

House Committee

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for
NATURAL RESOURCES**

Date: *February 12, 2013*

Location: *Room 19*

Convened: *1:00 PM*

Adjourned: *1:50 PM*

Attendance Roll Call:

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

Absent: None

Excused: Representative Highfill

The meeting was called to order by Chair Representative Henry Rayhons.

Roll call was taken.

Minutes were approved as read.

Members of the Whitetail Deer Association introduced themselves. Representative Rayhons introduced Todd Landt, President of the Whitetail Deer Association.

Several members spoke on deer farms including Scott King who provided insight into the breeding side of the business. Also speaking were Mike Hine who spoke about the hunting side and Tom and Rhonda Brakke who spoke of their personal experiences as breeders and the impact of CWD on their business.

Committee discussion followed.

There being no further business, Representative Rayhons adjourned the meeting.

Representative Henry V. Rayhons

Charity McCauley Andeweg, Committee
Secretary