

## COMMITTEE MINUTES for PUBLIC SAFETY

Date: *January 27, 2026*

Location: *RM 19*

Convened: *9:30 AM*

Adjourned: *9:45 AM*

### Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Vondran-CH, Wengryn-VC, Amos Jr., Brown-Powers, Cisneros, Dieken, Fisher, Gearhart, Gosa, Gustoff, Henderson, Hermanson, Holt, Kressig, Kurth, Levin, Meggers, Mohr, G., Thomson, C., Wessel-Kroeschell, Wills, J.

Absent:

Excused: Representatives Gjerde-RM, Rinker

Chairman Vondran called the meeting to order at 9:30 am. Roll call was taken. Representatives Vondran, Wengryn, Amos Jr., Brown-Powers, Cisneros, Dieken, Fisher, Gearhart, Gosa, Gustoff, Henderson, Hermanson, Holt, Kressig, Kurth, Levin, Meggers, Mohr, G., Thomson, C., Wessel-Kroeschell, Wills, J. were present. Representatives Gjerde and Rinker were excused.

The previous meeting's minutes were approved. Chairman Vondran assigned the following bills:

[HF 2130](#) - Gustoff-CH, Dieken, Gjerde

[HSB 613](#) - Vondran-CH, Dieken, Gjerde

[HSB 552](#) - Vondran-CH, Gjerde, Wengryn

[HF 2138](#) - Wills J.-CH, Gosa, Holt

[HF 2139](#) - Gustoff-CH, Amos Jr., Gearhart

Chairman Vondran recognized Representative Hermanson for opening remarks on [HSB 509](#). An introduction was given. Chairman Vondran recognized Representative Hermanson for opening remarks on Amendment 509.2223 to [HSB 509](#). Closing remarks were made by Representative Hermanson and a request for a short form vote was made.

The Ayes appear to have it and the amendment passed. Representative Henderson moved to vote on [HSB 509](#) as amended. Chairman Vondran moved [HSB 509](#) forward as an amended committee bill with a passing roll call vote of 21 Ayes (Representatives Vondran, Wengryn, Amos Jr., Brown-Powers, Cisneros, Dieken, Fisher, Gearhart, Gosa, Gustoff, Henderson, Hermanson, Holt, Kressig, Kurth, Levin, Meggers, Mohr, G., Thomson, C., Wessel-Kroeschell, Wills, J.) 0 Nays, and 2 Excused (Representatives Gjerde, Rinker).

Chairman Vondran recognized Representative Wengryn for opening remarks on [HSB 528](#). A discussion was held. Closing comments were made by Representative Wengryn and a motion to vote was made. Chairman Vondran moved [HSB 528](#) forward as a committee bill with a passing roll call vote of 21 Ayes (Representatives Vondran, Wengryn, Amos Jr., Brown-Powers, Cisneros, Dieken, Fisher, Gearhart,

Gosa, Gustoff, Henderson, Hermanson, Holt, Kressig, Kurth, Levin, Meggers, Mohr, G., Thomson, C., Wessel-Kroeschell, Wills, J) 0 Nays, and 2 Excused (Representatives Gjerde, Rinker).

Representative Vondran turned the chair over to Representative Wengryn. Chairman Wengryn recognized Representative Vondran for opening remarks on [HSB 529](#). A discussion was held. Closing remarks were made by Representative Vondran and a motion to vote was made. Chairman Wengryn moved [HSB 529](#) as a committee bill with a passing roll call vote of 20 Ayes (Representatives Vondran, Wengryn, Amos Jr., Brown-Powers, Cisneros, Dieken, Fisher, Gearhart, Gosa, Gustoff, Henderson, Hermanson, Holt, Kressig, Kurth, Meggers, Mohr, G., Thomson, C., Wessel-Kroeschell, Wills, J), 1 Nay (Representative Levin), and 2 excused (Representatives Gjerde, Rinker).

Representative Wengryn turned the chair back over to Representative Vondran. Chairman Vondran recognized Representative Gearhart for opening remarks on [HSB 551](#). An introduction was given. Chairman Vondran recognized Representative Gearhart for opening remarks on Amendment 551.2212 to [HSB 551](#). Closing remarks were made by Representative Gearhart and a request for a short form vote was made. The Ayes appear to have it and the amendment passes. Closing remarks were made by Representative Gearhart on [HSB 551](#) as amended and a motion to vote was made. Chairman Vondran moved [HSB 551](#) forward as an amended committee bill with a passing roll call vote of 21 Ayes (Representatives Vondran, Wengryn, Amos Jr., Brown-Powers, Cisneros, Dieken, Fisher, Gearhart, Gosa, Gustoff, Henderson, Hermanson, Holt, Kressig, Kurth, Levin, Meggers, Mohr, G., Thomson, C., Wessel-Kroeschell, Wills, J.), 0 Nays, and 2 Excused (Representatives Gjerde, Rinker).

With no further business to come before the committee, Representative Kurth motioned to adjourn. Committee

adjourned at 9:46 am.

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Representative Mike Vondran

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Brett Ingamells, Committee Secretary