

Committee: Senate Commerce and Energy

Thursday, March 02, 2023 10:00 AM

Roll Call

Present: Sen. Crabtree, Sen. Hoffman, Sen. Steve Kolbeck, Sen. Nesiba,  
Sen. Schoenbeck, Sen. Stalzer, Sen. Zikmund, Sen. Beal, and Sen. Wheeler

OTHERS PRESENT: See Original Minutes

**The meeting was called to order by Senator Wheeler**

**MOTION: TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28<sup>TH</sup>**

Moved by: Nesiba  
Second by: Beal  
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

**STEVE WESTRA OF MINNEHAHA COUNTY, SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA, TO THE POSITION OF COMMISSIONER OF THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

Presented by: Mackenzie Decker, Governor's Office (Handout(s) #1)  
Proponents: Steve Westra, Governor's Office of Economic Development  
Lorin Pankratz, self, Sioux Falls

**MOTION: THAT THE SENATE ADVISE AND CONSENT TO THE APPOINTMENT OF STEVE WESTRA OF MINNEHAHA COUNTY, SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA, TO THE POSITION OF COMMISSIONER OF THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

Moved by: Schoenbeck  
Second by: Beal  
Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (9-0-0-0)

Voting Yes: Crabtree, Hoffman, Steve Kolbeck, Nesiba, Schoenbeck, Stalzer, Zikmund, Beal, and Wheeler

**HB 1239 : prohibit a ban of gas services and appliances used by consumers.**

Presented by: Representative Ben Krohmer

**MOTION: DO PASS HB 1239 AS AMENDED**

Moved by: Steve Kolbeck  
Second by: Beal  
Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (9-0-0-0)

Voting Yes: Crabtree, Hoffman, Steve Kolbeck, Nesiba, Schoenbeck, Stalzer, Zikmund, Beal, and Wheeler

**MOTION: ADJOURN**

Moved by: Beal

Second by: Crabtree  
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

Susan Gullickson, Committee Secretary

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/s/ DAVID WHEELER  
David Wheeler, Chair