

Minutes: House Local Government

Thursday, February 13, 2025 10:00 AM

Roll Call

Present: Rep. Andera, Rep. Bathke, Rep. DeGroot, Rep. Fitzgerald, Rep. Heermann, Rep. Kull, Rep. Ladner, Rep. Mulally, Rep. Roby, Rep. Van Diepen, Rep. Wittman, Rep. Auch, and Rep. Jamison

The meeting was called to order by Representative Jamison

MOTION: TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11TH

Moved by: Van Diepen
Second by: Fitzgerald
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

HB 1194 : authorize the cooperation of counties for purposes of operating an office of county director of equalization.

Presented by: Representative Drew Peterson
Proponents: Eric Erickson, South Dakota Association of County Commissioners, Pierre
Nathan Sanderson, South Dakota Retailers Association, Pierre
Cori Kaufmann, Self, Madison

MOTION: DO PASS HB 1194

Moved by: Van Diepen
Second by: Kull
Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (11-2-0-0)

Voting Yes: Bathke, DeGroot, Fitzgerald, Heermann, Kull, Ladner, Roby, Van Diepen, Wittman, Auch, and Jamison

Voting No: Andera and Mulally

HB 1218 : prohibit certain political subdivisions from imposing firearm restrictions on county, municipal, and township employees, officers, and volunteers.

Presented by: Representative Aaron Aylward
Proponents: Shaun Boer, Self, Hartford
Brian Gosch, National Rifle Association of America, Fairfax, VA
Opponents: Sara Rankin, South Dakota Municipal League, Fort Pierre
Eric Erickson, South Dakota Association of County Commissioners, Pierre
Jenna Severyn, SD Police Chiefs Association, Pierre

MOTION: AMEND HB 1218

1218A

On page 1, line 9, of the Introduced bill, after "county." insert " This section does not apply to possession of a concealed firearm and compatible ammunition by an individual:

(1) Who is an inmate;

(2) Who is present in a portion of a building being used to provide court or jail services; or
(3) Other than a law enforcement officer, while using a county vehicle to transport another individual apprehended in accordance with chapter 27A-10. "

On page 1, line 18, of the Introduced bill, after "township." insert " This section does not apply to possession of a concealed firearm and compatible ammunition by an individual:

(1) Who is an inmate;

(2) Who is present in a portion of a building being used to provide court or jail services; or

(3) Other than a law enforcement officer, while using a township vehicle to transport another individual apprehended in accordance with chapter 27A-10."

On page 2, line 3, of the Introduced bill, after "municipality." insert " This section does not apply to possession of a concealed firearm and compatible ammunition by an individual:

(1) Who is an inmate;

(2) Who is present in a portion of a building being used to provide court or jail services; or

(3) Other than a law enforcement officer, while using a municipal vehicle to transport another individual apprehended in accordance with chapter 27A-10."

Moved by: Auch

Second by: Wittman

Action: Prevailed by voice vote

MOTION: AMEND THE PENDING AMENDMENT

1218D

On the previously adopted amendment (1218A), On page 1, line 12, after "in" delete " a portion of"

On the previously adopted amendment (1218A), On page 2, line 2, after "in" delete " a portion of"

On the previously adopted amendment (1218A), On page 2, line 17, after "in" delete " a portion of"

Moved by: Auch

Second by: Mulally

Action: Prevailed by voice vote

MOTION: DEFER HB 1218 TO THE 41ST LEGISLATIVE DAY

Moved by: Wittman

Second by: Van Diepen

Action: Was not acted on.

MOTION: SUBSTITUTE MOTION: DO PASS HB 1218 AS AMENDED

Moved by: Auch

Second by: Mulally

Action: Failed by Majority Members Elect (6-7-0-0)

Voting Yes: Andera, Fitzgerald, Ladner, Mulally, Roby, and Auch

Voting No: Bathke, DeGroot, Heermann, Kull, Van Diepen, Wittman, and Jamison

Revert to previous motion

MOTION: DEFER HB 1218 TO THE 41ST LEGISLATIVE DAY

Moved by: Wittman
Second by: Van Diepen
Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (10-3-0-0)

Voting Yes: Bathke, DeGroot, Fitzgerald, Heermann, Kull, Ladner, Roby, Van Diepen, Wittman, and Jamison

Voting No: Andera, Mulally, and Auch

HB 1219 : require counties and municipalities to provide emergency medical services within their jurisdictions.

Presented by: Representative Bobbi Andera

Proponents: Maynard Konechne, South Dakota Emergency Medical Services Association, Webster

Steve Willard, South Dakota Joint Fire Council, Rapid City

Representative Eric E. Emery

Shawn Fischer, Self, Sturgis

Robert Rendon, Self, Rapid City

Matt Thompson, Self, Keystone

Nicole J. Neugebauer, SDEMSA, Webster

Opponents: Roger A. Tellinghuisen, South Dakota Association of County Commissioners, Pierre

Sara Rankin, South Dakota Municipal League, Fort Pierre

MOTION: DEFER HB 1219 TO THE 41ST LEGISLATIVE DAY

Moved by: DeGroot
Second by: Bathke
Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (10-2-1-0)

Voting Yes: Bathke, DeGroot, Heermann, Kull, Ladner, Roby, Van Diepen, Wittman, Auch, and Jamison

Voting No: Andera and Mulally

Excused: Fitzgerald

MOTION: RECONSIDER HB 1043

Moved by: Roby
Second by: Wittman
Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (12-0-1-0)

Voting Yes: Andera, Bathke, DeGroot, Heermann, Kull, Ladner, Mulally, Roby, Van Diepen, Wittman, Auch, and Jamison

Excused: Fitzgerald

MOTION: ADJOURN

Moved by: Heermann
Second by: Wittman
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

James Sapp, Committee Secretary

/s/ GREG JAMISON
Greg Jamison, Chair