

## TDNFTC NEWSLETTER

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AIC = Adult in Custody (no longer "inmates")  
M11 = Measure 11, Oregon Mandatory Minimum

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## Greetings from the Co-Founder of TDNFTC

Thank you to all that have sent emails and letters to either give testimony or to let us know you have written or asking to be on our list to receive our newsletters.

A big thank you for those that have sent checks/money to keep our newsletters going.

Answering emails and mail, or asking if this bill will apply to you....- Emails

## Bills update

**Public Hearings** is when the committee listens to testimonies

**Work Session** is when the committee makes a decision and votes on the bill after reviewing all testimonies.

SB191 had **Public Hearing** on Monday 4/5/21 8AM

There were 30 verbal testimonies signed up and only 13 was on line to testify. 8 in favor, 5 against, 17 no show's

The 8 in favor gave excellent testimony touching on every aspect of why earning sentence reduction should be retroactive. 4 out of those 8 are members of TDNFTC, Dawn, Kathie, Kim & Lynn. The other 4 have not had communication with TDNFTC nor is on our mailing list (that I have a record of) Thank you to all 8 that gave verbal testimony.

The 4 that were opposed, 2 were DA's and their reason for not supporting was because they didn't want to go back to the victim or their families to let them know the date of the accuser's release would be moved up and give them disappointing news. The two others were victims themselves and wanted the AIC to serve day for day.

Senator Prozanski had said last week they had received several hundred letters from AIC's and were working through them. Thank you everyone that gave written testimony either by letter or electronic.

SB191 **Work Session** was scheduled on Tuesday 4/13 and Senator Prozanski took it upon himself to close our bill. He felt there would not be enough votes on the floor to carry this bill being retroactive. SB 191 has died but that doesn't mean we are done.

SB401 **Workshop Session** was Tuesday 4/13 and it passed, to be moved on to the Rules committee. This committee is in charge of when it will be scheduled for the Senate floor.

SB401 bill reads: Converts mandatory minimum sentences for specified felonies other than murder to presumptive sentences. Authorizes court to impose greater or lesser sentence according to sentencing guidelines of Oregon Criminal Justice Commission. Authorizes person receiving presumptive sentence to be eligible for certain programs and sentence reductions.

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## Bills update..... continued

HB2002 & 2172 **Workshop Session** was Tuesday 4/13, both passed and are moving to the House floor. HB2002 passed 6to4, HB2172 passed unanimously, all 10 votes were a yes.

HB2002 has several topics within the bill. This bill's sentence reduction is a very small part of this bill.

They mentioned they wanted to excluded M11. Senator Prozanski stated this section will not go further.

HB2172 was submitted by the request of Gov Brown and reads identical to SB401.

At this time none of these three bills are requesting for sentence reduction to be retroactive.

## Earning Sentence Reduction is not lost

Even though our bill, SB191, died before committee could vote, earning Sentence Reduction/Good Time is not lost.

We are still going to push for retroactive somehow, someday. 4/16/21 Committee members of TDNFTC met with Senator Prozanski and we will be promoting and advocating for SB401. Changes will be made before it goes to vote( possibly combining HB2172 & SB401).

Please write "your" Senator and ask them for a yes vote on this bill. Let them know you are their constituent and we need their support to get this bill passed. Passing SB401 is still a win for us, it's in the right direction. it just means more steps in our request. We need the Republican yes vote. (below, Republicans are noted **R**)

To get updates on any bills or find your Legislator, go to:  
<https://www.oregonlegislature.gov/>



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<https://www.bonfire.com/tdnftc/>

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4	Eugene	Senator Floyd Prozanski	S-413
5- <b>R</b>	Coos Bay	Senator Dick Anderson	S-303
6	Springfield	Senator Lee Beyer	S-411
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