

\*House Committee\*

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for  
ECONOMIC GROWTH AND TECHNOLOGY**

Date: **March 6, 2025**

Location: **RM 102**

Convened: **10:30 AM**

Adjourned: **11:00 AM**

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Sorensen-CH, Wood-VC, Baeth-RM, Andrews, Barker, Bradley, Croken, Determann, Ehlert, Gehlbach, Kniff McCulla, Latham, Madison, Matson, Moore, T., Scholten, Sexton, Sieck, Sitzmann, Weldon, Wichtendahl

Absent:

Excused:

Both parties immediately went to caucus at 10:30a.m.

Both parties returned at 10:48a.m.

Chairman Sorensen called the Economic Growth and Information Technology Committee to order at 10:49a.m.

Roll call was taken and a quorum was present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

Chairman Sorensen considered the following bills and relinquished the chair to Representative Wood.  
[HSB 294](#) – Representative Sorensen (Chair), Representative Baeth, Representative Wood.

Representative Wood recognized Representative Sorensen for [HSB 294](#).

Representative Sorensen introduced [HSB 294](#) and gave his opening remarks.  
There was discussion.

Representative Sorensen gave his closing remarks on [HSB 294](#) and moved the bill.

Representative Wood called for a roll call vote on [HSB 294](#). With a vote of eighteen (18) ayes (Representatives Sorensen, Wood, Baeth, Andrews, Barker, Bradley, Determann, Gehlbach, Kniff McCulla, Latham, Madison, Matson, Moore, Sexton, Sieck, Sitzmann, Weldon, Wichtendahl) and three (3) nays (Representatives Croken, Ehlert, Scholten) the bill passes.

Rep. Wood turned the chair back over the Chairman Sorensen.

With no further business to come before the committee, Chairman Sorensen adjourned the meeting at 10:57a.m.

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Representative Ray Sorensen

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Maria Sorensen , Committee Secretary