

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON LONG-RANGE PLANNING

Call to Order: Chair Mike Cuffe, on January 26, 2015 at 8:02- AM, in Room 317A
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Mike Cuffe, Chair (R)
Sen. Rick Ripley, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Dave Hagstrom (R)
Rep. Rae Peppers (D)
Sen. Cary Smith (R)

Members Excused: Sen. Jon C. Sesso (D)
Rep. Mitch Tropila (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Catherine Duncan, Legislative Branch
Christine Hultin-Brus, Office of Budget and Program Planning
Mary Ann Mackay, 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:

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 5, 1/9/2015
State Building Energy Conservation Program (SBECP) Introduction and Biennium Update
Long Range Building Plan (LRBP) and Biennial Update of Projects

00:04:50 Chair Cuffe

Committee Business:

00:05:38 Chair Cuffe

00:07:04 Rep. Tropila and Sen. Sesso arrived.

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:07:09 Sen Ripley

00:07:20 Cathy Duncan, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

00:07:59 Sen. Ripley

00:08:06 Chair Cuffe

Committee Business:

00:10:05 Aiden Myhre, Xerox

00:10:39 Cathy Duncan, LFD

00:11:24 Chair Cuffe

00:11:48 Aiden Myhre, Xerox

00:12:04 Chair Cuffe

Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) Presentation on Bridger Pipeline Oil Spill near Glendive

00:12:44 George Mathieus, Administrator, Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ)

00:13:08 Chair Cuffe

00:13:16 Bob Habeck, State Sponsoring Coordinator, Division of Program Planning,
Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ)

00:15:40 Chair Cuffe

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:15:43 Sen Sesso

00:15:54 Bob Habeck, DEQ

00:16:41 Sen. Sesso

00:17:16 Bob Habeck, DEQ

00:18:59 Chair Cuffe

HEARING ON HB 5

STATE BUILDING ENERGY CONSERVATION PROGRAM (SBCEP)

Budget Analysis:

00:19:22 Cathy Duncan, LFD

[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a01\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a02\)](#)

00:22:23 Chair Cuffe

00:22:28 Christine Hultin-Brus, Office of Budget and Program Planning (OBPP)

00:23:03 Chair Cuffe

Program Overview and Update on 2013 Projects:

00:23:08 Chris Batson, Mechanical Engineer, State Building Energy Program,
Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ)

[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a03\)](#)

Projects Hearings:

00:39:02 Chris Batson, DEQ

[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a04\)](#)[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a05\)](#)

00:45:56 Chair Cuffe

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:46:00 Sen. Ripley

00:46:15 Chris Batson, DEQ

00:46:28 Sen. Ripley

00:46:40 Chris Batson, DEQ

00:47:29 Sen. Sesso

00:48:36 Chris Batson, DEQ

00:49:40 Sen. Sesso

00:50:29 Chris Batson, DEQ

00:50:55 Sen. Sesso

00:51:13 Chair Cuffe

00:51:18 Cathy Duncan, LFD

00:51:59 Chair Cuffe

00:52:02 Sen. Sesso

00:52:56 Chair Cuffe

00:53:02 Sen. Sesso

00:53:52 Chair Cuffe

00:54:08 Sen. Sesso

00:54:16 Chris Batson, DEQ

00:54:42 Chair Cuffe

00:54:49 Sen. Sesso

00:55:51 Christine Hultin-Brus, OBPP

00:56:30 Chair Cuffe

00:56:32 Sen. Sesso

00:57:15 Chair Cuffe

00:57:20 Sen. Sesso

00:57:46 Chair Cuffe

00:57:56 Rep. Hagstrom

00:58:37 Chris Batson, DEQ

00:58:50 Rep. Hagstrom

00:59:12 Chris Batson, DEQ

00:59:14 Rep. Hagstrom

00:59:30 Chair Cuffe

00:59:31 Rep. Hagstrom

01:00:25 Chris Batson, DEQ

01:02:24 Chair Cuffe

01:02:27 Rep. Hagstrom

01:02:41 Christine Hultin-Brus, OBPP

01:03:01 Rep. Hagstrom

01:03:12 Chris Batson, DEQ

01:03:36 Rep. Hagstrom

01:03:45 Chair Cuffe

01:03:48 Rep. Tropila

01:04:20 Cathy Duncan, LFD

01:04:34 Rep. Tropila
 01:05:24 Cathy Duncan, LFD
 01:05:38 Rep. Tropila
 01:05:46 Cathy Duncan, LFD
 01:06:23 Chair Cuffe
 01:06:29 Rep Tropila
 01:06:32 Chris Batson, DEQ
 01:06:55 Rep. Tropila
 01:07:20 Chris Batson, DEQ
 01:07:25 Rep. Tropila
 01:07:46 Chris Batson, DEQ
 01:08:19 Chair Cuffe
 01:08:25 Cathy Duncan, LFD
 01:09:51 Chair Cuffe

LONG-RANGE BUILDING PROGRAM (LRBP)

Budget Analysis:

01:10:18 Cathy Duncan, LFD
[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a06\)](#)
[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a07\)](#)
 01:17:56 Chair Cuffe

Introduction:

Russ Katherman, Engineering Manager, Architecture and Engineering Division, Department of Administration (DOA)
[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a08\)](#)
[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a09\)](#)
 01:38:40 Chair Cuffe

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

01:38:50 Rep. Hagstrom
 01:40:06 Russ Katherman, DOA
 01:40:39 Christine Hultin-Brus, OBPP
 01:41:24 Rep. Hagstrom
 01:41:52 Christine Hultin-Brus, OBPP
 01:42:21 Chair Cuffe
 01:42:24 Russ Katherman, DOA
 01:42:38 Rep. Hagstrom
 01:42:59 Cathy Duncan, LFD
[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a10\)](#)
 01:45:37 Chair Cuffe

Continuation of Introduction:

01:45:55 Maurina Little, Program Manager, Architecture and Engineering Division, Department of Administration (DOA)
 01:57:25 Chair Cuffe
 01:57:33 Maurina Little, DOA
[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a11\)](#)
[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a12\)](#)

Committee Business:

01:57:58 Chair Cuffe
01:58:16 Cathy Duncan, LFD
01:58:54 Christine Hultin-Brus, OBPP

[EXHIBIT\(jlh17a13\)](#)

Committee Business:

01:59:24 Chair Cuffe
01:59:27 Sen. Sesso
02:00:08 Rep Tropila
02:00:58 Chair Cuffe
02:01:18 Rep. Hagstrom
02:01:33 Chair Cuffe
02:01:47 Cathy Duncan, LFD
02:02:24 Rep. Hagstrom
02:02:28 Chair Cuffe

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 02:02:47

Mary Ann Mackay, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jlh17aad.pdf](#))