

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON STATE ADMINISTRATION

Call to Order: Chair Pat Ingraham, on April 9, 2013 at 9:00 A.M., in Room 455 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Pat Ingraham, Chair (R)
Rep. Bryce Bennett, Vice Chair (D)
Rep. Ted Washburn, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Joanne G. Blyton (R)
Rep. Clarena Brockie (D)
Rep. Forrestina (Frosty) Calf Boss Ribs (D)
Rep. Pat Connell (R)
Rep. Greg Hertz (R)
Rep. Doug Kary (R)
Rep. Jesse O'Hara (R)
Rep. Jean Price (D)
Rep. Ray L. Shaw (R)

Members Excused: Rep. Liz Bangerter (R)
Rep. Bill Harris (R)
Rep. David Howard (R)
Rep. Casey Schreiner (D)
Rep. Kathy Swanson (D)
Rep. Gordon Vance (R)
Rep. Franke Wilmer (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Patty Hartman, Committee Secretary
Rachel Weiss, 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:

Hearing & Date Posted: SJ 21, 4/3/2013; HJ 24, 4/4/2013
Executive Action: SJ 21

HEARING ON SJ 21

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:13:35 Sen. Mary Caferro (D), SD 40, opened the hearing on SJ 21, Joint resolution recognizing the 70th anniversary of the 163rd, WWII service.

EXHIBIT(sth74a01)

Proponents' Testimony:

00:15:05 Rep. Hagan, HD 19

EXHIBIT(sth74a02)

00:16:25 Dan Antonietti, Legislative Chairman, Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)

00:17:13 LeRoy Michalson, Self

00:18:32 Raymond Read, Montana Military Museum

EXHIBIT(sth74a03)

00:21:23 Russ Ritter, Montana Military Museum

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:22:03 Rep. Brockie

00:22:37 Leroy Michalson, Self

Closing by Sponsor:

00:22:52 Sen. Caferro

00:24:14 Rep. Harris arrived.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SJ 21

00:25:31 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. O'Hara moved that **SJ 21 BE CONCURRED IN**. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Bangerter, Rep. Howard, Rep. Schreiner, Rep. Swanson, Rep. Vance and Rep. Wilmer voted aye by proxy. Rep. Hagan will carry the bill.

HEARING ON HJ 24

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:28:00 Rep. Mike Cuffe (R), HD 2, opened the hearing on HJ 24, Interim study on rent and other costs paid by Department of Administration.

Proponents' Testimony: None

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:34:46 Rep. Harris
00:35:49 Rep. Cuffe
00:37:36 Rep. Harris
00:37:57 Rep. Cuffe
00:38:10 Rep. B. Bennett
00:38:48 Rep. Cuffe
00:40:03 Rep. Hertz
00:40:39 Rep. Cuffe
00:41:08 Rep. Brockie
00:41:27 Rep. Cuffe
00:41:33 Rep. Brockie
00:41:40 Rep. Cuffe

Closing by Sponsor:

00:43:34 Rep. Cuffe

00:43:56 Rep. Ingraham
00:44:11 Rachel Weiss, LSD
00:46:11 Rep. Ingraham
00:46:59 Rep. Connell
00:48:30 Rep. Brockie
00:49:07 Rep. Ingraham
00:50:19 Rep. Price
00:54:48 Rep. Ingraham

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 00:55:53

Patty Hartman, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([sth74aad.pdf](#))