

## MINUTES

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

#### COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATION

**Call to Order:** Chair Jedediah Hinkle, on January 18, 2021 at 12:00 P.M., in Room 152 Capitol

#### ROLL CALL

**Members Present:**

Rep. Jedediah Hinkle, Chair (R)  
Rep. Jim Hamilton, Vice Chair (D)  
Rep. Matt Regier, Vice Chair (R)  
Rep. Seth Berglee (R)  
Rep. Marta Bertoglio (R)  
Rep. Donavon Hawk (D)  
Rep. Marilyn Marler (D)  
Rep. Kenneth Walsh (R)  
Rep. Kathy Whitman (R)

**Members Excused:**

Rep. Mark Noland (R)  
Rep. Amy Regier (R)  
Rep. Ed Stafman (D)  
Rep. Barry Usher (R)  
Rep. Rynalea Whiteman Pena (D)

**Members Absent:**

None

**Staff Present:**

Susan Fox, Legislative Branch  
Brooke Sangray, Committee Secretary  
Heather Vande Sandt, 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:** Hearing & Date Posted: HB 146, 1/13/2021

12:02:09 Chair Hinkle  
12:02:10 Brief Recess  
12:08:30 Reconvened  
12:08:35 Chair Hinkle

**HEARING ON HB 146**

**Opening Statement by Sponsor:**

12:09:28 Rep. Bill Mercer (R), HD 46, opened the hearing on HB 146, Require OBPP to report actual costs to cost projected in fiscal notes.

**EXHIBIT(leh11a01)**

12:17:21 Chair Hinkle

**Proponents' Testimony:** None

**Opponents' Testimony:** None

**Informational Testimony:** None

**Questions from Committee Members and Responses:**

12:18:00 Vice Chair Hamilton  
12:18:41 Rep. Mercer  
12:20:08 Vice Chair Hamilton  
12:20:29 Chair Hinkle  
12:20:32 Vice Chair Regier  
12:22:45 Rep. Mercer  
12:23:01 Rep. Walsh  
12:23:35 Rep. Mercer  
12:26:55 Chair Hinkle  
12:27:20 Rep. Mercer  
12:27:53 Chair Hinkle

**Closing by Sponsor:**

12:28:01 Rep. Mercer

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment:  
12:30:13

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Brooke Sangray, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

**EXHIBIT**([leh11aad.pdf](#))