MONTANA SENATE
2005 LEGISLATURE

ROLL CALL

TAXATION

DATE 2-10-05

NAMES	PRESENT	ABSENT	EXCUSED
SEN. JIM ELLIOTT (D), CHAIRMAN	✓		
SEN. KEN TOOLE (D), VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
SEN. JERRY BLACK (R)	✓		
SEN. JON ELLINGSON (D)			✓
SEN. JEFF ESSMANN (R)	✓		
SEN. KELLY GEBHARDT (R)	✓		
SEN. KIM GILLAN (D)	✓		
SEN. DAN HARRINGTON (D)	✓		
SEN. SAM KITZENBERG (R)			✓
SEN. TRUDI SCHMIDT (D)			✓
SEN. ROBERT STORY (R)	✓		
LEE HEIMAN, LSD			
KATHLEEN ELY, COMMITTEE SECRETARY			

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

February 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 84** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in.**

Signed: _____
Senator Jim Elliott, Chair

To be carried by Senator Jerry Black

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Committee Vote:
Yes 8, No 0.

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SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

February 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 158** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in**.

Signed: _____
Senator Jim Elliott, Chair

To be carried by Senator Jim Elliott

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Committee Vote:
Yes 8, No 0.

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SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

February 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 193** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in.**

Signed: _____
Senator Jim Elliott, Chair

To be carried by Senator Jeff Essmann

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Committee Vote:
Yes 8, No 0.

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SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

February 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 194** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in**.

Signed: _____
Senator Jim Elliott, Chair

To be carried by Senator Kelly Gebhardt

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Committee Vote:
Yes 8, No 0.

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SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

February 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 38** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in**.

Signed: _____
Senator Jim Elliott, Chair

To be carried by Senator Jerry Black

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Committee Vote:
Yes 9, No 0.

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SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 115** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in as amended.**

Signed: _____
Senator Jim Elliott, Chair

To be carried by Senator Jeff Essmann

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, line 6 through line 7.
Strike: "LIMITING" on line 6 through "PARSONAGES;" on line 7
Insert: "ALLOWING THE CHURCH EXEMPTION TO EXTEND TO EDUCATIONAL OR YOUTH RECREATIONAL FACILITIES OPEN TO THE PUBLIC;"

2. Title, line 7 through line 12.
Strike: "LIMITING" on line 7 through "PROPERTY;" on line 12

3. Page 5, line 28 through line 29.
Strike: "not" on line 28 through "clergy," on line 29

4. Page 5, line 30 through page 6, line 2.
Strike: "BUT" on page 5, line 30 through "requirements" on page 6, line 2
Insert: ", and all land and improvements used for educational or youth recreational activities if the facilities are generally available for use by the general public"

5. Page 6, line 5.
Strike: "not to exceed 80 acres,"

Committee Vote:
Yes 9, No 0.

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6. Page 6, line 8 through line 9.
Strike: "which:" on line 8 through "(i)" on line 9
Insert: "that"

7. Page 6, line 10 through line 11.
Strike: subsections (ii) and (iii) in their entirety

8. Page 10, line 23 through page 11, line 6.
Strike: subsection (iii) in its entirety

- END -

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **Senate Bill 296** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass as amended.**

Signed: _____
Senator Jim Elliott, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, line 5.
Strike: "NONCONTIGUOUS"

2. Title, line 7.
Following: "PROVIDING"
Strike: "AN"
Insert: "A DELAYED"
Following: "DATE"
Insert: "AND AN APPLICABILITY DATE"

3. Page 1, line 27.
Strike: "Noncontiguous parcels"
Insert: "Parcels"

4. Page 1, line 30.
Strike: "certification"
Insert: "classification"

5. Page 2, line 2.
Following: "(I) the"
Insert: "owner of the"
Following: "is"
Insert: "involved"
Following: "owner's"
Insert: "Montana"

6. Page 2, line 5.

Committee Vote:
Yes 9, No 0.

Following: "trust"
Insert: "that is involved in Montana agricultural production and 51% of the entity's Montana annual gross income is derived from agricultural production"

7. Page 2, line 6.
Following: "(III)"
Strike: "the property is not subject to a homestead exemption."
Insert: "the owner is a shareholder, partner, owner, or member of the family corporation, family partnership, sole proprietorship, or family trust that is involved in Montana agricultural production and 51% of the person's or entity's Montana annual gross income is derived from agricultural production."

8. Page 3, line 12.
Following: "Effective date"
Insert: "-- applicability"
Following: "effective"
Strike: "July 1, 2005"
Insert: "January 1, 2006, and applies to tax years beginning after December 31, 2005"

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MONTANA STATE SENATE
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VISITOR REGISTER

TAXATION

DATE 2-10-05 **BILLS BEING HEARD TODAY** HB 84, HB 158, HB 193, HB 194, HB 302

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NAME	PHONE	REPRESENTING	BILL #	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
LARRY FINCH	3526	MDOR	HB84	✓	
Shema McCleigh	5817	MDOR	HB193	✓	
Neil Peterson	~~HB158~~ 1941	MDOR	HB158	✓	
LANCE MELTON		MTSBA	HB302	✓	
[illegible]	2942	COPP	HB302	Info	
Rodney Sweet	247-3780	Billings Public Schools	HB302	✓	
Van Charlton	444-3584	DOR	HB194	✓	
William Duffield	939-4443	MAO & C Counties	HB194	✓	
Erik Burke	442-4250	MEA-MFT	HB302	✓	
Liz Harris	257-7711				

PLEASE LEAVE PREPARED STATEMENT WITH COMMITTEE SECRETARY