

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, LAND USE, NATURAL RESOURCES, AND WATER

March 31, 2025
08:00 AM

Hearing Room D

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Ken Helm, Co-Chair
Rep. Mark Owens, Co-Chair
Rep. Sarah Finger McDonald, Vice-Chair
Rep. Court Boice
Rep. Annessa Hartman
Rep. Bobby Levy
Rep. Pam Marsh
Rep. Susan McLain
Rep. Anna Scharf

STAFF PRESENT: Anna Glueder, LPRO Analyst
Allison Darne, Committee Assistant

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

MEASURES/ISSUES: HB 2730 – Work Session
HB 2950 – Work Session
HB 3010 – Work Session
HB 3103 – Work Session
HB 3587 – Work Session
HB 3786 – Work Session
HB 2808 – Public Hearing
HB 2165 – Public Hearing
HB 2803 – Public Hearing

00:00:03 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:04 Co-Chair Helm
00:00:57 Rep. Boice

00:01:11 **HB 2730 - Work Session**

00:01:12 Co-Chair Helm

00:01:20 Anna Glueder, LPRO Analyst

00:01:53 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES TO ADOPT THE -4
AMENDMENTS

00:02:08 Rep. Boice

00:02:12 Vice-Chair Finger McDonald

00:02:34 VOTE: 9-0-0

AYE: BOICE, HARTMAN, B. LEVY, MARSH, MCLAIN, SCHARF, FINGER
MCDONALD, OWENS, HELM

00:02:45 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES HB 2730 DO
PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE
ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

00:03:07 VOTE: 9-0-0
AYE: BOICE, HARTMAN, B. LEVY, MARSH, MCLAIN, SCHARF, FINGER
MCDONALD, OWENS, HELM

00:03:25 **HB 2950 - Work Session**

00:03:26 Co-Chair Helm

00:03:34 Anna Glueder, LPRO Analyst

00:04:14 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES TO ADOPT THE -4
AMENDMENTS

00:04:32 Rep. McLain

00:05:14 Rep. Boice

00:06:27 Co-Chair Owens

00:07:37 VOTE: 9-0-0
AYE: BOICE, HARTMAN, B. LEVY, MARSH, MCLAIN, SCHARF, FINGER
MCDONALD, OWENS, HELM

00:08:07 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES HB 2950 DO
PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE
ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

00:08:31 VOTE: 9-0-0
AYE: BOICE, HARTMAN, B. LEVY, MARSH, MCLAIN, SCHARF, FINGER
MCDONALD, OWENS, HELM

00:08:45 **HB 3010 - Work Session**

00:08:46 Co-Chair Helm

00:08:54 Anna Glueder, LPRO Analyst

00:09:47 MOTION: REP. SCHARF MOVES TO ADOPT THE -3 AMENDMENTS

00:10:06 Meeting Recessed

00:10:15 Meeting Reconvened

00:10:24 Rep. Scharf

00:11:42 Co-Chair Owens

00:11:52 Rep. Boice

00:12:23 VOTE: 4-5-0
AYE: BOICE, HARTMAN, B. LEVY, SCHARF
NAY: MARSH, MCLAIN, FINGER MCDONALD, OWENS, HELM

00:12:57 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES TO ADOPT THE -5
AMENDMENTS

00:13:34 Rep. McLain

00:15:09 Rep. B. Levy

00:15:25 VOTE: 6-3-0
AYE: HARTMAN, MARSH, MCLAIN, FINGER MCDONALD, OWENS,
HELM
NAY: BOICE, B. LEVY, SCHARF

00:15:54 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES HB 3010 DO
PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE
ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

00:18:17 VOTE: 6-3-0
AYE: HARTMAN, MARSH, MCLAIN, FINGER MCDONALD, OWENS,
HELM
NAY: BOICE, B. LEVY, SCHARF

00:18:47 **HB 3103 - Work Session**

00:18:48 Co-Chair Helm

00:19:00 Anna Glueder, LPRO Analyst

00:19:40 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES TO ADOPT THE -5
AMENDMENTS

00:19:58 Co-Chair Owens

00:20:46 Rep. Marsh

00:21:09 Rep. Boice

00:21:15 VOTE: 9-0-0

AYE: BOICE, HARTMAN, B. LEVY, MARSH, MCLAIN, SCHARF, FINGER
MCDONALD, OWENS, HELM

00:21:30 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES HB 3103 DO
PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE
ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

00:21:52 VOTE: 9-0-0

AYE: BOICE, HARTMAN, B. LEVY, MARSH, MCLAIN, SCHARF, FINGER
MCDONALD, OWENS, HELM

00:21:59 **HB 3587 - Work Session**

00:22:00 Co-Chair Helm

00:22:09 Anna Glueder, LPRO Analyst

00:23:01 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES TO ADOPT THE -3
AMENDMENTS

00:23:17 VOTE: 9-0-0

AYE: BOICE, HARTMAN, B. LEVY, MARSH, MCLAIN, SCHARF, FINGER
MCDONALD, OWENS, HELM

00:23:24 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES HB 3587 DO
PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE
ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

00:23:46 VOTE: 9-0-0

AYE: BOICE, HARTMAN, B. LEVY, MARSH, MCLAIN, SCHARF, FINGER
MCDONALD, OWENS, HELM

00:23:57 **HB 3786 - Work Session**

00:23:58 Co-Chair Helm

00:24:07 Anna Glueder, LPRO Analyst

00:24:43 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES TO ADOPT THE -1
AMENDMENTS

00:25:31 VOTE: 9-0-0
AYE: BOICE, HARTMAN, B. LEVY, MARSH, MCLAIN, SCHARF, FINGER
MCDONALD, OWENS, HELM

00:25:39 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR FINGER MCDONALD MOVES HB 3786 DO
PASS AS AMENDED AND BE REFERRED TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE
ON WAYS AND MEANS BY PRIOR REFERENCE

00:26:00 VOTE: 9-0-0
AYE: BOICE, HARTMAN, B. LEVY, MARSH, MCLAIN, SCHARF, FINGER
MCDONALD, OWENS, HELM

00:26:20 **HB 2808 - Public Hearing**

00:26:21 Co-Chair Helm

00:26:45 Ivan Gall, Director, Oregon Water Resources Department (OWRD)

00:26:49 Bryn Hudson, Legislative Coordinator, OWRD

00:31:58 Rep. Scharf

00:35:36 Rep. Boice

00:36:28 CJ Nugent, Nugent Drilling Company, Lebanon

00:40:33 Rep. B. Levy

00:41:34 **HB 2165 - Public Hearing**

00:41:35 Co-Chair Helm

00:42:13 Greg Kupillas, Chair, Government Affairs Committee, Oregon Ground
Water Association (OGWA)

00:46:13 Eric Schneider, President, OGWA; Co-Owner, Water Well Drilling and
Pump Company; Member, Groundwater Advisory Committee

00:49:22 CJ Nugent, Nugent Drilling Company, Lebanon

00:51:17 Rep. Scharf

00:52:04 Ivan Gall, Director, Oregon Water Resources Department

00:53:09 Co-Chair Owens

00:59:49 Rep. McLain

01:02:36 Rep. B. Levy

01:03:08 Rep. Marsh

01:05:15 **HB 2803 - Public Hearing**

01:05:16 Co-Chair Helm

01:05:30 Ivan Gall, Director, Oregon Water Resources Department (OWRD)

01:05:35 Bryn Hudson, Legislative Coordinator, OWRD

01:17:47 Rep. McLain

01:17:56 Co-Chair Owens

01:20:44 Rep. B. Levy

01:22:13 Rep. Scharf

01:23:55 Rep. Boice

01:27:52 Rep. Marsh

01:30:10 Ken Yates, Policy Coordinator, Oregon Water Resources Congress

01:39:18 Ryan Krabill, Manager, Government Affairs, Oregon Farm Bureau

01:43:21 Meeting Adjourned