COMMITTEE MINUTES for
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Date: February 01, 2010 **Place:** Rm 102, Supreme Court Consult Rm

Convened: 2/1/2010 2:25 PM **Recessed:** **Reconvened:** **Adjourned:** 2/1/2010 2:50 PM

Present: Representatives Olson, D.-CH, Kearns-VC, Olson, S.-RM, Anderson, Deyoe, Drake, Frevert, Gaskill, M., Gayman, Hagenow, Hanson, Kressig, Lensing, Lukan, Miller, H., Reichert, Schultz, Smith, Soderberg, Watts, Whitead

Absent: None

Excused: None

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 2:24 pm in room 102. Roll was called and a quorum was present.

The minutes from the previous meeting were approved.

The following bills were assigned:
HSB 656 - An Act relating to the Iowa comprehensive petroleum underground storage tank fund.
Olson, S.-CH, Miller, H., Frevert
HSB 664 - A study bill relating to periodic evaluations of certain air quality standards.
Reichert-CH, Gayman, Drake
HSB 663 - A study bill relating to private sewage disposal system inspections and groundwater hazard statements as part of certain property transfers.
Kressig-CH, Gaskill, Schultz
HSB 662 - A study bill relating to financial assurance for sanitary disposal projects.
Kearns-CH, Hanson, Anderson
HSB 661 - A study bill relating to recycling initiatives.
Olson, D.-CH, Hanson, Soderberg
HSB 660 - A study bill for establishing a watershed quality planning advisory council.
Olson, D.-CH, Frevert, Drake
HSB 659 - A study bill relating to policy options for reducing greenhouse gas emissions developed by the Iowa climate change advisory council.
Olson, D.-CH, Lensing, Watts

The scheduled presentation by Tom Hadden and Teresa Kurtz to address and introduce the Comprehensive Recycling Task Force Report was cancelled due to the presenter's personal family matters.

The Chair introduced guests Paige and Justin Roth from West Branch. Justin is a student at West Branch Middle School. He made a short presentation about lead wheel weights.

The chair opened up the floor to questions and discussion followed.

Rep. D. Olson handed over the Chair to Rep. Kearns. Rep. Kearns recognized Rep. D. Olson for an introduction of HF 785. Discussion followed. After discussion, Rep. D. Olson offered closing remarks. Rep. D. Olson moved the bill. Roll was called and the bill passed 16-4. Voting aye was Reps. Olson, D.-CH, Kearns-VC, Olson, S.-RM, Anderson, Drake, Frevert, Gaskill, Gayman, Hanson, Kressig, Lensing, Miller, H., Reichert, Smith, Soderberg, and Whitead. Voting nay was Reps. Deyoe, Hagenow, Schultz, and Watts. Absent from the vote was Rep. Lukan. The bill will move to the House floor as HF 785.

With no other business to come before the committee Rep. Drake moved to arise. The meeting adjourned at 2:48 pm.

Representative Donovan Olson

Bethany Gildner, Committee Secretary