

## COMMITTEE MINUTES for STATE GOVERNMENT

Date: **February 17, 2026**

Location: **RM 103**

Convened: **9:50 AM**

Adjourned: **10:20 AM**

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Bloomingdale-CH, Smith-VC, Baeth, Bergan, Bossman, Collins, Cooling, Dunwell, Harris, Hora, Johnson, C., Johnson, R., Jones, Lundgren, McBurney, Siegrist, Srinivas, Wilz, H., Windschitl, Wulf, Zabner

Absent:

Excused: Representatives Nielsen-RM, Jeneary

Chairwoman Bloomingdale called the committee to order at 9:51 a.m., after both parties returned from caucus.

Roll call was taken and quorum was present with Representatives Nielsen and Jeneary excused.

The previous meeting minutes were approved.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Representative Collins for opening comments on [HSB 633](#). There was discussion. With no further discussion, Rep Collins moved [HSB 633](#). Chairwoman Bloomingdale moved [HSB 633](#) on a roll call vote of 15 ayes (Representatives Bloomingdale, Smith, Bossman, Collins, Dunwell, Harris, Hora, Johnson, C., Johnson, R., Jones, Lundgren, Siegrist, Wilz, Windschitl, Wulf), 6 nays (Representatives Baeth, Bergan, Cooling, McBurney, Srinivas, Zabner), 2 excused (Representatives Nielsen, Jeneary). [HSB 633](#) passed and moves to the floor as a committee bill.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Representative Lundgren for opening comments on [HSB 643](#). There was discussion. With no further discussion, Rep Lundgren moved [HSB 643](#). Chairwoman Bloomingdale moved [HSB 643](#) on a roll call vote of 20 ayes (Representatives Bloomingdale, Smith, Baeth, Bergan, Bossman, Collins, Cooling, Dunwell, Hora, Johnson, C., Johnson, R., Jones, Lundgren, McBurney, Siegrist, Srinivas, Wilz, Windschitl, Wulf, Zabner), 1 nay (Representative Harris), 2 excused (Representatives Nielsen, Jeneary). [HSB 643](#) passed and moves to the floor as a committee bill.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Representative Collins for opening comments on [HSB 644](#). There was an amendment. Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Rep. Collins for opening comments on amendment 644.2566. There was discussion. With no further discussion Rep. Collins moved the amendment short form and it passed. There was discussion on [HSB 644](#) as amended. With no further discussion, Rep. Collins moved [HSB 644](#) as amended. Chairwoman Bloomingdale moved [HSB 644](#) as amended on a unanimous roll call vote of 21 ayes, 2 excused (Representatives Nielsen, Jeneary). [HSB 644](#) as amended passed and moves to the floor as a committee bill.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Representative Wilz for opening comments on [HSB 671](#). There was an amendment. Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Rep. Wilz for opening comments on amendment 671.2567. There was discussion. With no further discussion Rep. Wilz moved the amendment short form and it passed. There was discussion on [HSB 671](#) as amended. With no further discussion, Rep. Wilz moved [HSB 671](#) as amended.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale moved [HSB 671](#) as amended on a unanimous roll call vote of 21 ayes, 2 excused (Representatives Nielsen, Jeneary). [HSB 671](#) as amended passed and moves to the floor as a committee bill.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Representative Bossman for opening comments on [HSB 672](#). There was discussion. With no further discussion, Rep Bossman moved [HSB 672](#). Chairwoman Bloomingdale moved [HSB 672](#) on a unanimous roll call vote of 21 ayes, 2 excused (Representatives Nielsen, Jeneary). [HSB 672](#) passed and moves to the floor as a committee bill.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Representative Bossman for opening comments on [HSB 709](#). There was discussion. With no further discussion, Rep Bossman moved [HSB 709](#). Chairwoman Bloomingdale moved [HSB 709](#) on a roll call vote of 15 ayes (Representatives Bloomingdale, Smith, Bossman, Collins, Dunwell, Harris, Hora, Johnson, C., Jones, Lundgren, Siegrist, Wilz, Windschitl, Wulf, Zabner), 6 nays (Representatives Baeth, Bergan, Cooling, Johnson, R., McBurney, Srinivas), 2 excused (Representatives Nielsen, Jeneary). [HSB 709](#) passed and moves to the floor as a committee bill.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Representative Johnson for opening comments on [HSB 711](#). There was discussion. With no further discussion, Rep Johnson moved [HSB 711](#). Chairwoman Bloomingdale moved [HSB 711](#) on a unanimous roll call vote of 21 ayes, 2 excused (Representatives Nielsen, Jeneary). [HSB 711](#) passed and moves to

the floor as a committee bill.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Representative Dunwell for opening comments on [HF 409](#). There was discussion. With no further discussion, Rep Dunwell moved [HF 409](#). Chairwoman Bloomingdale moved [HF 409](#) on a roll call vote of 19 ayes (Representatives Bloomingdale, Smith, Baeth, Bergan, Bossman, Collins, Cooling, Dunwell, Johnson, C., Johnson, R., Jones, Lundgren, McBurney, Siegrist, Srinivas, Wilz, Windschitl, Wulf, Zabner), 2 nays (Representatives Harris, Hora), 2 excused (Representatives Nielsen, Jeneary). [HF 409](#) passed and moves to the floor.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Representative Bossman for opening comments on [HF 2029](#). There was discussion. With no further discussion, Rep Bossman moved [HF 2029](#). Chairwoman Bloomingdale moved [HF 2029](#) on a roll call vote of 20 ayes (Representatives Bloomingdale, Smith, Baeth, Bossman, Collins, Cooling, Dunwell, Harris, Hora, Johnson, C., Johnson, R., Jones, Lundgren, McBurney, Siegrist, Srinivas, Wilz, H., Windschitl, Wulf, Zabner), 1 nay (Representative Bergan), 2 excused (Representatives Nielsen, Jeneary). [HF 2029](#) passed and moves to the floor.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Representative Harris for opening comments on [HF 2044](#). There was an amendment. Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Rep. Harris for opening comments on amendment 2044.2422.

There was discussion. With no further discussion Rep. Harris moved the amendment short form and it passed. There was discussion on [HF 2044](#) as amended. With no further discussion, Rep. Harris moved [HF 2044](#) as amended.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale moved [HF 2044](#) as amended on a unanimous roll call vote of 21 ayes, 2 excused (Representatives Nielsen, Jeneary). [HF 2044](#) as amended passed and moves to the floor as a committee bill.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Representative Dunwell for opening comments on [HF 2118](#). There was discussion. With no further discussion, Rep Dunwell moved [HF 2118](#). Chairwoman Bloomingdale moved [HF 2118](#) on a unanimous roll call vote of 21 ayes, 2 excused (Representatives Nielsen, Jeneary). [HF 2118](#) passed and moves to the floor.

Chairwoman Bloomingdale recognized Representative Bossman for opening comments on [HF 2303](#). There was discussion. With no further discussion, Rep Bossman moved [HF 2303](#). Chairwoman Bloomingdale moved [HF 2303](#) on a unanimous roll call vote of 21 ayes, 2 excused (Representatives Nielsen, Jeneary). [HF 2303](#) passed and moves to the floor.

With no further business to come before the Committee, Representative Siegrist moved to arise at 10:21 a.m.

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Representative Jane Bloomingdale

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Danielle Heartsill, Committee Secretary