

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES AND TRANSPORTATION

Call to Order: Chair Mike Cuffe, on January 17, 2013 at 8:30 AM, in Room 317C Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Mike Cuffe, Chair (R)
Sen. Matthew M. Rosendale Sr, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Duane Ankney (R)
Rep. Galen Hollenbaugh (D)
Sen. Jim Keane (D)
Rep. Lea Whitford (D)

Members Excused: Sen. John Brenden (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Christina Butler, Legislative Fiscal Division
Colleen Dever, Committee Secretary
Catherine Duncan, Legislative Fiscal Division
Shawn Graham, OBPP
Gerry Murphy, OBPP

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: Department of Environmental Quality Hearing

Department of Environmental Quality Hearing

00:15:49 Chair Cuffe
00:18:13 Sen. Keane
00:18:27 Chair Cuffe
00:18:55 Sen. Rosendale
00:19:21 Chair Cuffe
00:19:31 Tracy Stone-Manning, Director, Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ)
00:24:08 Chair Cuffe
00:24:19 Christina Butler, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)
00:33:21 Chair Cuffe
00:33:43 Tom Livers, Deputy Director, DEQ
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00:47:01 Mr. Livers, DEQ
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00:57:42 Mr. Livers, DEQ
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01:03:30 Mr. Livers, DEQ
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01:30:04 Mr. Livers, DEQ
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02:21:40 Mr. Livers, DEQ
02:21:59 Dan Chelini, Chief Information Officer, DEQ
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Public Comment:

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ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 02:56:51

Colleen Dever, Secretary

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