

North Dakota Legislative Management **Meeting Minutes**

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INTERIM HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

Thursday, October 28, 2021
Brynhild Haugland Room, State Capitol
Bismarck, North Dakota

Representative Jeff Delzer, Chairman, called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

Members present: Representatives Jeff Delzer, Bert Anderson, Tracy Boe, Mike Brandenburg, Michael Howe, Keith Kempenich, Bob Martinson, Lisa Meier, Alisa Mitskog, Corey Mock, David Monson, Mike Nathe, Jon O. Nelson, Mark Sanford, Mike Schatz*, Jim Schmidt, Randy A. Schobinger, Michaelle Strinden, and Don Vigesaa

Members absent: Representatives Larry Bellew and Gary Kreidt

Others present: Representatives Chet Pollert, Carrington, member of the Legislative Management Representative Pat D. Heinert, Bismarck See <u>appendix</u> for additional persons present.

* Attended remotely

The Legislative Council staff distributed a memorandum entitled <u>Comparison of Proposals Considered by the Interim Senate and House Appropriations Committees</u>, which provides a comparison of proposals approved by the Interim Senate Appropriations Committee, proposals approved by the Interim House Appropriations Committee, and a tentative list of proposals for the committee to consider.

It was moved by Representative Martinson, seconded by Representative Monson, and carried on a roll call vote that the items discussed during the committee's October 26-27, 2021, meeting for inclusion in a bill draft containing appropriations from the federal State Fiscal Recovery Fund, be:

- Adjusted to reflect the tentative list of proposals included in the memorandum;
- Adjusted to appropriate from federal funds in excess of the regular federal funding amounts included in the Department of Transportation's 2021-23 biennium budget, \$100 million to the Department of Transportation for road and bridge construction projects for the remainder of the 2021-23 biennium and that the provisions of Section 13 of House Bill No. 1015 (2021) and Section 10 of House Bill No. 1431 (2021), related to excess federal funding requirements, do not apply to the \$100 million excess federal funding appropriation; and
- Approved and recommended to Legislative Management.

Representatives Delzer, Anderson, Boe, Brandenburg, Howe, Kempenich, Martinson, Meier, Mitskog, Mock, Monson, Nathe, Nelson, Sanford, Schatz, Schmidt, Schobinger, Strinden, and Vigesaa voted "aye." No negative votes were cast.

It was moved by Representative Kempenich, seconded by Representative Mock, and carried on a voice vote that the Chairman and the Legislative Council staff be requested to prepare a report and the bill drafts recommended by the committee and to present the report and recommended bill drafts to the Legislative Management.

It was moved by Representative Mock, seconded by Representative Meier, and carried on a voice vote that the committee be adjourned sine die.

No further business appearing, Chairman Delzer adjourned the committee sine die at 11:54 a.m.

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