

ROB S. SAXTON Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction

BEFORE THE OREGON DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

RULE HEARING: OAR 5821-022-1620, Required Instructional Time / 581-021-0102, Definition of Instructional Time / OAR 581-022-1131, Credit Options

HEARING OFFICER'S REPORT

The Department held a public hearing on December 22, 2014, to receive public comment on the proposed rule amendments. Notice of hearing was published in a timely manner in the Secretary of State's bulletin and was sent to interested parties and persons who requested notice pursuant to ORS 183.335 (7). The hearing was held at the Department's offices in Salem, Oregon before Emily Nazarov, Hearing Officer.

Testimony:

Lisa Zuniga

• See attached written comments

Emma Rosen

• See attached written comments

Keegan Williams-Thomas

• See attached written comments

Caroline Fenn

• See attached written comments

Paul Peterson, Assistant Superintendent, NW Regional ESD

- Rules need additional time and work.
- "Optional school programs" is vague and should be stricken.
- Suggested edits to 581-022-1620(4) (see attached).
- Re: online instruction, focus of rules should be on addressing quality of interaction between teachers and students, not schedule, days, etc.

Steve Spencer, Principal, Dallas High School

• See attached written comments

Polly Kriesberg

• See attached written comments



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Gene Trowbridge

• See attached written comments.

Morgan Allen, Oregon School Boards Association

• See attached written comments.

Kevin Jeans Gail, Portland Workforce Alliance

• See attached written comments.

Respectfully submitted this 5th day of January, 2015,

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Hearing Officer