

Minutes: Senate Agriculture and Natural Resources Thursday, February 27, 2025 10:00 AM

Roll Call

Present: Sen. Duhamel, Sen. Marty, Sen. Rohl, Sen. Voight, Sen. Jensen (Kevin), and Sen. Pischke

Excused: Sen. Davis

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

**MOTION: TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25<sup>TH</sup>**

Moved by: Voight

Second by: Duhamel

Action: Prevailed by voice vote

INFORMATIONAL BRIEFING

Angela Ehlers and Senator Stephanie Sauder, Leopold Conservation Awards video presentation and handout (1).

Barry Little and Eli Little, Leopold Award Recipients

**JAMES WHITE OF BEADLE COUNTY, HURON, SOUTH DAKOTA, TO THE GAME, FISH AND PARKS COMMISSION**

Presented by: Kevin Robling, Secretary, Game, Fish and Parks

Proponents: James White, Self, Huron

**MOTION: THAT THE SENATE ADVISE AND CONSENT TO THE REAPPOINTMENT OF JAMES WHITE OF BEADLE COUNTY, HURON, SOUTH DAKOTA, TO THE GAME, FISH AND PARKS COMMISSION**

Moved by: Duhamel

Second by: Voight

Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (6-0-1-0)

Voting Yes: Duhamel, Marty, Rohl, Voight, Jensen (Kevin), and Pischke

Excused: Davis

**HAVING PASSED UNANIMOUSLY, THE CHAIR CERTIFIED THE APPOINTMENT OF JAMES WHITE OF BEADLE COUNTY, HURON, SOUTH DAKOTA, TO THE GAME, FISH AND PARKS COMMISSION AS UNCONTESTED AND AS SUCH BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR.**

**JULIE BARTLING OF GREGORY COUNTY, GREGORY SOUTH DAKOTA, TO THE GAME, FISH AND PARKS COMMISSION**

Presented by: Kevin Robling, Secretary, Game, Fish and Parks

Proponents: Julie Bartling, Self, Gregory

**MOTION: THAT THE SENATE ADVISE AND CONSENT TO THE REAPPOINTMENT OF JULIE BARTLING OF GREGORY COUNTY, GREGORY SOUTH DAKOTA, TO THE GAME, FISH AND PARKS COMMISSION**

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

Voting Yes: Duhamel, Marty, Rohl, Voight, Jensen (Kevin), and Pischke

Excused: Davis

**HAVING PASSED UNANIMOUSLY, THE CHAIR CERTIFIED THE APPOINTMENT OF JULIE BARTLING OF GREGORY COUNTY, GREGORY SOUTH DAKOTA, TO THE GAME, FISH AND PARKS COMMISSION AS UNCONTESTED AND AS SUCH BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR.**

**HB 1188 : allow nonresident military members to purchase three-day temporary nonresident waterfowl licenses.**

Presented by: Senator Michael Rohl

Proponents: Justin Bell, Flatland Flyways, Hecla (Handout(s) 2)  
Nathan Sanderson, South Dakota Retailers Association, Pierre  
Alex Russo, Flatland Flyways, Hecla  
Kyle Peters, Self, Watertown  
Joseph Dadiomoff, Self, Palmyra, TN  
Scott Graves, Self, Nashville TN

Opponents: George Morey Vandel III, South Dakota Waterfowl Association, Webster  
George Morey Vandel III, South Dakota Wildlife Federation, Pierre

**MOTION: DO PASS HB 1188**

Moved by: Marty  
Second by: Voight  
Action: Failed by Majority Members Elect (3-3-1-0)

Voting Yes: Marty, Rohl, and Voight

Voting No: Duhamel, Jensen (Kevin), and Pischke

Excused: Davis

**MOTION: WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION HB 1188**

Moved by: Rohl  
Second by: Voight  
Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (4-2-1-0)

Voting Yes: Duhamel, Marty, Rohl, and Voight

Voting No: Jensen (Kevin) and Pischke

Excused: Davis

**MOTION: ADJOURN**

Moved by: Rohl

Second by: Jensen (Kevin)

Action: Prevailed by voice vote

Lexie Schumacher, Committee Secretary

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/s/ TOM PISCHKE  
Tom Pischke, Chair