

## COMMITTEE MINUTES for LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**Date:** February 02, 2009

**Place:** Room 19

**Convened:** 2/2/2009 3:05 PM **Recessed:** 2/2/2009 3:35 PM **Reconvened:** 2/2/2009 3:55 PM **Adjourned:** 2/2/2009 4:00 PM

**Present:** Representatives Gaskill, M.-CH, Kressig-VC, Wagner-RM, Burt, Cohoon, Deyoe, Ford, Grassley, Huser, Isenhardt, Olson, D., Roberts, Schueller, Sorenson, Taylor, D., Tjepkes, Van Engelenhoven, Whitead, Winckler, Windschitl

**Absent:** None

**Excused:** Representative Arnold

The meeting was called to order by Chair, Representative Gaskill. Roll was called with a quorum being present.

The Chair asked if there were corrections or additions to the minutes of the previous meeting. Being none, they were approved as received.

Guest speaker Alan Kemp, Executive Director with the Iowa League of Cities was introduced. He in turn introduced staff members Jessica Harder, Megan Osweiler, Julie Smith, Larry Pope and Shannon Paseka. Questions and answers followed his presentation.

There were no bills for assignment.

Before consideration of SF 45 the Committee recessed at 3:35 p.m. and both parties caucused.

The meeting reconvened at 3:55 p.m. The Chair recognized Representative Kressig for consideration of SF 45: An Act concerning the issuance of certain county general obligation bonds by requiring published notice and modifying the ballow proposition, and including effective date, validation, and retroactive applicability provisions. Opening remarks were made. Discussion was held and SF 45 passed 13 ayes, 7 nays, Arnold absent.

There being no other business, Representative Schueller moved to adjourn.

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Representative Mary Gaskill

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Carole Martin, Committee Secretary