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### **Speaker Rayfield announces House committee assignments for the 2023 legislative session**

SALEM – Oregon House Speaker Dan Rayfield (D-Corvallis) today announced House committee assignments for the 2023 legislative session.

Speaker Rayfield spent hours in the weeks after Election Day meeting one-on-one with returning and new representatives from both parties in order to understand their priorities and relevant experience. Additionally, he consulted with and incorporated feedback from House Democratic Leader Julie Fahey (D-Eugene) and House Republican Leader Vikki Breese-Iverson (R-Prineville) before making final committee decisions.

“I’ve truly enjoyed hearing directly from our House members, getting to know them better, and learning more about how their priorities and experience align with their goals for serving their constituents,” Speaker Rayfield said. “I’m always impressed with the diversity of experience across the House. Our committee structure will reflect those experiences as we work together in 2023 to tackle the issues Oregonians care about most.”

The Oregon Legislature will return to fully in-person committee meetings in 2023 following nearly three years of virtual meetings due to the Covid-19 pandemic and construction at the State Capitol. Oregonians will still be able to testify remotely.

The 82nd Oregon Legislative Assembly will be sworn in on Monday, January 9 and the 2023 legislative session will begin on Tuesday, January 17.

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**Dan Rayfield**  
Speaker of the House



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**Oregon House of Representatives  
MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Timothy G. Sekerak, Chief Clerk of the House

**FROM:** Dan Rayfield, Speaker of the House 

**RE:** Appointments – Committee Assignments for the 2023 Legislative Session

**DATE:** December 28, 2022

Pursuant to House Rule 8.05 and effective January 9, 2023, I am making the following committee appointments for the 2023 Legislative Session:

**2023 House Standing Committees**

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**Agriculture, Land Use, Natural Resources, and Water Committee**

Ken Helm, Chair  
Annessa Hartman, Vice Chair  
Mark Owens, Vice Chair  
Mark Gamba  
Bobby Levy  
Pam Marsh  
Susan McLain  
Anna Scharf  
David Brock Smith

**Behavioral Health and Health Care Committee**

Rob Nosse, Chair  
Christine Goodwin, Vice Chair  
Travis Nelson, Vice Chair  
Ben Bowman  
Charlie Conrad  
Maxine Dexter  
Ed Diehl  
Cyrus Javadi  
Lily Morgan  
Hai Pham  
Thuy Tran

**Business and Labor Committee**

Paul Holvey, Chair  
Lucetta Elmer, Vice Chair  
Nathan Sosa, Vice Chair  
Shelly Boshart Davis  
Dacia Grayber  
Zach Hudson  
Travis Nelson  
Rob Nosse  
Virgle Osborne  
Anna Scharf  
Brian Stout

**Climate, Energy, and Environment Committee**

Pam Marsh, Chair  
Emerson Levy, Vice Chair  
David Brock Smith, Vice Chair  
Tom Andersen  
Ken Helm  
Jason Kropf  
Bobby Levy  
Virgle Osborne  
Mark Owens  
Khanh Pham

**Early Childhood and Human Services  
Committee**

Lisa Reynolds, Chair  
Hoa Nguyen, Vice Chair  
Anna Scharf, Vice Chair  
Tom Andersen  
Tracy Cramer  
Lucetta Elmer  
Annessa Hartman  
James Hieb  
Travis Nelson  
Courtney Neron

**Education Committee**

Courtney Neron, Chair  
Zach Hudson, Vice Chair  
Boomer Wright, Vice Chair  
Tracy Cramer  
Emily McIntire  
Hoa Nguyen  
Andrea Valderrama

**Gambling Regulation Committee**

John Lively, Chair  
Farrah Chaichi, Vice Chair  
Boomer Wright, Vice Chair  
Courtney Neron  
Kim Wallan

**Housing and Homelessness Committee**

Maxine Dexter, Chair  
Mark Gamba, Vice Chair  
Jeff Helfrich, Vice Chair  
Jami Cate  
Julie Fahey  
Annessa Hartman  
Ken Helm  
Cyrus Javadi  
Emerson Levy  
David Brock Smith  
Boomer Wright

**Economic Development and Small Business  
Committee**

Janelle Bynum, Chair  
Lily Morgan, Vice Chair  
Daniel Nguyen, Vice Chair  
Ed Diehl  
Cyrus Javadi  
John Lively  
Virgle Osborne  
Hai Pham  
Ricki Ruiz  
Brian Stout  
Jules Walters

**Emergency Management, General  
Government, and Veterans Committee**

Dacia Grayber, Chair  
Rick Lewis, Vice Chair  
Thuy Tran, Vice Chair  
Charlie Conrad  
Maxine Dexter  
Paul Evans  
James Hieb

**Higher Education Committee**

John Lively, Chair  
Emily McIntire, Vice Chair  
Ricki Ruiz, Vice Chair  
Ben Bowman  
Lucetta Elmer  
Zach Hudson  
Kevin Mannix  
Nathan Sosa  
Boomer Wright

**Judiciary Committee**

Jason Kropf, Chair  
Tom Andersen, Vice Chair  
Kim Wallan, Vice Chair  
Janelle Bynum  
Farrah Chaichi  
Charlie Conrad  
Rick Lewis  
Lily Morgan  
Lisa Reynolds  
Thuy Tran

**Revenue Committee**

Nancy Nathanson, Chair  
 E. Werner Reschke, Vice Chair  
 Jules Walters, Vice Chair  
 Bobby Levy  
 Pam Marsh  
 Daniel Nguyen  
 Greg Smith

**Rules Committee**

Julie Fahey, Chair  
 Vikki Breese-Iverson, Vice Chair  
 Jason Kropf, Vice Chair  
 Rob Nosse  
 Anna Scharf  
 Andrea Valderrama  
 Kim Wallan

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**2023 Joint Committees**


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**Ways and Means Committee**

Tawna Sanchez, Co-Chair  
 David Gomberg, Co-Vice Chair  
 Greg Smith, Co-Vice Chair  
 Vikki Breese-Iverson  
 Jami Cate  
 Paul Evans  
 Paul Holvey  
 Susan McLain  
 Khanh Pham  
 E. Werner Reschke  
 David Brock Smith  
 Andrea Valderrama

**Ways and Means – Capital Construction Subcommittee**

Paul Holvey, Co-Chair  
 Vikki Breese-Iverson  
 Nancy Nathanson  
 Dan Rayfield  
 Greg Smith

**Ways and Means – Education Subcommittee**

Susan McLain, Co-Chair  
 Tracy Cramer  
 Emily McIntire  
 Hoa Nguyen  
 Ricki Ruiz

**Ways and Means – General Government Subcommittee**

Greg Smith, Co-Chair  
 Farrah Chaichi  
 David Gomberg  
 E. Werner Reschke  
 Jules Walters

**Ways and Means – Human Services Subcommittee**

Andrea Valderrama, Co-Chair  
 Ben Bowman  
 Ed Diehl  
 Christine Goodwin  
 Hai Pham

**Ways and Means – Natural Resources Subcommittee**

Khanh Pham, Co-Chair  
 Paul Holvey  
 Emerson Levy  
 Mark Owens  
 David Brock Smith

**Ways and Means – Public Safety Subcommittee**

Paul Evans, Co-Chair  
 Dacia Grayber  
 Jeff Helfrich  
 Rick Lewis  
 Daniel Nguyen

**Ways and Means – Transportation and Economic Development Subcommittee**

David Gomberg, Co-Chair  
 Jami Cate  
 Mark Gamba  
 Kevin Mannix  
 Nathan Sosa

**Interstate 5 Bridge Committee**

Susan McLain, Co-Chair  
Shelly Boshart Davis  
Kevin Mannix  
Khanh Pham

**Semiconductors Committee**

Janelle Bynum, Co-Chair  
Kim Wallan, Co-Vice Chair  
Ed Diehl  
David Gomberg  
Jeff Helfrich  
Zach Hudson  
Bobby Levy  
Daniel Nguyen  
Nathan Sosa

**Tax Expenditure Committee**

Nancy Nathanson, Co-Chair  
E. Werner Reschke, Co-Vice Chair  
Jules Walters, Co-Vice Chair  
Bobby Levy  
Pam Marsh  
Daniel Nguyen  
Greg Smith

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**2023 Joint Statutory Committees**

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**Legislative Audit Committee**

Tawna Sanchez, Co-Chair  
Jami Cate  
Nancy Nathanson

**Legislative Information Management and  
Technology Committee**

Nancy Nathanson, Co-Chair  
Annessa Hartman  
Kevin Mannix

**Transportation Committee**

Susan McLain, Co-Chair  
Shelly Boshart Davis, Co-Vice Chair  
Paul Evans  
Jeff Helfrich  
Kevin Mannix  
Nancy Nathanson  
Khanh Pham

**Legislative Administration Committee**

Dan Rayfield, Co-Chair  
Vikki Breese-Iverson  
Julie Fahey  
Paul Holvey  
Greg Smith  
Nancy Nathanson, Alternate

**Legislative Counsel Committee**

Dan Rayfield, Co-Chair  
Vikki Breese-Iverson  
Paul Holvey  
Jason Kropf  
Kim Wallan

**Legislative Counsel Committee – Public  
Records Subcommittee**

Kim Wallan, Co-Chair  
Jason Kropf

**Legislative Policy and Research Committee**

Dan Rayfield, Co-Chair

Jami Cate

David Gomberg

Pam Marsh

Lily Morgan

Kim Wallan

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