

MINUTES

**MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
61st LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

Call to Order:

CHAIRMAN MIKE MILBURN, on January 7, 2009 at 3 P.M., in Room 472 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Mike Milburn, Chairman (R)
Rep. Gordon R. Hendrick, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. JP Pomnichowski, Vice Chairman (D)
Rep. Tony Belcourt (D)
Rep. Gerald Bennett (R)
Rep. Anders Blewett (D)
Rep. Jill Cohenour (D)
Rep. Sue Dickenson (D)
Rep. Betsy Hands (D)
Rep. Brian Hoven (R)
Rep. Tom McGillvray (R)
Rep. Mike Menahan (D)
Rep. Scott Mendenhall (R)
Rep. Mike Miller (R)
Rep. Michele Reinhart (D)
Rep. Kendall Van Dyk (D)
Rep. Chas Vincent (R)
Rep. Wendy Warburton (R)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Shirley Chovanak, Committee Secretary
Joe Kolman, Legislative Branch

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Organizational Meeting/Introductions

Executive Action: None

00:00:01 Chairman Milburn
00:00:10 Vice Chairman Hendrick
00:00:32 Ms. Chovanak
00:59:00 Rep. Pomnichowski
00:01:00 Rep. Van Dyk
00:01:49 Rep. Reinhart
00:02:08 Rep. Mendenhall
00:02:44 Rep. Miller
00:03:01 Rep. Hands
00:03:35 Rep. Hoven
00:04:05 Rep. Blewett
00:04:41 Rep. McGillvray
00:05:03 Rep. Cohenour
00:05:47 Rep. Bennett
00:06:09 Rep. Dickenson
00:07:00 Rep. Belcourt
00:07:34 Rep. Vincent
00:08:44 Rep. Warburton
00:09:00 Rep. Menahan
00:09:41 Mr. Kolman (LSD)
00:10:00 Chairman Milburn
00:11:32 Mary Sexton, Director, Department of Natural Resources
and Conservation (DNRC)
00:20:01 Chairman Milburn
00:20:32 Richard Opper, Director, Department of Environmental
Quality

EXHIBIT (nah03a01)

00:30:11 Mr. Kolman

EXHIBIT (nah03a02)

00:32:00 Chairman Milburn
00:38:44 Rep. Cohenour
00:38:48 Chairman Milburn
00:38:53 Rep. Hendrick
00:39:40 Rep. Hoven
00:39:56 Chairman Milburn

ADJOURNMENT

00:40:47 Adjournment

REP. MIKE MILBURN, Chairman

SHIRLEY CHOVANAK, Secretary

Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT ([nah03aad.pdf](#))