

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 3364**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, delete “452.010,”.

2 In line 3, delete “634.122,”.

3 Delete lines 5 through 25 and delete pages 2 through 8 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 1. Sections 2 and 3 of this 2013 Act are added to and**
5 **made a part of ORS 634.650 to 634.665.**

6 **“SECTION 2. (1) The Dean of the College of Agricultural Sciences**
7 **of Oregon State University shall appoint a faculty member of the col-**
8 **lege who has administrative experience in integrated pest and pro-**
9 **duction management matters to act as the State Integrated Pest**
10 **Management Coordinator. The coordinator shall serve at the pleasure**
11 **of the dean.**

12 **“(2) The coordinator shall report biennially to the Legislative As-**
13 **sembly regarding the activities of the coordinator, including but not**
14 **limited to meetings between the coordinator and state agencies in-**
15 **volved in integrated pest management and regarding the activities and**
16 **meetings of the Integrated Pest Management Coordinating Committee**
17 **described in section 3 of this 2013 Act. The report shall include, but**
18 **need not be limited to:**

19 **“(a) Advances, innovations and training activities in methodologies**
20 **for reducing risks from pests;**

21 **“(b) Key problem matters, the approaches taken to address the**
22 **matters and concerns remaining outstanding;**

1 “(c) Performance metric results for state agency implementation
2 of integrated pest management, including but not limited to progress
3 toward the goal of protecting the economy, ecosystems and water
4 quality of this state and protecting the health and welfare of children,
5 the elderly and other members of the public;

6 “(d) The integrated pest management program status of each state
7 agency that uses state-owned or leased property;

8 “(e) Examples of cost-savings and expenditures resulting from in-
9 tegrated pest management program implementation; and

10 “(f) Any recommendations for integrated pest management plan
11 program improvements, including but not limited to any proposals for
12 revising the definition of “integrated pest management.”

13 “SECTION 3. (1) There is established an Integrated Pest Manage-
14 ment Coordinating Committee, consisting of:

15 “(a) The State Integrated Pest Management Coordinator;

16 “(b) A representative from each state agency listed in ORS 634.660
17 (1) to (10), appointed by the director of the agency;

18 “(c) A representative of the Oregon University System, appointed
19 by the State Board of Higher Education; and

20 “(d) A representative from each public university listed in ORS
21 352.002, appointed by the president of the university.

22 “(2) The State Integrated Pest Management Coordinator shall chair
23 the committee. The committee may elect a vice-chair. The committee
24 may assign duties to the chair and vice-chair and provide them with
25 the powers necessary to perform those duties.

26 “(3) A majority of the committee members is a quorum, for the
27 purpose of conducting business. Action by the committee requires ap-
28 proval by a majority of the committee members. Each committee
29 member serves at the pleasure of their appointing authority.

30 “(4) The committee shall meet three times per year at the call of

1 the State Integrated Pest Management Coordinator for the purposes
2 of:

3 “(a) Sharing information concerning the latest methods and ap-
4 proaches to integrated pest management used to reduce the risks
5 posed by pests and concerning strategies related to pest management;

6 “(b) Sharing information concerning program successes and
7 knowledge gained in the implementation of integrated pest manage-
8 ment programs;

9 “(c) Developing an adaptive management approach to the improve-
10 ment of integrated pest management by state agencies and public
11 universities;

12 “(d) Identifying issues regarding risk reduction and developing in-
13 novative approaches to addressing the issues;

14 “(e) Reporting on, and evolving a set of performance metrics to
15 adequately describe, state agency and public university progress in
16 implementing integrated pest management;

17 “(f) Sharing information concerning the integrated pest manage-
18 ment programs of each state agency or public university in order to
19 foster information exchange concerning the latest technological ad-
20 vances and protocols and to promote a consistent format for the pro-
21 grams;

22 “(g) Achieving reductions in risks from pests and from strategies
23 relating to pest management; and

24 “(h) Evaluating the need for notification of pesticide use and pro-
25 pose policies for notification as part of state agency and public uni-
26 versity integrated pest management programs.

27 “(5) In addition to the meetings required under subsection (4) of this
28 section, the committee may convene as the committee deems appro-
29 priate for the purpose of coordinating state integrated pest manage-
30 ment efforts with the work of the Invasive Species Council. The

1 committee and the council shall jointly address the technical and
2 management approach challenges shared by programs to reduce risks
3 from pests and reduce threats from invasive species.

4 “(6) The committee may identify threats of common interest to the
5 committee and the Invasive Species Council, determine the resources
6 needed for addressing the threats and provide the information to state
7 agencies and public universities.

8 “(7) The committee shall prepare a biennial report and shall seek
9 public comment and input for the report.

10 “(8)(a) The committee may seek funding from public or private
11 sources to enable the committee to develop pest risk and integrated
12 pest management metrics or to develop new technologies, strategies
13 and approaches for addressing specific pest threats. Unless restricted
14 by the donor, the committee may use moneys donated under this
15 subsection for any purpose described in this subsection.

16 “(b) The State Department of Agriculture may accept funds donated
17 under this subsection on behalf of the committee. The moneys shall
18 be credited to a subaccount within the Department of Agriculture
19 Service Fund and, notwithstanding ORS 561.144 and 634.326, shall be
20 dedicated for funding activities of the committee. The Director of Ag-
21 riculture shall draw warrants for the issuance of payment from the
22 account as authorized by vote of a majority of the committee.

23 “SECTION 4. ORS 634.650 is amended to read:

24 “634.650. As used in ORS 634.650 to 634.665:

25 “[*(1) ‘Integrated pest management’ means a coordinated decision-making*
26 *and action process that uses the most appropriate pest control methods and*
27 *strategy in an environmentally and economically sound manner to meet agency*
28 *pest management objectives. The elements of integrated pest management in-*
29 *clude:*]

30 “[*(a) Preventing pest problems;*]

1 “[(b) *Monitoring for the presence of pests and pest damage;*]

2 “[(c) *Establishing the density of the pest population, which may be set at*
3 *zero, that can be tolerated or correlated with a damage level sufficient to*
4 *warrant treatment of the problem based on health, public safety, economic or*
5 *aesthetic thresholds;*]

6 “[(d) *Treating pest problems to reduce populations below those levels es-*
7 *tablished by damage thresholds using strategies that may include biological,*
8 *cultural, mechanical and chemical control methods and that shall consider*
9 *human health, ecological impact, feasibility and cost effectiveness; and]*

10 “[(e) *Evaluating the effects and efficacy of pest treatments.*]

11 “(1) **‘Integrated pest management’ means a science-based decision**
12 **making process that:**

13 “(a) **Identifies and reduces risks from pests and from pest manage-**
14 **ment related strategies;**

15 “(b) **Coordinates the use of pest biology, environmental information**
16 **and comprehensive technology to prevent unacceptable levels of pest**
17 **damage by economical means and poses the least possible risk to peo-**
18 **ple, property, resources and the environment; and**

19 “(c) **Uses a pest management approach that focuses on the pre-**
20 **vention of pests through a combination of techniques that may in-**
21 **clude, but need not be limited to:**

22 “(A) **Surveillance and monitoring;**

23 “(B) **Early detection;**

24 “(C) **Mechanical control;**

25 “(D) **The selective use of pesticides;**

26 “(E) **Cultural practices;**

27 “(F) **Modified land management;**

28 “(G) **Biological controls;**

29 “(H) **Evaluation of the effects and efficacy of pest treatments; and**

30 “(I) **Control practices selected and applied to achieve desired pest**

1 **management objectives in a manner that minimizes risks to human**
2 **health, non-target organisms, native fish and wildlife habitat,**
3 **watersheds and the environment.**

4 “(2) ‘Pest’ means any vertebrate or invertebrate animal, pathogen,
5 parasitic plant, weed or similar or allied organism which can cause disease
6 or damage to crops, trees, shrubs, grasses or other plants, humans, animals
7 or property.

8 **“SECTION 5.** ORS 634.660 is amended to read:

9 “634.660. Each of the following state agencies **or public universities**
10 shall implement integrated pest management practices when carrying out
11 [*the agency’s*] duties **of the agency or public university** related to pest
12 control:

13 “(1) State Department of Agriculture[, *including the control of noxious*
14 *weeds*].

15 “(2) State Department of Fish and Wildlife.

16 “(3) Department of Transportation.

17 “(4) State Parks and Recreation Department.

18 “(5) State Forestry Department.

19 “(6) Department of Corrections.

20 “(7) Oregon Department of Administrative Services.

21 “(8) [*The*] Department of State Lands.

22 **“(9) Department of Environmental Quality.**

23 **“(10) Oregon Health Authority.**

24 “[*9*] (11) Each public university listed in ORS 352.002, for the public
25 university’s own building and grounds maintenance.

26 **“SECTION 6.** ORS 634.665 is amended to read:

27 “634.665. (1) Each state agency or [*institution*] **public university** listed
28 **or referred to** under ORS 634.660 shall provide integrated pest management
29 training for employees responsible for pest management.

30 “(2) Each state agency or [*institution*] **public university** listed **or re-**

1 **ferred to** under ORS 634.660 shall designate an integrated pest management
2 coordinator. The integrated pest management coordinator:

3 **“(a) Must be a state employee;**

4 **“(b) Shall manage the integrated pest management program of the agency**
5 **or [*institution.*] public university; and**

6 **“(c) May serve more than one state agency or public university.”.**

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