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OREGON STATE SENATOR NEWS FROM LYNN FINDLEY

Friends,

Thank you for taking a few minutes of your time to read our newsletter, there are some important opportunities coming up for you to stay engaged with the legislative process. Please reach out to our office if you have questions, need help on an issue or want an update on a piece of legislation, or just want to share how things are going for you and your families with us.

Thank you
Senator Lynn Findley

Budget Hearings- What's your take?

Later this month, the Joint Committee on Ways and Means will host the 2021 Oregon Budget Virtual Hearings to receive public feedback on how the Legislature should balance the state budget and use federal funding from the American Rescue Plan Act.

Due to the ongoing pandemic, these hearings will be conducted virtually and organized by congressional district. Members of the public will be able to submit written testimony, as well as provide live testimony by phone or video during the hearings.

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2021 OREGON BUDGET VIRTUAL HEARINGS

HELP SHAPE OREGON'S BUDGET

Oregon's lead budget writers will host five virtual hearings for public input on how the Legislature should balance the state budget and use federal funding from the American Rescue Plan Act.

Meetings will be organized to hear from members of each congressional district:

Congressional District 1 - Wednesday, April 14, 5:30-7:30 pm

Congressional District 2 - Saturday, April 17, 1:00-3:00 pm

Congressional District 3 - Wednesday, April 21, 5:30-7:30 pm

Congressional District 3 - Wednesday, April 21, 5:30-7:30 pm
Congressional District 4 - Thursday, April 22, 5:30-7:30 pm
Congressional District 5 - Saturday, April 24, 1:00-3:00 pm

Go to oregonlegislature.gov
or call **1-800-332-2313** to learn more



The co-chairs of the committee [released their 2021-23 Budget Framework](#) in March. The [document](#) serves as a starting point for the 2021-23 budget cycle.

The five dates and times are listed below. Oregonians can find their congressional district [here](#).

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Congratulations Sheriff Adkins!



This week, Jefferson County Sheriff Jim Adkins announced his retirement after serving 35 years in the Jefferson County sheriff's office.

Congratulations Sheriff Adkins and thank you for your decades of service to Jefferson County and all of Oregon. You have done a magnificent job for our communities, and I am grateful for the opportunities we've had to work together. This is well-deserved and you will be missed.

[Read more about Sheriff Adkins here](#)

April Town Hall – Coming Up!

Join me, Rep Mark Owens and Rep. Daniel Bonham **Wednesday, April 21 at 5:30pm PDT** so we can discuss the critical issues facing our state.

[Register now](#) so you don't miss out

Sen. Lynn Findley, Rep. Mark Owens, & Rep. Daniel Bonham invite you to a virtual town hall

REGISTER TODAY

Wednesday, April 21
5:30 - 6:30 PM PDT

Click the graphic to register

Questions for our legislators during the town hall?
Email sen.lynnfindley@oregonlegislature.gov

The graphic features three headshots of the legislators: Sen. Lynn Findley, Rep. Mark Owens, and Rep. Daniel Bonham. The text is set against a dark blue background with white and yellow accents.

Questions can be submitted in advance [when you register](#), using Q&A chat during the event, or asked live during the virtual town hall. You can join us via Zoom or watch via [my Facebook Page](#) Livestream. If you decide to participate via Zoom, you must register prior to attending the event.

If you have questions you'd like to send along in advance, please feel free to email them to me here at [Town Hall Questions](#) and we'll get them on the list.

Please do join us—your voice needs to be heard and we're here to listen. [Sign up now](#) and we will see you on April 21.

Stay In The Know

We encourage you to follow the bills you care about and receive an e-mail update when the status of your watched bill(s) change. [Sign-up today here](#). This page comes up, use the various links to sign up for what you'd like to track in the legislature.

The screenshot shows the "Oregon State Legislature" website with the "Capitol e-Subscribe" section highlighted. The page includes a navigation menu (Senate, House, Bills and Laws, etc.), a search bar, and various service links like "Engage", "Capitol e-Subscribe", "Bill Alerts - Stay Informed!", and "Other Information Topics Available with the Capitol e-Subscribe Service". It also features a "Sign Up or Manage Your Capitol e-Subscription Preferences" button and a "We're listening to what you have to say" section.

Your direct engagement in our legislative process will make the greatest difference and have the largest impact in the outcome of

legislation this session. You've taken the first step by being connected with our office, now here's how to engage in other ways to get involved and make sure your voice is heard.

- [How to Testify](#)
- [How to Submit Testimony](#)
- [How to Find Bills on the Oregon Legislature Website](#)

To learn more about committees, the status of a bill, sign up for email alerts, find other legislators and more, visit the Oregon Legislative Information System (OLIS) by [clicking here](#)

As always, if you need more information or have questions, please contact us any time.

Thank you,



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