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AGENDA

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WEDNESDAY

Date: January 29, 2025
Time: 8:00 AM
Room: HR E

Public Hearing

HB 2348

(8:00-8:10 am) Adjusts certain economic development program statutes related to the administration of the programs.

HB 2350 **

**Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

(8:10-8:20 am) Directs the Oregon Business Development Department to develop and administer a program for awarding financial assistance for enhanced and new commercial activities that support the retention or expansion of eligible small businesses in Oregon.

Informational Meeting

Invited Speakers Only

(8:20-9:30 am) **Perspectives from the Business Community**

Paloma Sparks, Executive Vice President and General Counsel, Oregon Business and Industries
Duke Shepard, Senior Policy Director, Oregon Business and Industries
Marcia Walker, Director, Oregon State University Food Innovation Center
Terry Hopkins, President, Grants Pass & Josephine County Chamber of Commerce
Vanessa Sturgeon, President and CEO, TMT Development
Justin Gerlitz, Owner, Gerlitz Engineering
Chris Warren, CEO, WDX Specialties

Note change: presenters have been updated.

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