

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPS SUBCOM ON JUDICIAL BRANCH, LAW ENFORCEMENT, AND JUSTICE

Call to Order: Chair Randy Brodehl, on January 22, 2015 at 8:00 AM, in Room 335
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Kristin Hansen, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Kimberly Dudik (D)
Rep. Kenneth Holmlund (R)
Sen. David Howard (R)

Members Excused: Rep. Randy Brodehl, Chair (R)
Sen. Cynthia Wolken (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Greg DeWitt, Legislative Branch
Sally Speer, 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:

Montana Correctional Enterprises
Montana State Prison
Youth Services Administration
Clinical Services Division
Business Management Services

00:00:43 Chair Hansen
00:00:57 Mike Batista, Director, Department of Correction (DOC)
00:01:27 Chair Brodehl entered the meeting.

Montana Correctional Enterprises

00:01:46 Gayle Lambert, Administrator, Montana Correctional Enterprises, Department
of Corrections (DOC)
00:22:05 Chair Brodehl

Questions from committee and responses:

00:22:12 Rep. Holmlund
00:22:23 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:22:53 Rep. Holmlund
00:23:10 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:23:27 Rep. Holmlund
00:23:36 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:23:55 Rep. Holmlund
00:24:05 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:24:25 Rep. Holmlund
00:24:47 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:25:19 Rep. Holmlund
00:25:50 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:26:16 Rep. Holmlund
00:26:24 Chair Brodehl
00:26:28 Rep. Dudik
00:26:43 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:27:12 Chair Brodehl
00:27:19 Sen. Hansen
00:27:54 Gayle Lambert, DOC

EXHIBIT(jch14a01)

00:28:35 Sen. Hansen
00:28:55 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:29:37 Sen. Hansen
00:29:54 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:29:57 Sen. Hansen
00:30:25 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:31:02 Sen. Hansen
00:31:50 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:32:41 Chair Brodehl
00:32:49 Rep. Dudik
00:33:14 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:33:58 Chair Brodehl
00:34:03 Rep. Holmlund
00:34:14 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:34:43 Rep. Holmlund
00:34:54 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:35:15 Rep. Holmlund
00:35:32 Chair Brodehl
00:35:40 Sen. Hansen

00:36:18 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:39:14 Chair Brodehl
00:39:21 Rep. Holmlund
00:39:42 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:40:36 Rep. Holmlund
00:40:45 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:41:09 Chair Brodehl
00:41:27 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:41:38 Chair Brodehl
00:41:48 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:41:52 Chair Brodehl
00:42:06 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:42:24 Chair Brodehl
00:42:34 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:42:37 Chair Brodehl
00:42:43 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:43:00 Chair Brodehl
00:43:04 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:43:08 Chair Brodehl
00:43:22 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:43:50 Chair Brodehl
00:43:55 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:43:59 Sen. Hansen
00:44:14 Gayle Lambert, DOC
00:44:30 Chair Brodehl
00:44:37 Greg DeWitt, LFD
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[EXHIBIT\(jch14a03\)](#)
[EXHIBIT\(jch14a04\)](#)
00:51:09 Chair Brodehl
00:51:21 Greg DeWitt, LFD
00:51:29 Chair Brodehl

Public Comment: None

00:51:51 Recessed
01:05:22 Reconvened

01:05:37 Chair Brodehl
01:06:14 Gayle Lambert, DOC
01:06:25 Chair Brodehl
01:06:33 Gayle Lambert, DOC
01:06:47 Chair Brodehl
01:06:58 Gayle Lambert, DOC
01:07:14 Chair Brodehl
01:07:26 Rep. Holmlund
01:07:34 Gayle Lambert, DOC
01:07:54 Chair Brodehl
01:07:59 Rep. Dudik
01:08:27 Gayle Lambert, DOC

01:09:00 Chair Brodehl

Montana State Prison

01:09:04 Leroy Kirkegard, Warden, Montana State Prison, Department of Corrections (DOC)

01:09:52 Rep. Dudik

01:10:05 Leroy Kirkegard, DOC

01:10:25 Rep. Dudik

01:10:32 Leroy Kirkegard, DOC

01:11:12 Chair Brodehl

01:11:16 Sen. Hansen

01:11:42 Leroy Kirkegard, DOC

01:11:48 Chair Brodehl

01:11:51 Leroy Kirkegard, DOC

01:11:58 Chair Brodehl

01:12:02 Lena Havron, Financial Analyst, Department of Corrections (DOC)

01:12:47 Sen. Hanson

01:13:09 Lena Havron, DOC

01:13:18 Chair Brodehl

01:13:30 Lena Havron, DOC

01:14:08 Chair Brodehl

01:14:16 Lena Havron, DOC

01:14:22 Chair Brodehl

01:14:42 Lena Havron, DOC

01:14:49 Leroy Kirkegard, DOC

01:15:53 Chair Brodehl

01:16:05 Leroy Kirkegard, DOC

01:16:20 Chair Brodehl

01:16:24 Rep. Dudik

01:16:32 Leroy Kirkegard, DOC

01:17:06 Rep. Dudik

01:17:18 Leroy Kirkegard, DOC

01:17:55 Chair Brodehl

01:18:03 Mike Batista, DOC

01:18:18 Chair Brodehl

Youth Services Administration

01:18:28 Cindy McKenzie, Administrator, Youth Services Division, Department of Corrections (DOC)

01:35:38 Chair Brodehl

01:35:45 Rep. Holmlund

01:36:11 Cindy McKenzie, DOC

01:36:21 Rep. Holmlund

01:36:56 Cindy McKenzie, DOC

01:37:09 John Daugherty, Chief Information Officer, Information Technology, Department of Corrections (DOC)

01:38:10 Rep. Holmlund

01:38:58 Cindy McKenzie, DOC

01:39:24 Rep. Holmlund
01:39:36 Cindy McKenzie, DOC
01:39:52 Rep. Holmlund
01:40:17 Cindy McKenzie, DOC
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01:40:37 Chair Brodehl
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01:42:02 Cindy McKenzie, DOC
01:42:58 Chair Brodehl
01:43:02 Rep. Holmlund
01:43:24 Cindy McKenzie, DOC
01:43:56 Rep. Holmlund
01:44:04 Cindy McKenzie, DOC
01:44:14 Rep. Holmlund
01:45:02 Cindy McKenzie, DOC
01:46:07 Chair Brodehl
01:46:59 Cindy McKenzie, DOC
01:47:08 Chair Brodehl
01:47:31 Kara Sperle, Bureau Chief, Budget and Program Planning, Department of
Corrections (DOC)
01:48:37 Chair Brodehl
01:48:41 Amy Sassano, Office of Budget and Program Planning (OBPP)
01:48:48 Chair Brodehl
01:48:52 Greg DeWitt, LFD
01:49:41 Chair Brodehl
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01:55:35 Chair Brodehl
01:56:18 Mike Batista, DOC
01:57:55 Chair Brodehl
01:58:00 Rep. Dudik
01:58:24 Chair Brodehl left the meeting.
01:58:33 Cindy McKenzie, DOC
02:00:17 Rep. Dudik

02:00:22 Cindy McKenzie, DOC
02:01:20 Chair Hansen
02:01:35 Rep. Holmlund
02:01:48 Mike Batista, DOC
02:02:01 Rep. Holmlund
02:02:28 Mike Batista, DOC
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02:03:10 Cindy McKenzie, DOC
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02:03:58 Cindy McKenzie, DOC
02:04:04 Chair Brodehl returned to the meeting.
02:04:13 Sen. Hansen
02:04:29 Cindy McKenzie, DOC
02:04:34 Kara Sperle, DOC
02:05:27 Sen. Hansen
02:05:33 Rep. Holmlund
02:05:52 Sen. Hansen
02:06:04 Chair Brodehl

Public Comment: None

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02:19:25 Chair Brodehl
02:19:33 Mike Batista, DOC
02:19:50 Chair Brodehl

Clinical Service Division

02:20:31 Connie Winner, Administrator, Clinical Service Division, Department of
Corrections (DOC)
02:34:54 Chair Brodehl

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02:53:30 Connie Winner, DOC
02:53:54 Sen. Hansen
02:54:07 Connie Winner, DOC
02:54:10 Sen. Hansen
02:54:24 Pat Schlauch, Administrator, Business Management Services, Department of
Corrections (DOC)
02:54:38 Sen. Hansen
02:55:25 Connie Winner, DOC
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03:01:25 Connie Winner, DOC
03:01:40 Chair Brodehl
03:01:48 Loraine Wodnik, DOC
03:03:06 Chair Brodehl

Public Comment: None

03:03:26 Mike Batista, DOC
03:04:14 Chair Brodehl

Business Management Services

03:04:18 Pat Schlauch, DOC

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03:07:32 Chair Brodehl

03:07:40 Sen. Hansen

03:08:06 Pat Schlauch, DOC

03:08:29 Rep. Dudik

03:09:07 Pat Schlauch, DOC

03:09:18 Chair Brodehl

03:09:27 Pat Schlauch, DOC

03:12:44 Chair Brodehl

03:12:52 Mike Batista, DOC

03:21:42 Chair Brodehl

03:22:18 Mike Batista, DOC

03:22:24 Greg DeWitt, LFD

03:22:42 Adrienne Slaughter, Director, Government Relations, Department of Corrections (DOC)

03:23:23 Chair Brodehl

03:23:31 Adrienne Slaughter, DOC

03:23:52 Chair Brodehl

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 03:23:59

Sally Speer, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

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