



**VICKI BERGER  
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OREGON HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
HOUSE DISTRICT 20**

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**LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES ANNOUNCED  
REP. BERGER CHOSEN AS CHAIR OF THE GENERAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE**

SALEM – Representative Vicki Berger (R-Salem), was appointed today to two key legislative committees by House Speaker Karen Minnis (R-Wood Village) for the 2005 legislative session which convenes January 10. Rep. Berger will direct the Legislature’s efforts concerning state government’s structure and administrative issues for local, county and state government as the chair of the House General Government Committee. Rep. Berger will also serve as Vice-Chair of the House Revenue Committee. The House Revenue Committee handles general taxation issues.

“I am very excited to begin working on these two committees,” said Rep. Berger. “I have been an advocate for a government that is efficient and accountable in providing services to the citizens of my district and the State of Oregon. These committee assignments give me an excellent opportunity to focus the 74<sup>th</sup> Legislative Assembly’s efforts on these matters.”

The meeting times for the committees will be decided after the legislative session begins.

Rep. Berger was recently elected to her second term in the House of Representatives. During the 2003 session, Rep. Berger served as the Vice-Chair of the House Trade and Economic Development Committee. She also served on House Revenue committee. During the interim, Rep. Berger has served as the Vice-Chair of the House Interim Committee on Land Use Review. She has also served on the Joint Legislative Audit Committee, the Joint Interim Committee on Tax Reform, the House Interim Committee on Revenue and the Joint Legislative Counsel Committee.

This press release and an archive of previous press releases issued by Rep. Berger’s office are available on the web at: [www.leg.state.or.us/berger](http://www.leg.state.or.us/berger).

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