

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 67th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON JOINT APPROPS SUBCOM ON JUDICIAL BRANCH, LAW ENFORCEMENT, AND JUSTICE

Call to Order: Chair Bill Mercer, on January 19, 2021 at 9:00 A.M., in Room 317A
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Bill Mercer, Chair (R)
Sen. David Howard, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Emma Kerr-Carpenter (D)
Sen. Ryan Lynch (D)
Rep. Fiona Nave (R)
Sen. Ryan Osmundson (R)

Members Excused:

Rep. Jimmy Patelis (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present:

Cristen Friede, Committee Secretary
Marci Lewandowski, Legislative Fiscal Division
Jacquie Simmons, 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: Work Meeting

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09:02:14 Chair Mercer
09:02:58 Rep. Patelis joined the meeting
09:06:19 Sen. Osmundson
09:06:32 Marci Lewandowski, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)
09:07:02 Sen. Lynch
09:07:36 Chair Mercer
09:08:01 Sen. Lynch
09:09:10 Rep. Nave
09:10:23 Chair Mercer
09:11:59 Rep. Kerr-Carpenter
09:12:49 Chair Mercer
09:14:29 Marci Lewandowski, LFD
09:15:04 Sen. Osmundson
09:15:42 Chair Mercer
09:15:56 Sen. Osmundson
09:16:10 Chair Mercer
09:16:37 Vice Chair Howard
09:17:35 Chair Mercer
09:17:52 Marci Lewandowski, LFD
09:18:04 Chair Mercer
09:18:44 Rep. Patelis
09:19:50 Chair Mercer
09:19:57 Rep. Nave
09:21:10 Chair Mercer
09:22:22 Rep. Patelis
09:22:41 Rep. Kerr-Carpenter
09:23:12 Marci Lewandowski, LFD
09:23:49 Rep. Kerr-Carpenter
09:24:31 Marci Lewandowski, LFD
09:25:45 Chair Mercer
09:26:16 Marci Lewandowski, LFD
09:26:26 Chair Mercer
09:33:55 Christine Hultin, Office of Budget and Program Planning (OBPP)
09:34:09 Sen. Osmundson
09:36:10 Marci Lewandowski, LFD
09:36:31 Chair Mercer
09:37:30 Sen. Lynch
09:38:13 Chair Mercer
09:38:59 Marci Lewandowski, LFD
09:39:22 Sen. Lynch
09:39:55 Chair Mercer
09:43:18 Christine Hultin, OBPP
09:44:05 Chair Mercer
09:46:36 Rep. Patelis
09:47:30 Marci Lewandowski, LFD
09:48:22 Rep. Patelis
09:49:14 Marci Lewandowski, LFD
09:49:32 Rep. Patelis
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10:06:02	Sen. Lynch
10:08:50	Sen. Osmundson
10:09:03	Chair Mercer
10:12:53	Sen. Lynch
10:15:47	Rep. Nave
10:17:35	Chair Mercer
10:18:22	Marci Lewandowski, LFD
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10:19:15	Christine Hultin, OBPP
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10:20:25	Chair Mercer
10:20:53	Laurie Little Dog, self
10:24:08	Chair Mercer
10:24:58	Laurie Little Dog, self
10:28:01	Chair Mercer
10:28:26	May Simmons, self
10:32:58	Clemente Arciga, self
10:35:48	Chair Mercer
10:36:18	Christine Hultin, OBPP
10:36:23	Chair Mercer

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 10:37:25

Cristen Friede, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

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