

House Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for NATURAL RESOURCES

Date: **March 5, 2019**

Location: **RM 19**

Convened: **3:10 PM**

Adjourned: **3:45 PM**

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Bacon-CH, Jeneary-VC, Ourth-RM, Baxter, Bearinger, Breckenridge, Fisher, Hall, Isenhardt, Jacoby, Maxwell, Mommsen, Osmundson, Shipley, Sieck, Smith, M., Staed, Thede, Thorup, Zumbach

Absent:

Excused: Representative Steckman

Chairperson Bacon called the meeting to order.

Roll Call was taken

Minutes of previous meeting were approved.

Chairperson Bacon requested a break for caucus at 3:11 p.m.

Chairperson Bacon reconvened the meeting at 3:35 p.m.

Chairperson Bacon recognized Representative Maxwell for opening statements on [HSB 216](#).

[HSB 216](#) – Representative Maxwell explained Amendment 216.648. Representative Breckenridge commented on the amendment. Rep Maxwell moved the amendment, which passed unanimously on a short form vote. Representative Maxwell then moved [HSB 216](#) as amended.

Chairperson Bacon called for a Roll call vote. [HSB 216](#) passed as a Committee Bill. 20(aye) 0 (nay) 1(excused).

Absent, Representative Steckman.

Chairperson Bacon recognized Representative Sieck for opening remarks on [HSB 217](#).

[HSB 217](#) - Representative Sieck explained Amendment [HSB 217](#).657, regarding the use of drones dealing with hunting and fishing. Representative Maxwell questioned the legality of drone use. Representative Osmundson also had questions. Representative Ourth explained the issues of using drones for hunting and fishing and why this amendment was necessary.

Chairperson Bacon called for a vote on the amendment. Amendment was unanimously approved on a short form vote. Representative Sieck thanked his subcommittee and moved the bill as amended. Chairperson Bacon called for roll call vote on [HSB 217](#) as amended.

Roll call vote was taken with unanimous approval on [HSB 217](#) as amended as a Committee Bill with 20 Ayes - 0 Nay - 1 excused.

Absent, Representative Steckman.

Other business:

Chairperson Bacon advised there would be no further meetings scheduled for Natural Resources Committee until we receive bills from the Senate. March 6th meeting will be cancelled.

Rep Sieck moved for adjournment.

Meeting adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

Phyllis Toy, Committee Secretary