

\*House Committee\*

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for  
NATURAL RESOURCES**

Date: *February 5, 2013*

Location: *Room 19*

Convened: *1:00 PM*

Adjourned: *1:40 PM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Rayhons-CH, Fisher-VC, Hanson-RM, Bacon, Baudler, Byrnes, Dolecheck, Hall, Highfill, Huseman, Lundby, Lykam, Maxwell, Miller, H, Ourth, Ruff, Salmon, Shaw, Smith, J, Thede, Thomas

Absent: None

Excused: None

The meeting was called to order by Chair Representative Rayhons.

Roll Call was taken.

Minutes of the previous meeting stand approved as read.

Rep. Hanson made a motion to discuss HF 68 and it was seconded by Rep J. Smith. There was a unanimous voice vote in favor of taking up the bill. Discussion followed. Rep Smith moved the bill. Roll call vote was taken and HF 68 passed out as a committee bill on a vote of 21-0.

Paul Tauke, DNR Forestry Bureau Chief, spoke on woodland health issues in the state. He was assisted by Tivon Feeley, Forest Health Coordinator. Also present was Chuck Corell, DNR Division Administrator.

There being no further business, Rep J. Smith moved to adjourn.

Adjourned.

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Representative Henry V. Rayhons

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Charity McCauley Andeweg, Committee  
Secretary