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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 66th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES AND TRANSPORTATION

Call to Order: Chair Kenneth L. Holmlund, on January 15, 2019 at 8:00 AM, in Room 317C Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Kenneth L. Holmlund, Chair (R)
Sen. Duane Ankney, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. Janet Ellis (D)
Rep. Jim Keane (D)
Rep. Joe Read (R)
Sen. Jeffrey W. Welborn (R)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Robert Miller, Legislative Branch
Hannah Winn, 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: Department of Livestock

08:31:06 Chair Holmlund

Committee Business:

08:32:04 Rob Miller, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh07a01\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh07a02\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh07a03\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh07a04\)](#)

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[EXHIBIT\(jnh07a11\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh07a12\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh07a13\)](#)

08:54:45 Chair Holmlund

08:55:00 Sen. Ellis

08:55:12 Rob Miller, LFD

08:55:29 Chair Holmlund

Agency Presentations:

08:56:54 John Scully, Montana Board of Livestock (BOL)

09:08:52 Chair Holmlund

09:09:07 Mike Honeycutt, Montana Department of Livestock (DOL)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh07a14\)](#)

09:48:57 Chair Holmlund

09:49:13 Recess

10:01:19 Reconvened

10:01:44 Brian Simonson, Montana Department of Livestock (DOL)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh07a15\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh07a16\)](#)

10:23:57 Dr. Marty Zaluski, Montana Department of Livestock (DOL)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh07a17\)](#)

10:46:57 Leslie Doely, Montana Department of Livestock (DOL)

10:51:12 Vice Chair Ankney exited meeting

11:00:42 Chair Holmlund

Questions from the Committee:

11:00:54 Rep. Keane

11:02:00 Mike Honeycutt, DOL

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11:04:01 Rep. Keane
11:04:37 Mike Honeycutt, DOL
11:05:25 Sen. Welborn
11:06:06 John Scully, BOL
11:06:22 Vice Chair Ankney rejoined meeting
11:10:44 Sen. Ellis

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11:11:43 Mike Honeycutt, DOL
11:15:59 Sen. Ellis
11:16:06 John Scully, BOL
11:18:29 Chair Holmlund

Public Comments:

11:18:46 Fred Wacker, Montana Stockgrowers Association (MSGGA)
11:25:29 Ross Morgan, Rocky Mountain Stockgrowers Association
11:27:37 Chelcie Cargill, Montana Farm Bureau Federation (MFBF)
11:30:02 Jim Brown, Montana Livestock Loss Board
11:32:50 Stuart Doggett, Montana Veterinary Medical Association
11:34:50 Matt Elvbakken, Tizer Meats
11:38:00 Wes Plummer, Lower Valley Processing

11:40:43 Chair Holmlund

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 11:42:02

Hannah Winn, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jnh07aad.pdf](#))