

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

February 22, 2023  
03:00 PM

Hearing Room B

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sen. Sara Gelser Blouin, Chair  
Sen. Art Robinson, Vice-Chair  
Sen. James Manning Jr.  
Sen. Floyd Prozanski  
Sen. Suzanne Weber

**STAFF PRESENT:** Iva Sokolovska, LPRO Analyst  
Danielle Ross, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** SB 556 – Public Hearing  
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SB 548 – Public Hearing

00:00:20 Meeting Called to Order  
00:00:21 Chair Gelser Blouin

00:03:50 **SB 556 - Public Hearing**  
00:03:51 Chair Gelser Blouin  
00:03:52 Iva Sokolovska, LPRO Analyst  
00:11:37 Sherril Kuhns, Federal Policy and Resources Program Manager, Oregon  
Department of Human Services  
00:23:07 Oulu Noonan, advocate for former foster youth, Portland  
00:27:52 Amy Harfeld, Federal Policy Director, Children's Advocacy Institute  
00:34:54 Miranda Gilly, resident, Hillsboro

00:41:39 **SB 557 - Public Hearing**  
00:41:40 Chair Gelser Blouin  
00:41:41 Iva Sokolovska, LPRO Analyst  
00:45:19 Amy Harfeld, Federal Policy Director, Children's Advocacy Institute  
00:48:36 Oulu Noonan, advocate for former foster youth, Portland  
00:55:16 Miranda Gilly, resident, Hillsboro

00:59:19 **SB 548 - Public Hearing**  
00:59:20 Chair Gelser Blouin

**00:59:22** Iva Sokolovska, LPRO Analyst  
**01:00:06** Sen. Janeen Sollman, Senate District 15  
**01:04:29** Rep. Lily Morgan, House District 3  
**01:09:00** Sen. Manning Jr.  
**01:09:13** Macy Bretz, Foster Youth Advocate, Project Never Again  
**01:17:08** Sophie Fashana, Foster Youth Advocate, Project Never Again  
**01:20:16** Seema Steffany, Founder and President, Project Never Again  
**01:26:35** Amanda Holguin, former foster parent, Grants Pass  
**01:32:19** Meeting Adjourned