

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 62nd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES AND TRANSPORTATION

Call to Order: Chair Duane Ankney, on January 27, 2011 at 8:30 AM, in Room 317C
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Duane Ankney, Chair (R)
Sen. Rick Ripley, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. John Brenden (R)
Rep. Mike Cuffe (R)
Rep. Galen Hollenbaugh (D)
Sen. Jim Keane (D)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Rinay Bender, Committee Secretary
James Chamberlain, Office of Budget and Program Planning (OBPP)
Barbara Smith, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

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:

Executive Action on Department of Environmental Quality decision packages
1001, C 75 Proprietary Rates, 2002, 2004, 2006, C 64 Language, 3001, 4001, 4002, 4003,
4004, 5002, 5003, 5011, 5012, 5013, 5014, 9001, C 109 Language, 5053 and Request for
Capital Authority.

00:25:21 Barbara Smith, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)
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[EXHIBIT\(jnh21a03\)](#)
[EXHIBIT\(jnh21a04\)](#)

EXECUTIVE ACTION

DP 1001

00:27:05 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 1001 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:27:44 Ms. Smith, LFD

C 75

00:28:08 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **C 75 PROPRIETARY RATES BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried 5-1 by voice vote with Sen. Brenden voting no.

00:28:38 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 2002

00:29:16 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 2002 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:29:36 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 2004

00:29:48 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 2004 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried 5-1 by voice vote with Sen. Brenden voting no.

00:30:07 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 2006

00:30:30 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Hollenbaugh moved that **DP 2006 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried 4-2 by voice vote with Sen. Brenden and Sen. Ripley voting no.

00:31:09 Ms. Smith, LFD

C 64

00:31:21 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **C 64 LANGUAGE BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:31:39 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 3001

00:32:04 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 3001 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried 5-1 by voice vote with Sen. Brenden voting no.

00:33:06 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 4001

00:33:46 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 4001 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried 5-1 by voice vote with Sen. Brenden voting no.

00:34:09 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 4002

00:34:18 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 4002 BE ADOPTED AS RESTRICTED AS ONE TIME ONLY FOR THE BIENNIUM**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:34:39 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 4003

00:34:57 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 4003 BE ADOPTED AS RESTRICTED AS ONE TIME ONLY FOR THE BIENNIUM**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:35:12 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 4004

00:35:22 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 4004 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried 4-2 by roll call vote with Rep. Hollenbaugh and Sen. Keane voting no.

00:35:28 Rep. Hollenbaugh

00:35:37 Sen. Ripley

00:36:51 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 5002

00:37:30 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 5002 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:37:51 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 5003

00:38:08 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 5003 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:38:21 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 5011

00:38:51 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 5011 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:39:17 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 5012

00:39:35 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 5012 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:39:50 Ms. Smith, LFD

00:40:25 Sen. Ripley

00:40:35 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 5013

00:40:44 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Hollenbaugh moved that **DP 5013 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:41:03 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 5014

00:41:25 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 5014 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried 5-1 by voice vote with Sen. Brenden voting no.

00:42:13 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 9001

00:42:45 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Hollenbaugh moved that **DP 9001 BE ADOPTED**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:43:03 Ms. Smith, LFD

C 109

00:43:35 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Hollenbaugh moved that **C 109 LANGUAGE BE ADOPTED.**
Motion carried 5-1 by voice vote with Sen. Brenden voting no.

00:43:58 Ms. Smith, LFD

Request For Capital Authority

00:44:58 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **THE REQUEST FOR CAPITAL
AUTHORITY OF \$6.0 MILLION OF ORPHAN SHARE FUNDS TO COVER THE
STATE'S PORTION OF LIABILITY BE ADOPTED AS AMENDED WITH \$2.5
MILLION AVAILABLE FOR CARRYOVER AND LANGUAGE INCLUDED TO
REQUEST REPORTING BACK TO THE COMMITTEE AND THE
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COUNCIL.** Motion carried unanimously by voice
vote.

00:46:13 Ms. Smith, LFD

DP 5053

00:46:52 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Ripley moved that **DP 5053 BE ADOPTED WITH AN
ADJUSTMENT TO THE FEES TO OFFSET THE GENERAL FUND FOR
HAZARDOUS WASTE AND THAT THE DP BE REEXAMINED BEFORE
CLOSING THE SECTION.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

00:47:31 Ms. Smith, LFD

00:47:37 James Chamberlain, Office of Budget and Program Planning (OBPP)

00:48:21 Sen. Ripley

00:48:36 Chairman Ankney

00:48:44 Ms. Smith, LFD

00:49:31 Sen. Ripley

00:49:35 Chairman Ankney

00:50:13 Rep. Cuffe

ADJOURNMENT

00:50:51 Chairman Ankney adjourned the meeting.

Rinay Bender, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jnh21aad.pdf](#))