

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

Date: February 23, 2005

Place: Room 305

Convened: 2/23/2005
9:30 AM

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Adjourned: 2/23/2005
10:45 AM

Present: Senators Gaskill-CC, Seng-CC, Black, Hahn, Houser, Schoenjahn
Representatives De Boef-CH, Rasmussen-VC, Olson, D.-RM, Anderson, Bell, Drake, J.,
Greiner, Mertz, Schueller

Absent: None

Excused: None

Senator Seng called the meeting to order. Roll call was taken and all were in attendance. Senator Seng introduced visiting veterinarians who were sitting in on the meeting. The minutes from the previous meeting were approved.

Senator Seng introduced Mike Bandrup of the Department of Natural Resources who gave a brief presentation on the Conservation and Recreation Division.

Mike Bandrup introduced John Walkowiak, Chief of the Forestry Bureau, who discussed the responsibilities, programs, and budget of the bureau.

Mr. Bandrup introduced Marion Conover, Chief of the Fisheries Bureau, who gave a presentation on the activities and budget of the bureau.

Mr. Bandrup introduced Lowell Joslin, Chief of the Law Enforcement Bureau, who discussed the function and budget of the bureau.

Lastly, Mike Bandrup introduced Dale Garner, Chief of the Wildlife Bureau, who discussed the bureau with the committee.

Mr. Bandrup concluded the presentation with an overview of the income and overall budget of the entire division.

Questions were fielded by the presenters.

Senator Schoenjahn moved that the meeting be adjourned. The meeting was adjourned.

Senator Joe Seng

Ben Humphrey, Committee Secretary