safety and Justice
01:59:54 Deena Feldes, Executive Director, Transcending Hope
02:02:47 Hannah Studer, Chief Executive Officer, Bridges to Change
02:04:52 Zakir Khan, Government Relations Manager, Washington County
02:06:59 Dontae Mathis, Recovery Services Coordinator, Harmony Academy
02:10:11 Meeting Adjourned