

JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

May 14, 2025
01:00 PM

Hearing Room H-174

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Janeen Sollman, Co-Chair
Sen. Lew Frederick
Sen. Suzanne Weber

Rep. Ricki Ruiz, Co-Chair
Rep. Zach Hudson
Rep. Susan McLain
Rep. Boomer Wright
Rep. Dwayne Yunker

STAFF PRESENT:

Wendy Gibson, Legislative Fiscal Office
Haylee Morse-Miller, Legislative Fiscal Office
Lizzie Lohrer, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS:

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

00:00:37 [Meeting Called to Order](#)
00:00:38 Senator Sollman, Presiding Co-Chair
00:00:58 Haylee Morse-Miller, Legislative Fiscal Office

00:01:19 [SB 5524 Relating to the financial administration of specified boards](#)
00:01:28 Haylee Morse-Miller, Legislative Fiscal Office
00:07:37 MOTION: Co-Chair Ruiz moves the LFO recommendation to SB 5524
00:07:50 Rep. McLain
00:08:54 Ms. Morse-Miller
00:09:42 Rep. McLain
00:10:38 Ms. Morse-Miller
00:10:52 Rep. McLain
00:10:59 Rep. Yunker
00:11:57 Ms. Morse-Miller
00:12:43 Rep. Yunker
00:12:49 Co-Chair Sollman
00:14:42 Rep. McLain
00:15:25 Erin Knight Haag, Executive Director, Oregon Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology & Audiology

00:17:23 VOTE: 7-1-0
Ayes: Sens. Frederick, Sollman, Weber; Reps. Hudson, McLain, Ruiz, Wright
Nays: Rep. Yunker
MOTION CARRIES

00:17:40 Ms. Morse-Miller

00:18:56 MOTION: Co-Chair Ruiz moves the LFO recommendation on key performance measures

00:19:12 Rep. Wright

00:20:49 Co-Chair Sollman

00:22:00 Rep. Yunker

00:23:36 VOTE: 8-0-0
Ayes: Sens. Frederick, Sollman, Weber; Reps. Hudson, McLain, Ruiz, Wright, Yunker
MOTION CARRIES

00:23:43 Ms. Morse-Miller

00:24:08 MOTION: Co-Chair Ruiz moves the adoption of the –2 Amendment to SB 5524

00:24:34 VOTE: 8-0-0
Ayes: Sens. Frederick, Sollman, Weber; Reps. Hudson, McLain, Ruiz, Wright, Yunker
MOTION CARRIES

00:24:40 Ms. Morse-Miller

00:24:53 MOTION: Co-Chair Ruiz moves SB 5524, as amended, to the Full Committee with a do pass recommendation

00:25:14 VOTE: 7-1-0
Ayes: Sens. Frederick, Sollman, Weber; Reps. Hudson, McLain, Ruiz, Wright
Nays: Rep. Yunker
MOTION CARRIES
Carrier: Rep. Ruiz

00:26:06 **Department of Education - Educator Advancement Council Grant Programs**

00:26:14 Wendy Gibson, Legislative Fiscal Office

00:27:16 Karen Pérez, Executive Director, Educator Advancement Council, Department of Education

00:41:09 Erin Rau, Deputy Director, Office of Student Access and Completion, Higher Education Coordinating Commission

00:43:42 Rep. Hudson

00:43:53 Ms. Rau

00:44:09 Ms. Pérez

00:44:18 Shara Mondragon, Senior Operations and Policy Analyst, Teacher Standards and Practices Commission

00:47:41 Ms. Pérez

00:47:47 Rep. Wright

00:48:04 Ms. Pérez

00:48:28 Rep. Wright

00:48:57 Ms. Pérez
00:49:19 Rep. McLain
00:51:03 Ms. Pérez
00:51:36 Rep. Wright
00:52:53 Ms. Pérez
00:54:47 Co-Chair Sollman
00:55:00 Ms. Pérez
00:55:13 Co-Chair Sollman
00:55:33 Ms. Pérez
00:55:48 Co-Chair Sollman
00:56:16 Ms. Mondragon
00:56:51 Ms. Pérez
00:57:16 Rep. McLain
00:57:39 Co-Chair Sollman
00:58:15 Mike Streepey, Chief Financial Office, Department of Administrative Services
00:58:33 Ms. Gibson
00:58:40 MOTION: Co-Chair Ruiz moves the report to the Full Committee with the LFO
recommendation to acknowledge receipt
00:58:54 Rep. Yunker
00:59:12 VOTE: 8-0-0
Ayes: Sens. Frederick, Sollman, Weber; Reps. Hudson, McLain, Ruiz, Wright,
Yunker
MOTION CARRIES
Carrier: Sen. Frederick
00:59:25 Co-Chair Sollman
01:01:03 Rep. Hudson
01:01:23 Co-Chair Sollman
01:01:47 Ms. Gibson
01:02:16 Rep. Wright
01:02:53 Ms. Gibson
01:03:37 Sen. Weber
01:03:51 Co-Chair Sollman
01:05:20 Ms. Gibson

01:05:32 Meeting Adjourned