

MINUTES
MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
68th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION
COMMITTEE ON (H) HUMAN SERVICES

Call to Order: Chair Jennifer Carlson-R, on February 02, 2023 at 3:01 PM, in 152

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Rep. Jennifer Carlson, Chair (R)
Rep. Alice Buckley, Vice Chair (D)
Rep. Lola Sheldon-Galloway, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Kim Abbott (D)
Rep. Edward Buttrey (R)
Rep. Gregory Frazer (R)
Rep. Donavon Hawk (D)
Rep. Caleb Hinkle (R)
Rep. SJ Howell (D)
Rep. Ron Marshall (R)
Rep. Nelly Nicol (R)
Rep. George Nikolakakos (R)
Rep. Greg Oblander (R)
Rep. Amy Regier (R)
Rep. Wayne Rusk (R)
Rep. Laura Smith (D)
Rep. Ed Stafman (D)
Rep. Tom Welch (R)
Rep. Michael Yakawich (R)
Rep. Zooney Zephyr (D)

Members Excused: Rep. Jodee Etchart (R)

Staff Present: Milly Allen, Research Analyst
Katie Reeves, Secretary

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Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted:

HB 336 01/30/2023

Executive Action:

HB 17 DO PASS AS AMENDED
HB 311 DO PASS AS AMENDED
HB 312 DO PASS

HEARING ON HB 336 - Provide licensure exemptions for military family child care providers

Opening Statement:

15:04:55 Rep. Edward Buttrey (R), HD 21, opened the hearing on HB 336, Provide licensure exemptions for military family child care providers.

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[EXHIBIT\(230202HUHa2\)](#)

Proponent Testimony:

15:07:27 Tracy Moseman, DPHHS

15:09:28 Roger Hagen, Montana American Dept of Legion

15:10:40 Christopher Karns, Mission Commander, Malmstrom Air Force Base

15:13:11 Sam Holum, Malmstrom Air Force Base

Opponent Testimony:

None

Informational Witness Testimony:

None

Closing Statement:

15:15:38 Rep. Edward Buttrey (R), HD 21, closed the hearing on HB 336.

15:16:24 **Recessed**

15:40:01 **Reconvened**

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 17 - Provide for implementation of certified community behavioral health clinic model

15:43:55 **Motion:** Vice Chair Lola Sheldon-Galloway moved that **HB 17 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

15:17:34 Chair Carlson

15:40:08 Chair Carlson

15:41:11 Rep. Abbott

15:41:23 Chair Carlson

15:42:49 Rep. Abbott

15:43:05 Chair Carlson

15:44:08 Rep. Ed Stafman

15:44:43 **Motion:** Rep. Ed Stafman moved that **HB 17 BE AMENDED.**

Discussion:

15:45:16 Milly Allen

15:45:33 Rep. Ed Stafman

Vote: Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

15:46:28 **Motion:** Vice Chair Lola Sheldon-Galloway moved that **HB 17 DO PASS AS AMENDED.**

Discussion:

15:46:37 Rep. Donavon Hawk

Vote: Motion carried 15 - 6 by roll call vote with Rep. Etchart, Rep. Hinkle, Rep. Marshall, Rep. Nicol, Rep. Regier, Rep. Sheldon-Galloway, voting no. Rep. Etchart, By Proxy

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 311 - Establish a chemical dependency treatment voucher program

15:48:40 **Motion:** Vice Chair Lola Sheldon-Galloway moved that **HB 311 DO PASS.**

Vote: Motion failed unanimously by voice vote.

15:48:48 **Motion:** Rep. Laura Smith moved that **HB 311 BE AMENDED.**

Discussion:

15:49:39 Rep. Michael Yakawich

15:50:00 Rep. Laura Smith

Vote: Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

15:51:23 **Motion:** Vice Chair Lola Sheldon-Galloway moved that **HB 311 DO PASS AS AMENDED.**

Discussion:

15:51:34 Rep. Kim Abbott

Vote: Motion carried 20 - 1 by roll call vote with Rep. Abbott, voting no.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 312 - Provide for rural emergency hospital designation

15:53:51 **Motion:** Vice Chair Lola Sheldon-Galloway moved that **HB 312 DO PASS.**

Vote: Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 15:54:39

Katie Reeves, Secretary

Additional Documents: [EXHIBIT\(230202HUHaad\)](#)