

# Montana State Legislature

**2015 SESSION**

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## BUSINESS REPORT

### MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

#### HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

**Date:** Friday, March 27, 2015

**Place:** Capitol

**Time:** 8:30 A.M.

**Room:** 102

#### **BILLS and RESOLUTIONS HEARD:**

- HB 416 - Provide military income tax exemption - Rep. Robert (Bob) Mehlhoff
- HB 510 - Assist local governments with federal land projects - Rep. Alan Redfield
- HB 574 - Revise compensation definition and funding in police and fire retirement systems -  
Rep. Jeff Essmann
- HB 592 - Provide for Montana earned income tax credit - Rep. Tom Jacobson
- HB 596 - Establish public charter schools - Rep. Austin Knudsen
- HB 599 - Allow for permanent registration of heavy trucks and truck tractors - Rep. Lee Randall
- HB 607 - Revise anti-corruption and state employee protection laws - Rep. Kirk Wagoner
- HB 609 - Revise residential property tax assistance programs - Rep. Ed Lieser
- HB 617 - Provide scholarship opportunities for higher education in Montana - Rep. Steve Lavin
- HB 641 - Provide for building for the Montana heritage center - Rep. Roy Hollandsworth

#### **EXECUTIVE ACTION TAKEN:**

- HB 4 - Do pass as amended
- HB 10 - Do pass as amended
- HB 13 - Tabled
- HB 235 - Removed from table and do pass
- HB 423 - Removed from table and do pass
- HB 512 - Removed from table and do pass as amended
- HB 559 - Do pass as amended
- HB 574 - Tabled
- HB 576 - Do pass
- HB 609 - Tabled
- HB 634 - Tabled
- HB 636 - Tabled
- HB 641 - Tabled

#### **Comments:**

  
REP. Nancy Ballance, Chair



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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL

*March 27, 2015*

NAME	PRESENT	ABSENT/EXCUSED
REP. RANDY <b>BRODEHL</b>	✓	
REP. KELLY <b>MCCARTHY</b>	✓	
REP. TOM <b>WOODS</b>	✓	
REP. CARL <b>GLIMM</b>	✓	
REP. DAVE <b>HAGSTROM</b>	✓	
REP. BOB <b>MEHLHOFF</b>		✓
REP. TOM <b>BURNETT</b>	✓	
REP. DONALD <b>JONES</b>	✓	
REP. MITCH <b>TROPILA</b>	✓	
REP. JANET <b>ELLIS</b>	✓	
REP. ROY <b>HOLLANDSWORTH</b>	✓	
REP. RON <b>EHLI</b>	✓	
REP. BRAD <b>TSCHIDA</b>	✓	
REP. RAE <b>PEPPERS</b>	✓	
REP. KIMBERLY <b>DUDIK</b>	✓	
REP. KENNETH <b>HOLMLUND</b>	✓	
REP. MIKE <b>CUFFE</b>	✓	
REP. PAT <b>NOONAN</b> , MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓	
REP. RYAN <b>OSMUNDSON</b> , MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓	
REP. NANCY <b>BALLANCE</b> , CHAIR	✓	

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HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on Appropriations recommend that House Bill 4 (first reading copy -- white) do pass as amended.

Signed: *Nancy Ballance*  
Representative Nancy Ballance, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Page 1, line 20.

Following: line 19

Insert: "Judiciary

Supreme Court Operations

State court improvement data program      FY2015      \$5,582

Federal

State court improvement training program      FY2015

\$5,582      Federal

All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for the state court improvement data program and the state court improvement training program is authorized to continue into federal fiscal year 2016.

District Court Operations

Juvenile Probation Workload Study      FY2015      \$50,000

Federal

All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for the Montana statewide drug court application and the juvenile probation workload study is authorized to continue into state fiscal year 2016.

All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for the Yellowstone County family drug treatment court is authorized to continue into federal fiscal year 2016.

All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for the veteran treatment court is authorized to continue into federal fiscal year 2017."

Committee Vote:

Yes 20, No 0

Fiscal Note Required  X

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2. Page 2, line 4.

**Following:** line 3

**Insert:** "Office of Public Instruction

State Level Activities

All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority to the preschool development grants is authorized to continue into state fiscal year 2016.

Local Education Activities

All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority to the preschool development grants is authorized to continue into state fiscal year 2016.

Crime Control Division

Justice System Support Service

All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for the Montana crime victims' legal assistance network and for linking systems of care for children and youth state demonstration project is authorized to continue into state fiscal year 2016.

All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for building state technology capacity is authorized to continue into federal fiscal year 2017."

3. Page 2, line 16.

**Following:** line 15

**Insert:** "Fiscal Year 2015 Montana Criminal Interdiction Program

FY2015 \$8,463 Federal"

4. Page 2, line 16.

**Following:** "authority for the"

**Insert:** "fiscal year 2014"

5. Page 2, line 18.

**Following:** line 17

**Insert:** "All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for the fiscal year 2015 Montana criminal interdiction program is authorized to continue into state fiscal year 2017.

Division of Criminal Investigation

Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives State and Local Overtime FY2015 \$16,000 Federal

State and Local Overtime Reimbursement FY2015 \$34,749 Federal"

6. Page 2, line 22.

**Following:** line 21

**Insert:** "Admissions Fee Revenue      FY2015      \$14,500  
Proprietary"

7. Page 2, line 29.

**Following:** line 28

**Insert:** "All remaining fiscal year 2016 federal budget amendment authority for identifying Montana's African-American heritage places is authorized to continue into federal fiscal year 2016."

8. Page 3, line 19.

**Following:** "activities,"

**Insert:** "the native fish conservation broodstock development,"

9. Page 3, line 20.

**Following:** line 19

**Insert:** "Enforcement Division

Turn In Poachers Program Participation      FY2015      \$9,000  
Federal

All of the remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for the turn in poachers program participation is authorized to continue into federal fiscal year 2017."

10. Page 3, line 22.

**Following:** "Valley,"

**Insert:** "bear management in the Cabinet-Yaak region, the Kootenai River resident fish assessment project, the North American bat monitoring project,"

11. Page 3, line 25.

**Following:** "specialist"

**Insert:** "and public access for wildlife-dependent recreation"

12. Page 3, line 28.

**Following:** "2014 legacy administration grant,"

**Insert:** "the elk study in the Elkhorn Mountains, evaluation of grazing treatments on Lake Mason for greater sage grouse population and habitat management, the Montana wolf monitoring study,"

13. Page 4, line 6.

**Following:** "Forest,"

**Insert:** "the Montana wildlife lands program,"

14. Page 4, line 11.

**Following:** line 10

**Insert:** "All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for the fish barrier removal in the Missouri River system, the restoration work on Big Spring Creek, and the Clear Creek conservation legacy project is authorized to continue into federal fiscal year 2017.

Administration

All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for the Great Plains wind energy project is authorized to continue into state fiscal year 2016."

15. Page 4, line 12.

**Following:** line 11

**Insert:** "Poplar Pipeline Spill on the Yellowstone River FY2015  
\$30,000 Federal"

16. Page 4, line 15.

**Strike:** line 15 through line 16

17. Page 4, line 27 through line 28.

**Following:** "authority for" on line 27

**Strike:** "the" on line 27 through "grant, and" on line 28

18. Page 5, line 8.

**Following:** line 7

**Insert:** "March 2014 Severe Flooding Emergency Relief Funds  
FY2015 \$1,502,667 Federal"

19. Page 5, line 12.

**Following:** "Program"

**Insert:** "and the March 2014 Severe Flooding Emergency Relief  
Funds"

20. Page 5, line 22 through line 23.

**Strike:** "All" on page 5, line 22 through "2017." on page 5, line  
23

**Insert:** "Wolf-Livestock Demonstration Project Grant Program  
FY2015 \$150,000 Federal

All of the remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for the wolf-livestock demonstration project grant program is authorized to continue into state fiscal year 2015."

21. Page 5, line 26.

**Following:** line 25

**Insert:** "All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for developing an adaptive management plan to address climate change impacts is authorized to continue into state fiscal year 2017."

22. Page 6, line 1.

**Insert:** "Drought Demonstration Project   FY2015                   20,000  
Federal"

23. Page 6, line 6.

**Following:** line 5

**Insert:** "All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for the drought demonstration project is authorized to continue into state fiscal year 2017."

24. Page 6, line 12 through line 13.

**Strike:** "the fiscal year 2013" on page 6, line 12 through  
"grant," on page 6, line 13

25. Page 6, line 18.

**Following:** "National Forest,"

**Insert:** "the fiscal year 2013 hazardous fuels reduction on adjacent non-federal lands, the fiscal year 2013 forest health protection from the western bark beetle, the fiscal year 2012 consolidated payments grant,"

26. Page 7, line 20.

**Following:** line 19

**Insert:** "Reemployment and eligibility assessment   FY2015  
\$105,662   Federal  
Women's Bureau Paid Leave Analysis                   FY2015           \$124,651  
Federal"

27. Page 7, line 26.

**Following:** line 25

**Insert:** "Reemployment and eligibility assessment   FY2015  
\$5,625       Federal"

28. Page 8, line 18.

**Following:** line 17

**Insert:** "Public Health and Safety Division

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All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for the affordable care act maternal, infant, and early childhood home visiting program is authorized to continue into federal fiscal year 2016.

Medicaid and Health Services

All remaining fiscal year 2015 federal budget amendment authority for state innovation models is authorized to continue into state fiscal year 2016."

- END -



HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **House Bill 10** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass as amended.**

Signed: *Nancy Ballance*  
Representative Nancy Ballance, Chair

**And, that such amendments read:**

1. Title, page 1, line 11 through line 12.

**Following:** "ADMINISTRATION," on line 11

**Strike:** remainder of line 11 through "JUSTICE," on line 12

2. Page 2, line 11 through line 22.

**Strike:** line 11 through line 22 in their entirety

**Insert:** "Statewide Information Technology Projects  
6,466,000 (LRITP)                      6,466,000 (Total)

The department of administration may prioritize the expenditure of the statewide information technology projects appropriation among the network and security upgrades, data protection initiative, statewide public safety communication system, security system replacement/assessments, and court technology improvement program projects. The department will report the use of the funds to the legislative finance committee."

3. Page 2, line 27.

**Strike:** "3,000,000" Federal Special Revenue

**Insert:** "3,000,000" State Special Revenue

4. Page 2, line 29.

**Strike:** "\$12"

**Insert:** "\$7.3"

- END -

**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 20, No 0**

Fiscal Note Required

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HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **House Bill 559** (second reading copy - yellow) **do pass as amended.**

Signed: *Nancy Ballance*  
Representative Nancy Ballance, Chair

**And, that such amendments read:**

1. Page 4, line 3.

**Following:** line 2

**Insert:** "COORDINATION SECTION. **Section 4. Coordination instruction.** If both House Bill No. 2 and [this act] are passed and approved and both contain an appropriation of \$750,000 in each of the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, then [section 2 of this act] is void."

**Renumber:** subsequent sections

- END -

**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 18, No 2**

Fiscal Note Required X

HB0559002SC.hbb

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**HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT**

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **House Bill 576** (second reading copy -  
- yellow) **do pass**.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

*Nancy Ballance*  
Representative Nancy Ballance, Chair

- END -

**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 12, No 8**

Fiscal Note Required  X

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**HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT**

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **House Bill 235** (second reading copy -  
- yellow) **do pass**.

Signed: *Nancy Ballance*  
Representative Nancy Ballance, Chair

- END -

**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 20, No 0**

Fiscal Note Required  X

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**HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT**

**March 27, 2015**

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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **House Bill 423** (second reading copy -

- yellow) **do pass**.

Signed: *Nancy Ballance*  
*Representative Nancy Ballance, Chair*

- END -

**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 12, No 8**

Fiscal Note Required   X  

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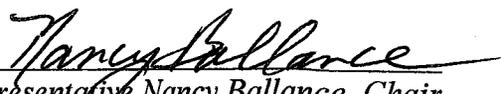
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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Appropriations** recommend that **House Bill 512** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass as amended.**

Signed:   
Representative Nancy Ballance, Chair

**And, that such amendments read:**

1. Page 1, line 18 through line 19.

**Strike:** "Each" on line 18 through "part."

**Insert:** "The laboratory director will determine the purposes, duties, and functions of each branch."

2. Page 1, line 21.

**Strike:** "\$5.8"

**Insert:** "\$2.05"

3. Page 1, line 25.

**Strike:** "\$5.8"

**Insert:** "\$2.05"

4. Page 1, line 29.

**Strike:** "\$340,000"

**Insert:** "\$210,000"

5. Page 2, line 1.

**Strike:** "\$1.8 million"

**Insert:** "450,000"

- END -

**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 11, No 9**

Fiscal Note Required X

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 512

DATE March 27, 2015

MOTION Do Pass as Amended

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. RANDY BRODEHL		✓	
REP. KELLY MCCARTHY	✓		
REP. TOM WOODS	✓		
REP. CARL GLIMM		✓	
REP. DAVE HAGSTROM	✓		
REP. BOB MEHLHOFF	✓		
REP. TOM BURNETT		✓	
REP. DONALD JONES	✓		
REP. MITCH TROPILA	✓		
REP. JANET ELLIS	✓		
REP. ROY HOLLANDSWORTH		✓	
REP. RON EHLI		✓	
REP. BRAD TSCHIDA		✓	
REP. RAE PEPPERS	✓		
REP. KIMBERLY DUDIK	✓		
REP. KENNETH HOLMLUND	✓		
REP. MIKE CUFFE		✓	
REP. PAT NOONAN, MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. RYAN OSMUNDSON, MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN		✓	
REP. NANCY BALLANCE, CHAIR		✓	

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 512

DATE March 27, 2015

MOTION Be Amended: HB 051201. ARW

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. RANDY BRODEHL		✓	
REP. KELLY MCCARTHY	✓		
REP. TOM WOODS	✓		
REP. CARL GLIMM		✓	
REP. DAVE HAGSTROM	✓		
REP. BOB MEHLHOFF	✓		
REP. TOM BURNETT	✓		
REP. DONALD JONES	✓		
REP. MITCH TROPILA	✓		
REP. JANET ELLIS	✓		
REP. ROY HOLLANDSWORTH	✓		
REP. RON EHLI	✓		
REP. BRAD TSCHIDA	✓		
REP. RAE PEPPERS	✓		
REP. KIMBERLY DUDIK	✓		
REP. KENNETH HOLMLUND	✓		
REP. MIKE CUFFE	✓		
REP. PAT NOONAN, MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. RYAN OSMUNDSON, MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. NANCY BALLANCE, CHAIR	✓		

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APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB512

DATE March 27, 2015

MOTION Be Removed From Table

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. RANDY BRODEHL		✓	
REP. KELLY MCCARTHY	✓		
REP. TOM WOODS	✓		
REP. CARL GLIMM		✓	
REP. DAVE HAGSTROM	✓		
REP. BOB MEHLHOFF	✓		
REP. TOM BURNETT		✓	
REP. DONALD JONES	✓		
REP. MITCH TROPILA	✓		
REP. JANET ELLIS	✓		
REP. ROY HOLLANDSWORTH	✓		
REP. RON EHLI		✓	
REP. BRAD TSCHIDA		✓	
REP. RAE PEPPERS	✓		
REP. KIMBERLY DUDIK	✓		
REP. KENNETH HOLMLUND	✓		
REP. MIKE CUFFE		✓	
REP. PAT NOONAN, MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. RYAN OSMUNDSON, MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN		✓	
REP. NANCY BALLANCE, CHAIR		✓	

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 423

DATE March 27, 2015

MOTION Do Pass

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. RANDY BRODEHL	✓		
REP. KELLY MCCARTHY		✓	
REP. TOM WOODS		✓	
REP. CARL GLIMM	✓		
REP. DAVE HAGSTROM	✓		
REP. BOB MEHLHOFF		✓	
REP. TOM BURNETT	✓		
REP. DONALD JONES	✓		
REP. MITCH TROPILA		✓	
REP. JANET ELLIS		✓	
REP. ROY HOLLANDSWORTH		✓	
REP. RON EHLI	✓		
REP. BRAD TSCHIDA	✓		
REP. RAE PEPPERS		✓	
REP. KIMBERLY DUDIK		✓	
REP. KENNETH HOLMLUND	✓		
REP. MIKE CUFFE	✓		
REP. PAT NOONAN, MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. RYAN OSMUNDSON, MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. NANCY BALLANCE, CHAIR	✓		

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 641

DATE March 27, 2015

MOTION Be Tabled

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. RANDY BRODEHL	✓		
REP. KELLY MCCARTHY		✓	
REP. TOM WOODS		✓	
REP. CARL GLIMM	✓		
REP. DAVE HAGSTROM	✓		
REP. BOB MEHLHOFF		✓	
REP. TOM BURNETT	✓		
REP. DONALD JONES	✓		
REP. MITCH TROPILA		✓	
REP. JANET ELLIS		✓	
REP. ROY HOLLANDSWORTH		✓	
REP. RON EHLI	✓		
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REP. RAE PEPPERS		✓	
REP. KIMBERLY DUDIK		✓	
REP. KENNETH HOLMLUND	✓		
REP. MIKE CUFFE	✓		
REP. PAT NOONAN, MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN		✓	
REP. RYAN OSMUNDSON, MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. NANCY BALLANCE, CHAIR	✓		

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 636

DATE March 27, 2015

MOTION Be Tabled

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. RANDY <b>BRODEHL</b>	✓		
REP. KELLY <b>MCCARTHY</b>	✓		
REP. TOM <b>WOODS</b>	✓		
REP. CARL <b>GLIMM</b>	✓		
REP. DAVE <b>HAGSTROM</b>	✓		
REP. BOB <b>MEHLHOFF</b>	✓		
REP. TOM <b>BURNETT</b>	✓		
REP. DONALD <b>JONES</b>	✓		
REP. MITCH <b>TROPILA</b>	✓		
REP. JANET <b>ELLIS</b>	✓		
REP. ROY <b>HOLLANDSWORTH</b>	✓		
REP. RON <b>EHLI</b>	✓		
REP. BRAD <b>TSCHIDA</b>	✓		
REP. RAE <b>PEPPERS</b>	✓		
REP. KIMBERLY <b>DUDIK</b>	✓		
REP. KENNETH <b>HOLMLUND</b>	✓		
REP. MIKE <b>CUFFE</b>	✓		
REP. PAT <b>NOONAN</b> , MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. RYAN <b>OSMUNDSON</b> , MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. NANCY <b>BALLANCE</b> , CHAIR	✓		

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 609

DATE March 27, 2015

MOTION Be Tabled

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. RANDY <b>BRODEHL</b>	✓		
REP. KELLY <b>MCCARTHY</b>		✓	
REP. TOM <b>WOODS</b>		✓	
REP. CARL <b>GLIMM</b>	✓		
REP. DAVE <b>HAGSTROM</b>	✓		
REP. BOB <b>MEHLHOFF</b>		✓	
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REP. KENNETH <b>HOLMLUND</b>	✓		
REP. MIKE <b>CUFFE</b>	✓		
REP. PAT <b>NOONAN</b> , MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN		✓	
REP. RYAN <b>OSMUNDSON</b> , MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. NANCY <b>BALLANCE</b> , CHAIR	✓		

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 576

DATE March 27, 2015

MOTION Do Pass

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. RANDY <b>BRODEHL</b>	✓		
REP. KELLY <b>MCCARTHY</b>		✓	
REP. TOM <b>WOODS</b>		✓	
REP. CARL <b>GLIMM</b>	✓		
REP. DAVE <b>HAGSTROM</b>	✓		
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REP. ROY <b>HOLLANDSWORTH</b>	✓		
REP. RON <b>EHLI</b>	✓		
REP. BRAD <b>TSCHIDA</b>	✓		
REP. RAE <b>PEPPERS</b>		✓	
REP. KIMBERLY <b>DUDIK</b>		✓	
REP. KENNETH <b>HOLMLUND</b>	✓		
REP. MIKE <b>CUFFE</b>	✓		
REP. PAT <b>NOONAN</b> , MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN		✓	
REP. RYAN <b>OSMUNDSON</b> , MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. NANCY <b>BALLANCE</b> , CHAIR	✓		

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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 574

DATE March 27, 2015

MOTION Be Tabled

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. RANDY BRODEHL	✓		
REP. KELLY MCCARTHY		✓	
REP. TOM WOODS		✓	
REP. CARL GLIMM	✓		
REP. DAVE HAGSTROM	✓		
REP. BOB MEHLHOFF		✓	
REP. TOM BURNETT	✓		
REP. DONALD JONES	✓		
REP. MITCH TROPILA		✓	
REP. JANET ELLIS		✓	
REP. ROY HOLLANDSWORTH		✓	
REP. RON EHLI	✓		
REP. BRAD TSCHIDA	✓		
REP. RAE PEPPERS		✓	
REP. KIMBERLY DUDIK		✓	
REP. KENNETH HOLMLUND	✓		
REP. MIKE CUFFE	✓		
REP. PAT NOONAN, MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN		✓	
REP. RYAN OSMUNDSON, MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. NANCY BALLANCE, CHAIR	✓		

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APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 13

DATE March 27, 2015

MOTION Be Tabled

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. RANDY BRODEHL	✓		
REP. KELLY MCCARTHY		✓	
REP. TOM WOODS		✓	
REP. CARL GLIMM	✓		
REP. DAVE HAGSTROM	✓		
REP. BOB MEHLHOFF		✓	
REP. TOM BURNETT	✓		
REP. DONALD JONES	✓		
REP. MITCH TROPILA		✓	
REP. JANET ELLIS		✓	
REP. ROY HOLLANDSWORTH		✓	
REP. RON EHLE	✓		
REP. BRAD TSCHIDA	✓		
REP. RAE PEPPERS		✓	
REP. KIMBERLY DUDIK		✓	
REP. KENNETH HOLMLUND	✓		
REP. MIKE CUFFE	✓		
REP. PAT NOONAN, MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN		✓	
REP. RYAN OSMUNDSON, MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. NANCY BALLANCE, CHAIR	✓		

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APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 634

DATE March 27, 2015

MOTION Be Tabled

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. RANDY <b>BRODEHL</b>	✓		
REP. KELLY <b>MCCARTHY</b>	✓		
REP. TOM <b>WOODS</b>		✓	
REP. CARL <b>GLIMM</b>	✓		
REP. DAVE <b>HAGSTROM</b>	✓		
REP. BOB <b>MEHLHOFF</b>		✓	
REP. TOM <b>BURNETT</b>	✓		
REP. DONALD <b>JONES</b>	✓		
REP. MITCH <b>TROPILA</b>		✓	
REP. JANET <b>ELLIS</b>		✓	
REP. ROY <b>HOLLANDSWORTH</b>	✓		
REP. RON <b>EHLI</b>	✓		
REP. BRAD <b>TSCHIDA</b>	✓		
REP. RAE <b>PEPPERS</b>		✓	
REP. KIMBERLY <b>DUDIK</b>		✓	
REP. KENNETH <b>HOLMLUND</b>	✓		
REP. MIKE <b>CUFFE</b>	✓		
REP. PAT <b>NOONAN</b> , MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN		✓	
REP. RYAN <b>OSMUNDSON</b> , MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. NANCY <b>BALLANCE</b> , CHAIR	✓		

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ROLL CALL VOTE

BILL NUMBER HB 423

DATE March 27, 2015

MOTION Be Removed From Table

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY
REP. RANDY BRODEHL	✓		
REP. KELLY MCCARTHY		✓	
REP. TOM WOODS		✓	
REP. CARL GLIMM	✓		
REP. DAVE HAGSTROM	✓		
REP. BOB MEHLHOFF		✓	
REP. TOM BURNETT	✓		
REP. DONALD JONES	✓		
REP. MITCH TROPILA		✓	
REP. JANET ELLIS		✓	
REP. ROY HOLLANDSWORTH		✓	
REP. RON EHLI	✓		
REP. BRAD TSCHIDA	✓		
REP. RAE PEPPERS		✓	
REP. KIMBERLY DUDIK		✓	
REP. KENNETH HOLMLUND	✓		
REP. MIKE CUFFE	✓		
REP. PAT NOONAN, MIN. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. RYAN OSMUNDSON, MAJ. VICE CHAIRMAN	✓		
REP. NANCY BALLANCE, CHAIR	✓		

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## BILL TABLED NOTICE

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The HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE TABLED

- HB 13 - State Employee Pay Plan - Rep. Kathy Swanson
- HB 574 - Revise compensation definition and funding in police and fire retirement systems - Rep. Jeff Essmann
- HB 609 - Revise residential property tax assistance programs - Rep. Ed Lieser
- HB 634 - Fund genetic research grants - Rep. Albert Olszewski
- HB 636 - Require legislative approval for acceptance of federal assistance funds - Rep. Debra Lamm
- HB 641 - Provide for building for the Montana heritage center - Rep. Roy Hollandsworth

by motion, on **Friday, March 27, 2015** (PLEASE USE THIS ACTION DATE IN LAWS BILL STATUS).

*K. Grover*

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(For the Committee)

*[Signature]*

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(For the Chief Clerk of the House)

*12:10 3/27/15*

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March 27, 2015 (11:54am)

Katya Grover, Secretary

Phone: 444-1754















**MONTANA House of Representatives  
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HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

**Friday, March 27, 2015**

**HB 596 - Establish public charter schools**

**Sponsor: Rep. Austin Knudsen**

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Name	Representing	Support	Oppose	Info
Marco Ferro	MCA - MFT		L	
GARY Stein	Certified teachers - Volen		✓	
Dennis Parnis	OPT		✓	
Susie Hamilton	Self		✓	

Please leave prepared testimony with Secretary. Witness Statement forms are available if you care to submit written testimony.







**COUNTY OF STILLWATER**  
**STATE OF MONTANA**  
**STILLWATER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**  
**P. O. BOX 970**  
**COLUMBUS, MONTANA 59019**

**ADDITIONAL  
DOCUMENTS**

March 26, 2015

Montana House of Representatives  
Appropriations

**RE: HB 235 BE REMOVED FROM THE TABLE AND PASSED OUT OF COMMITTEE**

Distinguished Chair and Members:

Stillwater County supports **HB 235** and asks you to remove the bill from the table and pass out committee. The increased allocation of money to a Stillwater County in this bill would be used for the hard-rock mine trust account, planning and economic development, and schools.

Stillwater County asks the committee to **Do Pass HB 235** as originally proposed by Representative Lynch.

Sincerely,

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**STILLWATER COUNTY**

Dennis Shupak, Chair

Maureen Davey

Gerald W. Dell

Note our new email address:

Montana State Legislature  
House Appropriations Committee



Dear Representative Ballance and Members of the House Appropriations Committee,

Sweet Grass County Commissioners are writing to you in regards to HB 235 the Revised Distribution of Metalliferous Mines Tax. Please remove this from the table and pass it out of committee. These dollars are used in many ways in our community, we send funds to an after school program that serves 30 children, at the other end of the spectrum we have helped our Senior Center with many projects. We also have a large road project that we are cooperating with Park County and the U.S. Forest Service on, and some of these funds are going towards a match for this project. These are just a few ways in which this money is spent. This is economic development at its best in rural Montana.

Again we urge you to move HB 235 out of committee.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
Bill Wallace, Chair  
Bob Faw  
Susie Mosness

Sweet Grass County Commissioners