

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for
AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES APPROPRIATIONS
SUBCOMMITTEE**

Date: *February 26, 2015*

Location: *RM 305*

Convened: *10:05 AM*

Adjourned: *10:55 AM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Wilhelm-CH, Kinney-VC, Rozenboom-RM, Schultz; Representatives Drake-CH, Mommsen-VC, Ourth-RM, Isenhardt, Jones, Miller, H., Paustian, Ruff, Wills

Absent:

Excused: Senator Dearden

The Agriculture and Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee was called to order by Senator Wilhelm in room 305. A silent roll call was taken with all legislators present except Senator Dearden. The minutes of February 25th were approved as distributed.

Senator Wilhelm introduced Dean Mattoon, City of Dubuque with Catfish Creek WMA and Lora Friest, Executive Director, Northeast Iowa Resource, Conservation and Development. They are requesting \$4,000,000 per year to support Watershed Management Authorities in forming, planning and implementing.

Questions and answers followed.

Senator Wilhelm introduced Dale Garner, Department of Natural Resources--Chronic Wasting Disease.

Question and answers followed.

As there was no further business to come before the committee, Representative Ruff moved to arise.

Representative Jack Drake

Shirley Drake, Committee Secretary