COMMITTEE MINUTES for GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT

Date:	February 17, 2009		Place:	Rm 103, Supreme Court Chamber		
Convened:	2/17/2009 10:10 AM	Recessed:	Reconve	ened:	Adjourned:	2/17/2009 11:35 AM
Present:	Senators Olive-CH, Courtney-VC, Ward-RM, Sodders, Wieck					

- Representatives Lensing-CH, Ford-VC, Watts-RM, Baudler, Berry, Olson, S., Sorenson, Swaim, Whitead
- Absent: None
- Excused: None

Chair Olive called the meeting to order at 10:10 a.m.

The roll was taken and minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

Senator Olive and Representative Lensing gave opening remarks.

Senator Olive introduced Vern Armstrong, Division Administrator, Division of Field Operations Support, Department of Human Services. He and DHS Director Eugene Gessow then presented the DHS timeline during the Atalissa event and answered questions from the committee.

Senator Olive then introduced Atalissa City Councilpersons Angie Dickey and Dennis Hepker. They talked about the City's and townspeople's relationships with the men staying there in the "bunkhouse," then answered questions from the committee.

Representative Sorenson moved the meeting be adjourned at 11:35 a.m.

Senator Rich Olive

Dave Morris, Committee Secretary