

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Call to Order: Chair Ryan Osmundson, on February 21, 2013 at 5:30 P.M., in Room 350 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

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

Members Excused: Sen. Edward Buttrey (R)
Rep. Champ Edmunds (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Mark Bruno, OBPP
Christine Hultin, OBPP
Ellen Bush, Committee Secretary
Christina Butler, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)
Kris Wilkinson, Legislative Services Division (LSD)
Lois Steinbeck, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

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Committee Business Summary: Insure Montana, Department of Military Affairs, Indian Country Economic Development

00:05:22 Chair Osmundson
00:06:25 Ms. Steinbeck, LFD

EXHIBIT(jgh39b01)

00:06:35 Dan Villa, Budget Director, Governor's Office (GOV)
00:07:34 Monica Lindeen, Commissioner of Securities and Insurance (CSI)
00:08:10 Sen. Olson
00:09:29 Sen. Wanzenried
00:10:22 Sen. Olson
00:10:26 Ms. Steinbeck, LFD
00:10:52 Chair Osmundson
00:11:37 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
00:11:46 Ms. Steinbeck leaves
00:12:30 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD

EXHIBIT(jgh39b02)

00:13:00 Ms. Butler, LFD
00:15:57 Sen. Wanzenried.
00:16:18 Ms. Butler, LFD
00:16:36 Sen. Olson
00:17:05 Ms. Butler, LFD
00:17:14 Sen. Wanzenried
00:17:35 Ms. Butler, LFD
00:17:52 Sen. Wanzenried
00:18:09 Ms. Butler, LFD
00:18:16 Sen. Olson
00:18:25 Chair Osmundson
00:18:30 Ms. Butler, LFD
00:20:38 Chair Osmundson
00:20:51 Ms. Butler, LFD
00:21:04 Sen. Olson
00:21:16 Chair Osmundson
00:21:30 Ms. Butler, LFD
00:21:47 Sen. Olson
00:22:00 Chair Osmundson
00:22:16 Ms. Butler, LFD
00:23:16 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
00:23:30 Ms. Butler, LFD
00:23:44 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
00:24:02 Ms. Butler, LFD
00:24:10 Sen. Wanzenried
00:24:22 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
00:24:39 Sen. Wanzenried
00:25:30 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
00:25:33 Ms. Butler, LSD
00:25:40 Chair Osmundson
00:25:49 Ms. Butler, LFD
00:26:13 Sen. Wanzenried
00:26:20 Chair Osmundson
00:26:25 Ms. Butler
00:26:50 Chair Osmundson

Executive Action

00:27:22 **Motion:** Rep. McCarthy moved approval for **the subcommittee to recommend to the HAC that a provision be added to the companion bill to establish a revolving loan fund for Indian Country Economic Development. Moved to transfer one-time –only \$800,000 in general fund to the Indian County Economic Development revolving loan fund contingent upon establishment of the revolving loan fund. The loan fund is to be administered by the Business Resources Division of the Department of Commerce. The loan funds would be used to attract new and existing business investment on reservations in Montana including business development, workforce training, tribal entrepreneurial training, feasibility studies and economic development needs surveys, start-up and expansion funds for tribal member owned businesses, and other tribal priority business development projects.**

To provide \$800,000 in authority for the Indian Economic Development Revolving loan fund contingent upon the establishment of the revolving loan fund for loans within the Business Resources Division of the Department of Commerce.

EXHIBIT(jgh39b03)Discussion:

00:30:28 Chair Osmundson
 00:30:30 Sen. Olson
 00:30:48 Rep. McCarthy
 00:31:18 Sen. Olson
 00:31:15 Sen. Wanzienried
 00:32:33 Chair Osmundson
 00:32:45 Sen. Shannon Augare
 00:44:00 Sen. Jonathon Windy Boy
 00:45:00 Sen. Buttrey arrived.
 00:48:42 Sen. Sharon Stewart-Peregoy
 00:53:30 Rep. Rae Peppers, Crow
 00:57:20 Rep. Edith (Edie) McClafferty
 01:01:00 Chair Osmundson
 01:01:15 Rep. McClafferty
 01:01:42 Chair Osmundson
 01:02:00 Rep. McClafferty
 01:02:22 Rep. Clarena Brockie
 01:05:20 Rep. Lea Whitford
 01:08:15 Rep. Forrestina (Frosty) Calf Boss Ribs
 01:10:43 Jason Smith, Director Indian Affairs, Governor's Office (GOV)
 01:12:55 Shane Morigeau, Attorney, Business Development, Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes (CSKT)
 01:14:15 Chair Osmundson
 01:14:42 Sen. Buttrey
 01:16:52 Sen. Wanzienried
 01:17:15 Sen. Augare
 01:19:12 Sen. Buttrey

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01:19:28 Sen. Olson
01:22:15 Sen. Augare

01:24:53 Recessed.
01:31:20 Reconvened.

01:30:50 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
EXHIBIT(jgh39b04)
01:31:40 Matthew Quinn, Major General, Department of Military Affairs (DMA)
01:31:53 Gen. Brad Livingston, DMA
01:32:36 Chair Osmundson
01:32:40 Gen. Livingston, DMA
01:32:45 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
01:33:12 Sen. Buttrey
01:33:09 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
01:34:00 Sen. Buttrey
01:34:15 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
01:34:35 Sen. Wanzenried
01:34:44 Sen. Buttrey
01:35:00 Sen. Wanzenried
01:35:15 Sen. Buttrey
01:35:18 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
01:34:50 Sen. Buttrey
01:35:45 Chair Osmundson

01:35:17 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Buttrey **amended the motion that the committee take action to subpoena the records in question from Miss Julie Benson unless it sees the information requested by Thursday, Feb. 28.** Motion carried 3 to 2 by voice vote. Rep. McCarthy and Sen. Wanzenried voting no.

01:36:35 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
01:36:41 Chair Osmundson
01:36:55 Sen. Buttrey
01:37:00 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
01:37:42 Sen. Olson
01:38:05 Ed Tinsley, Division Administrator, Disaster and Emergency Services, DMA
01:38:30 Angie Mullikin, Grants Program Bureau Chief, Homeland Security Grants Program, DMA

01:39:00 Rep. McCarthy
01:39:42 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
01:39:54 Sen. Olson
01:40:43 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
EXHIBIT(jgh39b05)
01:40:55 Sen. Buttrey
01:42:45 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
01:44:00 Sen. Olson
01:44:30 Sen. Buttrey
01:44:40 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
01:45:20 Sen. Olson
01:45:42 Ms. Mullikin, DMA

01:46:15 Sen. Olson
01:45:08 Ms. Mullikin, DMA
01:45:44 Sen. Olson
01:46:30 Mr. Tinsley, DMA
01:47:30 Chair Osmundson

01:47:50 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Olson moved **Present Law Adjustment 2101 for Federal Homeland Exercise and Evaluation general fund federal home land security \$27,330 in fiscal year 2014 and \$ 27,290 in fiscal year 2015. Move the Decision Package for the General Fund alone.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

01:48:15 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Olson moved **Present Law Adjustment 2102 Systems for State Emergency Coordination Center general fund restricted.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

01:48:37 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Buttrey moved **Present Law Adjustment 2103 Spending Authority for federal Homeland Security Program.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

01:49:00 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Buttrey moved **Present Law Adjustment 2104 Department of Emergency Services Overtime restricted fund only.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.

01:49:20 Chair Osmundson
01:48:53 Sen. Buttrey
EXHIBIT(jgh39b06)
01:49:50 Chair Osmundson
01:50:00 Gen. Quinn, DMA

01: 50:15 Recessed.
01:54:30 Reconvened.

01:54:36 Sen. Buttrey
01:55:10 Sen. Olson
01:55:33 Sen. Buttrey
01:55:51 Chair Osmundson
01:55:54 Ms. Wilkinson, LSD
01:56:13 Sen. Olson
01:56:33 Chair Osmundson

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 01:56:48

Ellen M. Bush, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

EXHIBIT([jgh39bad.pdf](#))