

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 66th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Call to Order: Chair Denley M. Loge, on February 4, 2019 at 3:00 PM, in Room 455 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Denley M. Loge, Chair (R)
Rep. Frank Garner, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Bridget Smith, Vice Chair (D)
Rep. Julie Dooling (R)
Rep. Dave Fern (D)
Rep. Frank Fleming (R)
Rep. Sharon Greef (R)
Rep. Derek J. Harvey (D)
Rep. Joshua Kassmier (R)
Rep. Joel G. Krautter (R)
Rep. Jasmine Krotkov (D)
Rep. Zac Perry (D)
Rep. Mark Sweeney (D)

Members Excused: Rep. Rodney Garcia (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Joe Carroll, Legislative Branch
Kathlyn Royal, 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 352, 1/31/2019; SB 76, 1/31/2019

Call to Order:

15:01:05 Chair Loge

HEARING ON SB 76**Opening Statement by Sponsor:**

15:02:32 Sen. Brian Hoven (R), SD 13, opened the hearing on SB 76, Regulate encroachments in highway right of way.

Proponents' Testimony:

15:06:20 Dwane Kailey, Montana Department of Transportation (MDT)

15:12:15 Gary Forrester, Montana Dakota Utilities

15:12:50 Alan Olson, Montana Petroleum Association

Opponents' Testimony: None**Informational Testimony:**

15:13:41 Douglas Habermann, Bike Walk Montana

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

15:15:03 Rep. Fern

15:15:33 Gary Forrester, Montana Dakota Utilities

15:15:50 Vice Chair Garner

15:16:02 Dwane Kailey, MDT

15:18:34 Chair Loge

15:18:51 Dwane Kailey, MDT

15:19:30 Chair Loge check

15:19:40 Dwane Kailey, MDT

15:20:11 Chair Loge

15:20:39 Dwane Kailey, MDT

15:21:22 Chair Loge

15:21:34 Dwane Kailey, MDT

15:21:45 Vice Chair Garner

15:21:58 Dwane Kailey, MDT

15:22:10 Vice Chair Garner

15:22:15 Dwane Kailey, MDT

15:22:39 Vice Chair Garner

15:22:45 Dwane Kailey, MDT

15:22:55 Vice Chair Garner

15:23:02 Dwane Kailey, MDT

15:23:22 Rep. Fern

15:23:37 Dwane Kailey, MDT

15:23:47 Rep. Fern

15:24:31 Dwane Kailey, MDT

15:25:56 Rep. Garcia joined the meeting.

Closing by Sponsor:

15:26:05 Rep. Hoven

15:26:45 Chair Loge

15:26:52 Rep. Hoven
15:27:10 Chair Loge ceded the gavel to Vice Chair Smith.

HEARING ON HB 352

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

15:28:05 Rep. Sharon Greef (R), HD 88, opened the hearing on HB 352, Revise child safety restraint requirement.

Proponents' Testimony: None

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

15:29:14 Vice Chair Garner
15:29:50 Rep. Greef
15:30:12 Rep. Fern
15:30:49 Rep. Greef
15:31:58 Rep. Harvey
15:32:38 Rep. Greef
15:32:51 Chair Loge
15:33:07 Rep. Greef

Closing by Sponsor:

15:33:52 Rep. Greef

15:34:19 Vice Chair Smith ceded the gavel to Chair Loge
15:34:20 Chair Loge
15:36:13 Joe Carroll, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

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15:36:50 Chair Loge

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 15:37:00

Kathlyn Royal, Clerk

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