

A Chronological List of Legislation by Peter Courtney that Became Law

*Includes bills for which Courtney was Chief Sponsor or on which he did significant work
Compiled by many legislative assistants over many years*

1981

HB 2418. Allowed county clerks to conduct elections by mail in which candidates are not listed on the ballot on dates other than the primary or general election dates.

HB 2619. Required Director of Commerce to include in state building codes a requirement that disabled parking places be marked with signs.

HB 2664. Required the Executive Department to attempt to be of assistance to small businesses in "one-stop" permit program.

HB 2711. Allowed sentencing court to order a defendant to pay victims' general damages as well as special damages as part of a judgment in criminal cases.

HB 2712. Required Secretary of State to adopt readability standard for ballot titles of all measures rather than only state measures.

HB 2721. Authorized community school programs; directed the Department of Education to assist community schools; and established a State Advisory Committee for Community Schools appointed by the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

HB 3106. Abolished the use of the rule of 78ths in calculating rebates of unearned interest upon repayment of retail installment contracts and loans.

HCR 2. Expressed appreciation to President Jimmy Carter for his efforts in obtaining the freedom of hostages.

HCR 3. Congratulated President Reagan and Vice President Bush on inauguration.

HCR 8. Congratulated Oregon State Beaver basketball team.

HJM 2. Memorialized Congress to take action to lessen the impact that the release of presidential election returns from states in the East and Midwest has on voting in western continental states, Alaska, Hawaii, and U.S. territories in the Pacific.

1983

HB 2075 (Judiciary Committee bill). Abolished the verdict of "not responsible" and created the verdict of "guilty except for insanity."

HB 2420. Lowered blood alcohol limit to .08 for DUII.

HB 2434. Exempted volunteer firefighters from certain overtime and minimum wage laws.

HB 2443. Prohibited sale of hypodermic devices by pharmacists without a prescription.

HB 2462. Oregon Vietnam Veterans Benefits Act of 1983.

HB 2482. Requires payment from convicted person, or from bail security deposit of person who fails to appear in court to fund victims' programs.

HB 2489. Allowed governing body of a city, county, or county service district to appoint a library board.

HB 2588. Exempted from garnishment for collection of state taxes the same amounts of wages that are exempt from garnishment in satisfaction of other judgments unless the state has reason to believe collection is in jeopardy.

HB 2589. Modifies provisions and procedures for executive clemency and provides that clemency is void if procedures are not followed.

HB 2647. Added to those exempt from liability under the state's "Good Samaritan" Law, physicians acting as school athletic team physicians without compensation, except in cases of gross negligence.

HB 2754. Authorized financial institutions to invest in or organize community development corporations that meet certain criteria.

HB 2755. Included children of deceased Oregon Liquor Control Commission agency and spouse, or children of disabled agent within preferences for appointment of successor agent.

HB 2757. Established Oregon Civilian Conservation Corps, subject to availability of funds.

HB 2835. Gave person or governmental unit providing ambulance services a lien for the cost of those services.

HB 2913. Prohibited construction or maintenance of any hydroelectric facility or structure on certain segment of North Santiam River, exempting pre-existing dams and hydroelectric facilities and structures.

HB 2939. Changed the name of the Table Wine Research Advisory Board to "Wine Advisory Board" and directed the board to promote Oregon wine.

HB 3002. Authorized the Department of Education to make grants to community colleges and area education districts to establish a statewide network of small business assistance centers.

HJM 4. Memorializes US Senate and House of Representatives to support the continued use of mortgage revenue bonds to finance low and moderate-income housing.

HJM 6. Memorializes US Senate and House of Representatives to fund the Farmers Home Administration rural development program at 1982 levels.

1989

HB 2366. Requires State Board of Higher Education to establish part-time degree programs.

HB 2369. Created the crime of unlawful delivery of controlled substances to a student or minor within 1,000 feet of a school, punishable by a maximum of 20 years in prison and/or a \$100,000 fine.

HB 2431. Extended the statute of limitations in certain crimes against victims under 18.

HB 2525. Required that one member of the Teachers Standards and Practices Commission have expertise in special education.

HB 3498. Provided that the Executive Department could award grants for community policing demonstration projects.

1991

HB 2395. Revised the hearsay exception of the Oregon Evidence Code in cases of sexual abuse.

HB 2398. Allowed the Oregon Department of Human Services to obtain criminal record information from the Oregon State Police for child and adult care providers.

HB 2407. Extended the period of time that sex offenders must register with parole office or probation department and required sex offenders to give notice of change of address.

HB 2411. Extended the statute of limitations of certain felony and misdemeanor sexual offenses involving a child victim to allow prosecution any time before the victim attains a specified age or within six years of a reported felony or within four years of a reported misdemeanor, whichever occurs first.

HB 2415. Expanded the scope of the crime of unlawful sexual penetration.

HB 2445. Provided that the court could reinstate spousal support obligation after obligation has been terminated.

HB 2542. Separated the elements of sexual abuse in the first degree to create crimes of sexual abuse in the first and second degree and punishes the crime of sexual abuse in the first degree by a maximum of 10 years imprisonment and/or \$100,000 fine.

HB 2543. Provided that post-prison supervision for person convicted of committing or attempting to commit specified sexual offenses shall extend for length of time equal to the maximum statutory sentence for the offense.

HB 2544. Allowed for the prosecution of females for rape.

HB 2545. Created the crimes of child neglect in the first degree and child neglect in the second degree.

HB 2601. Required the Oregon Lottery Commission to establish an electronic lottery game based upon the results of sporting events.

HB 2644. Authorized the state payroll officer to deduct designated amounts from salary and wages of certain football coaches for the purposes of contributions to qualified football coaches' plans.

HB 2882. Created the Advisory Council on Child Abuse Assessment; and allowed parent or guardian of missing child to submit fingerprint card and photograph of the child to law enforcement agencies.

HB 3313. Established the Sex Offenses Against Children Task Force.

1993

HB 2481. Required the Department of Corrections to create and implement a "Boot Camp" for certain offenders.

HB 2487. Created the "Adopt a River" program.

HB 2759. Required that persons who own property within 1,400 feet of the residence of a registered sex offender be notified by the State Board of Parole of the offender's date of release and expected address.

HB 2489. Required background checks for teachers.

HB 2478. Allowed the State Board of Parole and Post-Prison Supervision to consider a second opinion on the danger posed by a sex offender before release.

HB 2482. Required registration by sex offenders deemed to be insane.

1995

HB 2364 (Became law in HB 2554). Established a waste, fraud, and abuse hotline.

HB 2486. Classified seaplanes as boats while they are on the water.

HB 2487. Allowed schools to suspend a student's driving privileges for violence in schools.

HB 2488 (Became law in SB 1135). Doubled the fines and created crimes in highway construction work zones.

HB 2490. Continued the Community Service Scholarship Program at Western Oregon State College.

HB 2592. Established the State Technical Assistance Team for child fatalities.

HB 2634. Allowed for the May 1995 Special Election.

HB 2828. Created the National Guard Tuition Program.

HJR 37 (Passed in SJR 14). Tightened up residency requirements for appointments to legislative offices.

HJM 11. Honored the Women's Basketball Team from Western Oregon State College.

1997

HB 2329. Raised the crime of hit and run with a watercraft from Class A misdemeanor to Class C felony.

HB 2382. Allowed pre-paid tuition programs in the Oregon University System.

HB 2388. Mandated insurance coverage for the special food required by children born with phenylketonuria (PKU).

HB 3352 (Judiciary Committee bill). Allowed for hunting with a companion by blind individuals.

HJR 23. Established the first Saturday in June as State Parks Day in Oregon.

1999

SB 443 (Judiciary Committee bill). Expanded the offense of driving under the influence of intoxicants to include driving under the influence of vapor releasing substances (inhalants).

SB 473 (Judiciary Committee bill). Encouraged multi-purpose use of state facilities for benefit of children and community activities.

SB 487 (Judiciary Committee bill). Required proof of attendance or other educational progress before the Department of Transportation may issue driver's license to persons under 18 years of age.

SB 655. Required the Salem Area Mass Transit District to expand district boundaries to conform to urban growth boundary of Salem.

SB 740 (Judiciary Committee bill). Expanded the group of persons required to report as sex offenders.

SB 756. Established the Oregon Qualified College Tuition Savings Program and the Oregon Qualified College Tuition Savings Board.

SB 944 (Judiciary Committee bill). Modified the definition of forcible compulsion for the purposes of sexual offenses and established that the lack of physical or verbal resistance does not, by itself, constitute consent.

SB 1013 (Judiciary Committee bill). Modified the method for reporting certain expenditures made by a vendor on behalf of a candidate or political committee and required that the specific purpose for such expenditures be identified and reported.

HB 2977. Created the boating operator's permit program and required a boating operator's permit to operate motorboats with an engine greater than 10 horsepower.

2001

SB 13. Required state and local governmental agencies to hold annual earthquake drills.

SB 14. Required a seismic safety survey of Oregon schools.

SB 15. Required a seismic safety survey of Oregon hospitals, fire stations, and police stations.

SB 114. Imposed civil penalties for violation of genetic privacy statutes and created the crime of unlawfully obtaining or disclosing genetic information.

SB 160. Directs school districts to require students in grades 7 through 12 who participate in sports to receive physical examination.

SB 166. Authorized creation of pet trusts and court appointment of trustee and of person to enforce terms and conditions of a pet trust.

SB 183. Established the procedure enabling the Department of Corrections to obtain reimbursement from inmate for costs of care incurred by the department.

SB 199. Allowed for a parent to leave an infant at an authorized facility under certain circumstances and established the affirmative defense to the crime of abandonment of a child if a person leaves infant in accordance with certain procedures.

SB 216. Prohibited persons gathering signatures from attempting to obtain signature of a person on initiative, referendum or recall petitions knowing that the person signing the petition is not qualified to sign the petition and established fines for violation of the prohibition.

SB 219 (Became law in HB 2781). Encouraged youth sports providers to determine crimes that disqualify individuals from supervision or coaching youth sports, to complete criminal record checks and require completion of sports education programs.

SB 220. Changed the process for appeal of decisions of voluntary organizations that administer interscholastic activities.

SB 227 (Became law in SB 230). Created the crime of sexual assault of an animal.

SB 243 (Judiciary Committee bill). Established the Emergency Medical Services for Children Program in the Health Division (providing for the emergency transport of critically ill children to an appropriate trauma facility).

SB 446. Revised the licensing system for real estate professionals and escrow agents.

SB 481. Removed the references to specific federal laws in statutes governing the authority of the Public Utilities Commission to enter into agreements relating to jurisdiction over certain pipeline and transportation of hazardous materials.

SB 489. Created the Oregon State Capitol Foundation as a separate agency within the Legislative Branch.

SB 492 (Judiciary Committee bill). Required court to permanently revoke driving privileges of person convicted for a fourth time of felony driving while under the influence of intoxicants.

SB 591. Modified provisions relating to private security service providers.

SB 626 (Rules Committee bill). Modified what constitutes material change of circumstances for exceptions to certain licensing requirements for bingo games (at the request of the Salem Boys and Girls Club).

SJR 21. Allowed voters to consider a constitutional amendment to allow the state to sell general obligation bonds to fund the seismic upgrading of Oregon Schools (Passed by voters in November 2002).

SJR 22. Allowed voters to consider a constitutional amendment to allow the state to sell general obligation bonds to fund the seismic upgrading of Oregon emergency facilities (Passed by voters in November 2002).

HB 2521. Established an income tax credit equal to 50 percent of scholarship funds paid by employers in providing scholarships to employees and their dependents.

HB 2571. Expanded the definition of tobacco products to include bidis, small thin hand-rolled cigarettes.

2003

SB 2. Extended emergency unemployment insurance benefits for up to 13 weeks.

SB 8. Created the Amber Alert system in Oregon.

SB 9. Required the state to provide coverage under employer-sponsored health plan for state employees or public officers while absent on military leave and allowed employers other than the state to provide coverage for officers or employees on military leave.

SB 74 (Judiciary Committee bill). Extended by six years the sunset date for mandated insurance coverage for the special food required by children born with phenylketonuria (PKU) as prescribed in HB 2388 in 1997.

SB 552. Specified procedures for special election if a vacancy in nomination of candidates is due to death of a candidate for certain state offices exists after 30th day before the date of a general election.

SB 613 (Judiciary Committee bill). Authorized sports official to order coach, team player or spectator to leave sports event and creates the crime of trespass at a sporting event.

2005

SB 1. Established Mental Health Parity by prohibiting group health insurers from imposing treatment limitations, limits on total payments for financial requirements on coverage for chemical dependency, including alcoholism, and for mental or nervous conditions unless similar limitations or requirements are imposed on coverage of other medical conditions.

SB 2. Directs the State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries to develop a statewide seismic needs assessment and appropriated money for the assessment.

SB 3. Required the Director of the Office of Emergency Management to develop a grant program for seismic rehabilitation of certain critical public buildings.

SB 4. Authorized the State Treasurer to issue bonds to fund grants for seismic upgrades to public schools.

SB 5. Authorized the State Treasurer to issue bonds to fund grants for seismic upgrades for emergency service facilities.

SB 7 (Became law in HB 3305). Emergency extension of unemployment insurance benefits.

SB 8 (Became law as parts of SB 1100 and HB 3504). Created the Oregon Military Emergency Financial Relief Program and appropriated funds to provide emergency relief for National Guard families.

SB 10 (Became law as parts of SB 1100 and HB 3504). Created the Veterans Service Officer Expansion Program and fund.

SB 18 (Became law as part of HB 2933). Exclude military death benefit from income tax.

SB 19 (Became law as part of HB 2933). Excluded active-duty military pay from Oregon income tax.

SB 369 (Became law in alternate form in SB 342). Required common course numbering for universities and community colleges.

SB 373. Allowed certain employees who provide educational services and certain employees of Oregon Liquor Control Commission to request the Oregon Department of Transportation use the address of their employer instead of the employee's home address on records maintained by the department.

SB 374 (Became law as part of SB 501). Required insurance coverage of colorectal cancer screening.

SB 486. Provided tuition waivers for survivors of National Guard members killed on active duty.

SB 487. Extended the validity of driver's licenses and registration for National Guard members and reservists stationed overseas.

SB 488 (Became law in alternate form as HB 2840). Modified speed limits in school zones.

SB 489. Modified provisions for appealing PUC orders by allowing judicial review by the Oregon Court of Appeals.

SB 1064. Established the right of a person receiving mental health and developmental disability services to be informed that a family member has contacted the Oregon Department of Human Services to determine the location of the person receiving services. (Known as the "Where's Molly?" bill).

SB 1084. Created the Public Commission on the Oregon Legislature to study the operation of the Oregon Legislative Assembly and required the commission to make recommendations to the Legislature.

SB 1097. Authorized the Oregon Department of Human Services to disclose information about the cremated remains of former patients at the Oregon State Hospital.

2007

SB 1. Appropriated money to the Office of Emergency Management to fund the seismic grant committee.

SB 5. Modified membership of certain legislative committees.

SB 8. Required that health benefit plans that cover chemotherapy to cover orally administered anti-cancer medication as a medical benefit.

SB 10. Updated and strengthened Oregon's ethical conduct laws applying to public officials.

SB 32. Required the Oregon Department of Human Services to disclose certain information regarding cremated remains in its possession.

SB 367 (Became law in HB 3141). Directed the Oregon Department of Education to collect data from school districts about the number of minutes of physical education instruction provided to Oregon students in grades one through eight.

SB 370 (Became law in HB 3141). Required a minimum number of physical education instruction for Oregon students in grades one through eight, effective with the 2017-18 school year.

SB 371. Increased membership on the Legislative Emergency Board and required that a majority of House members on the board and a majority of Senate members on the board be present to establish a quorum.

SB 517. Prohibits school district employees, contractors, and volunteers from selling, marketing, distributing, endorsing or suggesting anabolic steroids or performance-enhancing drugs to students.

SB 707. Added water and flavored water containers to those beverage containers subject to deposit and redemption under Oregon's Bottle Bill.

SB 1040. Required that school district boards adopt policies and procedures relating to self-administration of medication by students with asthma or severe allergies.

SB 1052. Provides for increased, nonwaivable assessment in methamphetamine-related crimes, except juvenile cases, and directs that the proceeds from the assessment be used to administer substance abuse treatment programs.

SCR 1. Established deadlines for the 2007 session of the Oregon Legislative Assembly and procedures for convening the February 2008 supplemental session.

2008

SB 1072. Modified the crime of participating in dogfighting by including spectators along with organizers and dog owners and handlers.

SCR 24. Honored the annual Hood to Coast Relay.

2009

SB 5. Allowed for the appointment of the Adjutant General of the Oregon National Guard in the grade of lieutenant general.

SB 8. Allows health care workers authorized or permitted by law to administer health care services in another state and who are registered with the Department of Human Services as an

emergency health care provider, to administer health care services in Oregon during an emergency.

SB 9. Removed the sunset on the law requiring insurance coverage of special food for children with Phenylketonuria (PKU).

SB 10. Required the Department of Human Services to establish rules, policies, and procedures to implement Convention on Protection of Children and Co-operation in Request of Intercountry Adoption in Oregon.

SB 25. Established the Oregon State Hospital Advisory Board.

SB 280. Increased the maximum penalty for the crimes of participation in, and involvement in, cockfighting to five years imprisonment and/or a \$125,000 fine.

SB 323. Allowed for persons required to submit reports to the Oregon Legislative Assembly to do so electronically.

SB 339. Prohibited the Oregon Department of Administrative Services and Governor from reducing amounts allotted to state agencies for payment of debt service.

SB 401. Directs the Department of Human Services to develop and implement a plan to increase supervision and treatment in underserved regions of the state for persons conditionally released by the Psychiatric Security Review Board.

SB 640. Required all real estate broker and real estate property manager applicants to have a high school diploma or equivalent certification and established new continuing education requirements for real estate licensees.

SB 643 (Became law in HB 5054). Appropriated moneys from the General Fund to Department of Education for the purpose of awarding grants to school districts and public charter schools for physical education and conditioning as part of a physical education program.

SB 671. Established the Capitol Planning Commission and directed the commission to review and make recommendations on proposals for certain projects in the Capitol area.

HB 2470. Prohibited puppy mills.

HB 3471. Required the Department of Human Services to work with the United States Department of State to implement the requirements of the Convention on Protection of Children and Co-operation in Respect of Intercountry Adoption for purposes relating to the adoption of foreign children.

2010

SB 991. Created the Safe Families program by exempting facilitators and providers of certain parental respite services from regulation by the Department of Human Services.

SB 1014. Clarified that state boards and commissions may meet through telephone or other electronic means and provided clean-up provisions for various state boards and commissions.

2011

SB 3. Replaced mental retardation in state statutes with the words intellectual disability.

SB 6 (Became law in HB 3247). Improved Oregon's one-stop shop for small business in the Office of the Secretary of State.

SB 10. Clarified whether provisions that reference sessions of the Legislative Assembly have annual or biennial implications.

SB 440. Adjusted amount of times certain boards must meet annually and repealed provisions relating to certain task forces and establishing the Healthy Streams Partnership.

SB 805 (Environment and Natural Resources Committee bill). Created a standard minimum space requirement for laying hens, whose eggs are sold in Oregon.

SB 973. Repealed the sunset clause on provisions allowing persons with limited vision to operate motor vehicles at night only if certain conditions are met.

SB 976. Established the law enforcement Medal of Ultimate Sacrifice and created procedures for awarding the medal to family of law enforcement officers killed in the line of duty.

SCR 4. Honored Dr. William "Bud" Pierce and his wife Selma Pierce for their contributions to Salem and the State of Oregon.

2012

SB 1548. Prohibited publication of an advertisement for a job vacancy that limits applicants to persons who are not currently unemployed.

SB 1565. Allowed for the dispensing of specific medications by Physician's Assistants.

SB 1566. Required that annual school report cards include a link to the seismic score reports for Oregon Schools, allowing parents to know the seismic readiness of their child's school.

SB 1591. Transferred responsibilities for nine highway rest stops to the Oregon Travel Experience.

2013

SB 1. Allowed military veterans in Oregon to be off work on Veterans Day holiday as long as it does not cause an undue hardship for their employers.

SB 2. Created a scholarship program for certain health care students at Oregon Health and Science University if the students agree to serve rural communities or underserved populations as a primary care provider.

SB 3. Added members to the Oregon Legislative Indian Services Commission and required that one Democrat and one Republican from each legislative chamber be appointed to serve on the commission.

SB 5 (Became law in HB 3296). Required athlete agents to register with the State of Oregon and contact educational institution before contacting a student-athlete.

SB 6. Increased penalties for animal abusers—including increasing the sentencing grid categories based on repeat offenses and the number of animals neglected. It also speeds up the process by which animals are released from impoundment and adopted and decreases the number of fake rescue groups by requiring registration, licensing, and facility inspection.

SB 7. Reorganize the Oregon State Fair so that it may operate more like a business – with creativity, flexibility, and using the expertise of the community members.

SB 8. Allowed for the dispensing of specific medications by Nurse Practitioners.

SB 9. Increased the fine for texting and talking on a cell phone while driving.

SB 10 (Became law in HB 2787). Ensured that certain Oregon High School graduates can pay in-state resident tuition regardless of their immigration status.

SB 276. Required that the Oregon Travel Experience conduct an annual financial review and report its findings back to the legislature.

2014

SB 1518. Granted collective bargaining rights to certain firefighters who supervise other employees.

SB 1582. Extended the Oregon Medical Insurance Pool to make health insurance coverage available for high-risk individuals until the state health care exchange can enroll these participants.

HB 4090. Allows the Department of Education to award grants to encourage participation in the Summer Food Service Program.

HB 4124. Establishes Youth Suicide Intervention and Prevention Coordinator within Oregon Health Authority.

HB 4148. Changes interest rate accruing on deferred taxes under homestead property tax deferral program from six percent compounded annually to six percent per annum.

2015

SB 1. Dissolved Cover Oregon and moved the remaining necessary portions of the state health care marketplace to the Department of Consumer and Business Services.

SB 3. Increased the penalties for violating a domestic violence related protective order.

SB 4. Modified definition of an “animal rescue entity” and “legal custody” of animals.

SB 5. Named portions of State Highway 126 the William Tebeau Memorial Highway.

SB 7. Required OHA IT contracting to comply with the Public Contracting Code and DAS.

SB 8 (became law in HB 2317). Increases the statute of limitations for rape and other certain sex crimes to 12 years.

SB 9. Directed Secretary of State to conduct performance audit of state agency public records retention and disclosure practices.

SB 614. Provided that peace officer may enter motor vehicle and impound animal if there is probable cause to believe animal is being subjected to certain criminal offenses.

SB 921. Directed Department of Transportation to make efforts to complete installation of median barriers between opposing lanes of travel on interstate highways in certain circumstances.

SCR 15. Declared that lobby message center in Oregon State Capitol be known as David S. Barrows Lobby Center.

HCR 13. Commemorated 100th anniversary of McKinley Elementary School.

2016

SB 1512. Aids school districts by allowing proceeds from seismic rehabilitation bonds to be used for surveying, engineering evaluations and the costs of personnel, advisors, equipment, supplies and services that are reasonably necessary to carry out seismic rehabilitation grant program.

SB 1513. Authorizes counties to exempt up to \$250,000 of assessed value of each homestead owned and occupied by surviving spouse of fire service professional, police officer or reserve officer killed in line of duty from ad valorem property taxes imposed by all taxing jurisdictions.

SB 1522. Designates May of each year as Cystic Fibrosis Awareness Month.

SB 1569. Establishes the Legislative Policy and Research Committee and directs committee to select Legislative Policy and Research Director to lead the Legislative Policy and Research Office.

SB 1595. Permits administration of affirmation, in the place of swearing, to witnesses in legislative proceedings.

SB 1600. Removes the statute of limitations on first-degree sex crimes by authorizing prosecution at any time after commission of crime if prosecuting attorney obtains corroborating evidence of crime.

2017

SCR 7. In memoriam: Senator Alan Bates, 1945-2016.

SCR 15. In memoriam: Dolores Hewitt Atiyeh, 1923-2016.

SCR 16. In memoriam: Pat Straub, 1923-2016.

SB 2. Became law as House Bill 2597. Increased penalties for operating a motor vehicle while using a mobile communication device.

SB 3. Updated in-stream mining laws on behalf of Senator Alan Bates who passed away in 2016.

SB 4. Clarified physical education requirements in public schools and extended the deadline for compliance by school districts.

SB 5. Adopted the uniform law commission standards for how athlete agents are allowed to interact with student-athletes.

SB 146. Designates the third Saturday in March of each year as Cherry Blossom Day in Oregon.

SB 378. Adds Oregon Volunteer Firefighters Association to list of entities eligible for individual income tax return checkoff contribution.

SB 1050. Provides that presumptive sentence for certain sex crimes is life imprisonment without possibility of release or parole if defendant has certain prior conviction at time of offense.

SB 1067. Establishes a series of state budget cost containment measures including specified reporting requirements to ensure legislative review of potential future costs in state government workforce.

2018

HB 4008. Makes calculation of projected future earning potential of plaintiff that takes into account race or ethnicity of plaintiff inadmissible in civil action.

SB 1501. Reduces minimum and maximum number of members for State Fair Council.

SB 1516. Establishes Small Business Expansion Loan Fund to be administered by Oregon Business Development Department for purpose of making loans of early-stage growth capital to individuals and business entities with 50 or fewer employees that may not be able to obtain adequate traditional commercial or private financing to meet operational and growth needs.

SB 1536. Provides that directors of certain mass transit districts be appointed by Governor instead of elected.

SB 1562. Provides that person commits crime of strangulation if person knowingly impedes normal breathing or circulation of another person by applying pressure to chest of other person.

SB 1563. Removes requirement that students who are not citizens or lawful permanent residents apply for official federal identification document to be eligible for exemption from paying nonresident tuition at public universities.

SB 1567. Removes ability of major political party to use party rule, rather than primary election, to select party nominee in situations when vacancy in state office or office of state Senator occurs on or before 70th day before primary election and remaining two years of term of office are filled by electors at next general election.

SCR 201. Recognizes 2017 Oregon Women of Achievement for outstanding leadership and service to people of Oregon.

SCR 205. Recognizes and celebrates Dr. Joe Robertson for his career at Oregon Health and Science University and extends well wishes to him upon his retirement.

2019

SB 1. Establishes System of Care Advisory Council to provide forum for statewide system of care policy development and planning.

SB 2. Allows listed eastern Oregon counties that undertake economic opportunity analysis to designate up to 50 acres outside urban growth boundaries for industrial and other employment uses notwithstanding statewide planning goals related to agriculture, forest use or urbanization.

SB 3. Permits community colleges to offer applied baccalaureate degree programs under specified conditions and upon receiving approval from Higher Education Coordinating Commission.

SB 8. Requires Land Use Board of Appeals to award local governments and applicants their expenses and attorney fees against petitioners if affirming local government's approval of publicly supporting housing.

SB 9. Allows pharmacists to prescribe and dispense emergency refills of insulin and associated insulin-related devices and supplies.

SB 608. Prohibits landlord from terminating month-to-month tenancy without cause after 12 months of occupancy.

SB 1049. Redirects portion of employee contributions of member of Public Employees Retirement System to employee pension stability account.

SB 1053. Establishes TriMet Crash Advisory Committee.

2021

SB 2. Prohibits health insurers from imposing prior authorization or other utilization review requirements on the coverage of proton beam therapy for the treatment of prostate cancer that is stricter than what is applied to radiation therapy.

SB 3. Requires health benefit plans to cover emergency medical services transports (ground, air, water) to the nearest medical facility capable of meeting their health needs.

SB 4. Adds an Executive Director to the System of Care Advisory Council set up under SB 1 (2019) and adds reporting requirements to increase accountability on expenditures.

SB 5. Gives college athletes the right to sign contracts that provide compensation for use of their name, image, and likeness, including through endorsement deals and appearance fees. Allows college athletes to retain professional representation.

SB 8. Expands where affordable housing can be built by allowing developments to be sited on land zoned for commercial uses or that is owned by public or religious entities. Allows affordable housing to be developed at greater densities on land already zoned for residential uses.

SB 201 (Judiciary committee bill – original work on bill was done through SB 1503 A in 2020 Regular Session). DUII fix. Provides that person commits offense of driving while under influence of intoxicants if person has blood alcohol level of 0.08 percent or more by weight within two hours after driving vehicle.

2022

SB 1501. Implements the Private Forest Accord, a result of mediation sessions between the forest industry and environmental interests on changes to the Oregon Forest Practices Act.

SB 1502. Creates income and corporate excise tax credits for small forestland owners that observe riparian timber harvest restrictions applicable to large forestland owners.

SB 1504. Prohibits the Oregon Racing Commission from granting a license for greyhound race meets (effectively banning greyhound racing in the state). Codifies ORC rule that an individual may not wager on live greyhound racing through wagering hubs based in Oregon if the jurisdiction of their residence prohibits wagering on live greyhound races.

SB 1505. Requires producers of college team jerseys, video games, and trading cards to pay a royalty to each college athlete whose name, image, or likeness (NIL) is used.

HB 4026. Awards grants to wildfire-impacted school districts for four school years to cover funding decreases resulting from reductions in enrollment due to the 2020 wildfire season.