

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

Date: *February 12, 2020*

Location: *RM 305*

Convened: *10:05 AM*

Adjourned: *11:00 AM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Shipley-CH, Mathis-RM, Kinney, Sweeney; Representatives Mommsen-CH, Osmundson-VC, Isenhardt-RM, Bacon, Bearinger, Fisher, Paustian, Smith, R.

Absent:

Excused: Senator Rozenboom-VC; Representative Ourth

Rep. Mommsen called the meeting to order

The clerk called role and a quorum was present

The minutes from the previous meeting stood approved as distributed

The Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory (VDL) from Iowa State University presented

Speakers:

Dean Daniel Grooms, College of Veterinary Medicine

Dr. Rodger Main, VDL

Dr. Patrick Hailbur, VDL

Dr. Craig Rowels from Versova

Sen. Kinney asked about research on African Swine Fever (ASF).

Sen. Mathis asked a question on susceptibility to ASF.

Rep. Bacon asked a question about the VDL's role in aquaculture.

Rep. Fisher asked a question about the building phases.

Sen. Sweeney asked a question about the transmission of ASF.

Rep. Isenhardt asked a question about prevention research.

Rep. Fisher moved to adjourn

Representative Norlin G. Mommsen

Megan Adam , Committee Secretary