

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for  
AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES APPROPRIATIONS  
SUBCOMMITTEE**

**Date:** February 24, 2011

**Place:** Room 305

**Convened:** 2/24/2011  
10:05 AM

**Recessed:** 2/24/2011  
10:40 AM

**Reconvened:** 2/24/2011  
10:45 AM

**Adjourned:** 2/24/2011  
11:05 AM

**Present:** Representatives Drake-CH, Paustian-VC, Hall-RM, Alons, Lykam, Miller, H., Muhlbauer, Sweeney, Vander Linden

**Absent:** None

**Excused:** None

The Agriculture and Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee of the House was called to order by Rep. Drake in room 305. Roll was taken and a quorum of the House members was present. The minutes of the February 23, 2011 were approved.

Rep. Drake recognized Deb Kozel to go over answers to questions asked at the last meeting and also the meeting today. Questions and answers followed.

The Chair relinquished the Chair to Rep. Paustian. Rep. Drake presented the House version of the proposed Agriculture and Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee budget bill for FY 2012. Opening remarks were made and discussion was held. A Republican caucus was held. The Chair recognized remarks from members and the audience.

Representative Drake moved the Agriculture and Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee budget bill for FY 2012. Voting aye-Drake, Paustian, Alons, Sweeney and Vander Linden. Voting nay-Hall, Lykam, Miller and Muhlbauer. The bill passed as an Agriculture and Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee budget bill for FY 2012.

Representative Lykam moved to arise.

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Representative Jack Drake

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Shirley Drake, Committee Secretary