

Joint Select Task Force on Nuclear Energy

Washington State House of Representatives
Office of Program Research

Meeting Notes

Presiding Chair: Senator Sheldon

Date 25-Sep-14 **Time** 1:00 PM **Location** Pasco Holiday Inn Express Merlot Room

Members Present:

Senator Tim Sheldon, Representative Jake Fey, Senator John McCoy, Senator Sharon Brown, Representative Norma Smith

Members Absent:

Senator Marko Lias, Representative Shelly Short, Representative Sharon Wylie

Other Members Present:

Representative Klippert

Staff Present:

Lindsey Lasher, Rebecca Lewis, William Bridges, Jasmine Vasavada, Kirsten Lee, Jan Odano

Time	Issue/Bill	Speaker	Signed in as	Notes
1:03:00 PM	Meeting	Senator Sheldon		Call to order, introduction of members. Introduces first work session speaker
1:05:00 PM	Work Session: U.S. Department of Energy Program for Small Modular Reactor Licensing Support	Ray Furstenau, U.S. Department of Energy		Presentation 1
1:27:00 PM	Work Session: U.S. Department of Energy Program for Small Modular Reactor Licensing Support	McCoy, Fey, Brown, Smith		Questions from members
1:36:00 PM	Work Session: Nuclear Energy Industry Today and Projected for the Future	Paul Genoa, Nuclear Energy Institute		Presentation 2
2:02:00 PM	Work Session: Nuclear Energy Industry Today and Projected for the Future	Smith		Questions from members
2:03:00 PM	Work Session, Panel: Unsolved Problems with Nuclear Power	Gerry Pollet, Heart of America Northwest; and Charles Johnson, Joint Task Force on Nuclear Power of Oregon and Washington and Physicians for Social Responsibility		
2:06:00 PM	Work Session, Panel: Unsolved Problems with Nuclear Power	Gerry Pollet		Begins Presentation 3

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2:26:00 PM	Work Session, Panel: Unsolved Problems with Nuclear Power	Charles Johnson		Begins Presentation 4
2:33:00 PM	Work Session, Panel: Unsolved Problems with Nuclear Power	Klippert, Fey, Brown, Smith, McCoy		Questions and comments directed to Gerry Pollet and Charles Johnson
2:42:00 PM	Work Session: Challenges & Opportunities for Nuclear Generations in the Region	Brent Ridge, Energy Northwest		Presentation 5
3:02:00 PM	Work Session: Overview of New Nuclear Technologies	Dale Atkinson, NuScale Power		Presentation 6
3:15:00 PM	Work Session: Overview of New Nuclear Technologies	Fey, Sheldon, McCoy, Smith, Brown, McCoy		Questions from members
3:22:00 PM	Work Session: Economic Development Opportunities for the State of Washington: Assembly of Nuclear Components in the Tri-Cities	Mike Lawrence, Tri-City Development Council's Mid-Columbia Energy Initiative		Presentation 7
3:36:00 PM	Work Session: Economic Development Opportunities for the State of Washington: Assembly of Nuclear Components in the Tri-Cities	Gary Petersen, Tri-City Development Council		Presentation 8
3:40:00 PM	Work Session: Economic Development Opportunities for the State of Washington: Assembly of Nuclear Components in the Tri-Cities	Sheldon		Questions from members
3:42:00 PM	Work Session: Comments from Local Community Leaders	Dawn Alford, Columbia Basin College		
3:44:00 PM	Work Session: Comments from Local Community Leaders	Keith Moon-Young, Washington State University Tri-Cities Campus		
3:50:00 PM	Work Session: Comments from Local Community Leaders	Ed Brost, Franklin Public Utility District		
3:55:00 PM	Work Session: Comments from Local Community Leaders	Gary Petersen		Closing comments
3:56:00 PM	Work Session: Comments from Local Community Leaders	Wanda Munn, American Nuclear Society		Handout

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3:57:00 PM	Work Session: Comments from Local Community Leaders	Carl Holder		Presentation 9
4:01:00 PM	Work Session: Comments from Local Community Leaders	Klippert, Sheldon		Questions from members
4:04:00 PM	Work Session: Comments from Local Community Leaders	Smith, Fey, Smith		Questions from members to Mike Lawrence
4:07:00 PM	Work Session: Next Steps	Senator Sheldon; William Bridges, Senate Committee Services Staff		
4:09:00 PM	Work Session: Next Steps	Sheldon, Smith, Fey, Smith		Member discussion
4:15:00 PM	Public Hearing	Wayne M. Glines, Herbert M. Parker Foundation		
4:18:00 PM	Public Hearing	Michael Korenko, KOR Ideas		
4:21:00 PM	Public Hearing	Richard Smith, Hanford Advisory Board		
4:23:00 PM	Public Hearing	Jim Conca, UFA Ventures, Inc.		
4:25:00 PM	Public Hearing	Wanda Munn, American Nuclear Society		
4:27:00 PM	Public Hearing	Gerald Woodcock, American Nuclear Society		Handout
4:30:00 PM	Public Hearing	Scott O'Connor, Energy Northwest		
4:33:00 PM	Public Hearing	Gary Troyer, K and G Industries		Handout and Slides
4:37:00 PM	Public Hearing	Bill Stokes, Columbia Consulting Group		
4:41:00 PM	Public Hearing	Kaitlin Carter, Energy Northwest, Columbia Generating Station		
4:42:00 PM	Public Hearing	Charles Perkins		
4:43:00 PM	Public Hearing	Stacey Presnell, Energy Northwest, Columbia Generating Station		
4:44:00 PM	Public Hearing	Sandra Stewart		
4:46:00 PM	Public Hearing	Randy Walli		
4:47:00 PM	Public Hearing	Manuel Seubert		

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4:49:00 PM	Public Hearing	Rich Seargent, Franklin County Public Utility District		
4:50:00 PM	Public Hearing	Duriem Calderin		
4:52:00 PM	Public Hearing			Closes public hearing
4:52:01 PM	Meeting	Sheldon, Smith, McCoy, Klippert, Brown		Closing Comments
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