

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Call to Order: Chair Ryan Osmundson, on January 23, 2013 at 8:00 AM, in Room 350 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Ryan Osmundson, Chair (R)
Sen. Alan Olson, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. Edward Buttrey (R)
Rep. Champ Edmunds (R)
Rep. Kelly McCarthy (D)
Sen. David E. Wanzonried (D)

Members Excused: None

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Lisa Adams, Committee Secretary
Mark Bruno, Office of Budget Programming and Planning (OBPP)
Molly Miltenberger, Committee Secretary
Kris Wilkinson, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

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: Heritage Foundation

00:19:46 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a01\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a02\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a03\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a04\)](#)

00:24:33 Chair Osmundson

Historical Heritage Commission

00:24:43 Sen. Wanzenried

00:25:07 Rep. Edmunds

00:26:05 Sen. Wanzenried

00:26:11 Bill Hoffmann, Budget Manager, Department of Commerce (COMM)

00:26:35 Rep. Edmunds

00:27:20 Sen. Wanzenried

00:27:30 Mr. Hoffmann, COMM

00:28:02 Elijah Allen, Business and Operations Manager, Montana Heritage Commission (MHC), COMM

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a05\)](#)

00:41:18 Chair Osmundson

Director's Office

00:42:16 Meg O'Leary, Director, Director's Office, COMM

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a06\)](#)

00:45:22 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a07\)](#)

00:53:20 Chair Osmundson

00:53:26 Rep. McCarthy

00:53:32 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD

00:53:40 Rep. McCarthy

00:53:47 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD

00:54:33 Rep. McCarthy

00:55:01 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD

00:55:52 Mr. Hoffmann, COMM

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a08\)](#)

Proprietary Funds

00:57:40 Chair Osmundson

00:57:53 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD

01:03:32 Mr. Hoffmann, COMM

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a09\)](#)

01:04:26 Sen. Wanzenried

01:04:40 Ms. Wilkinson

01:05:27 Chair Osmundson

01:05:41 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a10\)](#)

01:09:23 Chair Osmundson

01:09:35 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a11\)](#)

01:12:10 Sen. Wanzenried

01:12:53 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD

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01:14:02 Sen. Wanzenried
01:14:39 Mark Bruno, OBPP
01:14:58 Sen. Wanzenried
01:15:04 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD
01:15:30 Bruce Brensdal, Administrator, Housing Division, COMM
01:15:51 Sen. Wanzenried
01:16:20 Mr. Brensdal, COMM
01:17:19 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD
01:22:06 Chair Osmundson
01:22:15 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD
01:22:55 Andy Poole, Deputy Director, COMM

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a12\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a13\)](#)

01:26:00 Chair Osmundson
01:26:20 Mr. Poole, COMM
01:26:50 Chair Osmundson
01:27:21 Mr. Poole, COMM
01:28:47 Sen. Buttrey
01:28:58 Mr. Poole, COMM
01:29:01 Sen. Buttrey
01:29:05 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD
01:29:24 Mr. Poole, COMM
01:29:31 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD
01:29:41 Mr. Poole, COMM
01:29:53 Rep. McCarthy
01:30:15 Mr. Poole, COMM
01:30:39 Rep. McCarthy
01:30:44 Mr. Poole, COMM
01:31:28 Rep. McCarthy
01:31:42 Mr. Poole, COMM
01:32:53 Rep. McCarthy
01:33:20 Mr. Poole, COMM
01:35:22 Chair Osmundson
01:35:29 Mr. Poole, COMM
01:35:32 Chair Osmundson
01:36:00 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD

01:36:30 Meeting recessed.
02:17:17 Meeting reconvened.

02:17:29 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD
02:18:01 Julie Johnson, Legislative Services Division (LSD)
02:19:45 Ms. Wilkinson, LFD
02:20:45 Chair Osmundson

Public Testimony

02:20:59 Brett Doney, CEO, Great Falls Development Authority

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a14\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a15\)](#)

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02:30:42 Alec Hansen, Montana League of Cities and Towns (MLCT)
02:34:12 Rick Edwards, Treasurer, Montana Economic Development Association (MEDA)
[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a16\)](#)
02:36:12 Maureen Connor, Montana Association of Counties (MACo)
02:38:26 Chere Jiusto, Executive Director, Montana Preservation Alliance
[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a17\)](#)
02:41:35 Stuart Doggett, Montana Lodging and Hospitality Association
02:43:11 Ruben Mathias, Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes (CSKT)
[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a18\)](#)
02:46:55 Shane Morigeau, Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes (CSKT)
[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a19\)](#)
[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a20\)](#)
02:51:42 Dustin Monroe, Executive Director, Montana Native Vote
02:54:26 Tony Preite, Self
02:55:44 Michele Fox, Chief Executive Officer, Island Mountain Development Group, Fort Belknap
02:57:15 Richard Sangrey, Chief of Staff, Chippewa Cree Tribe
02:59:16 Don Davis, Councilman, Chippewa Tribe
03:01:09 Jason Smith, Director, Office of Indian Affairs
03:02:20 Cheryl Reevis, Blackfeet Tribe
[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a21\)](#)
03:05:15 Mike Fox, Chairman, Fort Belknap Community Council
03:07:38 Jim McHugh, Executive Director, Helena Business Improvement District
03:08:51 Drew Geiger, Montana Car Rental Association
03:09:08 Jim Davison, Self
[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a22\)](#)
03:10:35 Jim Atchison, Southeastern Montana Development Group, Colstrip
[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a23\)](#)
03:14:26 Kate Hampton, Montana State Historic Preservation Office
03:15:14 Shawn Realbird, Crow Reservation
03:20:14 Brian Obert, Economic Development Group, Montana Business Connection

03:25:17 Meeting recessed.
03:34:41 Meeting resumed.

03:35:14 Ken Richardson, Board Member, Montana Economic Development Association (MEDA)
03:38:46 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a24\)](#)
[EXHIBIT\(jgh14a25\)](#)

03:39:31 Sen. Olson
03:40:06 Mr. Poole, COMM
03:41:54 Rep. Edmunds
03:42:23 Mr. Poole, COMM
03:44:49 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
03:45:59 Sen. Wanzenried
03:46:30 Chair Osmundson

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 03:47:12

Molly Miltenberger, Secretary

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Additional Documents

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EXHIBIT([jgh14aad.pdf](#))