

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 66th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON LONG-RANGE PLANNING

Call to Order: Chair Mike Hopkins, on January 22, 2019 at 8:30 AM, in Room 317B
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Mike Hopkins, Chair (R)
Sen. Mike Cuffe, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Rae Peppers (D)
Sen. Cary Smith (R)

Members Excused: Sen. Jon C. Sesso (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Catherine Duncan, Legislative Branch
Jennifer Woehl, Committee Clerk

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 14, 1/18/2019

HEARING ON HB 14

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

08:31:09 Rep. Ryan Lynch (D), HD 76, opened the hearing on HB 14, Long-Range Building Bonding Program.

08:34:36 Sen. Sesso entered the meeting.

08:37:49 Chair Hopkins

Program Overview / Introduction:

08:38:54 Cathy Duncan, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

08:43:15 Chair Hopkins

Proponents:

08:43:37 Tom Livers, Director, Office of Budget and Program Planning (OBPP)

[EXHIBIT\(jlh12a01\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jlh12a02\)](#)

08:51:21 Rep. Schreiner, HD 26

08:53:35 Vice Chair Cuffe

08:54:38 Rep. Schreiner, HD 26

08:56:07 Darryl James, Montana Infrastructure Coalition

[EXHIBIT\(jlh12a03\)](#)

08:59:47 Adam Haight, Montana American Federation of Labor & Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO)

09:00:11 Kelly Lynch, Montana League of City and Towns

09:02:44 Cary Hegreberg, Montana Chamber Of Commerce (COM)

09:03:12 Jennifer James, American Institute of Architects, Montana Society of Engineers, American Society of Civil Engineers

09:03:37 Jay Skoog, American Council of Engineering Companies of Montana, Montana Infrastructure Coalition

09:04:50 David Smith, Montana Contractors Association

Opponents:

None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

09:05:51 Vice Chair Cuffe

09:05:56 Chair Hopkins

09:06:23 Vice Chair Cuffe

09:07:00 Cathy Duncan, LFD

09:08:03 Vice Chair Cuffe

09:09:23 Cathy Duncan, LFD

09:09:36 Vice Chair Cuffe

Project Hearings:

09:10:40 Marina Little, Department of Administration (DOA)

09:12:09 Sean Gramh, Executive Director, Teachers Retirement System

09:13:23 Marina Little, DOA
09:15:58 Cathy Duncan, LFD
09:16:42 Russ Katherman, Department of Administration (DOA)
09:17:11 Chair Hopkins
09:17:19 Marina Little, DOA
09:17:24 Josh LaFromboise, Department of Administration (DOA)

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09:18:00 Chair Hopkins
09:18:06 Josh LaFromboise, DOA
09:18:16 Cathy Duncan, LFD
09:19:18 Josh LaFromboise, DOA
09:21:49 Marina Little, DOA
09:23:47 Russ Katherman, DOA
09:25:26 Josh LaFromboise, DOA
09:26:12 Chair Hopkins
09:26:17 Josh LaFromboise, DOA
09:26:21 Chair Hopkins
09:26:49 Josh LaFromboise, DOA
09:26:58 Russ Katherman, DOA
09:27:06 Chair Hopkins
09:27:18 Russ Katherman, DOA
09:28:30 Chair Hopkins
09:28:59 Russ Katherman, DOA
09:29:56 Chair Hopkins
09:30:03 Russ Katherman, DOA
09:30:59 Rep. Peppers
09:31:32 Marina Little, DOA
09:33:07 Garret Bacon, Department of Administration (DOA)
09:34:36 Sen. Sesso
09:34:48 Garret Bacon, DOA
09:34:57 Sen. Sesso
09:35:10 Garret Bacon, DOA
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09:37:32 Sen. Sesso
09:38:20 Garret Bacon, DOA
09:38:39 Sen. Sesso
09:39:35 Garret Bacon, DOA
09:40:16 Sen. Sesso
09:41:37 Garret Bacon, DOA
09:42:31 Chair Hopkins
09:42:42 Russ Katherman, DOA
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09:45:52 Vice Chair Cuffe
09:46:31 Russ Katherman, DOA
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09:47:18 Cathy Duncan, LFD
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09:52:28 Marina Little, DOA

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10:08:36 Reconvened

10:08:56 Bonnie Rouse, State Building Energy Conservation Program (SBCEP)
10:09:41 Cathy Duncan, LFD
10:10:23 Bonnie Rouse, SBCEP

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10:15:37 Chris Batson, Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ)
10:38:38 Vice Chair Cuffe
10:38:58 Chris Batson, DEQ
10:40:22 Vice Chair Cuffe
10:40:33 Chris Batson, DEQ
10:41:12 Vice Chair Cuffe
10:41:48 Chair Hopkins
10:42:03 Chris Batson, DEQ
10:43:49 Vice Chair Cuffe
10:44:48 Chris Batson, DEQ
10:46:02 Vice Chair Cuffe
10:46:53 Sen. Sesso
10:47:55 Chris Batson, DEQ
10:48:33 Sen. Sesso
10:50:47 Chair Hopkins
10:51:15 Chris Batson, DEQ
10:52:23 Chair Hopkins
10:53:20 Chris Batson, DEQ
10:54:02 Russ Katherman, DOA

10:54:24 Recessed
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11:04:40 Russ Katherman, DOA
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11:16:29 Sen. Sesso
11:16:41 Russ Katherman, DOA
11:20:05 Cathy Duncan, LFD
11:20:22 Russ Katherman, DOA

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11:23:55 Cathy Duncan, LFD
11:24:08 Russ Katherman, DOA
11:26:08 Sen. Sesso
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ADJOURNMENT

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Jennifer Woehl, Clerk

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Additional Document

Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jlh12aad.pdf](#))