

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 62nd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Call to Order: Chairman Roy Hollandsworth, on January 5, 2011 at 2:00 P.M., in Room 303 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Roy Hollandsworth, Chairman (R)
Sen. Debby Barrett (R)
Sen. Bradley Hamlett (D)
Sen. Bob Hawks (D)
Sen. Llew Jones (R)
Rep. Robert (Bob) Mehlhoff (D)
Rep. Ryan Osmundson (R)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Pam Joehler, Legislative Branch
Jim Standaert, Legislative Branch
Marissa Stockton, 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:

Overview of Budget

EXHIBIT(jeh03b01)

00:01:05 Chairman Hollandsworth

00:01:28 Dan Villa, Governor Schweitzer's Education Policy Advisor

Questions from the Committee and Responses

00:11:52 Chairman Hollandsworth

00:12:25 Rep. Blyton

00:12:45 Dan Villa

00:14:19 Re. Blyton

00:14:26 Dan Villa

00:14:31 Chairman Hollandsworth

00:14:36 Sen. Essman

00:15:15 Dan Villa

00:15:46 Sen. Essman

00:16:14 Sen. Essman

00:16:21 Dan Villa

00:16:28 Chairman Hollandsworth

00:16:37 Rep. Wilmer

00:17:02 Dan Villa

00:17:50 Rep. Wilmer

00:17:57 Chairman Hollandsworth

00:18:01 Rep. Wilmer

00:18:07 Dan Villa

00:18:47 Chairman Hollandsworth

00:18:51 Rep. Clark

00:19:06 Dan Villa

00:19:47 Chairman Hollandsworth

00:19:55 Rep. Clark

00:20:28 Dan Villa

00:21:27 Chairman Hollandsworth

00:21:31 Rep. Melhoff

00:22:26 Dan Villa

00:23:42 Chairman Hollandsworth

00:23:49 Sen. Essman

00:24:15 Dan Villa

00:24:24 Sen. Essman

00:24:45 Dan Villa

00:25:11 Sen. Essman

00:25:21 Dan Villa

00:25:53 Chairman Hollandsworth

00:25:56 Rep. Malek

00:26:22 Dan Villa

00:27:32 Chairman Hollandsworth

00:27:41 Sen. Jones

00:28:22 Dan Villa

00:28:59 Sen. Jones

00:29:49 Dan Villa

00:30:01 Sen. Jones

00:30:10 Dan Villa
00:30:55 Sen. Jones
00:31:04 Chairman Hollandsworth

K-12 Presentation:

00:31:34 Denise Juneau - Superintendent of Public Schools

EXHIBIT(jeh03b02)

Questions from the Committee and Responses:

00:59:09 Chairman Hollandsworth
00:59:21 Sen. Zinke
00:59:30 Denise Juneau
01:00:21 Sen. Zinke
01:00:56 Denise Juneau
01:02:14 Chairman Hollandsworth
01:02:19 Sen. Jones
01:03:33 Denise Juneau
01:04:09 Madalyn Quinlan, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)
01:05:58 Sen. Jones
01:07:07 Madalyn Quinlan, OPI
01:08:23 Sen. Jones
01:08:33 Denise Juneau, OPI
01:09:20 Sen. Essman
01:10:16 Denise Juneau, OPI
01:11:11 Dennis Parmen, Deputy Assistant to the Superintendent of Public Schools
01:13:24 Chairman Hollandsworth
01:13:29 Denise Juneau, OPI
01:14:05 Chairman Hollandsworth
01:14:11 Denise Juneau, OPI
01:14:18 Rep. Mehlhoff
01:16:48 Denise Juneau, OPI
01:18:02 Rep. Mehlhoff
01:18:08 Chairman Hollandsworth
01:18:25 Rep. Malek
01:20:11 Denise Juneau, OPI
01:23:37 Chair

Montana University System Presentation:

01:24:02 Sheila Sterns - Commissioner of Higher Education (OCHE)
01:43:04 Chairman Hollandsworth
01:43:09 Waded Cruzado, President, Montana State University (MSU)
01:54:17 Chairman Hollandsworth
01:54:27 Royce Engstrom, President, University of Montana (UofM)
02:07:13 Chairman Hollandsworth
02:07:19 Jane Karas, President, Flathead Community College (FVCC)
02:13:52 Chairman Hollandsworth
02:14:01 Tyler Wise, President, Montana Associate Student

02:22:57 Chairman Hollandsworth
 02:23:08 Frank McCallister, CEO of Stillwater Mining Company
 02:42:45 Chairman Hollandsworth

Questions from the Committee and Responses:

02:43:13 Sen. Essman
 02:44:02 Waded Cruzado, MSU
 02:44:13 Sen. Essman
 02:44:26 Waded Cruzado, MSU
 02:45:11 Sen. Essman
 02:45:16 Waded Cruzado, MSU
 02:45:20 Sen. Essman
 02:45:46 Waded Cruzado, MSU
 02:46:03 Sen. Essman
 02:46:24 Waded Cruzado, MSU
 02:46:55 Sen. Essman
 02:47:01 Rep. Wilburn
 02:48:00 Sheila Sterns, OCHE
 02:49:39 Chairman Hollandsworth
 02:49:46 Sen. Branae
 02:50:36 Sheila Sterns, OCHE
 02:51:29 Sen. Branae
 02:51:35 Rep. Bennet
 02:52:01 Royce Engstrom, UofM
 02:52:48 Chairman Hollandsworth
 02:52:52 Sen. Facey
 02:53:14 Sheila Sterns, OCHE
 02:54:00 Sen. Facey
 02:54:07 Rep. Clark
 02:54:59 Sheila Sterns, OCHE
 02:57:27 Chairman Hollandsworth
 02:57:30 Sen. Lake
 02:58:04 Sheila Sterns, OCHE
 03:00:24 Chairman Hollandsworth

Comments from the Public

03:00:50 Michael O'Neil
 03:02:30 Chairman Hollandsworth
 03:02:35 Linda Branham, Indian Education Association
 03:03:41 Chairman Hollandsworth
 03:03:46 Marco Ferro, Montana Education Association-Montana Federation of Teachers (MEA-MFT)
 03:04:41 Darrel Rudd, School Administrators of Montana
 03:06:11 Dick Brown, President of Montana Health Care Providers
 03:09:06 Lance Melton, Montana School Board Association
 03:09:54 Dave Pwery, Montana Rural Education Association

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 03:11:14

Marissa Stockton, Secretary

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Additional Exhibits:

[EXHIBIT\(jeh03b03\)](#)

Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jeh03bad.pdf](#))