

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 66th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON STATE ADMINISTRATION

Call to Order: Chair Forrest Mandeville, on April 23, 2019 at 9:30 AM, in Room 455
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Forrest Mandeville, Chair (R)
Rep. Wendy McKamey, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Jade Bahr (D)
Rep. Geraldine Custer (R)
Rep. Julie Dooling (R)
Rep. Rodney Garcia (R)
Rep. Frank Garner (R)
Rep. Denise Hayman (D)
Rep. Dale Mortensen (R)
Rep. Tyson T. Runningwolf (D)
Rep. Walt Sales (R)
Rep. Ray L. Shaw (R)
Rep. Mark Sweeney (D)
Rep. Marvin Weatherwax (D)
Rep. Peggy Webb (R)

Members Excused:

Rep. Jacob Bachmeier, Vice Chair (D)
Rep. Frank Fleming (R)
Rep. Sharon Greef (R)
Rep. Jessica Karjala (D)
Rep. Thomas Winter (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Hannah Winn, Committee Secretary
Sheri Scurr, Legislative Branch

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Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: SJ 21, 4/18/2019

Executive Action: SJ 21

09:31:30 Chair Mandeville

HEARING ON SJ 21

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

09:32:10 Sen. Janet Ellis (D), SD 41, opened the hearing on SJ 21, Interim study on electioneering.

EXHIBIT(sth83a01)

Proponents' Testimony:

09:35:45 Jeff Mangan, Commissioner of Political Practices (COPP)

09:36:38 Shantil Siaperas, Montana Association of Counties (MACo), Montana Association of Clerk and Recorders (MACR)

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

09:37:30 Vice Chair McKamey

09:37:58 Sen. Ellis

09:38:35 Rep. Custer

09:39:00 Commissioner Mangan, COPP

09:39:40 Chair Mandeville

09:40:00 Commissioner Mangan, COPP

09:40:18 Chair Mandeville

09:40:46 Commissioner Mangan

Closing by Sponsor:

09:41:17 Sen. Ellis

09:42:32 Recessed

09:47:34 Reconvened

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SJ 21

09:47:45 **Motion:** Vice Chair McKamey moved that **SJ 21 BE CONCURRED IN.**

Discussion:

09:47:59 Vice Chair McKamey

09:48:46 Rep. Sweeney

09:49:51 Rep. Custer

09:51:29 Rep. Garcia

09:52:27 **Vote:** Motion carried 18-2 by roll call vote with Rep. Mandeville and Rep. Mortensen voting no. Rep. Bachmeier, Rep. Fleming, Rep. Greef, Rep. Karjala and Rep. Winter voted by proxy. Rep. Sweeney will carry the bill.

09:53:26 Rep. Mandeville

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 09:54:15

Hannah Winn, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([sth83aad.pdf](#))