

MINUTES

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 22, 2019 at 8:30 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)
Sen. Jeffrey W. Welborn (R)

Members Excused: Rep. Joe Read (R)

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 Environmental Quality

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Committee Business:

08:31:09 Chair Holmlund
08:32:41 Rep. Keane
08:33:06 Chair Holmlund
08:33:54 Rob Miller, Legislative Fiscal Division, (LFD)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh12a01\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh12a02\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh12a03\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh12a04\)](#)

08:39:30 Chair Holmlund

08:39:47 Rob Miller, LFD

[EXHIBIT\(jnh12a05\)](#)

08:42:05 Chair Holmlund

Agency Presentations:

08:42:41 Shaun McGrath, Director, Montana Department of Environmental Quality, (DEQ)

08:45:35 Rep. Read joined the meeting

08:49:30 Chair Holmlund

08:49:43 Director McGrath, DEQ

08:50:56 Chair Holmlund

08:51:15 Director McGrath, DEQ

08:51:27 Peggy MacEwen, Montana Department of Environmental Quality, (DEQ)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh12a06\)](#)

08:59:59 Chair Holmlund

09:00:06 Rep. Keane

09:00:32 Peggy MacEwen, DEQ

09:00:45 Rep. Keane

09:01:05 Peggy MacEwen, DEQ

09:01:28 Rep. Keane

09:02:04 Peggy MacEwen, DEQ

09:02:28 Chair Holmlund

09:02:43 George Mathieus, Montana Department of Environmental Quality, (DEQ)

09:04:43 Chair Holmlund

09:04:48 George Mathieus, DEQ

09:05:30 Chair Holmlund

09:05:39 Jenny Chambers, Montana Department of Environmental Quality, (DEQ)

[EXHIBIT\(jnh12a07\)](#)

09:12:53 Rep. Keane

09:13:00 Jenny Chambers, DEQ

09:13:19 Rep. Keane

09:13:34 Jenny Chambers, DEQ

09:13:49 Sen. Ellis

09:14:25 Jenny Chambers, DEQ

09:15:46 Sen. Ellis

09:16:11 Jenny Chambers, DEQ

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09:16:44 Rob Miller, LFD
09:17:31 Gerry Murphy, Office of Budget and Program Planning, (OBPP)
09:18:12 Rep. Keane
09:18:20 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:19:41 Rep. Keane
09:19:51 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:20:19 Rep. Keane
09:20:24 Chair Holmlund
09:20:39 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:23:25 Rep. Keane
09:24:02 Sen. Ellis

EXHIBIT(jnh12a08)

09:25:01 Rob Miller, LFD
09:25:29 Sen. Ellis
09:25:51 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:27:25 Rob Miller, LFD
09:28:30 Sen. Ellis
09:28:59 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:31:11 Rob Miller, LFD
09:32:01 Chair Holmlund
09:32:24 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:34:12 Chair Holmlund
09:34:23 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:35:00 Chair Holmlund
09:35:10 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:35:23 Rep. Keane
09:37:07 Sen. Welborn
09:37:23 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:37:46 Chair Holmlund
09:38:30 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:39:15 Chair Holmlund
09:39:33 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:40:24 Chair Holmlund
09:40:49 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:41:53 Chair Holmlund
09:42:07 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:43:01 Chair Holmlund
09:43:21 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:45:05 Chair Holmlund
09:45:18 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
09:45:38 Chair Holmlund
09:46:10 Rep. Keane
09:46:33 Chair Holmlund

09:46:53 Recess
10:03:48 Reconvened

10:04:09 Terry Wadsworth, Montana Department of Environmental Quality, (DEQ)

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10:09:54 Chair Holmlund
10:10:35 Terry Wadsworth, DEQ
10:11:27 Chair Holmlund
10:11:38 Terry Wadsworth, DEQ
10:12:14 Chair Holmlund
10:12:37 Terry Wadsworth, DEQ
10:14:53 Chair Holmlund
10:15:17 Terry Wadsworth, DEQ
10:16:15 Sen. Ellis
10:17:00 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
10:19:16 Chair Holmlund
10:19:59 Terry Wadsworth, DEQ
10:20:29 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
10:21:55 Chair Holmlund
10:22:06 Jenny Chambers, DEQ
10:22:46 Chair Holmlund
10:23:08 Terry Wadsworth, DEQ
10:24:20 Chair Holmlund
10:24:26 Terry Wadsworth, DEQ
10:24:43 Rep. Keane
10:25:13 Chair Holmlund
10:26:04 Tim Davis, Montana Department of Environmental Quality, (DEQ)

EXHIBIT(jnh12a10)

EXHIBIT(jnh12a11)

10:36:18 Rep. Read
10:36:29 Tim Davis, DEQ
10:36:51 Rep. Read
10:37:18 Tim Davis, DEQ
10:37:48 Rep. Read
10:38:11 Tim Davis, DEQ
10:38:34 Rep. Keane
10:39:11 Tim Davis, DEQ
10:40:23 Rep. Keane
10:40:52 Tim Davis, DEQ
10:41:26 Rep. Keane
10:41:35 Tim Davis, DEQ
10:41:47 Rep. Keane
10:41:58 Tim Davis, DEQ
10:42:11 Chair Holmlund
10:42:46 Tim Davis, DEQ
10:44:23 Chair Holmlund
10:44:30 Tim Davis, DEQ
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10:46:03 Chair Holmlund

10:47:01 Chris Dorrington, Montana Department of Environmental Quality, (DEQ)

10:48:03 Sen. Welborn rejoined the meeting

[EXHIBIT\(jnh12a12\)](#)

10:56:35 Chair Holmlund

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 10:58:29

Hannah Winn, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jnh12aad.pdf](#))