

COMMITTEE MINUTES for LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Date: February 04, 2009

Place: Room 19

Convened: 2/4/2009 1:10 PM
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Reconvened:

Adjourned: 2/4/2009 1:55 PM

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

Absent: None

Excused: Representatives Ford, Olson, D.

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

There being no additions or corrections to the minutes, they were approved as received electronically.

Guest speaker, Bill Peterson, Executive Director of ISAC, introduced his staff of Linda Hinton, Hanna DeGroot, Nate Bonnett and Mike Wentzien. He listed the top priorities as (1) Local Option Sales Tax TIF, (2) Funding of TIME-21, (3) Sex Offender Residency Law, (4) Mental Health Funding, (5) State Funding for Emergency Management and (6) Natural Resources and Outdoor Recreation Trust Fund. Questions and answers followed his presentation.

The following bills were assigned:

HF 111 An Act requiring an election to approve the use of increased local sales and services tax revenues to fund urban renewal projects.
Ch Gaskill, Ford, Sorenson

HF 131 A bill for an act relating to approval of proposed urban renewal plans and amendments to urban renewal plans, and including effective and applicability date provisions.
Ch Kressig, Taylor, D., Tjepkes

HF 132 A bill for an act relating to public land included in territory subject to voluntary annexation and providing an applicability date.
Ch Winckler, Isenhardt, Grassley

HF 149 A bill for an act relating to a limitation on the amount of property taxes that may be certified by counties and cities and providing effective and applicability dates.
Ch Olson, D., Cohoon, Deyoe

HF 159 A bill for an act relating to the authority of a city to dispose of real property by gift.
Ch Deyoe, Huser, Whitead

SF 43 A bill for an act relating to the abatement or refund of property taxes for certain religious, literary, and charitable societies and including effective and retroactive applicability date provisions.
Ch Ford, Burt, Windschitl

There being no other business, Representative Huser moved adjournment. The meeting was adjourned.

Representative Mary Gaskill

Carole Martin, Committee Secretary