

# **HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EARLY CHILDHOOD AND HUMAN SERVICES**

February 14, 2024  
01:00 PM

Hearing Room C

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Rep. Lisa Reynolds, Chair  
Rep. Hoa Nguyen, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Anna Scharf, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Tom Andersen  
Rep. Lucetta Elmer  
Rep. Annessa Hartman  
Rep. James Hieb  
Rep. Travis Nelson  
Rep. Courtney Neron

**MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:** Rep. Tracy Cramer

**STAFF PRESENT:** Matthew Perreault, LPRO Analyst  
William Best, Committee Assistant

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

**MEASURES/ISSUES:** HB 4129 – Work Session  
HB 4131 – Work Session  
HB 4085 – Work Session

**00:00:01** Meeting Called to Order  
**00:00:02** Chair Reynolds  
**00:00:36** Rep. Andersen  
  
**00:01:49** **HB 4129 - Work Session**  
**00:01:50** Chair Reynolds  
**00:02:06** Matthew Perreault, LPRO Analyst  
**00:03:10** Vice-Chair Scharf  
**00:03:24** MOTION: VICE-CHAIR H. NGUYEN MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1  
AMENDMENTS  
**00:03:41** Rep. Neron  
**00:03:48** Rep. Andersen  
**00:05:04** VOTE: 6-3-1  
AYE: ANDERSEN, HARTMAN, NELSON, NERON, H. NGUYEN,  
REYNOLDS

NAY: ELMER, HIEB, SCHARF  
EXCUSED: CRAMER  
00:05:41 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR SCHARF MOVES TO ADOPT THE -7  
AMENDMENTS  
00:08:09 VOTE: 3-6-1  
AYE: ELMER, HIEB, SCHARF  
NAY: ANDERSEN, HARTMAN, NELSON, NERON, H. NGUYEN,  
REYNOLDS  
EXCUSED: CRAMER  
00:08:52 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR H. NGUYEN MOVES HB 4129 DO PASS AS  
AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON  
WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE  
00:11:31 VOTE: 6-3-1  
AYE: ANDERSEN, HARTMAN, NELSON, NERON, H. NGUYEN,  
REYNOLDS  
NAY: ELMER, HIEB, SCHARF  
EXCUSED: CRAMER  
  
00:12:21 **HB 4131 - Work Session**  
00:12:22 Chair Reynolds  
00:12:30 Matthew Perreault, LPRO Analyst  
00:12:51 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR H. NGUYEN MOVES HB 4131 DO PASS AND BE  
REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS BY  
PRIOR REFERENCE  
00:13:18 Rep. Hartman  
00:14:07 Vice-Chair Scharf  
00:14:38 VOTE: 9-0-1  
AYE: ANDERSEN, ELMER, HARTMAN, HIEB, NELSON, NERON, H.  
NGUYEN, SCHARF, REYNOLDS  
EXCUSED: CRAMER  
00:15:38 Meeting Recessed  
00:15:43 Meeting Reconvened  
00:16:19 Meeting Recessed  
00:16:20 Meeting Reconvened  
  
00:17:09 **HB 4085 - Work Session**  
00:17:10 Chair Reynolds  
00:17:42 Matthew Perreault, LPRO Analyst  
00:18:50 Britt Conroy, Public Policy Director, Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon  
00:21:13 Vice-Chair Scharf  
00:23:34 Meeting Adjourned