

MINUTES

**MONTANA SENATE
61st LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

Call to Order: Chairman Gary L. Perry, on April 3, 2009 at 9:00
A.M., in Room 303 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Gary L. Perry, Chairman (R)
Sen. Jim Shockley, Vice Chairman (R)
Sen. Aubyn Curtiss (R)
Sen. Greg Hinkle (R)
Sen. Larry Jent (D)
Sen. Carol C. Juneau (D)
Sen. Cliff Larsen (D)
Sen. Jesse Laslovich (D)
Sen. Dan McGee (R)
Sen. Lynda Moss (D)
Sen. Terry Murphy (R)

Members Excused: Sen. John Esp (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Valencia Lane, Legislative Branch
Pam Schindler, Committee Secretary

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:

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 634, 3/27/2009

Executive Action: None

HEARING ON HB 634

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:00:56 Rep. Dave McAlpin (D), HD 94, opened the hearing on HB 634, Revise law on transportation of mentally ill.

EXHIBIT(jus74a01)

Proponents' Testimony:

00:05:43 Brenda Desmond, self

EXHIBIT(jus74a02)

00:10:41 Linda Stoll, Missoula County

00:11:16 Anita Roessmann, Attorney, Disability Rights Montana

00:15:51 Sheryl Wood, Associate Director, Montana Association of Counties (MACo)

00:20:19 Marty Onishuk, self; National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) Montana

00:23:15 Don Judge, Montana Nurses Association

00:26:27 Matt Kuntz, Executive Director, (NAMI) Montana

Opponents' Testimony:

None

Informational Testimony:

00:28:18 Mary Dalton, Branch Manager, Medicaid and Health Services, Addictive and Mental Disorders Division, Department of Public Health and Human Services

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:30:29 Sen. Shockley

00:31:05 Ms. Dalton

00:36:00 Sen. Juneau

00:36:34 Rep. McAlpin

00:37:09 Sen. Shockley

00:37:51 Rep. McAlpin

00:39:35 Sen. Juneau

00:40:08 Ms. Wood

00:46:20 Sen. Larsen

00:46:53 Ms. Roessmann

00:49:05 Sen. Shockley
00:50:00 Ms. Roessmann
00:50:20 Sen. Perry
00:50:31 Ms. Wood
00:54:57 Sen. Perry
00:55:24 Ms. Dalton

Closing by Sponsor:

00:57:15 Rep. McAlpin

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 10:07 A.M.

Pam Schindler, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT ([jus74aad.pdf](#))