

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE**

Date: *February 14, 2019*

Location: *RM 103, Sup. Ct. Chamber*

Convened: *10:00 AM*

Adjourned: *11:10 AM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Lofgren-CH, Greene-VC, Cournoyer, Smith, J.; Representatives Best-CH, Gerhold-VC, Running-Marquardt-RM, Ehlert, Gaskill, Hanusa, Matson, Shipley, Wheeler

Absent:

Excused: Senator Dotzler-RM

- Meeting came to order at 10:03 A.M.
- Roll taken silently by the secretary
- Minutes approved unanimously without objection
- Representative Hanusa apologized for not bringing treats (she did bring Hershey Kisses)
- Senator Lofgren introduced Debi Durham, Executive Director of the Iowa Finance Authority and Director of the Iowa Economic Development Authority
- Director Durham introduced Carolann Jensen, IFA Chief Operations Officer, Lori Beary, IFA Community Development Director, Ashley Jared, IFA Communications Director, and Cynthia Harris, IFA Chief Financial Officer
- Director Durham and COO Jensen gave a presentation on the IFA, the Governor's FY 2020 budget recommendations, and IFA programs
- Questions and comments from legislators
- Executive Director Durham gave a presentation on the IEDA business incentives and workforce recruitment
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- No further committee business
- Representative Matson moved to adjourn
- Meeting was adjourned at 11:12 A.M.

Senator Mark S. Lofgren

Zeke Walker, Committee Secretary