

Location: Multnomah Building Room 100 (501 SE Hawthorne Blvd., Portland OR, 97214)

Date/Time: Thursday January 21, 2016 - 9:45 AM (Presenters arrive at 9:30)

Invited speakers and presenters do not have a time limit, but for the sake of efficiency we ask that presenters limit testimony to 2-3 minutes each. Speakers will be called up four at a time.

Presenter Order / Suggested Key Messages

First Speakers

John Wasiutynski, Director Office of Sustainability

- Context - why we are here why is it important
- Run of show - overview of speakers but allow each to introduce themselves
- Highlights from report, resolution, DEIS comments
- Who is at risk? Who is particularly vulnerable?

Chris Voss, Director Multnomah County Emergency Management

- Low likelihood/high impact
- Increased volumes leads to increased likelihood

Lt Shon Christensen, Portland Fire & Rescue

- What does it look like to deal with an incident, need for resources (people, foam)
- Responding to oil by rail incident detracts from response to other issues

Second Speakers

(Board clerk will call up invited speakers)

Dr. Patrick O'Herron, Board President Oregon Physicians for Social Responsibility

- County does not stand alone, community turnout in opposition in Washington
- PH impacts from other crashes, health impacts of toxic plume resulting from tanker fire

Orvie Danzuka, Warm Springs Tribal Council

- Connection to water/place
- Cultural importance and risk to salmon, lamprey

Jared Smith, President, International Longshore and Warehouse Union Local 4

- Risk to ILWU workers
- Displacing existing use as staging area for wind energy

Dan Serres, Conservation Director, Willamette Riverkeeper

- How an oil spill would impact river ecosystem

- History of Tesoro's compliance issues

Third Speakers
(Board clerk will call up invited speakers)

Michael Lang, Conservation Director, Friends of the Columbia Gorge

- Investments made protecting iconic place
- Economics of Gorge tourism (maybe)

Cesia Kearns, Deputy Campaign Director for Western Region, Sierra Club

- Carbon impacts of the project, half the amount of oil carried by Keystone XL
- EJ Impacts
- Need for forward looking policies/projects, on the right side of history

Community Comments

community members wishing to speak sign up at the start of the meeting. Testimony limited to two minutes.

Closing

John Wasiutynski returns to ask for the Board's consideration of the resolution

John Wasiutynski, Director Office of Sustainability

- Reiterate messages, strong, broad coalition of people against this
- Opportunity for the board advance the mission of the county
- Offer to answer any questions
- Offer the resolution for consideration after other testimony from the community