

Minutes: Joint Committee on Appropriations

Friday, February 07, 2025 7:45 AM

Roll Call

Present: Sen. Miskimins, Rep. Kassin, Rep. Moore, Sen. Vilhauer, Sen. Carley, Rep. May, Sen. Voita, Rep. Jorgenson, Sen. Howard, Sen. Foster, Rep. Sjaarda, Rep. Muckey, Sen. Zikmund, Rep. Kolbeck (Jack), Rep. Novstrup, Sen. Lapka, Rep. Derby, and Sen. Otten

The meeting was called to order by Senator Otten

MOTION: TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 04TH

Moved by: Kolbeck (Jack)
Second by: May
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

MOTION: TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 05TH

Moved by: Sjaarda
Second by: Kolbeck (Jack)
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

HB 1098 : make an appropriation to the Department of Human Services for reimbursing the cost of respite care services for caregivers of individuals with dementia and to declare an emergency.

Presented by: Representative Mike Weisgram

MOTION: TO TABLE HB 1098

Moved by: Kolbeck (Jack)
Second by: May
Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (17-0-1-0)

Voting Yes: Miskimins, Kassin, Moore, Vilhauer, May, Voita, Jorgenson, Howard, Foster, Sjaarda, Muckey, Zikmund, Kolbeck (Jack), Novstrup, Lapka, Derby, and Otten

Excused: Carley

SB 33 : make appropriations for water and environmental purposes and to declare an emergency.

Presented by: Tina McFarling, Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources (Handout(s) 1)

Proponents: Lindsey Riter-Rapp, South Dakota Association of Rural Water Systems, Madison
Julie M. Johnson, WEB Water, Aberdeen (Handout(s) 2)
Gregory Powell, Randall Community Water District, Lake Andes
Jessica Carr, South Dakota Municipal League, Fort Pierre
Michael Lee Bockorny, Aberdeen Development Corporation, Aberdeen

Paul Lepisto, SD Division of the Izaak Walton League of America, North Sioux City
 Jay Phillip Gilbertson, East Dakota Water Development District, Brookings
 Ryan Johnson, Dakota Mainstem Regional Water System, Madison
 Others: Andy Bruels, Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources

MOTION: DO PASS SB 33

Moved by: Derby
 Second by: Muckey
 Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (17-0-1-0)

Voting Yes: Miskimins, Kassin, Moore, Vilhauer, May, Voita, Jorgenson, Howard, Foster, Sjaarda, Muckey, Zikmund, Kolbeck (Jack), Novstrup, Lapka, Derby, and Otten

Excused: Carley

South Dakota Public Broadcasting Budget Hearing

Ryan Howlett, Friends of SDPB, Sioux Falls
 Laura E Peterson, Friends of SDPB, Sioux Falls
 Proponents: Gene Ellenson, Friends of SDPB, Sioux Falls
 Daniel Swartos, South Dakota High School Activities Association, Pierre
 Kay Jorgensen, ET Board Chair
 Larry Rohrer, SDPB, Pierre
 Kayla Klein, SD Association for Education of Young Children, Box Elder
 Kara Flynn, Self, Rapid City
 Eric S. Erickson, Friends of SDPB, Sioux Falls
 Vernon Brown, Self, Sioux Falls

Department of Social Services Budget Hearing

Matt Althoff, Secretary, Department of Social Services
 Jason Simmons, Department of Social Services
 Others: Terrance Lee Dosch, South Dakota Council of Community Behavioral Health Inc., Pierre

Department of Human Services Budget Hearing

Shawnie Rechtenbaugh, Secretary, Department of Human Services
 Others: Mark B Deak, South Dakota Health Care Association, Sioux Falls
 Daniel P. Cross, Community Support Providers of South Dakota, Spearfish
 Steve K. Watkins, LifeScape, Sioux Falls

MOTION: ADJOURN

Moved by: Novstrup
 Second by: Jorgenson
 Action: Prevailed by voice vote

Bill Douglas, Committee Secretary

/s/ ERNIE OTTEN
 Ernie Otten, Co-Chair

/s/ MIKE DERBY
 Mike Derby, Co-Chair