

MINUTES
MONTANA SENATE
68th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION
COMMITTEE ON (S) STATE ADMINISTRATION

Call to Order: Chair Mike Cuffe-R, on January 23, 2023 at 8:06 AM, in 405

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Sen. Mike Cuffe, Chair (R)
Sen. Wendy McKamey, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. Dan Bartel (R)
Sen. Janet Ellis (D)
Sen. Steve Fitzpatrick (R)
Sen. Theresa Manzella (R)
Sen. Mark Noland (R)
Sen. Shelley Vance (R)

Members Excused: Sen. Mike Fox (D)
Sen. Denise Hayman (D)

Staff Present: Joe Carroll, Attorney
Daisy Rhodes, Secretary

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:

SJ 8 01/20/2023

Executive Action:

SJ 8 DO PASS AS AMENDED

08:07:59 **Committee Discussion:** Explanation of SJ8 and it's previous action and purpose.

08:08:06 Chair Mike Cuffe

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SJ 8 - Joint resolution on redistricting

08:11:41 **Motion:** Vice Chair Wendy McKamey moved that **SJ 8 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

08:11:52 Sen. Janet Ellis

08:12:20 Chair Mike Cuffe

08:13:01 Sen. Steve Fitzpatrick

08:13:16 Sen. Janet Ellis

08:14:36 Chair Mike Cuffe

08:14:53 Sen. Janet Ellis

08:15:18 Chair Mike Cuffe

08:15:30 Rachel Weiss, Legislative Services Division

08:16:18 Sen. Steve Fitzpatrick

08:16:31 Chair Mike Cuffe

10:17:00 **Vote:** Motion failed unanimously by voice vote.

08:16:46 **Motion:** Sen. Steve Fitzpatrick moved that **SJ 8 BE AMENDED.**

Discussion:

08:17:17 Sen. Steve Fitzpatrick

08:19:53 Chair Mike Cuffe

08:20:27 Sen. Janet Ellis

08:20:59 Chair Mike Cuffe

08:21:21 Sen. Janet Ellis

08:22:02 Chair Mike Cuffe

10:17:00 **Vote:** Motion carried 7 - 3 by voice vote with Sen. Ellis, Sen. Fox, Sen. Hayman, voting no.
Sen. Fox, Sen. Hayman, By Proxy

08:22:59 **Motion:** Vice Chair Wendy McKamey moved that **SJ 8 DO PASS AS AMENDED.**

10:17:00 **Vote:** Motion carried 7 - 3 by voice vote with Sen. Ellis, Sen. Fox, Sen. Hayman, voting no.
Sen. Fox, Sen. Hayman, By Proxy

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 08:24:22

Daisy Rhodes, Secretary

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