

House Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for WAYS AND MEANS

Date: *February 17, 2021*

Location: *Law Library*

Convened: *3:40 PM*

Adjourned: *4:05 PM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Hein-CH, Nordman-VC, Jacoby-RM, Bergan, Bloomingdale, Boden, Brown-Powers, Gjerde, Graber, Hite, Isenhardt, James, Jones, Kaufmann, Kurth, Lohse, Maxwell, McConkey, Mitchell, Osmundson, Staed, Wheeler, Wolfe

Absent:

Excused: Representatives Nielsen, Sieck

Chair Hein called the meeting to order at 3:40pm.

The clerk called roll and a quorum was present.

The minutes of the previous meeting stood approved as distributed.

The Chair assigned the following bills electronically:

[HF 520](#): Chair-Maxwell, Boden, Kurth

[HF 521](#): Chair- Maxwell, Nordman, Staed

The Chair recognized Representative Hite for opening remarks on [HF 21](#). There was an amendment. Chair recognized Representative Hite for Amendment 520. The Representatives discussed. The Chair recognized Representative Hite for closing remarks and moved Amendment 520 short form. Amendment 520 passed by voice vote. With no further amendments, the Committee took up [HF 21](#) as amended. The Representatives discussed and asked questions. The Chair recognized Representative Hite for closing remarks on [HF 21](#) as amended. [HF 21](#) as amended passed as a Ways and Means bill with votes of 23 ayes (Hein, Nordman, Jacoby, Bergan, Bloomingdale, Boden, Brown-Powers, Gjerde, Graber, Hite, Isenhardt, James, Jones, Kaufmann, Kurth, Lohse, Maxwell, McConkey, Mitchell, Osmundson, Staed, Wheeler, Wolfe) - 0 nays- 2 absent (Nielsen, Sieck).

The Chair recognized Representative Kaufmann for opening remarks on [HF 255](#).

The Representatives discussed. The Chair recognized Representative Kaufmann for closing remarks on [HF 255](#). Representative Kaufmann gave closing remarks and moved [HF 255](#). [HF 255](#) passed as a Ways and Means bill with votes of 21 ayes (Hein, Nordman, Jacoby, Bergan, Bloomingdale, Boden, Brown-Powers, , Graber, Hite, Isenhardt, James, Jones, Kaufmann, Kurth, Lohse, Maxwell, Mitchell, Osmundson, Staed, Wheeler, Wolfe) - 2 nays (Gjerde, McConkey) - 2 absent (Nielsen, Sieck).

The Chair recognized Representative Bloomingdale for opening remarks on [HF 363](#).

There was an amendment. Chair recognized Representative Bloomingdale for Amendment 576. The Representatives discussed. The Chair recognized Representative Bloomingdale for closing remarks and moved Amendment 576 short form. Amendment 576 passed by voice vote. With no further amendments, the Committee took up [HF 363](#) as amended. The Representatives discussed and asked questions. The Chair recognized Representative Bloomingdale for closing remarks on [HF 363](#) and moved [HF 363](#) as amended. [HF 363](#) as amended passed as a Ways and Means bill with votes of 22 ayes (Hein, Nordman, Jacoby, Bergan, Bloomingdale, Boden, Brown-Powers, Gjerde, Graber, Hite, Isenhardt, James, Jones, Kaufmann, Kurth, Lohse, Maxwell, McConkey, Mitchell, Osmundson, Staed,

Wheeler, Wolfe) - 1 nay (Isenhardt) - 2 absent (Nielsen, Sieck).

The Chair recognized Representative Graber for opening remarks on [HF 423](#). There was an amendment. Chair recognized Representative Graber for Amendment 532.

The Representatives discussed. The Chair recognized Representative Graber for closing remarks and moved Amendment 532 short form. Amendment 532 passed by voice vote. With no further amendments, the Committee took up [HF 423](#) as amended. The Representatives discussed and asked questions. The Chair recognized Representative Graber for closing remarks on [HF 423](#) moved [HF 423](#) as amended. [HF 423](#) as amended passed as a Ways and Means bill with votes of 23 ayes (Hein, Nordman, Jacoby, Bergan, Bloomingdale, Boden, Brown-Powers, Graber, Hite, Isenhardt, James, Jones, Kaufmann, Kurth, Lohse, Maxwell, McConkey, Mitchell, Osmundson, Staed, Wheeler, Wolfe) - 1 nay (Gjerde) - 2 absent (Nielsen, Sieck). With no further business to come before the committee, Representative Mitchell moved to arise at 4:04 pm.

Representative Lee Hein

Megan Adam, Committee Secretary