

Senate Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT

Date: **March 5, 2025**

Location: **Room 116**

Convened: **1:40 PM**

Adjourned: **2:30 PM**

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Sweeney-CH, Shipley-VC, Staed-RM, Costello, De Witt, Evans, Pike, Rozenboom, Sires, Trone Garriott, Westrich, Zimmer, Zumbach

Absent:

Excused: Senators Bennett, Celsi

Senator Sweeney called the meeting to order at 1:42 p.m. The roll was taken silently with 13 present and Senators Bennett, and Celsi excused.

Chairperson Sweeney asked for approval of the 2/24/2025 minutes.

The minutes were approved. Subcommittee assignments were distributed electronically.

[SF 108](#) - Chairwoman Sweeney recognized Senator Evans for opening comments on [SF 108](#).

Chairwoman Sweeney opened the floor for discussion, Senator Trone Garriott asked Senator Evans to yield.

Seeing no further discussion Senator Evans made Closing remarks of [SF 108](#).

Short form was called,

10 Yea, 3 Nay (Zimmer, Trone Garriott, Staed)

[SSB 1197](#) - Chairwoman Sweeney recognized Senator Westrich for opening comments on [SSB 1197](#).

Chairwoman Sweeney opened the floor for discussion, Senator Trone Garriott asked Senator Westrich to yield.

Short form was called,

10 Yea, 3 Nay (Zimmer, Trone Garriott, Staed)

[SSB 1196](#) - Chairwoman Sweeney recognized Senator Rozenboom for opening comments on [SSB 1196](#).

Chairwoman Sweeney opened the floor for discussion, Senator Staed asked Senator Rozenboom to yield.

Short form was called,

13 Yea, 0 Nay

[SF 247](#) Amendment 636 - Chairwoman Sweeney recognized Senator Shipley for opening comments on Amendment 636.

Chairwoman Sweeney opened the floor for discussion, seeing none,

Short form was called,

12 Yea, 1 Nay (Zumbach)

[SF 247](#) as Amended - Chairwoman Sweeney recognized Senator Shipley for opening comments on [SF 247](#) as Amended.

Chairwoman Sweeney opened the floor for discussion, seeing none,

Short form was called,

12 Yea, 1 Nay (Zumbach)

[SSB 1198](#) Amendment 695 - Chairwoman Sweeney recognized Senator Shipley for opening comments on Amendment 695.

Chairwoman Sweeney opened the floor for discussion, seeing none,

Short form was called,

13 Yea, 0 Nay

[SSB 1198](#) as Amended - Chairwoman Sweeney recognized Senator Shipley for opening comments on [SSB 1198](#) as Amended.

Chairwoman Sweeney opened the floor for discussion, Senator Zimmer asked Senator Shipley to yield.

Senator Trone Garriott asked Senator Shipley to yield.

Roll call was called,

10 Yea, (Sweeney, Shipley, Costello, De Witt, Evans, Pike, Rozenboom, Sires, Westrich, Zumbach) 3 Nay (Zimmer,

Trone Garriott, Staed)

Chairwoman Sweeney relinquished the chair to Senator Shipley,

[SF 268](#) - Chairman Shipley recognized Senator Sweeney for opening comments on [SF 268](#).

Chairman Shipley opened the floor for discussion, Senator Zimmer spoke on the bill.

Short form was called,

13 Yea, 0 Nay

[SSB 1178](#) Amendment 700 – Chairman Shipley recognized Senator Sweeney for opening comments on Amendment 700.

Chairman Shipley opened the floor for discussion, seeing none,

Short form was called,

13 Yea, 0 Nay

[SSB 1178](#) as Amended - Chairman Shipley recognized Senator Sweeney for opening comments on [SSB 1178](#).

Chairman Shipley opened the floor for discussion, seeing none,

Short form was called,

13 Yea, 0 Nay

Chairman Shipley relinquished the chair to Senator Sweeney.

Senator Zimmer moved to adjourn,

Adjourned at 2:29

Senator Annette Sweeney

Gavin Walters, Committee Secretary