

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

Call to Order: Chair Alan Redfield, on February 12, 2015 at 3:00 PM, in Room 137
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Alan Redfield, Chair (R)
Rep. Christy Clark, Vice Chair (R)
Rep. Margaret (Margie) MacDonald, Vice Chair (D)
Rep. Seth Berglee (R)
Rep. Willis Curdy (D)
Rep. Jessica Karjala (D)
Rep. Theresa Manzella (R)
Rep. Wendy McKamey (R)
Rep. Matthew Monforton (R)
Rep. Dale Mortensen (R)
Rep. Andrea Olsen (D)
Rep. Albert Olszewski (R)
Rep. Zac Perry (D)
Rep. Gordon Pierson Jr (D)
Rep. Daniel R. Salomon (R)
Rep. Kathleen Williams (D)

Members Excused:

Rep. Bill Harris (R)
Rep. Greg Hertz (R)
Rep. Mike Lang (R)
Rep. Carolyn Pease-Lopez (D)
Rep. Scott Staffanson (R)
Rep. Susan Webber (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Julie Johnson, Legislative Services Division (LSD)
Joe Kolman, Legislative Services Division (LSD)
Jessica Riffel, Committee Secretary

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Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: None

Executive Action: HB 338, HB 378, HB 390

00:00:05 Chairman Redfield

00:01:16 Recess

00:12:16 Reconvened

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 338

00:12:27 **Motion:** Rep. Clark moved that **HB 338 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

00:12:34 Rep. Clark

00:12:50 Rep. McKamey

00:13:30 Rep. Olsen

00:14:13 Rep. Karjala

00:14:31 Rep. Clark

00:14:37 Rep. Williams

00:15:26 Rep. Karjala

00:15:31 Rep. Hertz and Rep. Harris entered

00:16:45 Rep. Harris

00:17:19 Rep. Karjala

00:18:32 **Vote:** Motion failed 10-12 by roll call vote with Rep. Curdy, Rep. Karjala, Rep. MacDonald, Rep. Olsen, Rep. Olszewski, Rep. Pease-Lopez, Rep. Perry, Rep. Pierson, Rep. Webber and Rep. Williams voting aye. Rep. Lang, Rep. Pease-Lopez, Rep. Staffanson and Rep. Webber voted by proxy.

00:19:48 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Clark moved that **HB 338 BE TABLED.** Motion carried by voice vote. Rep. Lang, Rep. Pease-Lopez, Rep. Staffanson and Rep. Webber were excused.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 378

00:20:17 **Motion:** Rep. Clark moved that **HB 378 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

00:20:29 Rep. Williams

00:21:14 Rep. Pierson

00:21:47 Rep. Olsen

00:22:16 **Vote:** Motion failed 11-11 by roll call vote with Rep. Curdy, Rep. Hertz, Rep. Karjala, Rep. MacDonald, Rep. Olsen, Rep. Pease-Lopez, Rep. Perry, Rep. Pierson, Rep. Salomon, Rep. Webber and Rep. Williams voting aye. Rep. Lang, Rep. Pease-Lopez, Rep. Staffanson and Rep. Webber voted by proxy.

00:23:37 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Clark moved that **HB 378 BE TABLED.** Motion carried 18-0 by voice vote. Rep. Lang, Rep. Pease-Lopez, Rep. Staffanson and Rep. Webber were excused.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 390

00:23:57 **Motion:** Rep. Clark moved that **HB 390 DO PASS.**

Discussion:

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00:24:16 Joe Kolman, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

00:24:41 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Clark moved that **HB 390 BE AMENDED.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Lang, Rep. Pease-Lopez, Rep. Staffanson and Rep. Webber voted by proxy.

00:25:24 **Motion/Vote:** Rep. Clark moved that **HB 390 DO PASS AS AMENDED.** Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. Rep. Lang, Rep. Pease-Lopez, Rep. Staffanson and Rep. Webber voted by proxy.

00:26:03 Chairman Redfield

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 00:26:20

Jessica Riffel, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

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