

JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
SUBCOMMITTEE ON CAPITAL CONSTRUCTION

May 9, 2025
01:00 PM

Hearing Room F

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Fred Girod, Co-Chair
Sen. Lew Frederick
Sen. Mike McLane
Sen. Rob Wagner

Rep. Rob Nosse, Co-Chair
Rep. Christine Drazan
Rep. Nancy Nathanson

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:

Sen. Kate Lieber

Rep. Jason Kropf
Rep. Greg Smith

GUEST MEMBER(S):

Sen. David Brock Smith
Senate District 1

STAFF PRESENT:

Walt Campbell, Legislative Fiscal Office
Jade Briski, Committee Assistant
Lizzie Lohrer, Committee Assistant
Vivian Stair, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS:

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

00:00:28 [Meeting Called to Order](#)

00:00:29 Senator Girod, Presiding Co-Chair

00:00:36 [SB 5531 Lottery Bond Authorization](#)

00:00:40 Co-Chair Girod

00:04:51 Nichole Rutherford, City Manager, City of Coos Bay

00:07:02 Jeana Beam, Executive Director, Glide Revitalization

00:08:30 Danielle MacBain, Grants and Government Affairs Manager, Mosaic Community Health

00:10:08 Doug Fairrington, President, The RIVER
00:11:43 Grant Polson, Commissioner, Hood River White Salmon Bridge Authority
00:13:50 Ginger Redlinger, Superintendent and Principal, Siletz Valley Charter School
00:15:48 Stacy Rager, Executive Director of Early Learning, Northwest Regional ESD
00:17:31 Suellen Whitlock, Senior Director, Head Start and Early Childhood Services,
Umatilla Morrow Head Start
00:19:47 Daye Stone, Superintendent, Prospect School District
00:21:41 Daniel Tague, Sheriff, Lake County
00:23:11 Tiffany Edwards, Eugene Area Chamber of Commerce
00:25:16 Isis Thornton-Saunders, City of Central Point
00:26:56 Jen Stuart, Pastor, Bend United Methodist Church
00:28:55 Richard Heard, Owner and President, Heard Farms Inc.
00:31:15 Kathleen Istudor, Row River Fire Response
00:33:21 Ty Richardson, Public Works Director, City of Burns
00:35:34 Jimmy Sanchez, Fire Chief, City of Grants Pass
00:37:15 Craig Berdie, Mayor, City of Yachats
00:39:12 Elisabeth Adams, City Councilor, City of Astoria
00:41:14 James Johnson, Mayor, City of Elgin
00:42:17 Jim Simmons, President, Board of Directors, Crescent Sanitary District
00:44:24 Keith Wilson, Mayor, City of Portland
00:46:20 Robin Hartmann, Executive Director, Umpqua Valley Habitat for Humanity
00:48:23 Bernard Seeger, Council Member, City of Cascade Locks
00:50:28 William Jorgensen, City Administrator, City of Rainier
00:51:55 Dave Robertson, Chief Public Affairs Officer, Port of Portland
00:53:54 Nadine Gartner, Board Chair, Mittleman Jewish Community Center
00:56:17 Daniel Kim, Founder and Chief Executive Officer, Lit Motors Corporation
00:58:24 Rick Gaupo, President, Marion Polk Food Share
01:00:16 Tyrone Jones, Co-Founder, The Parker Foundation
01:02:15 Brad Albert, General Manager, Oak Lodge Water Services
01:04:31 Audrey Forest, Friends of the Children, Portland
01:06:31 Adam Garvin, Board President, McMinnville Fire District
01:08:35 Sam DeSue, General Manager, TriMet
01:10:22 Frank Bubenik, Mayor, City of Tualatin
01:12:25 Mark Jackson, Pastor, Oasis of Praise International Ministries
01:14:14 Michelle Cordova, Executive Director, Willamette Heritage Center
01:16:00 Tim Davis, Founder, Valor Mentoring
01:17:51 Kathleen Walker, Mayor, City of Sandy
01:19:54 Brandi Tuck, Executive Director, Path Home
01:21:54 Duke Shepard, Senior Policy Director, Oregon Business and Industry
01:23:22 Brian Asher, Mayor, City of Aurora
01:25:45 Pete Kerns, President and CEO, Serenity Lane
01:27:50 Eric Rasor, Executive Director, Soaring Heights Recovery Homes
01:29:29 Tom Holt, City of North Plains
01:30:39 Theresa Scott, Executive Director, B-17 Alliance

01:32:01 Brian Crow, Executive Director, Clackamas County Fair and Event Center
01:34:22 Cale George, Mayor, City of Sherridan
01:36:24 Sheri Schouten, Board Member, Dougy Center
01:38:30 Steve Vets, Chief Medical Officer and Emergency Medical Services Medical Director, Santiam Hospital and Clinics
01:40:02 Eric Pritchard, Director, Santiam Hospital and Clinics Foundation
01:40:40 Beach Pace, Mayor, City of Hillsboro
01:42:32 Joseph Stieninger, City Council President, City of Hubbard
01:44:31 Jon Stinnett, Lane County Coalition of Recreation, Arts, and Athletics
01:46:14 Kathy Robinson, Director, Canby Adult Center
01:48:34 Jeffrey Dalin, Mayor, City of Cornelius
01:49:22 Paola, Co-Chair, Cornelius Youth Advisory Council
01:50:39 Margi Bradway, Director, Department of Community Services, Multnomah County
01:52:22 Laura Crofoot, Board President, Helping Hands Resources
01:54:28 Christine Lewis, Chair, Willamette Falls Locks Authority
01:56:04 Ray Keen, Executive Director, The Canby Center
01:58:04 Nengi Diriyai, Vice President, Board of Directors, Meals on Wheels People
02:00:09 Todd Jeter, Associate Vice President of Equity and Member Service, InterCommunity Health Network
02:01:57 Margaux Weeke, Senior Public Affairs and Community Engagement Specialist, Urban Flood Safety and Water Quality District
02:03:59 Julia Mitchell, Chief Operating Officer, Portland Opportunities Industrialization Center
02:06:16 Stephen Bates, President, Vietnam War Memorial Fund
02:07:37 Michele Eldridge, City Administrator, City of Harrisburg
02:09:42 Kyle Fetzer, Assistant Public Works Director, City of Tillamook
02:11:45 Freda Walker, Chief Compliance Officer, Self Enhancement, Inc.
02:14:12 Ivan Gall, Director, Oregon Water Resources Department
02:16:16 Alan Hume, Fire Chief, Sublimity Fire District
02:18:07 Tom Dejardin, Executive Director, Mt. Scott Learning Center
02:20:05 Susan Bladholm, Frog Ferry
02:21:59 Katie Brown, Founder, Scorpion Creek Ranch
02:24:23 Brian Quigley, Mayor, City of Stayton
02:26:29 Jason Ogden, City Manager and Chief of Police, City of Sweet Home
02:28:24 Darcee Kilsdonk, Executive Director, Clackamas County Children's Commission, Inc.
02:30:29 Elaina Turpin, Assistant City Manager, City of Estacada
02:32:54 Eva Pignotti, Chief Program Officer of Early Learning, Mid-Willamette Valley Community Action Agency
02:34:53 Mary Baumgardner, Board Member, Willamette Falls Trust
02:36:09 Sherrie Rininger, Mayor, City of John Day
02:38:28 Ben Gurewitz, Disability Rights Oregon
02:40:30 Jason Freilinger, Mayor, City of Silverton

02:41:12 Cory Misley, City Manager, City of Silverton
02:42:03 Bryson Davis, President, Williams and Russell CDC
02:44:23 Levi Eckhardt, Fire Chief, Jefferson Rural Fire Protection District
02:46:30 Russell Burrows, City Councilor, City of Lafayette
02:48:32 Ron Whitlatch, City Manager and City Engineer, City of Lebanon
02:50:06 Tim Josi, City Councilor, City of Bay City
02:51:23 Joseph Furia, Executive Director and President, World Forestry Center
02:55:12 Joaquín Lara Midkiff, Grants and Government Affairs Manager, Capaces Leadership Institute
02:55:30 Pat Hare, City Administrator, City of Adair Village
02:56:17 Storr Nelson, City Council President, City of Dundee
02:58:04 Lawrence Magura, Commissioner, Rivergrove Water District
02:59:51 Greyson Dusenbery, Senior, West Salem High School
03:02:05 Tim Schallich, Board Member and Treasurer, Salmonberry Trail Foundation
03:04:12 Sarah Arbuckle reads Rep. Hoa Nguyen's testimony
03:06:18 Ryan Noss, Superintendent, Corvallis School District
03:08:25 Cindy Becker, Project Manager, Clackamas County Recovery Campus
03:10:46 Mark Daniel, City Manager and Chief of Police, City of Mt. Angel
03:12:44 Henry Balensifer, Mayor, City of Warrenton
03:14:17 Jerry Jones, President, MACHER
03:16:12 Kristin Yurdin, Board Member and Treasurer, Terrebonne Sanitary District
03:18:09 Beth Hays, Community Resource Trust
03:20:07 Michael Elliott, Director of School Facilities and Special Projects, Department of Education
03:20:58 Co-Chair Nosse
03:21:09 Erik Thorsen, Chief Executive Officer, Columbia Memorial Hospital
03:23:06 Co-Chair Nosse
03:23:17 Walt Campbell, Legislative Fiscal Office
03:23:25 Mr. Thorsen
03:23:31 Andrew Maeda, Executive Director, Ontario Recreation District
03:25:13 Co-Chair Girod
03:25:38 Mr. Campbell
03:26:03 [Meeting Adjourned](#)