

MINUTES

MONTANA SENATE 62nd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND CLAIMS

Call to Order: Chair Dave Lewis, on March 18, 2011 at 8:00 AM, in Room 317 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Dave Lewis, Chairman (R)
Sen. Rick Ripley, Vice Chairman (R)
Sen. Debby Barrett (R)
Sen. John Brenden (R)
Sen. Taylor Brown (R)
Sen. Edward Buttrey (R)
Sen. Mary Caferro (D)
Sen. Bradley Hamlett (D)
Sen. Bob Hawks (D)
Sen. Llew Jones (R)
Sen. Jim Keane (D)
Sen. Jason Priest (R)
Sen. Jon Sonju (R)
Sen. Edward Walker (R)
Sen. David E. Wanzenried (D)
Sen. Carol Williams (D)
Sen. Ryan Zinke (R)

Members Excused:

Sen. Steven Gallus (D)
Sen. Alan Olson (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Prudence Gildroy, Committee Secretary
Taryn Purdy, Legislative Branch

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Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 2, 3/15/2011

Executive Action: HB 2 Amendments

HEARING ON HB 2

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:00:54 Rep. Walter McNutt (R), HD 37, opened the hearing on HB 2, General Appropriations Act.

Questions from the Committee:

00:04:29 Chairman Lewis
00:04:34 Sen. Wanzenried
00:04:43 Rep. McNutt
00:06:09 Sen. Wanzenried
00:06:38 Rep. McNutt
00:07:05 Chairman Lewis
00:07:39 Sen. Wanzenried
00:08:07 Rep. McNutt
00:08:17 Sen. Wanzenried
00:08:26 Rep. McNutt
00:09:10 Chairman Lewis
00:09:12 Sen. Caferro
00:09:42 Rep. McNutt

Presentation of Legislative Fiscal Division:

00:10:21 Chairman Lewis
00:10:38 Amy Carlson, Fiscal Analyst, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)
[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a01\)](#)

Discussion:

00:19:49 Chairman Lewis
00:20:10 Ms. Carlson, LFD
00:20:39 Sen. Keane
00:21:03 Ms. Carlson
00:22:06 Sen. Keane
00:22:11 Ms. Carlson
00:22:27 Chairman Lewis
00:23:23 Sen. Wanzenried
00:23:41 Chairman Lewis
00:24:07 Sen. Wanzenried
00:24:21 Chairman Lewis

Presentation of Budget Office:

00:25:04 David Ewer, Budget Director, Office of Budget and Program Planning (OBPP)

Discussion:

00:29:58 Chairman Lewis
 00:30:05 Director Ewer, OBPP
 00:30:13 Chairman Lewis
 00:30:18 Director Ewer
 00:30:34 Sen. Keane
 00:31:07 Director Ewer
 00:31:45 Sen. Zinke
 00:32:08 Director Ewer
 00:33:16 Sen. Ripley
 00:33:56 Director Ewer
 00:35:09 Sen. Ripley
 00:35:18 Director Ewer
 00:36:03 Sen. Lewis
 00:36:32 Sen. Wanzenried
 00:36:59 Director Ewer
 00:38:52 Sen. Keane
 00:39:21 Director Ewer
 00:39:52 Sen. Keane
 00:40:05 Director Ewer
 00:41:05 Sen. Walker
 00:41:22 Director Ewer
 00:43:18 Sen. Priest
 00:43:32 Director Ewer
 00:51:04 Sen. Priest
 00:51:29 Director Ewer
 00:52:55 Sen. Ripley
 00:54:09 Director Ewer
 00:54:44 Sen. Ripley
 00:54:54 Director Ewer
 00:54:58 Sen. Hawks
 00:55:51 Director Ewer
 00:56:35 Sen. Hawks
 00:57:59 Director Ewer
 01:00:10 Sen. Brenden
 01:03:08 Sen. Hamlett
 01:03:35 Director Ewer
 01:03:54 Chairman Lewis
 01:04:33 Director Ewer
 01:05:07 Sen. Wanzenried
 01:05:27 Chairman Lewis
 01:05:47 Sen. Wanzenried
 01:06:06 Chairman Lewis

HB 2 Section B - Health and Human Services:

01:06:17 Rep. Don Roberts, HD 56 opened on Section B of HB 2.

Questions from the Committee:

01:30:32	Chairman Lewis
01:31:00	Rep. Roberts
01:31:12	Chairman Lewis
01:31:36	Sen. Caferro
01:33:43	Rep. Roberts
01:35:21	Sen. Caferro
01:36:27	Rep. Roberts
01:37:17	Chairman Lewis
01:37:35	Sen. Wanzenried
01:38:13	Rep. Roberts
01:41:04	Sen. Wanzenried
01:41:50	Rep. Roberts
01:42:51	Sen. Wanzenried
01:43:03	Sen. Brenden
01:43:32	Rep. Roberts
01:44:50	Sen. Hawks
01:46:08	Rep. Roberts
01:47:28	Sen. Hawks
01:47:33	Chairman Lewis
01:47:41	Rep. Roberts
01:47:48	Sen. Williams
01:48:42	Rep. Roberts
01:51:41	Sen. Williams
01:51:57	Rep. Roberts
01:52:58	Sen. Hamlett
01:53:20	Rep. Roberts
01:53:26	Sen. Sonju
01:53:45	Rep. Roberts
01:54:50	Sen. Sonju
01:55:03	Rep. Roberts
01:55:20	Sen. Priest
01:55:50	Rep. Roberts
01:57:05	Sen. Priest
01:57:19	Rep. Roberts
01:57:38	Sen. Caferro
01:58:18	Rep. Roberts
02:00:52	Sen. Caferro
02:01:41	Rep. Roberts
02:02:14	Sen. Williams
02:02:39	Sen. Keane
02:03:17	Chairman Lewis
02:03:50	Recess
02:23:51	Resume
02:23:57	Sen. Wanzenried
02:24:21	Chairman Lewis

Public Testimony:

02:25:25 Anna Whiting Sorrell, Director, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)

EXHIBIT(fcs61a02)

02:45:46 Chairman Lewis

02:45:51 Sen. Wanzenried

02:46:12 Chairman Lewis

02:47:04 Joe Briggs, Cascade County Commissioner

EXHIBIT(fcs61a03)

02:49:18 Peggy Grimes, Montana Food Bank Network

02:52:57 Kate Devino, Montana Food Bank Network

02:55:57 Minkie Medora, Food Security Council

02:59:05 Jim Atkinson, Director, Agency on Aging, Kalispell

03:03:12 Art Goldman, Great Falls

03:08:47 Shyla Patera, Northern Central Independent Living Center, and speaking for Travis Hoffman, Montana Centers for Independent Living

EXHIBIT(fcs61a04)

03:12:31 Sara Kline, Rural Dynamics Inc.

03:13:21 Kevin Howlett, Director Health and Human Services, Salish and Kootenai Tribes

03:14:42 Erin Howard, representing himself

03:15:55 Henry Butterfly, Blackfeet Tribal Council

03:19:04 Olivia Riutta, Montana Women Vote

03:19:44 Maria Gladstone, representing high school students and the Native Community

03:21:12 John Glueckert, Administrator, Montana State Hospital

03:28:35 Joe Hunderall, Montana Veterans Home, Columbia Falls

03:30:23 George Northcutt, representing himself

03:30:48 Lora Wier, representing herself

EXHIBIT(fcs61a05)

03:34:21 Joe Russell, Flathead City-County Health Department, Kalispell

EXHIBIT(fcs61a06)

03:36:48 Bambi Erving, U of M Student, Montana Tobacco Use Prevention Program

EXHIBIT(fcs61a07)

03:37:45 Cindy Morgan, Sanders County

03:39:40 Dr. Robert Shepard representing himself

EXHIBIT(fcs61a08)

03:41:20 Rick Gill, Bozeman Montana, representing himself

03:43:03 Clare Lemke, representing herself

EXHIBIT(fcs61a09)

03:45:19 Karen Sloan, Nurse Practitioner, Havre

03:51:28 Recess

03:50:22 Reconvene

03:50:24 Chairman Lewis

03:51:16 Cynthia Grubb, Pondera County Health Department

03:53:05 Mary Beth Frideres, Montana Primary Care Association

EXHIBIT(fcs61a10)

03:57:58 Kate McGivov, Executive Director, Community Health Center

03:59:39 Mari Dominguez, Executive Director, Bridger Clinic

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a11\)](#)

04:04:58 Chairman Lewis

04:05:18 Ms. Dominguez

04:06:15 Chairman Lewis

04:06:30 Alex Corcoran, NARAL Pro-Choice Montana

04:07:15 Annie Glover, Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a12\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a13\)](#)

04:10:20 Claudia Clifford, AARP

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a14\)](#)

04:12:56 Don Judge, Montana Nurses Association

04:17:42 Stacy Anderson, Planned Parenthood of Montana

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a15\)](#)

04:21:11 Anita Roessmann, Disability Rights Montana

04:25:14 Terry Minow, MEA-MFT

04:29:02 Tara Veazey, Montana Budget and Policy Center

04:33:13 John Wilkinson, Executive Director, Montana Chapter of American Association of Social Workers

04:35:24 Christina Davis, Children's Defense Fund

04:38:41 Dennis Taylor, Montana's Children's Initiative, Children's Disability Services

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a16\)](#)

04:40:06 Rose Hughes, Montana Healthcare Association

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a17\)](#)

04:46:04 Charlie Briggs, Easter Seals Goodwill

04:49:43 Erin MacLean, HealthShare Montana, Montana Medical Association

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a18\)](#)

04:54:43 Jan Cahill, Montana Association of Community Disability Services

05:01:18 Anita Roessmann, Disability Rights Montana

05:04:33 Bernie Jacobs, representing himself

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a19\)](#)

05:12:35 Recess

05:47:16 Reconvene

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 2 SECTION B

05:48:19 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Lewis moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED**. Motion carried by voice vote of those present and voting.

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a20\)](#)

05:49:14 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED**.

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a21\)](#)

Discussion:

05:49:24 Sen. Wanzenried

05:50:21 Chairman Lewis

05:50:47 Lois Steinbeck, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

05:51:26 Sen. Wanzenried

05:52:15 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

05:54:30 **Motion:** Sen. Caferro moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a22)

Discussion:

05:55:09 Sen. Caferro

05:57:05 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

05:57:57 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a23)

Discussion:

06:00:00 Chairman Lewis
06:00:20 Sen. Hawks
06:01:18 Sen. Hamlett
06:01:32 Sen. Brenden
06:02:09 Sen. Wanzenried

06:03:07 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

06:03:57 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a24)

Discussion:

06:04:04 Sen. Wanzenried
06:05:52 Sen. Ripley
06:06:08 Sen. Wanzenried
06:06:18 Lois Steinbeck, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)
06:06:41 Sen. Brenden
06:07:14 Lois Steinbeck, LFD
06:07:32 Sen. Keane
06:08:31 Sen. Wanzenried

06:09:12 **Vote:** Motion failed 8-11 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried, Sen. Williams and Sen. Zinke voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

06:10:01 **Motion:** Sen. Caferro moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a25)

Discussion:

06:10:04 Sen. Caferro
06:12:23 Chairman Lewis
06:12:29 Sen. Caferro

06:12:36 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

06:13:21 **Motion:** Sen. C. Williams moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a26)

Discussion:

06:13:24 Sen. Williams

06:14:35 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

06:15:51 **Motion:** Sen. C. Williams moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a27)

Discussion:

06:15:53 Sen. Williams
06:16:45 Sen. Caferro
06:17:00 Ms. Steinbeck, LFD
06:17:11 Sen. Caferro
06:17:16 Ms. Steinbeck

06:17:39 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

06:18:29 **Motion:** Sen. C. Williams moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a28)

Discussion:

06:18:32 Sen. Williams
06:21:06 Sen. Priest
06:22:00 Sen. Wanzenried
06:22:41 Mary Dalton, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)
06:22:59 Sen. Wanzenried
06:23:51 Sen. Brenden
06:24:21 Ms. Dalton, DPHHS
06:24:28 Sen. Brenden
06:25:26 Sen. Caferro

06:25:52 Ms. Dalton
06:26:14 Sen. Williams

06:27:19 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

06:28:07 **Motion:** Sen. C. Williams moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a29)

Discussion:

06:28:14 Sen. Williams

06:29:06 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

06:29:48 **Motion:** Sen. C. Williams moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a30)

Discussion:

06:29:58 Sen. Williams
06:31:01 Chairman Lewis
06:31:07 Sen. Hawks
06:32:10 Sen. Priest
06:32:25 Lois Steinbeck, LFD
06:33:37 Chairman Lewis
06:33:56 Ms. Steinbeck
06:34:05 Chairman Lewis
06:34:09 Sen. Priest
06:34:22 Sen. Williams

06:34:37 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

06:35:21 **Motion:** Sen. C. Williams moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a31)

Discussion:

06:35:28 Sen. Williams
06:36:26 Chairman Lewis

06:36:48 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

06:37:35 **Motion:** Sen. C. Williams moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a32\)](#)

Discussion:

06:37:38 Sen. Williams
06:39:41 Sen. Priest
06:40:40 Sen. Wanzenried
06:41:13 Mary Dalton, DPHHS
06:42:42 Sen. Wanzenried
06:42:57 Ms. Dalton
06:43:04 Chairman Lewis
06:43:20 Ms. Dalton
06:43:36 Sen. Caferro
06:44:56 Chairman Lewis
06:45:11 Sen. Williams

06:46:44 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

06:48:00 **Motion:** Sen. Caferro moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a33\)](#)

Discussion:

06:48:38 Sen. Caferro
06:49:30 Chairman Lewis

06:49:51 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

06:50:33 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a34\)](#)

Discussion:

06:50:40 Sen. Wanzenried
06:51:14 Sen. Priest
06:51:29 Sen. Wanzenried

06:52:14 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

06:52:54 **Motion:** Sen. Keane moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a35\)](#)

Discussion:

06:52:56 Sen. Keane
 06:54:01 Chairman Lewis
 06:55:30 Sen. Brenden
 06:55:45 Sen. Keane
 06:56:48 Sen. Brenden
 06:56:59 Sen. Keane
 06:57:07 Chairman Lewis
 06:57:20 Sen. Keane

06:57:42 **Vote:** Motion failed 9-10 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Walker, Sen. Wanzenried, Sen. Williams and Sen. Zinke voting aye. (Sen. Gallus was present)

06:58:36 **Motion:** Sen. C. Williams moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a36)

Discussion:

06:58:43 Sen. Williams
 06:59:59 Chairman Lewis
 07:00:21 Sen. Zinke
 07:00:45 Sen. Williams
 07:00:56 Jane Smiley, DPHHS
 07:01:22 Sen. Zinke
 07:01:48 Chairman Lewis
 07:02:20 Sen. Williams
 07:03:04 Chairman Lewis

07:03:29 **Vote:** Motion failed 9-10 by roll call vote with Sen. Buttrey, Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried, Sen. Williams and Sen. Zinke voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

07:04:26 **Motion:** Sen. Caferro moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a37)

Discussion:

07:04:41 Sen. Caferro
 07:05:35 Chairman Lewis
 07:05:40 Sen. Caferro

07:05:57 **Vote:** Motion failed 8-11 by roll call vote with Sen. Barrett, Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Priest and Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

07:07:04 **Motion:** Sen. C. Williams moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a38)

Discussion:

07:07:22 Sen. Williams
 07:08:25 Chairman Lewis
 07:08:40 Sen. Williams
 07:10:02 **Vote:** Motion failed 8-11 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Olson, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

07:11:08 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**

EXHIBIT(fcs61a39)

Discussion:

07:12:37 Sen. Wanzenried
 07:13:59 Sen. Caferro
 07:14:38 Sen. Williams
 07:16:12 Chairman Lewis
 07:16:31 Sen. Brenden
 07:17:10 Chairman Lewis
 07:18:00 Sen. Brenden
 07:19:27 Sen. Williams
 07:20:40 Sen. Brenden
 07:21:32 Sen. Hawks
 07:22:29 Chairman Lewis
 07:22:35 Sen. Hawks
 07:22:46 Chairman Lewis
 07:23:15 Lois Steinbeck, LFD
 07:24:02 Chairman Lewis
 07:24:07 Sen. Hawks
 07:24:48 Ms. Steinbeck, LFD
 07:25:46 Sen. Hawks
 07:26:10 Ms. Steinbeck
 07:26:39 Sen. Hawks
 07:27:11 Ms. Steinbeck
 07:28:05 Chairman Lewis
 07:28:49 Sen. Hawks
 07:29:15 Chairman Lewis
 07:29:36 Sen. Keane
 07:30:36 Sen. Hamlett
 07:31:43 Chairman Lewis
 07:32:46 Sen. Wanzenried

 07:34:27 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

07:35:18 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**

EXHIBIT(fcs61a40)

Discussion:

07:37:02 Sen. Brenden
07:37:10 Chairman Lewis
07:37:38 Ms. Daumiller
07:37:45 Chairman Lewis
07:38:05 Sen. Wanzenried

07:38:42 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

07:39:29 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a41\)](#)
[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a42\)](#)

Discussion:

07:39:31 Sen. Wanzenried
07:40:43 Marilyn Daumiller, LFD

07:41:15 Sen. Wanzenried **WITHDREW THE MOTION TO AMEND HB 2.**

07:41:28 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**

Discussion:

07:41:30 Sen. Wanzenried

07:41:48 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

07:42:43 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a43\)](#)

Discussion:

07:42:53 Sen. Wanzenried
07:42:55 Jane Smiley, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)

07:44:18 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

07:45:05 **Motion:** Sen. Lewis moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a44\)](#)

Discussion:

07:45:08 Chairman Lewis
07:49:06 Sen. Zinke
07:52:35 Chairman Lewis

07:53:10 **Vote:** Motion failed 5-14 by roll call vote with Sen. Barrett, Sen. Brown, Sen. Lewis, Sen. Priest and Sen. Sonju voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

07:54:43 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a45)

Discussion:

07:55:35 Sen. Wanzenried
07:57:59 Sen. Priest
07:58:18 Kris Wilkinson, LFD
07:58:57 Chairman Lewis
07:59:29 Ms. Steinbeck, LFD
07:59:43 Chairman Lewis
07:59:58 Sen. Wanzenried

08:00:16 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

08:01:01 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a46)

Discussion:

08:01:05 Sen. Wanzenried
08:01:39 Chairman Lewis
08:01:50 Sen. Hamlett
08:01:53 Chairman Lewis

08:02:45 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

08:03:30 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a47)

Discussion:

08:03:47 Sen. Wanzenried
08:04:37 Chairman Lewis

08:04:48 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye.

08:05:32 **Motion:** Sen. Lewis moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a48)

Discussion:

08:06:11 Chairman Lewis

08:06:13 **Vote:** Motion carried 12-7 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting no. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

08:07:03 **Motion:** Sen. Wanzenried moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a49)

Discussion:

08:07:16 Sen. Wanzenried

08:07:48 Chairman Lewis

08:07:57 Sen. Wanzenried

08:08:41 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

08:09:24 **Motion:** Sen. Lewis moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a50)

Discussion:

08:09:33 Chairman Lewis

08:10:12 **Vote:** Motion carried 12-7 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting no. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

08:11:12 Chairman Lewis

08:11:43 Recess

08:23:43 Reconvene

08:24:08 **Motion:** Sen. Caferro moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a51)

Discussion:

08:24:57 Sen. Caferro

08:25:41 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus and Sen. Hamlett voted by proxy.

08:26:35 **Motion:** Sen. Caferro moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a52)

Discussion:

08:26:37 Sen. Caferro
08:28:10 Chairman Lewis
08:28:21 Kris Wilkerson, LFD
08:28:47 Chairman Lewis
08:28:52 Sen. Caferro

08:29:20 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

08:30:01 **Motion:** Sen. Caferro moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a53)

Discussion:

08:30:31 Sen. Caferro
08:32:14 Sen. Zinke
08:32:48 Hank Hudson, DPHHS
08:33:51 Sen. Zinke
08:34:13 Mr. Hudson
08:34:57 Chairman Lewis
08:35:07 Mr. Hudson
08:35:22 Sen. Caferro

08:37:07 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by roll call vote. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

08:37:11 **Motion:** Sen. C. Williams moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a54)

Discussion:

08:37:22 Sen. Williams
08:38:06 Chairman Lewis

08:38:14 **Vote:** Motion failed 7-12 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

08:39:06 **Motion:** Sen. C. Williams moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a55)

Discussion:

08:39:08 Sen. Williams
 08:43:05 Sen. Brenden
 08:43:29 Sen. Williams
 08:44:06 Sen. Barrett
 08:45:09 Sen. Williams
 08:46:01 Sen. Barrett
 08:46:16 Sen. Williams
 08:47:08 Sen. Barrett
 08:47:19 Sen. Zinke
 08:47:34 Sen. Williams
 08:48:30 Sen. Ripley
 08:49:00 Sen. Williams
 08:49:16 Sen. Ripley
 08:49:25 Chairman Lewis
 08:50:02 Sen. Williams

08:50:34 **Motion:** Motion carried 14-5 by roll call vote with Sen. Lewis, Sen. Priest, Sen. Ripley, Sen. Sonju and Sen. Walker voting no. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

08:51:32 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Williams moved to request staff to prepare a committee bill to implement the amendment. Motion carried 18-0 by voice vote of those present and voting.

08:52:35 **Motion:** Sen. Keane moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a56)

Discussion:

08:52:38 Sen. Keane
 08:53:14 Chairman Lewis
 08:53:19 Sen. Keane
 08:53:32 Chairman Lewis
 08:53:45 Kris Wilkinson, LFD

08:54:05 **Substitute Motion:** Sen. Keane made a substitute motion that **HB 2 BE AMENDED** to add an additional \$50,000 a year to HB 2.

Discussion:

08:54:35 Sen. Caferro
 08:54:41 Sen. Keane
 08:54:50 Chairman Lewis
 08:54:55 Ms. Wilkinson
 08:55:07 Sen. Brenden
 08:55:18 Sen. Keane
 08:55:31 Chairman Lewis
 08:55:38 Ms. Wilkinson
 08:56:12 Sen. Keane

08:56:25 **Vote:** Motion carried 15-4 by roll call vote with Sen. Olson, Sen. Ripley, Sen. Sonju and Sen. Walker voting no. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

08:57:39 **Motion:** Sen. Caferro moved that **HB 2 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(fcs61a57)

Discussion:

08:57:47 Sen. Caferro
08:58:57 Sen. Wanzenried
08:59:17 Chairman Lewis
08:59:45 Sen. Wanzenried
09:01:44 Chairman Lewis
09:01:58 Sen. Caferro

09:02:08 **Vote:** Motion failed 8-11 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Ripley, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting aye. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

09:03:03 **Motion:** Sen. Brenden moved to **CLOSE SECTION B HB 2.**

Discussion:

09:03:03 Sen. Wanzenried
09:03:39 Chairman Lewis

09:03:53 **Vote:** Motion carried 12-7 by roll call vote with Sen. Caferro, Sen. Gallus, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Hawks, Sen. Keane, Sen. Wanzenried and Sen. Williams voting no. Sen. Gallus voted by proxy.

09:04:56 Sen. Lewis
09:05:35 Recess

Additional Exhibits:

EXHIBIT(fcs61a58)

Department of Public Health and Human Services review of budget impact of HB2.

EXHIBIT(fcs61a59)

Testimony submitted by A.W.A.R.E., Inc.

EXHIBIT(fcs61a60)

Testimony of Kim Lucke, Northern Montana Hospital

EXHIBIT(fcs61a61)

Testimony of John Harwood

EXHIBIT(fcs61a62)

Testimony of Simia Raneri, Bozeman

EXHIBIT(fcs61a63)

Testimony of Flathead Community Health Center, Board of Directors

EXHIBIT(fcs61a64)

Testimony of Diane Yarus, Kalispell

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a65\)](#)

Testimony of Jodee McDowell, Bigfork

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a66\)](#)

Testimony of Jennifer Archer, Kalispell

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a67\)](#)

Testimony of Mary A. McClarty, Kalispell

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a68\)](#)

Testimony of Fay Wolf, Woodland Floral, LLC, Kalispell

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a69\)](#)

Testimony of Tonya Konopka, Bigfork

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a70\)](#)

Testimony of Savanna R. Bell, Polson

[EXHIBIT\(fcs61a71\)](#)

Testimony of Alexandra Flerchinger, F.N.P., St. Joseph Medical Center, Polson

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Recess: 11:25 p.m.

Prudence Gildroy, Secretary

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