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Rep. Bentz Appointed to Interim Committees and Task Forces

SALEM—House Speaker Tina Kotek announced on August 14th that she had reappointed Oregon State Representative Cliff Bentz (R-Ontario) to the following Legislative Interim Committees and Task Forces: the Transportation and Economic Development Committee (Vice Chair); the Energy and Environment Committee; the Revenue Committee; and the Joint Legislative Counsel Committee. Speaker Kotek also continued Rep. Bentz’s service on the Task Force on Small Business and appointed him to the newly formed “Oregon Innovation in Infrastructure” Task Force.

Rep. Bentz said, “Interim committee appointments provide legislators with the opportunity to prepare for the upcoming 2014 session. In addition, the “legislative days” (the three to four consecutive days of legislative meetings held every six weeks or so during the interim) allow legislators time to work in committee on issues and problems in advance of the up-coming Session. Issues discussed and “worked” generally progress into proposed legislation. I am pleased with these appointments and look forward to working with my colleagues toward resolution of at least a few of the many challenging issues that face Oregon.”

Interim Committee appointments are made by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, pursuant to ORS 171.640. A complete list of the House committee assignments for the 2013 Interim can be found at: <http://www.leg.state.or.us/comm/>.

During the Interim, Rep. Bentz can be reached at his District office in Ontario at 541-889-8866 or via email at rep.cliffbentz@state.or.us.

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