

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 67th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Call to Order: Chair David Bedey, on February 11, 2021 at 8:30 AM, in Room 472
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

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

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present:

Jasmine Hart, Committee Secretary
Katie Guenther, Legislative Branch
Anthony Nuno, Remote Meetings 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:

Office of Public Instruction

Office of Public Instruction:

08:32:56 Superintendent Elsie Arntzen, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)
08:33:31 Chair Bedey
08:33:47 Julie Murgel, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)
08:34:26 Donnie Wetzel, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)

EXHIBIT(jeh29a01)

08:50:27 Lona Running Wolf, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)
09:19:06 Chair Bedey
09:20:23 Sen. Morigeau
09:23:45 Donnie Wetzel, OPI
09:24:35 Rep. Fuller
09:26:22 Chair Bedey
09:27:00 Rep. Windy Boy
09:41:12 Rep. Fuller
09:41:28 Chair Bedey
09:42:40 Lona Running Wolf, OPI
09:43:09 Chair Bedey
09:44:27 Rep. Windy Boy
09:45:22 Chair Bedey
09:48:18 Rep. Jones
09:49:32 Chair Bedey
09:50:05 Superintendent Arntzen, OPI
09:53:29 Rep. Peregoy
10:00:19 Donnie Wetzel, OPI
10:02:10 Lance Melton, Montana School Boards Association (MTSBA)
10:04:07 Rep. Windy Boy
10:07:09 Chair Bedey

10:10:42 Brief Recess
10:21:20 Reconvened

10:21:45 Amy Carlson, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)
10:22:44 Chair Bedey
10:24:03 Amy Carlson, LFD

EXHIBIT(jeh29a02)

10:26:29 Chair Bedey
10:27:14 Rep. Jones
10:28:51 Superintendent Arntzen, OPI
10:30:20 Ken Bailey, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)
10:32:09 Chair Bedey
10:32:36 Michael Sweeney, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)
10:52:33 Rep. Jones
10:53:11 Chair Bedey
10:54:07 Michael Sweeney, OPI
10:55:41 Rep. Jones
10:56:28 Chair Bedey
10:56:54 Rep. Jones
10:59:23 Paul Taylor, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)

11:04:52 Rep. Jones
11:05:42 Lance Melton, MTSBA
11:09:11 Rep. Jones
11:11:39 Paul Taylor, OPI
11:12:54 Lance Melton, MTSBA
11:14:17 Chair Bedey
11:15:23 Ken Bailey, OPI
11:16:55 Chair Bedey
11:17:32 Nancy Hall, Office of Budget and Program Planning (OBPP)
11:18:28 Rep. Jones
11:19:52 Nancy Hall, OBPP
11:20:38 Chair Bedey
11:21:09 Lance Melton, MTSBA
11:23:37 Rep. Jones
11:24:57 Paul Taylor, OPI
11:25:46 Rep. Keogh
11:26:40 Chair Bedey
11:29:11 Ken Bailey, MTSBA
11:30:25 Chair Bedey
11:30:55 Superintendent Arntzen, OPI

Public Comment:

11:33:43 Jamie Marshall, self
11:38:00 Kenneth Helgeson, self

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment:
11:44:04

Jasmine Hart, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jeh29aad.pdf](#))