

Position on 2015 Legislation HB 3304

To Representative Paul Holvey House Business Committee on Business & Labor

The Southern Oregon Landscape Association (SOLA) was formed with the purposes of addressing common concerns of the membership, increasing public awareness of the value of professional landscaping and horticultural services, providing members the opportunity to increase their knowledge, benefit through cooperative business efforts, and meet fellow members of the industry.

SOLA has been reviewing HB 3304 and preparing a position statement for consideration at the April 9, 2015 committee review of this bill. We have become aware that the proposed legislation has been substantially changed just prior to its scheduled committee hearing. These changes being made at the last minute do not afford adequate time for review and comment by interested parties, and we therefore request that it be withdrawn from the April 9, 2015 meeting agenda, and re-scheduled for later consideration.

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