

## MINUTES

### MONTANA SENATE 63rd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**Call to Order:** Chair Edward Buttrey, on February 11, 2013 at 3:00 PM, in Room 303 Capitol

#### ROLL CALL

**Members Present:**

- Sen. Edward Buttrey, Chair (R)
- Sen. Janna Taylor, Vice Chair (R)
- Sen. Shannon Augare (D)
- Sen. Dick Barrett (D)
- Sen. Scott Boulanger (R)
- Sen. Sue Malek (D)
- Sen. Alan Olson (R)
- Sen. Bruce Tutvedt (R)
- Sen. Gene Vuckovich (D)

**Members Excused:** None

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:** Charlene Devine, Committee Secretary  
Leanne Kurtz, Legislative Branch

**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: SJ 7, 2/1/2013; SJ 9, 2/1/2013

**HEARING ON SJ 7**

**Opening Statement by Sponsor:**

00:29:51 Sen. Dave Lewis (R), SD 42, opened the hearing on SJ 7, Resolution calling on Congress to withdraw US from UN.

**Proponents' Testimony:**

00:35:40 Niki Sardot, representing self  
00:36:11 Bob Fanning, Friends of the Northern Yellowstone Elk Herd (FOTNYEH)  
00:39:29 Andrew Speer, representing self  
00:40:24 Debra Briscoe, representing self  
00:43:16 Diane Speer, representing self  
00:43:46 Ed Regan, representing self

**EXHIBIT(los30a01)**

00:49:58 Robert Brown, representing self

**EXHIBIT(los30a02)**

01:02:47 Judy Tankink, representing self

**EXHIBIT(los30a03)**

01:06:26 Jane Lee Hamman, representing self  
01:08:31 Doug Carpenter, representing self  
01:11:52 Dick Motta, representing self  
01:15:31 Roger Nummerdor, representing self  
01:18:43 Myrna Summers, representing self  
01:19:30 Judy Faw, representing self  
01:20:55 Tom Tuck, representing self  
01:23:34 Jody Loomis, representing self  
01:24:33 Paul Landsgaard, representing self  
01:25:58 Eve Brown, representing self  
01:26:44 Don Hart, representing self  
01:28:02 Derek Skees, representing self  
01:28:49 Elena Gagliano, representing self  
01:30:20 Robert Aronsen, representing self

**Opponents' Testimony:**

01:31:20 Sarah Rossi, Montana Coalition Against Domestic and Sexual Violence (MCADSV)  
01:33:01 Kim Abbott, Montana Human Rights Network (MHRN)

**Informational Testimony:** None

**Questions from Committee Members and Responses:**

01:35:45 Sen. Barrett  
01:39:31 Sen. Lewis  
01:39:40 Sen. Boulanger  
01:39:57 Sen. Lewis  
01:40:21 Robert Brown, self

**Closing by Sponsor:**

01:40:59 Sen. Lewis

**HEARING ON SJ 9****Opening Statement by Sponsor:**

01:43:44 Sen. Janna Taylor (R), SD 6, opened the hearing on SJ 9, Resolution providing due process for property rights.

[EXHIBIT\(los30a04\)](#)

**Proponents' Testimony:**

01:47:55 Nikki Sardot, representing self

[EXHIBIT\(los30a05\)](#)

01:51:38 Andrew Speer, representing self

01:53:04 Judy Tankink, representing self

[EXHIBIT\(los30a06\)](#)

01:57:04 Myrna Summers, representing self

[EXHIBIT\(los30a07\)](#)

01:58:32 Dick Motta, representing self

02:05:08 Roger Nummerdor, representing self

02:06:28 Ed Regan, representing self

[EXHIBIT\(los30a08\)](#)

02:09:44 Debra Briscoe, representing self

[EXHIBIT\(los30a09\)](#)

02:14:10 Tom Tuck, representing self

02:15:11 Judy Faw, representing self

02:17:28 Chelcie Cremer, Montana Farm Bureau Federation (MFBF)

02:18:07 Elena Gagliano, representing self

02:26:24 Jody Loomis, representing self

02:27:14 Eve Brown, representing self

[EXHIBIT\(los30a10\)](#)

02:29:05 Robert Brown, representing self  
[EXHIBIT\(los30a11\)](#)

02:34:25 Bob Fanning, representing self  
02:38:45 Diane Speer, representing self  
02:41:30 Doug Carpenter, representing self  
02:43:10 Don Hart, representing self

**Opponents' Testimony:** None

**Informational Testimony:** None

**Questions from Committee Members and Responses:**

02:44:28 Sen. Barrett  
02:49:35 Sen. Taylor  
02:50:09 Sen. Buttrey  
02:51:36 Nikki Sardot, self  
02:51:52 Sen. Olson

**Closing by Sponsor:**

02:52:31 Sen. Taylor

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 5:54 P.M.

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Charlene Devine, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

**EXHIBIT([los30aad.pdf](#))**