

## HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES AND HOUSING

March 20, 2019  
01:00 PM

Hearing Room 50

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. Alissa Keny-Guyer, Chair  
Rep. Ron Noble, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Tawna Sanchez, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Cheri Helt  
Rep. Mark Meek  
Rep. Tiffany Mitchell  
Rep. Sheri Schouten  
Rep. Anna Williams  
Rep. Jack Zika

**STAFF PRESENT:** C. Ross, Counsel  
Adam Buell, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** HB 2570 – Public Hearing  
HB 2805 – Public Hearing  
HB 3041 – Public Hearing  
HB 2228 – Work Session  
HB 2812 – Work Session  
HB 2802 – Work Session  
HB 2481 – Work Session  
HB 3191 – Public Hearing  
HB 3208 – Public Hearing  
HB 2302 – Work Session  
HB 2332 – Work Session  
HB 2587 – Work Session  
HB 2963 – Work Session  
HB 3000 – Work Session  
HB 3349 – Work Session

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**00:00:10** Meeting Called to Order  
**00:00:10** Chair Keny-Guyer  
  
**00:00:19** [HB 2570 - Public Hearing](#)  
**00:00:19** Chair Keny-Guyer  
**00:00:23** C. Ross, Counsel  
**00:00:59** Jenna App, Executive Director, Court Appointed Special Advocates  
(CASA) of Central Oregon  
**00:03:09** EXHIBIT 1: Kathy Linden, volunteer, Oregon Court Appointed Special  
Advocates (CASA) Network, Douglas County

00:05:40 Phil Summers, foster parent, Lane County  
00:10:29 Kevin Modica, board member, Oregon Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) Network for Children  
00:14:11 Bobbe Burkhalter, Oregon Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) Network of Lane County  
00:17:38 Brittany Hope, Oregon Foster Youth Care  
00:22:23 Dave Hunt, Oregon Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) Network  
00:24:23 EXHIBIT 2: witness registration  
00:24:24 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 3: Chris Coughlin, Legislative Director, Children First for Oregon  
EXHIBIT 4: Debra Gilmore, Chief Executive Officer, Oregon Court Appointed Special Advocates Network

00:24:27 **HB 2805 - Public Hearing**  
00:24:27 Chair Keny-Guyer  
00:24:47 C. Ross, Counsel  
00:24:55 Rep. Denyc Boles, House District 19  
00:28:54 Rep. Cheri Helt, House District 54  
00:31:29 Rep. Zika  
00:31:55 EXHIBIT 5: Chris Coughlin, Legislative Director, Children First for Oregon  
00:35:13 EXHIBIT 6: witness registration  
00:35:14 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 7: Eric Noll, City of Portland

00:35:16 **HB 3041 - Public Hearing**  
00:35:16 Chair Keny-Guyer  
00:35:21 C. Ross, Counsel  
00:35:47 Rep. Cheri Helt, House District 54  
00:37:45 Suzanne Spalding, foster parent  
00:45:07 Rep. Zika  
00:45:38 EXHIBIT 8: witness registration

00:46:00 **HB 2228 - Work Session**  
00:46:00 Chair Keny-Guyer  
00:46:10 C. Ross, Counsel  
00:46:32 EXHIBIT 9: Erin Doyle, League of Oregon Cities  
00:48:47 Michael Eliason, Association of Oregon Counties  
00:49:25 Ariel Nelson, Oregon Housing and Community Services  
00:50:19 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR SANCHEZ MOVES TO ADOPT THE -2 AMENDMENTS  
00:50:33 Rep. Zika  
00:51:40 VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: HELT, MEEK, MITCHELL, SCHOUTEN, WILLIAMS, ZIKA, NOBLE, SANCHEZ, KENY-GUYER

**00:51:45** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR SANCHEZ MOVES HB 2228 DO PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

**00:52:09** VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: HELT, MEEK, MITCHELL, SCHOUTEN, WILLIAMS, ZIKA, NOBLE, SANCHEZ, KENY-GUYER

**00:52:32** **HB 2812 - Work Session**

**00:52:32** Chair Keny-Guyer

**00:52:41** C. Ross, Counsel

**00:53:03** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR SANCHEZ MOVES HB 2812 DO PASS

**00:54:15** VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: HELT, MEEK, MITCHELL, SCHOUTEN, WILLIAMS, ZIKA, NOBLE, SANCHEZ, KENY-GUYER  
CARRIER: REP. MEEK WILL LEAD DISCUSSION ON THE FLOOR

**00:54:55** **HB 2802 - Work Session**

**00:54:55** Chair Keny-Guyer

**00:55:04** C. Ross, Counsel

**00:55:25** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR SANCHEZ MOVES HB 2802 DO PASS AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

**00:55:45** Rep. Zika

**00:56:44** EXHIBIT 10: Ryan Fisher, Community Action Partnership of Oregon

**01:00:22** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR SANCHEZ MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1 AMENDMENTS

**01:02:44** VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: HELT, MEEK, MITCHELL, SCHOUTEN, WILLIAMS, ZIKA, NOBLE, SANCHEZ, KENY-GUYER

**01:03:19** **HB 2481 - Work Session**

**01:03:19** Chair Keny-Guyer

**01:03:40** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR SANCHEZ MOVES HB 2481 WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION AND BE REFERRED TO THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

**01:04:01** VOTE: 9-0-0  
AYES: HELT, MEEK, MITCHELL, SCHOUTEN, WILLIAMS, ZIKA, NOBLE, SANCHEZ, KENY-GUYER

**01:04:23** The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 11: Therese Bottomly, Oregon Newspaper Publishers Association

**01:04:29** **HB 3191 - Public Hearing**

**01:04:29** Chair Keny-Guyer

**01:04:37** C. Ross, Counsel

**01:05:02** EXHIBIT 12: Rep. Tiffany Mitchell, House District 32

**01:08:36** Courtney Graham, Political and Electoral Strategist, Service Employees International Union (SEIU) Local 503

**01:09:43** Hava Aviv, Social Worker, Oregon Department of Human Services

**01:13:22** EXHIBIT 13: Wendy Stott, Child Protective Services Worker, Oregon Department of Human Services

**01:16:22** Rep. Helt

**01:17:34** Vice-Chair Noble

**01:20:00** Skye Hopkins, Oregon Department of Human Services

**01:22:25** Mary DeFreese, Case Worker, Oregon Department of Human Services

**01:24:20** Peter Drummond, member, Service Employees International Union (SEIU) Local 503

**01:26:33** Sarah Meshelle, Case Worker, Oregon Department of Human Services

**01:28:44** Andrea Kennedy-Smith, Vice-President, Public Sector, Service Employees International Union (SEIU) Local 503

**01:35:50** EXHIBIT 14: witness registration

**01:35:51** The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 15: Kelly Paluso, Permanency Child Welfare Worker, Oregon Department of Human Services  
EXHIBIT 16: Sandi Springer, MAPS Worker, Oregon Department of Human Services

**01:35:55** **HB 3208 - Public Hearing**

**01:35:55** Chair Keny-Guyer

**01:36:06** C. Ross, Counsel

**01:36:30** Rep. Nancy Nathanson, House District 13

**01:41:37** EXHIBIT 17: Royce Bowlin, Executive Director, Oregon Alliance of Children's Programs

**01:44:42** Kim Scott, Trillium Family Services

**01:46:55** EXHIBIT 18: Vera Stoullil, Chief Operating Officer, Boys and Girls Aid

**01:48:58** EXHIBIT 19: Debbie Lute, Executive Director, Connections365

**01:51:00** EXHIBIT 20: witness registration

**01:51:01** The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:  
EXHIBIT 21: Cheri Partain, Director of Adoption Services, Boys and Girls Aid  
EXHIBIT 22: Craig Opperman, President/Chief Executive Officer, Looking Glass Community Services  
EXHIBIT 23: Sarah Kopplin, Permanency Services, Boys and Girls Aid

**01:51:08** **HB 2302, HB 2332, HB 2587, HB 2963, HB 3000, and HB 3349 - Work Session**

**01:51:08** Chair Keny-Guyer

**01:52:18** Meeting Adjourned