

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Call to Order: Chair Roy Hollandsworth, on February 4, 2013 at 8:30 AM, in Room 472
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Roy Hollandsworth, Chair (R)
Sen. Llew Jones, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Nancy Ballance (R)
Sen. Taylor Brown (R)
Rep. Donald W. Jones (R)
Rep. Tom Woods (D)

Members Excused: Sen. Bradley Hamlett (D)
Rep. Robert (Bob) Mehlhoff (D)
Sen. Jonathan Windy Boy (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: McKenzie Chambers, Committee Secretary
Nancy Hall, OBPP
Brian Hannan, OBPP
Rob Miller, Legislative Branch
Jim Standaert, 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:

Agency Budget Hearing: Office of Public Instruction
Discussion of Common Core

00:06:00 Rep. Hollandsworth

Office of Public Instruction Presentation

00:07:19 Denise Juneau, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)

[EXHIBIT\(jeh24a01\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jeh24a02\)](#)

00:16:59 Sen. Hamlett joined the meeting.

00:21:57 Rep. Ballance

00:22:22 Denise Juneau, OPI

[EXHIBIT\(jeh24a03\)](#)

00:26:23 Sen. Windy Boy joined the meeting.

Questions From the Committee and Responses:

00:35:10 Rep. Hollandsworth

00:36:02 Denise Juneau, OPI

00:36:53 Sen. Windy Boy

00:37:50 Denise Juneau, OPI

00:39:18 Sen. Windy Boy

00:41:08 Denise Juneau, OPI

00:44:18 Sen. Windy Boy

00:45:13 Sen. T. Brown

00:45:58 Rep. Mehlhoff joined the meeting.

00:46:25 Denise Juneau, OPI

00:46:36 Sen. T. Brown

00:46:38 Jael Prezeau, Administrator, Content Standards and Instruction Division, OPI

00:48:52 Sen. T. Brown

00:49:05 Jael Prezeau, OPI

00:49:37 Sen. T. Brown

00:49:45 Rep. Ballance

00:50:32 Jael Prezeau, OPI

00:51:09 Rep. Ballance

00:51:56 Jael Prezeau, OPI

00:53:06 Denise Juneau, OPI

00:54:14 Jael Prezeau, OPI

00:55:20 Sen. L. Jones

00:56:56 Denise Juneau, OPI

00:58:54 Sen. L. Jones

01:00:04 Denise Juneau, OPI

01:01:30 Sen. L. Jones

01:02:56 Denise Juneau, OPI

01:04:40 Dennis Parman, Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction, Office Management Team, OPI

01:10:10 Sen. L. Jones

01:10:17 Denise Juneau, OPI

01:10:23 Rep. Mehlhoff

01:12:59 Rep. Hollandsworth

01:13:53 Denise Juneau, OPI

01:15:47 Rep. Hollandsworth

01:15:55 Sen. Hamlett

01:17:16 Rep. Hollandsworth
 01:17:25 Denise Juneau, OPI
 01:18:27 Rep. Hollandsworth
 01:18:31 Sen. Windy Boy
 01:18:55 Rep. Hollandsworth

Public Comment:

01:19:11 Tammy Elser, Self
 01:29:08 Rep. Hollandsworth
 01:29:18 Vaughn Kauffman, Prickly Pear Coop
 01:35:16 Bob O'Boyle, Chairman, School Board, Potomac School District II
 01:39:29 Rep. Hollandsworth
 01:39:31 Bob O'Boyle, Potomac School District II
 01:39:45 Tim Johnson, Principal, Potomac School District II
 01:54:40 Rep. Hollandsworth
 01:54:46 Tim Johnson, Potomac School District II
 01:55:11 Rep. Mehlhoff
 01:55:36 Tim Johnson, Potomac School District II
 01:58:39 Sen. Windy Boy
 01:58:59 Rep. Hollandsworth
 01:59:38 Sindy Filler, Volunteer, Libby School District
 02:06:11 Liz Marchi, Chair, Board, Flathead Beacon, and Member, Board of Governors,
 Frontier Angel Fund LLC

 02:09:30 Rep. Hollandsworth
 02:09:59 Rep. Woods
 02:13:36 Rep. Hollandsworth
 02:13:45 Rep. D. Jones
 02:14:23 Rep. Hollandsworth

 02:14:26 Recessed
 02:30:55 Reconvened and Sen. L. Jones did not return.

 02:30:56 Rep. Hollandsworth

Montana Digital Academy Presentation

02:31:03 Dennis Parman, OPI, Chairman, Board, Montana Digital Academy (MTDA)
EXHIBIT(jeh24a04)
 02:36:34 Robert Currie, Executive Director, MTDA

Questions From the Committee and Responses:

02:57:40 Rep. Hollandsworth
 02:59:49 Rep. Ballance
 03:00:57 Dennis Parman, MTDA
 03:04:47 Robert Currie, MTDA
 03:07:29 Rep. Hollandsworth
 03:08:00 Rep. D. Jones
 03:08:19 Dennis Parman, MTDA
 03:08:42 Rep. D. Jones
 03:09:07 Dennis Parman, MTDA
 03:09:11 Robert Currie, MTDA

03:09:51 Rep. Hollandsworth
03:10:00 Rep. Mehlhoff
03:10:49 Rep. Ballance
03:11:25 Robert Currie, MTDA
03:13:05 Dennis Parman, MTDA
03:14:27 Rep. Hollandsworth
03:15:22 Rep. Mehlhoff
03:16:07 Robert Currie, MTDA
03:17:40 Sen. T. Brown
03:18:53 Dennis Parman, MTDA
03:19:08 Colet Bartow, Library Coordinator, Content Standards and Instruction Division,
OPI, and Superintendent Juneau's representative, State Library Commission
03:20:47 Sen. T. Brown
03:21:07 Colet Bartow, OPI
03:22:17 Rep. Hollandsworth
03:22:52 Dennis Parman, MTDA
[EXHIBIT\(jeh24a05\)](#)
03:24:56 Robert Currie, MTDA
03:30:04 Rep. Hollandsworth

Public Comment:

03:30:23 Tammy Elser, Self
03:31:14 Rep. Hollandsworth
03:31:24 Dennis Parman, MTDA
03:32:10 Rep. Hollandsworth

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 03:32:42

McKenzie Chambers, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jeh24aad.pdf](#))