

House Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for AGRICULTURE

Date: *February 3, 2016*

Location: *RM 102, Sup. Ct. Consult*

Convened: *1:00 PM*

Adjourned: *1:35 PM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Hein-CH, Paustian-VC, Miller, H.-RM, Bearinger, Byrnes, Cownie, Deyoe, Dolecheck, Dunkel, Hanson, Holz, Kearns, Kelley, Klein, Maxwell, Mommsen, Moore, B., Ourth, Prichard, Ruff, Sexton, Stutsman, Wills

Absent:

Excused:

Chair Hein called the meeting to order at 1:01 pm. The clerk called roll and quorum was present. The minutes from the 1/28/16 meeting stood approved.

The Chair assigned the following bill:

[HSB 561](#) -An Act providing for the administration of certain excise taxes imposed on the sale of cattle.

Sexton-Chair; Maxwell, Ourth

The Chair introduced the presenter Spencer Parkinson of Decision Innovation Solutions. He presented the Economic Impact Study on Iowa Animal Agriculture.

Following the presentation the Representatives asked questions.

Republicans and Democrats went to caucus at 1:14 pm. Chair Hein called the meeting back to order at 1:27pm.

Chair Hein recognized Representative Byrnes for opening remarks on [HSB 519](#) -An Act providing for tax credits and refunds relating to renewable fuels including their component biofuels and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions.

Discussion followed. The Chair recognized Representative Byrnes for closing remarks and Representative Byrnes moved the bill. [HSB 519](#) passed the committee on votes of 23 ayes, 0 nays and 0 excused.

With no further business to come before the committee, Representative Prichard moved to arise at 1:31 pm.

Representative Lee Hein

Benjamin Dirks, Committee Secretary