

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 65th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Call to Order: Chair Brad Tschida, on February 13, 2017 at 9:00 A.M., in Room 350 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Brad Tschida, Chair (R)
Sen. Frederick (Eric) Moore, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Dan Bartel (R)
Sen. Mike Lang (R)
Sen. Mary McNally (D)

Members Excused: Rep. Kelly McCarthy (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Olivia Effertz, Committee Secretary
Katie Guenther, Legislative Branch
Kris Wilkinson, Legislative Branch
Nick VanBrown, 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: Work Session

Work Session:

00:00:28 Kris Wilkinson, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

EXHIBIT(jgh31a01)

00:02:25 Natalie Smitham, Department of Labor & Industry (DLI)

00:02:46 Kris Wilkinson, LFD

00:02:59 Rep. McCarthy joined the meeting

00:03:11 Kris Wilkinson, LFD

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00:10:47 Katie Guenther, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

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Adjournment: 02:08:59

Olivia Effertz, Secretary

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