

## MINUTES

### MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 66th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

#### COMMITTEE ON JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT

**Call to Order:** Chair Dan Bartel, on January 22, 2019 at 9:00 AM, in Room 350 Capitol

#### ROLL CALL

**Members Present:**

Rep. Dan Bartel, Chair (R)  
Sen. Mike Lang, Vice Chair (R)  
Sen. Pat Flowers (D)  
Rep. Jim Hamilton (D)  
Rep. Bill Mercer (R)

**Members Excused:**

Sen. Douglas (Doug) Kary (R)  
Rep. Jonathan Windy Boy (D)

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:** Katie Guenther, Legislative Branch  
Kim Meisner, 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 Administration  
Work Group

**Committee Business:**

09:03:53 Chair Bartel  
09:04:33 Vice Chair Lang  
09:05:26 Katie Guenther, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)  
09:06:36 Rep. Hamilton  
09:06:44 Katie Guenther, LFD  
09:08:49 Rep. Hamilton  
09:09:17 Chair Bartel  
09:09:25 Rep. Hamilton  
09:09:37 Katie Guenther, LFD  
09:12:33 Rep. Hamilton  
09:12:46 Vice Chair Lang  
09:12:50 Katie Guenther, LFD  
09:13:16 Sonia Powell, Office of Budget and Program Planning (OBPP)  
09:13:29 Katie Guenther, LFD

**EXHIBIT(jgh12a01)**

**Agency Presentation; Department of Administration:**

09:14:10 Cody Pearce, Department of Administration (DOA)  
09:15:23 Vice Chair Lang  
09:15:29 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:18:00 Chair Bartel  
09:18:12 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:19:27 Sen. Flowers  
09:19:39 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:23:04 Chair Bartel  
09:23:25 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:25:56 Chair Bartel  
09:26:02 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:27:19 Rep. Hamilton  
09:27:54 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:28:04 Rep. Hamilton  
09:28:17 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:30:39 Vice Chair Lang  
09:30:44 Cody Pearce, DOA  
  
09:31:29 Sen. Kary entered meeting  
  
09:35:32 Rep. Hamilton  
09:35:37 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:35:54 Chair Bartel  
09:36:04 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:37:41 Sen. Flowers  
09:37:57 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:39:02 Sen. Flowers  
09:39:13 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:39:24 Sen. Kary  
09:39:45 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:41:02 Rep. Mercer

09:41:11 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:43:29 Rep. Mercer  
09:43:42 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:44:53 Sen. Flowers  
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09:50:43 Cody Pearce, DOA  
09:51:05 Rep. Mercer  
09:51:19 Sonia Powell, OBPP  
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**Committee Business:**

10:17:06 Katie Guenther, LFD

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10:41:14 Sonia Powell, OBPP  
10:41:22 Rep. Hamilton  
10:42:09 Chair Bartel

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 10:42:23

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Kim Meismer, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

**EXHIBIT**([jgh12aad.pdf](#))