

MINUTES
MONTANA SENATE
68th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION
COMMITTEE ON (S) LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Call to Order: Chair Sen. Chris Friedel-R, on February 28, 2023 at 11:35 AM, in 405

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Sen. Chris Friedel, Chair (R)
Sen. Kenneth Bogner, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. Mary Ann Dunwell, Vice Chair (D)
Sen. Ellie Boldman (D)
Sen. Forrest Mandeville (R)
Sen. Jeremy Trebas (R)

Members Excused: Sen. Christopher Pope (D)
Sen. Terry Vermeire (R)
Sen. Daniel Zolnikov (R)

Staff Present: Toni Henneman, Research Analyst
Lorna Mason, Secretary

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Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted:

Executive Action:

SB 479 DO PASS AS AMENDED
SB 346 TO TABLE

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 479 - Generally revise homeowner association laws

11:36:46 **Motion:** Sen. Kenneth Bogner moved that **SB 479 DO PASS.**

11:36:57 **Motion:** Sen. Kenneth Bogner moved that **SB 479 BE AMENDED.**

Discussion:

11:38:27 Sen. Mary Ann Dunwell

11:39:09 Sen. Kenneth Bogner

11:39:43 Sen. Forrest Mandeville

11:36:57 **Vote:** Motion carried 8 - 1 by voice vote with Sen. Friedel, voting no.

11:44:07 **Motion:** Sen. Kenneth Bogner moved that **SB 479 DO PASS AS AMENDED.**

Discussion:

11:48:48 Sen. Kenneth Bogner

11:48:50 Sen. Forrest Mandeville

11:48:52 Sen. Kenneth Bogner

11:44:07 **Vote:** Motion carried 6 - 3 by roll call vote with Sen. Friedel, Sen. Mandeville,
Sen. Pope, voting no.
Sen. Pope, By Proxy

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 346 - Provide for general fund transfer to coal severance tax trust fund

11:50:53 **Motion:** Sen. Kenneth Bogner moved that **SB 346 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

11:51:26 Sen. Chris Friedel

11:51:44 Sen. Mary Ann Dunwell

11:52:58 Sen. Forrest Mandeville

11:54:11 Sen. Ellie Boldman

11:55:42 Sen. Mary Ann Dunwell

11:50:53 **Vote:** Motion failed 6 - 3 by roll call vote with Sen. Boldman, Sen. Dunwell,
Sen. Pope, voting yes.
Sen. Pope, By Proxy

11:58:10 **Motion:** Sen. Kenneth Bogner moved that **SB 346 TO TABLE.**

11:58:10

Vote: Motion carried 6 - 3 by roll call vote with Sen. Boldman, Sen. Dunwell,
Sen. Pope, voting no.
Sen. Pope, By Proxy

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 12:01:39

Lorna Mason, Secretary

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