Senate Bill 1039

Oregon's policy on ocean acidification and hypoxia













Bill History

Bill Sponsor:

Senator Arnie Roblan, with support from the Coastal Caucus

Introduced:

Senate March 28th 2017 House July 5th 2017

Passed Senate and House:

July 18th 2017

Governor Signed:

August 15th 2017

Bill History

Senate Vote Count:

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28 Yes
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- 0 No
- 2 Not Voting

House Vote Count:

- 57 Yes
- 2 No
- 1 Not Voting

OAH threatens Oregon's

"commercially and culturally significant ocean resources"

Oregon supports OAH actions and initiatives, thru collaborations among:

- · federal, state, local agencies
- academic institutions
- commercial industries
- Tribal representatives

Council Membership

- a) Governor's Designee
- b) Oregon State University, Directors Designee
- c) Dept. of Fish and Wildlife, Director Designee
- d) Dept. Agriculture, Director Designee
- e) Dept. of Environmental Quality, Director Designee
- f) Dept. of Land Conservation and Development, Director Designee

Council Membership

- g A) Oregon Ocean Science Trust, Director Appointee
- g B) Oregon Sea Grant, Director Appointee
- g C) Conservation Organization, OPAC Designee
- g D) Fishing Interests, Fish and Wildlife Commission Appointee
- g E) Shellfish Mariculture, Board of Agriculture Appointee
- g F) Academic Research Community, OPAC / STAC Appointee
- g G) Oregon Indian Tribes, Commission on Indian Services Nomination, Fish and Wildlife Commission Appointee

Council Membership

a) Dr. Kristen Sheeran

g A) Dr. James Sumich

b) Dr. Jack Barth, Co-Chair

g B) Dr. Shelby Walker

c) Dr. Caren Braby, Co-Chair

g C) Fran Recht

d) Frank Barcellos

g D) Al Pazar

e) Karen Tarnow

g E) Liu Xin

f) Andy Lanier

g F) Dr. Aaron Galloway

g G) John Schaefer

Council Procedures

- A majority of members constitutes a quorum
- Co-Chairs or the majority of members can set meetings dates and times
- Vacancies must be filled by the appointing authority
- Replacement members must be appointed prior to the end of term
- Council may adapt procedural rules
- ODFW provides Council staff and supports Council member participation

The Council shall:



Review and use relevant OAH scientific information



Identify actions and initiatives to address OAH vulnerabilities



Advise and assist public agencies in coordination of OAH strategies

The Council may:

Develop socioeconomic vulnerability assessment report

- Community vulnerability
- Gaps in commercially important species

Develop research recommendations for Oregon Ocean Science Trust, academics, and state agencies

- Ecosystem impacts, economic impacts
- Ways to conserve and enhance resilience

Council Timeline:

Coordinating council shall submit a REPORT to the Legislative Assembly and Ocean Policy Advisory Council by <u>September 15th 2018</u>

Council activities and recommendations

Reports to be submitted biannually, thereafter

Council Timeline:

Governor's commitment to the OA Alliance and request to OAH council to build:

Oregon OAH Action Plan



Targeted completion: June 2019



