

State of Oregon
Department of Environmental Quality

Memorandum

Date: July 24, 2015

To: Environmental Quality Commission

From: Dick Pedersen, Director



Subject: Agenda item D, Informational item: Budget and legislative updates
Aug. 12-13, 2015, EQC meeting

Why this is important DEQ will inform the commission about the outcomes of the 2015 Oregon Legislative Session for DEQ's programs, legislative and budget matters at the state and federal level.

Background DEQ provides updates on legislative matters at most regular commission meetings. This update, following the close of the 2015 Oregon Legislative Session, will include information about legislation that did and did not pass and the agency's next steps for program development and implementation.

EQC involvement and next steps Staff will also solicit input from the commissioners on how they would like to be involved and informed in the development process of the 2017-19 agency budget and potential legislation.

Attachments None at this time. Additional documents and supplemental materials will be provided at or just before the meeting as they become available and up-to-date.

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