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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON TAXATION AND JOINT SUBCOMMITTEE ON THE REVENUE ESTIMATE

Call to Order: Chair Mike Miller, on March 20, 2015 at 8:00 AM, in Room 152 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Fred Thomas, Chair (R)
Rep. Mike Miller, Chair (R)
Rep. Greg Hertz, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Kathleen Williams, Vice Chair (D)
Rep. Zach Brown (D)
Rep. Geraldine Custer (R)
Rep. Mary Ann Dunwell (D)
Rep. Kelly Flynn (R)
Rep. Tom Jacobson (D)
Rep. Edith (Edie) McClafferty (D)
Rep. Albert Olszewski (R)
Rep. Alan Redfield (R)
Rep. Nicholas Schwaderer (R)
Rep. Kerry White (R)
Rep. Nancy Wilson (D)
Sen. Bruce Tutvedt (R)
Sen. Dick Barrett (D)
Sen. Christine Kaufmann (D)
Sen. Brian Hoven (R)

Members Excused:

Rep. Steve Lavin (R)
Rep. Ed Lieser (D)
Rep. Rob Cook (R)
Rep. Daniel Zolnikov (R)
Rep. Lee Randall (R)
Rep. Bridget Smith (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Megan Moore, Legislative Branch
Erica Siate, 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: Revenue Estimate Working Group

00:00:01 Chair Miller

Committee Business:

00:01:40 Chair Thomas

00:01:46 Megan Moore, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

00:02:40 Steve Frable, IHS

EXHIBIT(tah58a01)

00:15:28 Sen. Thomas

00:15:31 Rep. Olszewski

00:15:45 Steve Frable, IHS

00:16:11 Tom Jackson, IHS

00:17:23 Chair Miller

00:17:38 Tom Jackson

00:17:59 Chair Thomas

00:19:21 Patrick M. Barkley, Director, Bureau of Business and Economic Research,
University of Montana

EXHIBIT(tah58a02)

00:34:27 Chair Miller

00:34:34 Patrick M. Barkley, Director, Bureau of Business and Economic Research,
University of Montana

00:35:03 Chair Thomas

00:35:07 Sen. Tutvedt

00:35:26 Patrick M. Barkley, Director, Bureau of Business and Economic Research,
University of Montana

00:38:37 Chair Miller

00:38:57 Patrick M. Barkley, Director, Bureau of Business and Economic Research,
University of Montana

00:39:57 Sen. Tutvedt

00:40:19 Patrick M. Barkley, Director, Bureau of Business and Economic Research,
University of Montana

00:41:40 Sen. Tutvedt

00:41:46 Sen. Hoven

00:42:40 Patrick M. Barkley, Director, Bureau of Business and Economic Research,
University of Montana

00:44:13 Chair Thomas

00:44:46 Terry Johnson, Montana Taxpayers Association (MTA)

EXHIBIT(tah58a03)

00:45:59 Sen. Tutvedt

00:46:27 Terry Johnson, MTA

00:46:29 Sen. Tutvedt

00:46:34 Stephanie Morrison, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

00:47:07 Sen. Tutvedt

00:47:33 Terry Johnson, MTA

00:57:19 Rep. Lavin entered the meeting.

01:06:00 Rep. Smith entered the meeting.

01:06:22 Sen. Tutvedt

01:06:42 Terry Johnson, MTA

01:07:57 Sen. Tutvedt
01:08:21 Terry Johnson, MTA
01:09:31 Sen. Tutvedt
01:10:23 Terry Johnson, MTA
01:11:55 Sen. Tutvedt
01:12:03 Terry Johnson, MTA
01:12:49 Sen. Barrett
01:13:11 Terry Johnson, MTA
01:13:18 Chair Miller
01:13:37 Terry Johnson, MTA
01:13:54 Stephanie Morrison, LFD
01:15:35 Chair Miller
01:15:48 Stephanie Morrison, LFD
01:16:08 Chair Thomas
01:16:12 Sen. Tutvedt
01:16:42 Terry Johnson, MTA
01:19:13 Sen. Tutvedt
01:19:47 Terry Johnson, MTA
01:20:41 Rep. Williams
01:21:12 Terry Johnson, MTA
01:22:33 Chair Thomas
01:22:58 Terry Johnson, MTA
01:28:22 Sen. Tutvedt
01:29:07 Terry Johnson, MTA
01:30:57 Chair Thomas
01:31:19 George Haynes, Economist, Montana State University
01:36:54 Chair Miller
01:36:58 George Haynes, Economist, Montana State University
01:44:52 Chair Thomas
01:44:59 Rep. White
01:45:19 George Haynes, Economist, Montana State University
01:45:58 Sen. Hoven
01:46:21 George Haynes, Economist, Montana State University
01:46:55 Chair Thomas
01:49:38 Chair Miller
01:50:07 Rep. White
01:50:51 Amy Carlson, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)
EXHIBIT(tah58a04)
02:09:47 Sen. Tutvedt
02:10:00 Amy Carlson, LFD
02:11:59 Sen. Tutvedt
02:12:20 Amy Carlson, LFD
02:13:36 Sen. Tutvedt
02:13:59 Amy Carlson, LFD
02:21:23 Chair Thomas
02:22:16 Dan Villa, Budget Director, Office of Budget & Program Planning (OBPP)
EXHIBIT(tah58a05)
02:32:57 Chair Miller
02:33:11 Sen. Tutvedt
02:33:38 Dan Villa, OBPP

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02:38:33	Sen. Tutvedt
02:39:10	Dan Villa, OBPP
02:40:57	Sen. Hoven
02:41:23	Dan Villa, OBPP
02:43:52	Sen. Tutvedt
02:44:20	Dan Villa, OBPP
02:46:22	Sen. Tutvedt
02:46:53	Dan Villa, OBPP
02:47:42	Sen. Tutvedt
02:47:56	Dan Villa, OBPP
02:48:31	Chair Thomas
02:49:58	Dan Villa, OBPP
02:50:14	Chair Thomas

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 02:50:31

Erica Siate, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([tah58aad.pdf](#))