

## COMMITTEE MINUTES for VETERANS AFFAIRS

**Date:** January 21, 2010

**Place:** Room 19

**Convened:** 1/21/2010  
2:00 PM

**Recessed:**

**Reconvened:**

**Adjourned:** 1/21/2010  
2:25 PM

**Present:** Representatives Zirkelbach-CH, Whitead-VC, Chambers-RM, Alons, Bailey, Bukta, Ficken, Gayman, Isenhardt, Kearns, Mascher, Sweeney, Thomas, Van Engelenhoven, Watts, Windschitl

**Absent:** None

**Excused:** Representative Rants

Chair Zirkelbach called the meeting to order. Roll was taken and a quorum was present.

Chair Zirkelbach asked for any additions or corrections to the minutes. The minutes were approved.

Consideration took place for the following bills:

- HF 2060 - Whitead-Ch., Ficken, Van Engelenhoven
- HSB 560 - Thomas-Ch., Bailey, Chambers
- HSB 540 - Kearns-Ch., Chambers, Whitead
- HF 2055 - Sweeney-Ch., Bukta, Gayman

HSB 540 passed with 16 Ayes, 0 Nays; one absent.

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Chair Zirkelbach recognized Representative Sweeney for an amendment to HF 2055. The amendment passed with unanimous consent. Discussion returned to HF 2055 as amended. The bill passed with 16 Ayes, 0 Nays; one absent.

HF 2060 was deferred upon.

Chair Zirkelbach recognized Veteran's Day on the Hill, and introductions of veterans attending the meeting were made.

Chair Zirkelbach called for announcements.

Representative Sweeney asked to recognize veteran members on the committee.

As there was no further business, Representative Ficken moved to adjourn. The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned.

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Representative Ray S. Zirkelbach

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Caitlin Forrester, Committee Secretary