

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 67th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON LONG-RANGE PLANNING

Call to Order: Chair Mike Hopkins, on February 4, 2021 at 8:30 AM, in Room 317B
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Mike Hopkins, Chair (R)
Sen. Mike Cuffe, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Jim Hamilton (D)
Sen. Cary Smith (R)

Members Excused:

Sen. Ellie Boldman (D)
Rep. Sue Vinton (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present:

Jamie Bonilla, Committee Secretary
Catherine Duncan, Legislative Fiscal Division
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 5, 1/28/2021; HB 14, 1/28/2021

HEARING ON HB 5 AND HB 14

08:33:11 Chair Mike Hopkins continued the hearing on HB5, Long-Range Building Appropriations and HB14, Long-Range Building Bonding Program.

08:33:21 Chair Hopkins
08:33:58 Catherine Duncan

[EXHIBIT\(jlh24a01\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jlh24a02\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jlh24a03\)](#)

08:34:24 Russ Katherman, Department of Administration (DOA)
08:34:45 Chair Hopkins
08:35:26 Jason Harlow, Governor's Office of Budget Program & Planning (OBPP)
08:36:20 Vice Chair Cuffe
08:37:36 Rep. Hamilton
08:38:07 Chair Hopkins
08:38:27 Jason Harlow, OBPP
08:39:32 Marina Little, Montana Department of Administration (DOA)
08:40:19 Chair Hopkins
08:40:24 Ken Bailey, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)
08:45:47 Chair Hopkins
08:47:18 Dari Quirk, Montana Learning Center

[EXHIBIT\(jlh24a04\)](#)

08:52:49 Chair Hopkins
08:53:04 Tom Pedersen, self

[EXHIBIT\(jlh24a05\)](#)

08:57:57 Chair Hopkins
08:58:09 Ryan Hannahoe, Montana Learning Center (MLC)

[EXHIBIT\(jlh24a06\)](#)

09:04:51 Chair Hopkins
09:05:10 John Dilliard, self

[EXHIBIT\(jlh24a07\)](#)

09:09:36 Heath Caldwell, self

[EXHIBIT\(jlh24a08\)](#)

09:11:59 Chair Hopkins
09:12:17 Julie Clay, self

[EXHIBIT\(jlh24a09\)](#)

09:19:06 Chair Hopkins
09:19:23 Rep. Hamilton
09:19:52 Ryan Hannahoe, MLC
09:20:40 Rep. Hamilton

09:20:49 Ryan Hannahoe, MLC
09:21:11 Vice Chair Cuffe
09:21:26 Chair Hopkins
09:21:55 Marina Little, DOA
09:22:36 Paul Furthmyre, Montana School for Deaf and Blind (MSDB)
09:28:27 Chair Hopkins
09:28:39 Rep. Hamilton
09:29:11 Paul Furthmyre, MSDB
09:30:40 Rep. Hamilton.
09:30:51 Paul Furthmyre, MSDB
09:31:01 Chair Hopkins
09:31:24 Marina Little, DOA
09:31:55 Glen Stinar, Montana Law Enforcement Academy (MLEA)
09:38:35 Rep. Hamilton
09:38:51 Glen Stinar, MLEA
09:39:55 Chair Hopkins
09:40:18 Marina Little, DOA
09:40:47 Becky Schlaugh, Department of Revenue (DOR)
09:43:18 Chair Hopkins
09:43:23 Rep. Hamilton
09:43:51 Becky Schlaugh, DOR
09:44:20 Rep. Hamilton
09:44:22 Chair Hopkins
09:44:38 Becky Schlaugh, DOR
09:45:04 Chair Hopkins
09:45:16 Marina Little, DOA
09:45:45 Sue Clark, Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC)

EXHIBIT(jlh24a10)

09:54:44 Rep. Hamilton
09:55:02 Sue Clark, DNRC
09:55:40 Vice Chair Cuffe
09:55:57 Chair Hopkins
09:56:26 Marina Little, DOA
09:56:34 Mike Honeycutt, Montana Department of Livestock (DOL)
10:10:31 Vice Chair Cuffe assumed the chair.
10:11:05 Rep. Hamilton
10:11:47 Mike Honeycutt, (DOL)
10:12:55 Lila Taylor, Montana Board of Livestock (MBOL)
10:15:31 Chair Cuffe
10:15:49 Nina Baucus, Montana Board of Livestock (BOL)
10:19:09 Ron Devlin, Montana Wool Growers Association.
10:21:08 Rachel Cone, Montana Farm Bureau Federation (MFBF)
10:22:21 Jim Steinbeisser, Montana Stock Growers Association (MSGA)
10:27:27 Chuck Reyn, self
10:29:26 Janelle Booth, Montana State University (MSU)
10:30:21 Ian Foley, Montana Department of Agriculture (AG)
10:33:29 Jonah Barrett, self
10:37:09 Chair Cuffe

10:37:22 Rep. Hopkins
10:37:45 Alan Redfield, self
10:40:11 Chair Cuffe
10:40:37 Kim Mangold, Montana Farmers Union (MFU)
10:41:28 Chair Cuffe
10:41:39 Jake Feddes, self
10:46:10 Chair Cuffe
10:46:22 J.M Peck, self
10:47:56 Chair Cuffe
10:48:03 Race King, self
10:51:50 Chair Cuffe
10:53:29 Marina Little, DOA
10:53:47 Mike Murolo, Montana Department of Transportation (MDT)
10:55:30 Rep. Hopkins resumed the chair.
10:55:55 Mike Murolo, MDT
11:01:01 Chair Hopkins
11:01:06 Rep. Hamilton
11:01:50 Mike Murolo, MDT
11:02:35 Tim Conway, Montana Department of Transportation (MDT)
11:04:58 Chair Hopkins
11:05:18 Marina Little, DOA
11:05:59 Jim Salmonsens, Montana Department of Corrections (DOC),
11:09:37 Marina Little, DOA
11:10:55 Chair Hopkins
11:10:57 Rep. Hamilton
11:11:19 Marina Little, DOA
11:11:53 Steve Ray, Montana Department of Corrections (DOC)
11:13:00 Chair Hopkins
11:13:07 Marina Little, DOA
11:14:10 Gayle Butler, Montana Department of Corrections (DOC)
11:15:51 Chair Hopkins
11:16:28 Cynthia Wolken, Montana Department of Corrections (DOC)
11:18:14 Chair Hopkins
11:18:36 Marina Little, DOA
11:18:59 Megan Coy, Montana Department of Corrections (DOC)
11:20:30 Chair Hopkins
11:20:32 Rep. Hamilton
11:20:42 Megan Coy (DOC)
11:21:00 Chair Hopkins
11:21:20 Jennie Hansen, Montana Department of Corrections (DOC)
11:22:28 Chair Hopkins
11:24:23 Bridger Mahlum, Montana Chamber of Commerce
11:25:45 Chair Hopkins
11:26:09 Rep. Hamilton assumed the chair.
11:26:25 Marina Little, DOA

Closing:

11:27:06 Rep. Hopkins closes on HB 5 and HB 14

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON LONG-RANGE
PLANNING

February 4, 2021

PAGE 5 of 6

11:28:53 Rep. Hopkins resumed the chair.
11:29:14 Russ Katherman, DOA
11:29:47 Catherine Duncan, LFD
11:36:06 Chair Hopkins
11:36:20 Catherine Duncan, LFD
11:39:37 Chair Hopkins
11:40:16 Rep. Hamilton
11:41:25 Chair Hopkins
11:42:08 Catherine Duncan, LFD
11:44:08 Chair Hopkins
11:44:23 Catherine Duncan, LFD
11:47:18 Chair Hopkins

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 11:48:47

Jamie Bonilla, Secretary

jb

Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jlh24aad.pdf](#))