

**SENATE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES AND WILDFIRE  
RECOVERY**

March 8, 2021  
03:15 PM

Hearing Room Remote D

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Jeff Golden, Chair  
Sen. Dallas Heard, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Deb Patterson  
Sen. Floyd Prozanski

**MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:** Sen. Bill Kennemer

**STAFF PRESENT:** Beth Patrino, LPRO Analyst  
Laura Kentnesse, LPRO Analyst  
Shelley Raszka, Sr. Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** Informational Meeting  
The Governor's Council on Wildfire Response and Senate  
Bill 287  
Wildfire Response Capacity  
Utility Wildfire Protection and Mitigation Plans  
Health Systems for Wildfire Smoke

*This meeting was held virtually with remote participation only*

**00:00:35** Meeting Called to Order  
**00:00:36** Chair Golden  
**00:01:12** ROLL CALL

**00:06:26** [The Governor's Council on Wildfire Response and Senate Bill 287 -  
Informational Meeting](#)

**00:06:27** Chair Golden  
**00:07:31** Matt Donegan, Chair, Governor's Council on Wildfire Response  
**00:08:12** Jason Miner, Natural Resources Policy Director, Office of the Governor  
**00:45:59** Vice-Chair Heard

**00:58:44** [Wildfire Response Capacity - Informational Meeting](#)  
**00:58:45** Chair Golden

**00:59:05** Mariana Ruiz-Temple, Oregon State Fire Marshal, Office of the Oregon State Fire Marshal

**00:59:40** Doug Grafe, Chief of Fire Protection, Oregon Department of Forestry

**01:15:34** Sen. Patterson

**01:17:21** **Utility Wildfire Protection and Mitigation Plans - Informational Meeting**

**01:17:22** Chair Golden

**01:17:35** Letha Tawney, Commissioner, Oregon Public Utility Commission

**01:33:40** **Health Systems for Wildfire Smoke - Informational Meeting**

**01:33:41** Chair Golden

**01:34:13** Gabriela Goldfarb, Environmental Public Health Section Manager, Oregon Health Authority

**01:38:40** Matt Davis, Senior Legislative Analyst, Department of Environmental Quality

**01:43:39** Laura Kentnesse, LPRO Analyst

**01:45:44** Meeting Adjourned