

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Call to Order: Chair Steve Lavin, on March 8, 2013 at 3:00 PM, in Room 455 Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Steve Lavin, Chair (R)
Rep. Lee Randall, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Forrestina (Frosty) Boss Ribs (D)
Rep. Christy Clark (R)
Rep. Clayton Fiscus (R)
Rep. Bridget Smith (D)
Rep. Nancy Wilson (D)

Members Excused: Rep. Carolyn Squires, Vice Chair (D)
Rep. Liz Bangerter (R)
Rep. Krayton Kerns (R)
Rep. Reilly Neill (D)
Rep. Jerry O'Neil (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Casey Barrs, Legislative Branch
Tia Hunter, Committee 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: SB 114, 3/05/2013
Executive Action: HB 559, HB 566, HB 573

00:30:40 Chairman Lavin
00:30:49 Rep. O'Neil entered.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 559

00:31:10 **Motion:** Rep. Randall moved that **HB 559 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

00:31:33 Rep. Fiscus
00:31:58 Rep. Randall

00:32:27 **Motion:** Rep. Randall moved that **HB 559 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(trh50a01)

Discussion:

00:33:09 Rep. Randall
00:33:19 Rep. Bangerter entered.
00:33:41 Rep. Bangerter

00:34:58 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Kerns, Rep. Neill and Rep. Squires voted by proxy.

00:35:23 **Motion:** Rep. Randall moved that **HB 559 DO PASS AS AMENDED.**

Discussion:

00:35:30 Rep. Fiscus
00:35:46 Rep. Bangerter
00:36:21 Rep. Fiscus

00:36:39 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Kerns, Rep. Neill and Rep. Squires voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 566

00:37:04 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Randall moved that **HB 566 DO PASS.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Kerns, Rep. Neill and Rep. Squires voted by proxy.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 573

00:37:45 **Motion:** Rep. Randall moved that **HB 573 DO PASS.**

00:38:06 **Motion:** Rep. Randall moved that **HB 573 BE AMENDED.**
EXHIBIT(trh50a02)

Discussion:

00:38:29 Rep. Randall
00:38:45 Rep. Fiscus
00:39:00 Chairman Lavin

00:39:04 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Kerns, Rep. Neill and Rep. Squires voted by proxy.

00:39:27 **Motion:** Rep. Randall moved that **HB 573 DO PASS AS AMENDED.**

Discussion:

00:39:37 Rep. Fiscus

00:39:51 Chairman Lavin

00:40:05 Rep. Fiscus

00:40:13 **Vote:** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Kerns, Rep. Neill and Rep. Squires voted by proxy.

HEARING ON SB 114

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

00:40:53 Sen. Janna Taylor (R), SD 6, opened the hearing on SB 114, Eliminate certain charges for motor vehicle registration.

00:42:55 Rep. Clark left.

Proponents' Testimony: None

Opponents' Testimony: None

Informational Testimony:

00:46:37 Brenda Nordlund, Administrator, Motor Vehicle Division, Department of Justice (DOJ)

00:51:28 Ronda Wiggers, Montana County Treasures' Association

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

00:51:54 Rep. Bangerter

00:52:14 Ms. Wiggers, Montana County Treasures' Association

00:53:18 Rep. Fiscus

00:53:59 Sen. Taylor

00:54:20 Rep. Wilson

00:54:54 Ms. Nordlund, DOJ

Closing by Sponsor:

00:55:42 Sen. Taylor

00:56:49 Chairman Lavin

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 00:56:55

Tia Hunter, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

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