

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 67th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Call to Order: Chair David Bedey, on January 7, 2021 at 8:30 A.M., in Room 472
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Daniel R. Salomon, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. Kenneth Bogner (R)
Rep. John Fuller (R)
Rep. Connie Keogh (D)
Sen. Shane A. Morigeau (D)
Rep. Jonathan Windy Boy (D)

Members Excused:

Rep. David Bedey, Chair (R)
Rep. Llew Jones (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present:

Jasmine Hart, Committee Secretary
Anthony Nuno, Remote Meetings Coordinator (RMC)

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:

School Funding and Property Tax Discussion

School funding Litigation Background:

08:34:18 Pad McCracken, Legislative Services Division (LSD)
08:35:47 Vice Chair Salomon
08:44:35 Laura Sankey Keip, Legislative Services Division (LSD)
08:55:29 Rep. Jones joined the meeting
08:56:00 Pad McCracken, LSD
08:59:45 Laura Sankey Keip, LSD
09:01:17 Sen. O'Brien
09:01:34 Laura Sankey Keip, LSD
09:01:54 Rep. Windy Boy
09:11:23 Laura Sankey Keip, LSD
09:11:48 Pad McCracken, LSD
09:17:13 Laura Sankey Keip, LSD
09:21:07 Rep. Fuller
09:21:14 Laura Sankey Keip, LSD
09:24:03 Rep. Jones
09:26:40 Laura Sankey Keip, LSD
09:27:18 Rep. Jones
09:27:48 Vice Chair Salomon
09:27:57 Pad McCracken, LSD
09:29:33 Vice Chair Salomon

School Funding 101:

09:30:01 Pad McCracken, LSD
09:33:13 Rep. Jones
09:34:11 Pad McCracken, LSD
09:34:34 Anthony Nuno, RMC
09:34:42 Pad McCracken, LSD
09:34:44 Rep. Jones
09:34:52 Rep. Keogh
09:34:59 Pad McCracken, LSD
09:40:50 Rep. Jones
09:40:53 Rep. Windy Boy
09:42:24 Pad McCracken, LSD
09:42:35 Rep. Jones
09:43:03 Rep. Windy Boy
09:43:06 Vice Chair Salomon
09:48:54 Pad McCracken, LSD
09:49:03 Rep. Keogh
09:49:05 Pad McCracken, LSD
09:49:42 Rep. Windy Boy
09:49:58 Pad McCracken, LSD
09:50:57 Rep. Keogh
09:51:27 Kenneth Bailey, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)
09:52:32 Nancy Hall, Office of Budget and Program Planning (OBPP)
09:53:19 Pad McCracken, LSD
09:57:27 Sen. O'Brien
09:58:08 Pad McCracken, LSD
09:58:34 Rep. Jones
09:58:50 Pad McCracken, LSD

10:00:22 Sen. Bogner

10:01:18 Recess

10:10:52 Reconvened

10:11:00 Vice Chair Salomon

School funding and Property Taxes:

10:32:19 Vice Chair Salomon

10:32:24 Amy Carlson, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

10:32:38 Vice Chair Salomon

10:32:56 Megan Moore, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

10:41:45 Sen. Hoven

10:45:06 Megan Moore, LSD

10:55:25 Rep. Jones

10:56:12 Megan Moore, LSD

10:56:25 Julia Pattin, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

11:10:20 Rep. Jones

11:13:08 Julia Pattin, LFD

11:13:23 Amy Carlson, LFD

11:22:43 Rep. Jones left the meeting

11:37:35 Julia Pattin, LFD

11:42:40 Amy Carlson, LFD

11:47:10 Vice Chair Salomon

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 11:48:03

Jasmine Hart, Secretary

jh

Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jeh04aad.pdf](#))