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AGENDA

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WEDNESDAY

Date: February 4, 2026
Time: 1:00 PM
Room: HR 70

This notice provides the meeting schedule and topics for this meeting. The official meeting agenda will be posted on February 2, 2026.

Work Session

HB 4005

Designates the first Saturday of October of each year through the end of the Sunday of the following weekend as Water Professionals Appreciation Week.

HB 4004

Provides that additional taxes otherwise imposed upon disqualification of land from certain forestland special assessment programs may not be collected if the disqualification is due to the suspension of reforestation requirements as a result of insects or disease.

HB 4097

Authorizes the Oregon Ocean Science Trust to create and maintain a nonprofit organization.

HB 4034

Provides that veterinary facilities do not qualify as animal rescue entities for purposes of regulating animal rescue entities.

Public Hearing

HB 4049

Directs the Water Resources Commission to encourage and approve voluntary agreements between ground water users in the Greater Harney Valley Groundwater Area of Concern to achieve reasonably stable ground water levels.

HB 4065

AGENDA (cont.)

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Modifies provisions relating to late payment of seed production contracts and seed purchase contracts for agricultural seed and other seed.

HB 4153

Allows counties to approve farm stores, instead of farm stands, as nonfarm use on lands zoned for farm use.

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