

MINUTES
MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
68th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION
COMMITTEE ON FREE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HB 566

Call to Order: Chair Keith Regier-R, on April 26, 2023 at 8:01 AM, in 350

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Sen. Keith Regier, Chair (R)
Rep. Fred Anderson (R)
Sen. Daniel Emrich (R)
Rep. Jedediah Hinkle (R)
Sen. Shane Morigeau (D)
Rep. Melissa Romano (D)

Staff Present: Pad McCracken, Research Analyst
Jacelyn Sterling, 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:

Executive Action:

HB 566 BE AMENDED

08:01:22 **Committee Discussion:** HB566

08:01:30 Chair Keith Regier

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 566 - Revise notice requirements for human sexuality instruction

08:01:47 **Motion:** Rep. Fred Anderson moved that **HB 566 ACCEPTED AS AMENDED.**

Discussion:

08:02:02 Chair Keith Regier

08:02:20 **Motion:** Rep. Fred Anderson moved that **HB 566 BE AMENDED.**

Discussion:

08:02:42 Rob Watson, Executive Director, School Administrators

08:06:26 Amanda Curtis, Montana Federation of Public Employees (MFPE)

08:07:40 Chair Keith Regier

08:07:52 Rob Watson, Executive Director, School Administrators

08:07:57 Chair Keith Regier

08:08:07 Rob Watson, Executive Director, School Administrators

08:08:39 Chair Keith Regier

08:08:50 Rob Watson, Executive Director, School Administrators

08:09:32 Rep. Jedediah Hinkle

08:09:40 Sen. Shane Morigeau

08:10:09 Rob Watson, Executive Director, School Administrators

08:11:15 Sen. Shane Morigeau

08:11:28 Rob Watson, Executive Director, School Administrators

08:11:48 Rep. Melissa Romano

08:12:29 Amanda Curtis, MFPE

08:13:28 Chair Keith Regier

08:13:56 Rep. Jedediah Hinkle

08:14:41 Rob Watson, Executive Director, School Administrators

08:15:37 Rep. Jedediah Hinkle

08:16:04 Rob Watson, Executive Director, School Administrators

08:18:10 Rep. Jedediah Hinkle

08:19:16 Rob Watson, Executive Director, School Administrators

08:20:52 Rep. Jedediah Hinkle

08:21:34 Rob Watson, Executive Director, School Administrators

08:22:13 Sen. Shane Morigeau

08:23:05 Rob Watson, Executive Director, School Administrators

08:24:03 Sen. Shane Morigeau

08:24:28 Rob Watson, Executive Director, School Administrators

08:25:11 Chair Keith Regier

08:25:54 Rep. Fred Anderson

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08:28:49 Sen. Shane Morigeau

08:30:49 Sen. Daniel Emrich

08:34:49 Sen. Shane Morigeau

08:36:20 Rep. Melissa Romano

08:37:41 Rep. Jedediah Hinkle

08:40:22 Rep. Fred Anderson

08:43:13 Sen. Daniel Emrich

08:43:56 Rep. Fred Anderson

08:44:58 Sen. Daniel Emrich

08:46:20 Rep. Fred Anderson

08:47:31 Sen. Shane Morigeau

08:02:20 **Vote:** Motion tied 3 - 3 roll call vote

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 08:49:32

Jacelyn Sterling, Secretary

Additional Documents: [EXHIBIT\(230426FRSaad\)](#)