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### AGENDA

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#### MONDAY

**Date: March 17, 2025**  
**Time: 8:00 AM**  
**Room: HR B**

#### Public Hearing

- SB 977 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means  
Requires the Higher Education Coordinating Commission to work with Portland State University and community colleges to establish a post-secondary program for youth with intellectual and developmental disabilities.
- SB 978  
Requires school districts and education service districts to prepare an annual report of the legal processes involved in by the district during the school year, including the legal expenditures of the district for the school year.
- SB 983  
Permits local public officials to participate in discussion and debate and to vote on the adoption of a local budget that includes compensation for the public official or a relative of the public official after announcing an actual conflict of interest.

#### Work Session

- SB 905  
Eliminates reporting redundancies required under a Healthy and Safe Schools Plan.
- SB 953 \*\* \*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means  
Establishes the Task Force on Transitions into Kindergarten.

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