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To: Natural Resources Subcommittee

From: Haylee Morse-Miller, Legislative Fiscal Office

Date: May 31, 2023

Subject: HB 2914 – Relating to marine vessels
Work Session Recommendations

HB 2914 - A establishes the Oregon Abandoned and Derelict Vessel Program in the Department of State Lands (DSL). The program is to address abandoned vessels and derelict vessels; and ensure that state-owned submerged and submersible lands are managed for the public interests in fishery, navigation, commerce and recreation. The measure also establishes the Oregon Abandoned and Derelict Vessel Fund which is continuously appropriated to DSL for the program. DSL is to submit a report on their progress in implementing the program to the committees of the Legislative Assembly related to the environment, land use and natural resources by February 15, 2024.

Funding for Oregon Abandoned and Derelict Vessel Program is not included in this measure, and will be addressed in the end of session budget bill.

Final Subcommittee Action

LFO recommends that HB 2914 be moved to the Ways and Means Full Committee.

MOTION: I move HB 2914 to the Full Committee with a do pass recommendation.
(VOTE)

Carriers

Full Committee: _____

House Floor: _____

Senate Floor: _____