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Helena, Montana  
January 11, 2021

House Chambers  
State Capitol

House convened at 1:00 p.m. Mr. Speaker presiding. Invocation by Representative Beard. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call. All members present, except Representatives Hayman and Nave, excused. Quorum present.

**BILLS** (Hinkle, Chair): 1/11/2021  
Correctly engrossed: **HB 23**.  
Transmitted to the Senate: **HB 3**.

**LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATION** (Hinkle, Chair): 1/11/2021

MR. SPEAKER:

We, your committee on Legislative Administration recommend employment of the following pages of the House be ceased as of 5:00 p.m., Friday, January 8, 2021:

Kolby Harris, Circle  
Amy McKenzie, Choteau  
Brandon Wenzel, Bigfork

and recommend the following pages of the House be employed as of 1:00 p.m., Monday, January 11, 2021:

Eaglewoman Armstrong, Browning  
Alina Espino, Missoula  
Rutger Shultz, Boulder

Report Adopted.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**

**TAXATION** (Beard, Chair): 1/8/2021  
**HB 23**, introduced bill, be amended as follows:

1. Page 12, line 28.  
Following: "the"  
Insert: "assignment of the"

And, as amended, do pass. Report adopted.

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**TRANSPORTATION** (Loge, Chair):  
**HB 55**, do pass. Report adopted.

1/8/2021

**FIRST READING AND COMMITMENT OF BILLS**

The following House bills were introduced, read first time, and referred to committees:

**HB 141**, introduced by C. Keogh, S. Fitzpatrick, T. Manzella, referred to Transportation.

**HB 142**, introduced by J. Kassmier, referred to Agriculture.

**HB 143**, introduced by L. Jones, K. Abbott, F. Anderson, D. Bedey, M. Bertoglio, M. Blasdel, K. Bogner, M. Caferro, J. Cohenour, G. Custer, J. Fuller, W. Galt, D. Harvey, K. Holmlund, J. Kassmier, D. Loge, W. McKamey, D. Salomon, J. Small, C. Smith, S. Vinton, J. Windy Boy, K. Zolnikov, referred to Education.

**HB 144**, introduced by P. Fielder, F. Anderson, B. Beard, S. Berglee, M. Binkley, B. Brown, N. Duram, C. Friedel, J. Fuller, S. Galloway, S. Gist, C. Glimm, S. Hinebauch, C. Hinkle, J. Hinkle, S. Kerns, R. Knudsen, T. Manzella, B. Mitchell, M. Noland, A. Regier, M. Regier, L. Sheldon-Galloway, D. Skees, J. Trebas, B. Tschida, B. Usher, referred to Judiciary

**HB 145**, introduced by P. Fielder, B. Beard, M. Binkley, B. Brown, N. Duram, C. Friedel, J. Fuller, S. Galloway, S. Gist, C. Glimm, S. Hinebauch, C. Hinkle, J. Hinkle, S. Kerns, R. Knudsen, T. Manzella, M. Noland, A. Regier, M. Regier, L. Sheldon-Galloway, D. Skees, J. Trebas, B. Tschida, B. Usher, referred to Local Government.

**HB 146**, introduced by B. Mercer, referred to Legislative Administration.

**HB 147**, introduced by T. France, D. Loge, referred to Fish, Wildlife and Parks.

**HB 148**, introduced by L. Reksten, referred to Taxation.

**SECOND READING OF BILLS  
(COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE)**

Majority Leader Vinton moved the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for consideration of business on second reading. Motion carried. Representative Noland in the chair.

Mr. Speaker: We, your Committee of the Whole, having had under consideration business on second reading, recommend as follows:

**HB 19** - Representative Buttrey moved **HB 19** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Bartel, Beard, Bedey, Berglee, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Curdy, Custer, Dooling, Dunwell, Duram, Farris-Olsen, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fleming, France, Frazer, Fuller, Funk, Galloway, Garner, Gillette, Gist, Greef, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hawk, Hayman, Hill, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Holmlund, Hopkins, Jones, Karjala, Kassmier, Keane, Kelker, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Lenz, Ler, Loge, Malone, Marler, Marshall, McKamey, Mercer, Mitchell, Moore, Noland, Novak, Olsen, Patelis, Phalen, Putnam, Read, Regier A, Regier M, Reksten, Ricci, Running Wolf, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Skees, Smith, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy,

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Stromswold, Sullivan, Tenenbaum, Thane, Trebas, Tschida, Usher, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Whiteman Pena, Whitman, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 98

Nays: Windy Boy.  
Total 1

Voted absentee: Hayman, Aye.

Excused: Hayman, Nave.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.  
Total 0

**HB 41** - Representative Funk moved **HB 41** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Bartel, Beard, Bedey, Berglee, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Curdy, Custer, Dooling, Dunwell, Duram, Farris-Olsen, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fleming, France, Frazer, Fuller, Funk, Galloway, Garner, Gillette, Gist, Greef, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hawk, Hayman, Hill, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Holmlund, Hopkins, Jones, Karjala, Kassmier, Keane, Kelker, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Lenz, Ler, Loge, Malone, Marler, Marshall, McKamey, Mercer, Mitchell, Moore, Noland, Novak, Olsen, Patelis, Phalen, Putnam, Read, Regier A, Regier M, Reksten, Ricci, Running Wolf, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Skees, Smith, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Stromswold, Sullivan, Tenenbaum, Thane, Trebas, Tschida, Usher, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Whiteman Pena, Whitman, Windy Boy, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 99

Nays: None.  
Total 0

Voted absentee: Hayman, Aye.

Excused: Hayman, Nave.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.  
Total 0

**HB 45** - Representative Putnam moved **HB 45** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Bartel, Bedey, Berglee, Bertoglio, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Curdy, Custer, Dooling, Dunwell, Duram, Farris-Olsen, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fleming, France, Frazer, Funk, Galloway, Garner, Gillette, Gist, Greef, Gunderson, Hamilton,

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Harvey, Hawk, Hayman, Hill, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Holmlund, Hopkins, Jones, Karjala, Kassmier, Keane, Kelker, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Loge, Malone, Marler, Marshall, McKamey, Mercer, Mitchell, Moore, Novak, Olsen, Patelis, Phalen, Putnam, Read, Reksten, Ricci, Running Wolf, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Skees, Smith, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Stromswold, Sullivan, Tenenbaum, Thane, Trebas, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Whiteman Pena, Whitman, Windy Boy, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 88

Nays: Beard, Binkley, Fuller, Lenz, Ler, Noland, Regier A, Regier M, Tschida, Usher, Zolnikov.  
Total 11

Voted absentee: Hayman, Aye.

Excused: Hayman, Nave.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.  
Total 0

**HB 48** - Representative Gist moved **HB 48** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Bartel, Beard, Bedey, Berglee, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Curdy, Custer, Dooling, Dunwell, Duram, Farris-Olsen, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fleming, France, Frazer, Fuller, Funk, Galloway, Garner, Gillette, Gist, Greef, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hawk, Hayman, Hill, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Holmlund, Hopkins, Jones, Karjala, Kassmier, Keane, Kelker, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Lenz, Ler, Loge, Malone, Marler, Marshall, McKamey, Mercer, Mitchell, Moore, Noland, Novak, Olsen, Patelis, Phalen, Putnam, Read, Regier A, Regier M, Reksten, Ricci, Running Wolf, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Skees, Smith, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Stromswold, Sullivan, Tenenbaum, Thane, Trebas, Tschida, Usher, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Whiteman Pena, Whitman, Windy Boy, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.  
Total 99

Nays: None.  
Total 0

Voted absentee: Hayman, Aye.

Excused: Hayman, Nave.  
Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.  
Total 0

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**HB 52** - Representative Welch moved **HB 52** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Bartel, Beard, Bedey, Berglee, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Curdy, Custer, Dooling, Dunwell, Duram, Farris-Olsen, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fleming, France, Frazer, Fuller, Funk, Galloway, Garner, Gillette, Gist, Greef, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hawk, Hayman, Hill, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Holmlund, Hopkins, Jones, Karjala, Kassmier, Keane, Kelker, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Lenz, Ler, Loge, Malone, Marler, Marshall, McKamey, Mercer, Mitchell, Moore, Noland, Novak, Olsen, Patelis, Phalen, Putnam, Read, Regier A, Regier M, Reksten, Ricci, Running Wolf, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Skees, Smith, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Stromswold, Sullivan, Tenenbaum, Thane, Trebas, Tschida, Usher, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Whiteman Pena, Whitman, Windy Boy, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 99

Nays: None.

Total 0

Voted absentee: Hayman, Aye.

Excused: Hayman, Nave.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

**HB 54** - Representative Seekins-Crowe moved **HB 54** do pass. Motion carried as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Bartel, Beard, Bedey, Berglee, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Curdy, Custer, Dooling, Dunwell, Duram, Farris-Olsen, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fleming, France, Frazer, Fuller, Funk, Galloway, Garner, Gillette, Gist, Greef, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hawk, Hayman, Hill, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Holmlund, Hopkins, Jones, Karjala, Kassmier, Keane, Kelker, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Lenz, Ler, Loge, Malone, Marler, Marshall, McKamey, Mercer, Mitchell, Moore, Noland, Novak, Olsen, Patelis, Phalen, Putnam, Read, Regier A, Regier M, Reksten, Ricci, Running Wolf, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Skees, Smith, Stafman, Stewart Peregoy, Stromswold, Sullivan, Tenenbaum, Thane, Trebas, Tschida, Usher, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Whiteman Pena, Whitman, Windy Boy, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 99

Nays: None.

Total 0

Voted absentee: Hayman, Aye.

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Excused: Hayman, Nave.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: None.

Total 0

Majority Leader Vinton moved the Committee rise and report. Motion carried. Committee arose. House resumed. Mr. Speaker presiding. Chair Noland moved the Committee of the Whole report be adopted. Report adopted as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Bartel, Beard, Bedey, Berglee, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Curdy, Custer, Dooling, Dunwell, Duram, Farris-Olsen, Fern, Fielder, Fitzgerald, Fleming, France, Frazer, Fuller, Funk, Galloway, Gillette, Gist, Gunderson, Hamilton, Harvey, Hawk, Hill, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Holmlund, Hopkins, Karjala, Kassmier, Keane, Kelker, Keogh, Kerns, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C, Knudsen R, Kortum, Lenz, Ler, Loge, Malone, Marler, Marshall, McKamey, Mitchell, Moore, Novak, Patelis, Putnam, Read, Regier A, Regier M, Reksten, Ricci, Running Wolf, Schillinger, Seekins-Crowe, Sheldon-Galloway, Skees, Smith, Stewart Peregoy, Stromswold, Sullivan, Tenenbaum, Thane, Trebas, Tschida, Usher, Vinton, Walsh, Weatherwax, Welch, Whiteman Pena, Whitman, Windy Boy, Zolnikov, Mr. Speaker.

Total 90

Nays: Noland.

Total 1

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Hayman, Nave.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: Garner, Greef, Jones, Mercer, Olsen, Phalen, Stafman.

Total 7

### THIRD READING OF BILLS

The following bills having been read three several times, title and history agreed to, were disposed of in the following manner:

**HB 3** passed as follows:

Yeas: Abbott, Anderson, Bartel, Bedey, Berglee, Bertoglio, Binkley, Bishop, Brewster, Buckley, Buttrey, Caferro, Carlson, Curdy, Custer, Dunwell, Duram, Farris-Olsen, Fern, Fitzgerald, Fleming, France, Frazer, Fuller, Funk, Garner, Gillette, Greef, Hamilton, Harvey, Hawk, Hinkle C, Hinkle J, Holmlund, Hopkins, Jones, Karjala, Kassmier, Keane, Kelker, Keogh, Kerr-Carpenter, Knudsen C,

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Total 83

Nays: Beard, Fielder, Galloway, Gist, Gunderson, Hill, Kerns, Knudsen R, Ler, Noland, Read, Sheldon-Galloway, Trebas, Usher.

Total 14

Voted absentee: None.

Excused: Hayman, Nave.

Total 2

Absent or not voting: Dooling.

Total 1

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Mr. Speaker, I move that the following undersigned name be **ADDED** as sponsor to **HR 1**. Motion carried.

**HR 1** (E. Stafman, Chief Sponsor)

W. McKamey, A. Olsen.

Mr. Speaker, I move that the following undersigned name be **ADDED** as sponsor to **HB 11**. Motion carried.

**HB 11** (W. McKamey, Chief Sponsor)

M. Hopkins.

Mr. Speaker, I move that the following undersigned name be **ADDED** as sponsor to **HB 124**. Motion carried.

**HB 124** (B. Mitchell, Chief Sponsor)

M. Bertoglio, P. Fielder, L. Sheldon-Galloway, J. Trebas.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Committee meetings were announced by the committee chairs.

Majority Leader Vinton moved the House adjourn until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 12, 2021.  
Motion carried.

House adjourned at 1:35 p.m.

CAROLYN TSCHIDA  
Chief Clerk of the House

WYLIE GALT  
Speaker of the House