

SDAO Legislative Bill Summary as of 04/16/18

Bill #: [HB 4001](#) Title: Cap & Invest

Subject: Energy  
Position: Monitor Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Requires Environmental Quality Commission to adopt by rule program that places cap on greenhouse gas emissions and that provides market-based mechanism for covered entities to demonstrate compliance. Establishes program advisory committee. Declares legislative purposes of program and related investments of moneys received as proceeds under market-based compliance mechanism. Establishes certain statutory funds in State Treasury. Requires certain moneys received as proceeds under market-based compliance mechanism to be deposited in certain funds. Requires certain uses of moneys deposited in funds. Requires program advisory committee to submit biennial report to Governor and Legislative Assembly each even-numbered year. Requires Governor to consider investment and expenditures recommendations in biennial report during preparation of Governor's budget. Makes all provisions related to program adopted by commission and distribution of proceeds operative January 1, 2021. Authorizes commission and certain other agencies to adopt rules prior to operative date. Repeals greenhouse gas emissions goals and requires commission to adopt by rule statewide greenhouse gas emissions goal for 2025 and limits for years 2035 and 2050. Defines "greenhouse gas" for air pollution laws. Establishes Joint Legislative Committee on Climate. Modifies registration and greenhouse gas reporting requirements for certain persons. Makes provisions related to Joint Legislative Committee on Climate, greenhouse gas definition, emissions limits and registration and reporting operative January 1, 2019. Requires certain persons to pay annual program development fee to Department of Environmental Quality. Becomes operative July 1, 2019. Sunsets January 2, 2021. Provides for expedited review of Act by Supreme Court upon petition by adversely affected party. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

Bill #: [HB 4002](#) Title: Air Contamination Sources Fee

Subject: Public Safety  
Position: Oppose Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Requires Environmental Quality Commission to establish fee applicable to certain air contamination sources to cover direct and indirect costs of Department of Environmental Quality and commission in developing and implementing program and rules to reduce public health risks of emissions of toxic air contaminants from industrial and commercial air contamination sources. Limits total amount of fees collected during biennium beginning July 1, 2017, to \$2,000,000. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

Bill #: [HB 4003](#) Title: Diesel Emissions

Subject: Public Contracting  
Position: Actively Oppose Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Requires certain public improvement contracts to meet certain requirements related to use of diesel engines in course of performing public improvement contract. Requires Environmental Quality Commission to adopt indirect source review program by rule. Requires certain nonroad diesel engines to be registered with Department of Environmental Quality. Authorizes commission to adopt rules and registration fees. Directs commission to adopt by rule diesel engine emission standards for medium-duty trucks, heavy-duty trucks and nonroad diesel engines. Requires commission to phase in implementation of certain standards. Makes certain provisions operative January 1, 2019. Authorizes additional uses of moneys received by state pursuant to Volkswagen Environmental Mitigation Trust Agreement. Repeals state preemption of local regulation of idling by primary engines in commercial vehicles. Takes effect July 1, 2018.

Bill #: [HB 4004](#) Title: Oil Trains

Subject: Water  
Position: Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Directs Environmental Quality Commission to adopt rules applying certain oil spill prevention and emergency response planning requirements to railroads that own or operate high hazard train routes in this state. Modifies certain requirements under oil or hazardous material spillage statutes. Requires railroads that own or operate high hazard train routes to submit annually certain proof of financial responsibility for high hazard train routes. Establishes High Hazard Train Route Oil Spill Prevention Fund. Continuously appropriates moneys in fund to Department of Environmental Quality to be used for costs related to contingency planning and preparedness for high hazard train routes. Becomes operative January 1, 2019. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

Bill #: [HB 4008](#) Title: Damages

Subject: Insurance  
Position: Staff: HW

Status: Chapter 11, (2018 Laws): Effective date January 1, 2019.

Bill #: [HB 4012](#) Title: CTE PERS Exemption

Subject: PERS  
Position: Staff: HW

Status: Chapter 48, (2018 Laws): Effective date June 2, 2018.

**Bill #: HB 4015** Title: Conservation and Recreation

Subject: General Gov  
Position: Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Establishes Oregon Conservation and Recreation Fund. Appropriates fund moneys to State Department of Fish and Wildlife for carrying out activities serving to protect, maintain or enhance fish and wildlife resources in Oregon. Establishes Oregon Conservation and Recreation Advisory Committee to review department policies regarding use of fund moneys and make recommendations regarding use of fund moneys for implementing and administering department activities. Provides for transferring specified amount of moneys from General Fund to Oregon Conservation and Recreation Fund for biennium ending June 30, 2019. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #: HB 4016** Title: Klamath Place of Use Transfer

Subject: Water  
Position: Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Authorizes qualifying district named in specified court filing as claimant of determined claim in Klamath Project to transfer place of use identified in claim to other land within qualifying district. Sunsets January 2, 2026. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #: HB 4017** Title: Bond Relating Clause

Subject: Finance & Tax  
Position: Staff: HW

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Requires school district to obtain approval from Department of Education before entering into funds diversion agreement for payment of debt service on pension obligation bonds. Provides that department may not approve funds diversion agreement unless annual debt service on pension obligation bonds of school district is no greater than 25 percent of state school moneys available to school district in current fiscal year, or if state school moneys available to school district constitute less than 25 percent of funding for school district in current fiscal year. Requires State Treasurer to provide relevant data to department. Becomes operative July 1, 2020.

**Bill #: HB 4023** Title: Broadband

Subject: Public Safety  
Position: Staff: HW

Status: Chapter 51, (2018 Laws): Effective date April 3, 2018.

**Bill #: HB 4024** Title: Relating Clause

Subject: Eco Devo  
Position: Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Directs Oregon Business Development Department to conduct study on economic development and submit report to interim committees related to economic development.

**Bill #: HB 4025** Title: Economic Resilience Study

Subject: Public Safety  
Position: Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Requires Legislative Policy and Research Director to study methods for supporting economic resilience in communities affected by emergencies or disasters. Requires director to submit report to Legislative Assembly no later than September 15, 2018. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #: HB 4027** Title: Solar Exemption & Gigabit

Subject: Finance & Tax  
Position: Staff: HW

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

[Defines "solar project" to mean photovoltaic solar power generation facility and land on which facility is located. Requires county with population of less than 775,000, upon request of owner or person in possession or control of solar project, to enter into agreement pursuant to which property constituting solar project is exempt from property taxation and becomes subject to fee in lieu of taxes. If solar project is located within incorporated city, requires city and county to enter into agreement.] Repeals exemption for property of company constituting certain communication services infrastructure. [Allows property tax credit to company in amount invested in property capable of being used solely to

provide certain communication services and that would not have been invested but for availability of repealed exemption.] Notwithstanding repeal, allows exemption for one property tax year for property of company that, before January 1, 2018, began operating project that qualified for exemption. Adjusts sunset date for property tax exemption for low income rental housing. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #: HB 4029** Title: Deschutes Bridge Subject: Water Position: Monitor Staff: ML  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Prohibits person, public body or local service district from constructing bridge on Deschutes River within certain segments of Deschutes Scenic Waterway. Directs State Parks and Recreation Department to study and make recommendations to Legislative Assembly for recreational trail connecting Bend and Sunriver. [Directs department to study three scenic waterways each biennium and make recommendations to Governor for designation of additional scenic waterways.] Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #: HB 4031** Title: Relating Clause Subject: Land Use Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: Chapter 15, (2018 Laws): Effective date March 16, 2018.

**Bill #: HB 4032** Title: Elections Relating Clause Subject: Elections Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Requires Secretary of State to conduct study to identify each law enacted and administrative rule adopted in 2017 that has effect on signature collection for ballot measures. Requires secretary to submit report to interim legislative committees detailing content of each identified law and administrative rule by October 1, 2019. Sunsets January 2, 2020.

**Bill #: HB 4033** Title: Elections Relating Clause Subject: Elections Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Requires Secretary of State to conduct study and analyze implementation of laws relating to elections that were passed during 2017 regular session of Legislative Assembly. Requires secretary to develop recommendations regarding most effective methods for improving implementation of laws. Requires secretary to submit report to interim legislative committees detailing recommendations by October 1, 2019. Sunsets January 2, 2020.

**Bill #: HB 4034** Title: Accessory Dwelling Units Subject: Water Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Modifies requirement that city over 2,500 population or county over 15,000 population allow development of accessory dwelling unit in area zoned for detached single-family dwelling. Makes requirement applicable only if area is within urban growth boundary. Takes effect July 1, 2018.

**Bill #: HB 4046** Title: PERS Salaries Subject: PERS Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: Chapter 54, (2018 Laws): Effective date April 3, 2018.

**Bill #: HB 4056** Title: Public Safety Scholarships Subject: Public Safety Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: Chapter 23, (2018 Laws): Effective date March 16, 2018.

**Bill #: HB 4059** Title: Transportation Technical Subject: Transportation Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: Governor signed.

**Bill #: HB 4060** Title: Transportation Policy

Subject: Transportation  
Position: Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Modifies and adds laws related to transportation. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #: HB 4069** Title: Lottery to Counties

Subject: Eco Devo  
Position: Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Provides that fixed percentage of certain forecasted video lottery revenues be transferred to counties for economic development. Provides that disbursements to counties from video lottery revenues be adjusted to compensate for differentials between previous biennium's forecasted revenues and actual revenues. Provides that amount transferred to counties from video lottery revenue must be calculated as if certain transfers of lottery revenues to Public Employees Retirement Fund were not made. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #: HB 4070** Title: PERS Reform

Subject: PERS  
Position: Monitor Staff: HW

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Establishes retirement benefits payable under Oregon Public Service Retirement Plan to persons who establish membership in Public Employees Retirement System on or after effective date of Act. Provides that such persons do not become members of pension program of plan. Requires employers of such persons to make employer contributions to plan in amount equal to 10 percent of member's salary. Allows person to contribute additional two percent of salary, which is matched by employer. Provides break in service and change in service rules for persons who established membership in system before effective date of Act. Requires employer contribution rate set by Public Employees Retirement Board to be at least 18 percent of salary. For years beginning in 2019, caps at \$200,000 annual salary used to calculate final average salary for purposes of Tiers 1 and 2 of system. Directs Oregon Investment Council to offer high, medium and low risk options for investment of individual accounts established under system. Directs board to adopt rules allowing members to elect from risk options. Directs Public Employees Retirement Board to recalculate employer contribution rates to reflect savings attributable to Act. Provides for expedited review of Act by Supreme Court upon petition by adversely affected party. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #: HB 4071** Title: Public Employee Health Care

Subject: Health Care  
Position: Staff: HW

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Modifies funding mechanism for public employees' health care benefit to avoid excise tax under Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act. Requires local governments and school districts to participate in modified health care benefit plan. Permits public employees to redirect funds from health care premiums to other benefits. Dedicates portion of health care benefit costs to future health care costs and to critical services. Requires Public Employees' Benefit Board and Oregon Educators Benefit Board to assist employees in selecting benefit options. Excludes collective bargaining for specified health insurance benefits. Prohibits Public Employees' Benefit Board and Oregon Educators Benefit Board from self-insuring. Establishes Task Force on Flexible Benefits for Public Employees to monitor implementation of new benefit plans. Sunsets task force December 31, 2022. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #: HB 4075** Title: Washington County

Subject: Land Use  
Position: Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Provides that certain real property in Washington County designated by Metro as rural reserve be redesignated as urban reserve. Authorizes employment or residential use for certain real property located in Washington County. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #: HB 4076** Title: Small Donor Elections

Subject: Elections  
Position: Staff: HW

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Establishes Small Donor Elections program to enable candidates for office of state Representative and state Senator to receive 6-to-1 match on small dollar donations. Limits matching funds. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #: HB 4077** Title: SEI Information Subject: Ethics  
 Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Requires statement of economic interest to include certain information about sources of income for business in which public official or candidate, or member of household of public official or candidate, is officer or holds directorship if source of income has legislative or administrative interest and 10 percent or more of total gross annual income of business comes from that source of income.

**Bill #: HB 4078** Title: Brownfields Subject: Eco Devo  
 Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Provides that "eligible location," for purposes of certain property tax benefits, includes location not formerly used for industrial purposes. Provides that "eligible property" may be property appraised either by county or by Department of Revenue. Provides that "eligible property" includes property constructed or installed at brownfield that is being cleaned up and cost of initial investment may include remaining cleanup costs. Clarifies definition of "rural area." Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #: HB 4080** Title: Reconnect Subject: Finance & Tax  
 Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: Chapter 57, (2018 Laws): Effective date June 2, 2018.

**Bill #: HB 4083** Title: Short-line Railroad Rehab Subject: Transportation  
 Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Creates tax credit for short line railroad rehabilitation projects. Provides for certification and administration of tax credits by Department of Transportation. Limits total amount of potential tax credits available for short line railroad rehabilitation projects in biennium.

**Bill #: HB 4090** Title: Strategic Resiliency Committee Subject: Public Safety  
 Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Establishes Oregon Strategic Resiliency Commission. Requires commission to develop and administer program for rebates and investments to provide incentives for increasing amount, availability and security of regional foodstuff supplies.

**Bill #: HB 4092** Title: Airport Runways Subject: Land Use  
 Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Establishes standards for expansion of state airport on land zoned for exclusive farm use. Directs Oregon Homeland Security Council to prioritize state airports for resiliency investments.

**Bill #: HB 4093** Title: Amateur Athletes Subject: Labor  
 Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Specifies that amateur athlete [who plays for junior ice hockey team] is nonsubject worker for purposes of workers' compensation and is not employee for purposes of certain employment-related provisions when amateur athlete is [playing for team] training or conditioning for, and participating in, amateur sports activities for amateur sports organization. Requires amateur sports organization to submit annual report to Director of Department of Consumer and Business Services that includes contact information for certifying authority that has certified organization as amateur sports organization and that includes contact information for each team, league, club and association that is affiliated with or governed by organization. Requires amateur sports organization to make copies of report available to interested persons. Requires director to make reports available to public.



**Bill #: HB 4097** Title: Law Libraries Subject: General Gov  
 Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: Chapter 29, (2018 Laws): Effective date January 1, 2019.

**Bill #: HB 4100** Title: Non Clinical Treatment Settings Subject: Land Use  
 Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.  
 Allows facility providing therapy or counseling that incorporates activities utilizing nonclinical setting to be established in area zoned for exclusive farm use if certain conditions are met.

**Bill #: HB 4112** Title: PERS Payments Subject: PERS  
 Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.  
 Directs Public Employees Retirement Board to initiate, resume or suspend payment of certain increased benefits under Public Employees Retirement System on first day of calendar quarter following receipt of notice by board that benefit payments are or are not subject to Oregon personal income tax. Directs board to pay increased benefits not paid to person because board determined that payments were not subject to Oregon personal income tax if person later establishes that payments were subject to Oregon personal income tax. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #: HB 4115** Title: PERS State Opt Out Subject: PERS  
 Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.  
 [Prohibits statewide elected official, judge of Supreme Court or Court of Appeals or legislator from becoming member of Public Employees Retirement System on or after July 1, 2018, for purpose of service as statewide elected official, judge or legislator.] [Provides that statewide elected official, judge of Supreme Court or Court of Appeals or legislator may not accrue benefits under Public Employees Retirement System for purpose of service as statewide elected official, judge or legislator on or after July 1, 2018.] Modifies retirement plan options of persons elected or appointed as statewide elected officials or judges. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #: HB 4116** Title: Cell Phones Subject: Public Safety  
 Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: Chapter 32, (2018 Laws): Effective date March 16, 2018.

**Bill #: HB 4123** Title: Public Employee Double Coverage Subject: Health Care  
 Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.  
 Permits duplicate health benefit plan coverage for public employees who begin employment before January 1, 2020. Prohibits duplicate health benefit plan coverage for public employees who begin employment on or after January 1, 2020. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #: HB 4124** Title: Remanded Decisions Subject: Land Use  
 Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: Governor signed.

**Bill #: HB 4126** Title: Household Product Stewardship Subject: Wastewater  
 Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.  
 Establishes product stewardship program for household hazardous waste. Establishes Household Hazardous Waste Stewardship Fund. Becomes operative January 1, 2019. Requires initial plans for household hazardous waste stewardship programs to be submitted to Department of Environmental Quality no later than April 1, 2020. Requires household hazardous waste stewardship program pursuant to approved plan to be implemented no earlier than January 1, 2021. Imposes

penalty for violation of program provisions not to exceed \$25,000 per day for each day of violation. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

Bill #: [HB 4127](#) Title: QBS

Subject: Public Contracting  
Position: Support Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Permits contracting agency, in conducting procurement for architectural, engineering, photogrammetric mapping, transportation planning and land surveying services, to consider pricing policies, proposals and other pricing information along with prospective consultant's qualifications in specified circumstances. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

Bill #: [HB 4128](#) Title: DMWESB

Subject: Public Contracting  
Position: Neutral Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Permits disadvantaged business enterprise, minority-owned business, woman-owned business, business that service-disabled veteran owns or emerging small business to retain certification despite exceeding applicable cap on gross receipts if enterprise or business subcontracts to another certified enterprise or business not less than 20 percent of subcontract in which enterprise or business participates as required participant, enters into mentor relationship with other enterprise or business and otherwise remains eligible for certification. Requires contracting agency to establish technical assistance fund and reimburse expenses that enterprise or business incurs in connection with mentor relationship. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

Bill #: [HB 4131](#) Title: Tier 4 PERS

Subject: PERS  
Position: Monitor Staff: HW

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Provides that member of Public Employees Retirement System may not accrue pension benefits for future service. Requires member and employer to each contribute four percent of member's salary to individual account program of Oregon Public Service Retirement Plan. Provides for direct review of provisions by Supreme Court.

Bill #: [HB 4139](#) Title: Rental Equipment

Subject: Finance & Tax  
Position: Staff: HW

Status: Chapter 64, (2018 Laws): Effective date June 2, 2018.

Bill #: [HB 4154](#) Title: Subcontractors

Subject: Public Contracting  
Position: Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Makes contractor liable for unpaid wages, including other benefit payment or contribution, of employee of subcontractor at any tier after employee files wage claim and Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor and Industries makes determination that claim is valid but cannot be enforced against subcontractor. Prohibits commissioner from holding contractor liable if contractor has already paid subcontractor in full for services performed by subcontractor under contract before commissioner makes determination. [Permits exclusive representative of collective bargaining unit to bring action against contractor on behalf of employee for unpaid wages.] [Permits joint labor and management committee to bring action against contractor on behalf of employee for unpaid wages.] [Requires subcontractor at any tier to provide certain information to contractor upon request.] Requires contracts entered into between contractors and first-tier subcontractors or between first-tier subcontractors and subcontractor at any tier to include [certain provisions] provision to ensure timely payments of wages to employees. [Allows contractor to pay unpaid wages to employee of subcontractor and to withhold payment to subcontractor in amount equal to amount of unpaid wages for subcontractor's failure to meet certain requirements.] Directs contractor to pay to commissioner amount due to employee wage claimant. Permits contractor to deduct from amount owed to subcontractor amount equal to unpaid wages and benefits owed to employee wage claimant. Applies to contractors who enter into contract with subcontractor on or after January 1, 2019.

Bill #: [HB 4155](#) Title: Net Neutrality

Subject: General Government  
Position: Staff: HW

Status: Chapter 88, (2018 Laws): Effective date April 9, 2018.

**Bill #: HB 4158** Title: Paid Ballot Postage Subject: Elections Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Permits county, city or district to choose to permit electors to return ballot by business reply mail, with county, city or district paying cost for ballot return.

**Bill #: HB 4159** Title: OPSRP Investments Subject: PERS Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: Governor signed.

**Bill #: HB 4160** Title: Paid Family Medical Leave Subject: Labor Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Creates family and medical leave insurance program to provide employee who is eligible for coverage with portion of wages while employee is on family medical leave or military leave. Requires employer and employee contributions to fund program. Allows self-employed individuals to opt into program. Directs Director of Department of Consumer and Business Services to determine contribution amounts and weekly benefit amounts. Establishes Family and Medical Leave Insurance Fund. Amends Oregon family leave law to allow for leave after employee has been employed for 90 days with employer to match waiting period for benefits. Protects employee's position of employment with employer while employee is on leave. Prohibits employer from retaliating against employee who invokes program and from interfering with employee rights under program. Establishes right of employee for civil action for certain employer violations. Directs Department of Consumer and Business Services to administer collection and reporting requirements of contribution provisions. Requires director to work with other agencies and promulgate rules for administration of program. Establishes requirements for director to submit initial report to interim committees of Legislative Assembly no later than January 1, 2020, and to report on January 1 of every even-numbered year thereafter. Requires department to conduct study regarding implementation of program with regard to self-employed individuals who opt into program. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #: HB 4163** Title: Program Change Subject: Budget Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: Governor signed.

**Bill #: HB 5201** Title: Budget Reconciliation Subject: Budget Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: Governor signed.

**Bill #: HB 5202** Title: Fee Ratification Subject: Budget Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: Chapter 67, (2018 Laws): Effective date April 3, 2018.

**Bill #: HCR 208** Title: Timelines Subject: General Gov Position: Staff: ML  
 Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Establishes deadlines for completion of legislative measures for 2018 regular session of Seventy-ninth Legislative Assembly.

**Bill #: HJR 201** Title: Affordable Housing Bonds Subject: Finance & Tax Position: Staff: HW  
 Status: Filed with Secretary of State.



**Bill #:** HJR 203      **Title:** Health Care Rights**Subject:** Health Care**Position:**                      **Staff:** HW**Status:** In committee upon adjournment.

Proposes amendment to Oregon Constitution establishing obligation of state to ensure every resident of state access to [effective] cost-effective, medically appropriate and affordable health care. Refers proposed amendment to people for their approval or rejection at next regular general election.

**Bill #:** SB 1507      **Title:** Cap & Invest**Subject:** Energy**Position:** Monitor      **Staff:** ML**Status:** In committee upon adjournment.

Requires Environmental Quality Commission to adopt by rule program that places cap on greenhouse gas emissions and that provides market-based mechanism for covered entities to demonstrate compliance. Establishes program advisory committee. Declares legislative purposes of program and related investments of moneys received as proceeds under market-based compliance mechanism. Establishes certain statutory funds in State Treasury. Requires certain moneys received as proceeds under market-based compliance mechanism to be deposited in certain funds. Requires certain uses of moneys deposited in funds. Requires program advisory committee to submit biennial report to Governor, Oregon Transportation Commission and Legislative Assembly each evennumbered year. Requires Oregon Transportation Commission to prepare and submit biennial transportation decarbonization investment proposal to Joint Legislative Committee on Climate and Oregon Department of Administrative Services. Requires Governor to consider investment and expenditures recommendations in biennial report during preparation of Governor's budget. Makes all provisions related to program adopted by commission and distribution of proceeds operative January 1, 2021. Authorizes commission and certain other agencies to adopt rules prior to operative date. Repeals greenhouse gas emissions goals and requires commission to adopt by rule statewide greenhouse gas emissions goal for 2025 and limits for years 2035 and 2050. Defines "greenhouse gas" for air pollution laws. Establishes Joint Legislative Committee on Climate. Modifies registration and greenhouse gas reporting requirements for certain persons. Makes provisions related to Joint Legislative Committee on Climate, "greenhouse gas" definition, emissions limits and registration and reporting operative January 1, 2019. Requires certain persons to pay annual program development fee to Department of Environmental Quality. Becomes operative July 1, [2019] 2018. Sunsets January 2, 2021. Provides for expedited review of Act by Supreme Court upon petition by adversely affected party. [Declares emergency, effective on passage.] Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #:** SB 1508      **Title:** Air Contamination Sources**Subject:** Public Safety**Position:** Oppose      **Staff:** ML**Status:** In committee upon adjournment.

Requires Environmental Quality Commission to establish fee applicable to certain air contamination sources to cover direct and indirect costs of Department of Environmental Quality and commission in developing and implementing a program and rules to reduce public health risks of emissions of toxic air contaminants from industrial and commercial air contamination sources. Limits total amount of fees collected during biennium beginning July 1, 2017, to \$2,000,000. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #:** SB 1509      **Title:** Local Regulation of Idling**Subject:** Transportation**Position:**                      **Staff:** ML**Status:** In committee upon adjournment.

Provides additional exception to prohibition on commercial vehicle idling. Modifies existing commercial vehicle idling exemptions. Permits local governments to regulate idling diesel primary engines [in certain circumstances].

**Bill #:** SB 1510      **Title:** Elections Relating Clause**Subject:** Elections**Position:**                      **Staff:** HW**Status:** Effective date, April 3, 2018.**Bill #:** SB 1514      **Title:** Sunset Boards & Commissions**Subject:** General Gov**Position:**                      **Staff:** ML**Status:** In committee upon adjournment.

Establishes periodic sunset review of state boards, commissions, committees, task forces and other executive department entities that meet certain criteria. Requires Legislative Policy and Research Director to establish roster and schedule of entities for periodic sunset review. Requires listed entities with periodic sunset review scheduled for

next odd-numbered year regular session of Legislative Assembly to provide specified information, and requires director to compile and present information to committees and facilitate committee undertaking periodic sunset review. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #: SB 1515** Title: Children's Services District

Subject: General Gov  
Position: Actively Open Staff ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Authorizes formation of children's service districts. Authorizes children's service districts to levy property taxes to fund programs that offer children's services. Defines "children's services" as services that support children's total health and well-being provided outside of school hours to individuals not more than 18 years of age. Provides that, if court holds that revenue funding project is subject to compression under \$5 per \$1,000 of real market value cap for purposes of Ballot Measure 5 (1990) as revenue funding project constituting educational services, children's service district shall discontinue project and shall use revenue for project that does not constitute educational services.

**Bill #: SB 1518** Title: Human Remains

Subject: General Gov  
Position: Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Authorizes cemetery authority to move, temporarily store or reinter human remains dislodged from original cemetery plot by natural disaster or other similar emergency. Adds Department of Justice to Oregon Homeland Security Council membership. Directs office of State Fire Marshal to include training in plan for coordinated response to oil or hazardous material spills or releases that occur during rail transport. Directs Office of Emergency Management to submit quarterly report on progress in preparing for natural disasters and similar emergencies to interim committees of Legislative Assembly related to emergency preparedness. Directs Office of Emergency Management to collaborate with marine and railroad operators to determine operators' roles in responding to natural disaster or catastrophic emergency event and to report, not later than March 31, 2019, on progress of integrating operators into state planning. Directs Office of Emergency Management to collaborate with other state agencies to review federal, California and Washington programs related to oil spill prevention, preparedness and response and to submit recommendations for legislation to interim committees of Legislative Assembly related to emergency planning not later than September 15, 2018. Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

**Bill #: SB 1519** Title: OR Energy Commission

Subject: Energy  
Position: Staff: HW

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Creates Oregon Energy Commission as policy and rulemaking body for State Department of Energy. Transfers certain duties of State Department of Energy and Director of State Department of Energy to commission. Modifies state energy policy. Modifies general duties of department. Requires department to develop statewide strategic energy [report] plan. Requires commission to adopt [report] plan no later than January 1, 2021. Requires department to present draft [report] plan to Legislative Assembly no later than September 15, 2020. Requires commission to periodically review and [update report] revise plan. Provides that plan and any periodic revisions may not go into effect until January 1 following legislative session at which commission submits plan or revision to Legislative Assembly. Modifies biennial comprehensive energy report requirements. Transfers certain State Department of Energy programs to other agencies. Repeals certain State Department of Energy programs. Reduces, to [0.1] 0.15 percent, percentage of energy resource supplier's gross operating revenue that annual energy resource supplier assessment may not exceed. Changes calculated share of annual energy resource supplier assessment below which energy resource supplier is exempt from payment of assessment from \$250 to \$2,500. Modifies definition of "gross operating revenue" for purposes of energy resource supplier assessment. Applies to annual fees due on or after July 1, 2019. Requires State Department of Energy to study further restructuring of department. Requires department to present results of study to interim committee of Legislative Assembly no later than September 15, 2019. Sunsets study requirement on December 31, 2019. Becomes operative July 1, 2019. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #: SB 1524** Title: Union Agreements

Subject: Labor  
Position: Staff: HW

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Prohibits union security agreements between public employer and union. Permits public employees to choose not to join union or pay union dues. Exempts unions from duty to represent public employees who choose not to join union or pay union dues. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #:** [SB 1529](#)      **Title:** Federal Tax Connect**Subject:** Finance & Tax**Position:**                      **Staff:** HW**Status:** Governor signed.**Bill #:** [SB 1535](#)      **Title:** Average Weekly Wage**Subject:** Work Comp**Position:**                      **Staff:** HW**Status:** In committee upon adjournment.

Prescribes method for calculating weekly wage for workers in order to determine benefits payable for temporary total disability under workers' compensation law. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #:** [SB 1536](#)      **Title:** Governor Appointment of Transit Director**Subject:** Transportation**Position:**                      **Staff:** ML**Status:** Effective date, January 1, 2019.**Bill #:** [SB 1537](#)      **Title:** OR Energy Commission**Subject:** Energy**Position:**                      **Staff:** HW**Status:** In committee upon adjournment.

Establishes Oregon Energy Commission as policy and rulemaking body for State Department of Energy. Transfers certain duties of State Department of Energy and Director of State Department of Energy to commission. Modifies state energy policy. Modifies general duties of department. Requires department to develop statewide strategic energy plan. Requires commission to adopt plan no later than January 1, 2021. Requires department to present draft plan to Legislative Assembly no later than September 15, 2020. Requires commission to periodically review and update plan. Modifies biennial comprehensive energy report requirements. Becomes operative July 1, 2019. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #:** [SB 1539](#)      **Title:** OHSU Psych Line**Subject:** Public Safety**Position:**                      **Staff:** HW**Status:** In committee upon adjournment.

Establishes Oregon Psychiatric Access Line program in Oregon Health and Science University. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #:** [SB 1540](#)      **Title:** Child Abuse Reporting**Subject:** Public Safety**Position:**                      **Staff:** ML**Status:** Effective date, April 3, 2018.**Bill #:** [SB 1541](#)      **Title:** Air Contamination Sources**Subject:** Public Safety**Position:** Monitor      **Staff:** ML**Status:** Governor signed.**Bill #:** [SB 1542](#)      **Title:** Odd Session Start Date**Subject:** General Gov**Position:**                      **Staff:** HW**Status:** Effective date, June 2, 2018.**Bill #:** [SB 1543](#)      **Title:** Public Safety Relating Clause Drones**Subject:** Public Safety**Position:**                      **Staff:** HW**Status:** Governor signed.**Bill #:** [SB 1549](#)      **Title:** Health Relating Clause State Hospital**Subject:** Health Care**Position:**                      **Staff:** HW**Status:** Effective date, March 16, 2018.

**Bill #: SB 1551** Title: Breach of Security

Subject: General Gov  
Position: Staff: ML

Status: Governor signed.

**Bill #: SB 1553** Title: Nonprofit Tax for Public Safety

Subject: Finance & Tax  
Position: Staff: HW

Status: Effective date, January 1, 2019.

**Bill #: SB 1558** Title: Storage Right Transfers

Subject: Water  
Position: Monitor Staff: ML

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Identifies water use purposes for which certain processes for transferring or changing water use subject to transfer are applicable, including use for purpose of storage in reservoir. Imposes conditions on certain changes and transfers affecting water use for purpose of storage in reservoir. Specifies time limits for Water Resources Department to process application by holder of water use subject to transfer to change place of use, point of diversion or use made of water. Makes existing prohibition and civil penalty regarding certain district use of temporarily transferred water applicable only to use of irrigation waters. Revises conditions for department approval of request for permanent transfer of place of use or use of water within district.

**Bill #: SB 1559** Title: Whistleblowers

Subject: Labor  
Position: Monitor Staff: HW

Status: Effective date, January 1, 2019.

**Bill #: SB 1561** Title: Senate R PERS

Subject: PERS  
Position: Monitor Staff: HW

Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Directs Public Employees Retirement Board to establish member pension contribution account for certain employee contributions of member of Public Employees Retirement System. Directs board to apply amounts in account to pay costs of pension or other retirement benefits payable to member earned on or after January 1, 2019. Requires Public Employees Retirement Board and actuary to determine unfunded actuarial liability of Public Employees Retirement System by at least two methods, including and excluding side accounts. Requires certain public bodies to calculate surplus revenue for each budget period by adjusting revenues for previous budget period by population and inflation factors. Requires public bodies to remit surplus revenue to State Treasurer for use in reducing unfunded actuarial liability of Public Employees Retirement System. Applies only if unfunded actuarial liability is \$1 billion or more. Requires Oregon Department of Administrative Services to reduce allotments to state agencies to reflect positions that have remained vacant for continuous period of six months. Limits amounts that state agency may spend for administrative costs in biennium beginning July 1, 2019, to 90 percent of amount state agency spent for administrative costs in biennium beginning July 1, 2017. Limits amount that Legislative Assembly may appropriate for compensation of personnel of state agency in each biennium to 101 percent of amount appropriated for compensation of personnel of state agency in preceding biennium. Provides that Governor's budget may not include standard inflation factor for services and supplies. Requires legislative approval of collective bargaining agreements negotiated on behalf of state agencies. Requires public employee collective bargaining agreements to be negotiated every even year. Suspends cost-of-living increases, salary step increases, upward reclassifications, filling of vacant positions, creating new positions and out-of-state travel for certain state employees for current biennium and biennium beginning July 1, 2019. Creates Task Force on Education Cost Reduction. Declares emergency, effective on passage.

**Bill #: SB 1565** Title: Public Procurement Electronic

Subject: Public Contracting  
Position: Monitor Staff: ML

Status: Effective date, June 2, 2018.

**Bill #: SB 1566** Title: PERS Employer Incentive Fund

Subject: PERS  
Position: Monitor Staff: HW

Status: Governor signed.

**Bill #: SB 5701** Title: Capitol Construction Subject: Budget  
Position: Staff: HW  
Status: Governor signed.

**Bill #: SB 5702** Title: Bonding Authorization Subject: Budget  
Position: Staff: HW  
Status: Effective date, April 3, 2018.

**Bill #: SB 5703** Title: Lottery Allocation Subject: Finance & Tax  
Position: Staff: HW  
Status: Governor signed.

**Bill #: SCR 202** Title: Legislative Timelines Subject: General Gov  
Position: Staff: ML  
Status: Filed With Secretary of State.

**Bill #: SCR 203** Title: Sine Die Subject: General Gov  
Position: Staff: HW  
Status: Filed With Secretary of State.

**Bill #: SCR 206** Title: Sine Die Resolution Subject: General Government  
Position: Staff: HW  
Status: Filed With Secretary of State.

**Bill #: SJR 201** Title: Revenue Raising Measures Subject: Finance & Tax  
Position: Staff: HW  
Status: In committee upon adjournment.

Proposes amendment to Oregon Constitution to broaden definition of bills that raise revenue and thus require supermajority of both chambers. Defines "raising revenue" to include increase in any tax or fee, including bills that modify or eliminate exemptions, credits, deductions or lower rates of taxation. Refers proposed amendment to people for their approval or rejection at next regular general election.