

## MINUTES

### MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 67th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

#### COMMITTEE ON JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT

**Call to Order:** Chair Dan Bartel, on January 13, 2021 at 8:00 AM, in Room 350 Capitol

#### ROLL CALL

**Members Present:**

Rep. Dan Bartel, Chair (R)  
Sen. Mike Lang, Vice Chair (R)  
Sen. Pat Flowers (D)  
Rep. Vince Ricci (R)  
Rep. Sharon Stewart Peregoy (D)  
Rep. Brad Tschida (R)

**Members Excused:** Sen. Douglas (Doug) Kary (R)

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:**

Caitlin Cashman, Committee Secretary  
Kris Wilkinson, Legislative Branch  
Molly DelCurto, Legislative Branch  
Jessica Tsias, Remote Meeting Coordinator

**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:** Governor's Office; Legislative Fiscal Division Budget Analysis.

08:01:34 Chair Bartel

**Governor's Office:**

08:01:48 Christine Heggem, Office of the Governor  
08:02:28 Chair Bartel  
08:02:36 Christine Heggem, GOV  
08:02:42 Sen. Kary joined the meeting.  
08:02:52 Chair Bartel  
08:02:59 Christine Heggem, GOV  
08:03:06 Chair Bartel  
08:03:20 Christine Heggem, GOV  
08:14:13 Chair Bartel  
08:14:20 Rep. Tschida  
08:14:58 Christine Heggem, GOV  
08:15:18 Amy Sassano, Office of Budget and Program Planning (OBPP)  
08:16:12 Chair Bartel  
08:16:29 Rep. Stewart Peregoy  
08:18:15 Chair Bartel

**Legislative Fiscal Division Budget Analysis:**

08:18:35 Kris Wilkinson, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)  
08:19:17 Chair Bartel  
08:20:13 Kris Wilkinson, LFD  
08:45:29 Chair Bartel  
08:45:34 Kris Wilkinson, LFD

**Governor's Office Summary:**

08:50:56 Kris Wilkinson, LFD

**EXHIBIT(jgh08a01)**

08:54:16 Chair Bartel  
08:54:23 Kris Wilkinson, LFD  
08:54:44 Rep. Stewart Peregoy  
08:55:04 Kris Wilkinson, LFD  
08:55:10 Rep. Stewart Peregoy  
08:55:21 Kris Wilkinson, LFD  
08:56:04 Christine Heggem, GOV  
08:57:17 Rep. Stewart Peregoy  
08:57:22 Christine Heggem, GOV  
08:57:32 Amy Sassano, OBPP  
09:00:41 Rep. Stewart Peregoy  
09:01:13 Chair Bartel  
09:01:15 Sen. Flowers  
09:01:52 Christine Heggem, GOV  
09:02:48 Sen. Flowers  
09:03:24 Christine Heggem, GOV  
09:04:23 Sen. Flowers  
09:04:27 Chair Bartel  
09:04:29 Sen. Flowers

09:05:26 Kris Wilkinson, LFD  
09:06:48 Sen. Flowers  
09:07:27 Kris Wilkinson, LFD  
09:08:17 Chair Bartel  
09:08:23 Rep. Tschida  
09:08:41 Kris Wilkinson, LFD  
09:09:07 Amy Sassano, OBPP  
09:09:46 Rep. Tschida  
09:10:18 Kris Wilkinson, LFD  
09:11:09 Chair Bartel  
09:11:24 Kris Wilkinson, LFD  
09:11:50 Chair Bartel  
09:12:25 Amy Sassano, OBPP  
09:12:43 Jessica Tsias, Remote Meeting Coordinator (RMC)  
09:12:48 Chair Bartel  
09:13:30 Kris Wilkinson, LFD  
09:13:59 Chair Bartel

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 09:15:01

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Caitlin Cashman, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

**EXHIBIT**([jgh08aad.pdf](#))