

Minutes: Senate Local Government

Wednesday, February 05, 2025 10:00 AM

Roll Call

Present: Sen. Nelson, Sen. Rohl, Sen. Schoenfish, Sen. Wheeler, Sen. Duhamel, and Sen. Reed

Excused: Sen. Smith

The meeting was called to order by Senator Reed

MOTION: TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF MONDAY, FEBRUARY 03RD

Moved by: Rohl

Second by: Nelson

Action: Prevailed by voice vote

SB 104 : provide for the publication of the cast vote record of automatic tabulating equipment and to make an appropriation therefor.

Presented by: Senator Tom Pischke

Proponents: Mike Mathis, self, Sioux Falls
Jessica Pollema, Self, Sioux Falls
Cindy Meyer, Self, Hartford
Rick Weible, Self, Elkton
Meta Halverson, self, Whitewood
Linda Montgomery, self, Fairview
Scott Montgomery, self, Fairview
Leah Anderson, Minnehaha County Auditor, Sioux Falls
Gary Meyer, Self, Sioux Falls
Mick Baruth, self, Sioux Falls
John Kunnari, Self, Sioux Falls
Opponents: Grant Judson, Bureau of Finance and Management
Kathy Glines, self, Buffalo
Kalli Houchin, self, Kennebec
Jamalia Franzen, Self, Timber Lake
Rachel Soulek, Secretary of State (Handout(s) 1)
Lindsey Howard, Auditor, Leola

MOTION: AMEND SB 104

104B

On page 1, line 13, of the Introduced bill, after "published" delete " on each county's website"

On page 1, line 14, of the Introduced bill, after "election" delete ", no later than five p. m. local time, on the day following the election"

Moved by: Rohl

Second by: Nelson

Action: Withdrawn

MOTION: AMEND SB 104

104C

On amendment (104B),
On page 1, line 12, after "records." delete " The cast vote record and any ballot images collected by the automatic tabulating equipment must be published on each county's website for each primary and general election, no later than five p. m. local time, on the day following the election."

Moved by: Rohl
Second by: Wheeler
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

MOTION: REFER SB 104 TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AS AMENDED WITH A DO PASS AS AMENDED RECOMMENDATION

Moved by: Rohl
Second by: Nelson
Action: Prevailed by roll call vote (6-0-1-0)

Voting Yes: Nelson, Rohl, Schoenfish, Wheeler, Duhamel, and Reed

Excused: Smith

At this time the gavel was handed over to Vice Chair Senator Duhamel.

SB 97 : allow the governing body of a municipality to change the use of municipally owned parkland by ordinance.

Presented by: Senator Tim Reed
Proponents: Sara Rankin, South Dakota Municipal League, Fort Pierre
Paul Briseno, Ctiy of Brookings, Brookings

MOTION: DO PASS SB 97

Moved by: Schoenfish
Second by: Rohl
Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (6-0-1-0)

Voting Yes: Nelson, Rohl, Schoenfish, Wheeler, Duhamel, and Reed

Excused: Smith

HAVING PASSED UNANIMOUSLY, THE CHAIR CERTIFIED SB 97 AS UNCONTESTED AND AS SUCH BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR.

At this time the gavel was given back to Chairman Reed.

SB 128 : amend requirements for an official newspaper.

Presented by: Senator Michael Rohl
Proponents: Sara Rankin, South Dakota Municipal League, Fort Pierre

David Bordewyk, South Dakota NewsMedia Association, Brookings

MOTION: AMEND SB 128

128A

On page 1, line 10, of the Introduced bill, delete " The newspaper must meet the requirements established pursuant to chapter 17-2." and insert " The newspaper must be published in the municipality. If no newspaper is published in the municipality, the municipality shall comply with the requirements provided in § 17-2-11."

Moved by: Duhamel
Second by: Wheeler
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

MOTION: DO PASS SB 128 AS AMENDED

Moved by: Duhamel
Second by: Wheeler
Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (6-0-1-0)

Voting Yes: Nelson, Rohl, Schoenfish, Wheeler, Duhamel, and Reed

Excused: Smith

HAVING PASSED UNANIMOUSLY, THE CHAIR CERTIFIED SB 128 AS UNCONTESTED AND AS SUCH BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR.

MOTION: ADJOURN

Moved by: Rohl
Second by: Wheeler
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

Anne Reisch, Committee Secretary

/s/ TIM S. REED
Tim S. Reed, Chair