

Minutes: House Taxation

Tuesday, March 04, 2025 7:45 AM

Roll Call

Present: Rep. Bathke, Rep. Massie, Rep. Mortenson, Rep. Czmowski, Rep. Reder, Rep. Roe, Rep. Walburg, Rep. Weems, Rep. Weisgram, Rep. Pourier, and Rep. Aylward

Excused: Rep. Randolph and Rep. Hughes

The meeting was called to order by Representative Aylward

MOTION: TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH

Moved by: Walburg
Second by: Weisgram
Action: Prevailed by voice vote

SB 90 : clarify provisions regarding tax deeds.

Presented by: Representative Curt Massie
Proponents: Roger A. Tellinghuisen, South Dakota Association of County Officials, Pierre Deb Tridle, Self, Lead

MOTION: DO PASS SB 90

Moved by: Mortenson
Second by: Czmowski
Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (10-0-3-0)

Voting Yes: Bathke, Massie, Mortenson, Czmowski, Reder, Walburg, Weems, Weisgram, Pourier, and Aylward

Excused: Randolph, Roe, and Hughes

HAVING PASSED UNANIMOUSLY, THE CHAIR CERTIFIED SB 90 AS UNCONTESTED AND AS SUCH BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR.

SB 169 : require a public hearing prior to a vote to impose an excess tax levy.

Presented by: Senator Amber Hulse
Proponents: Nathan Sanderson, South Dakota Retailers Association, Pierre Jennifer Beving, Americans For Prosperity, Sioux Falls
Opponents: Heath Larson, Associated School Boards of South Dakota, Pierre

MOTION: DEFER SB 169 TO THE 41ST LEGISLATIVE DAY

Moved by: Bathke
Second by: Mortenson
Action: Failed by Majority Members Elect (6-5-2-0)

Voting Yes: Bathke, Mortenson, Czmowski, Roe, Weems, and Weisgram

Voting No: Massie, Reder, Walburg, Pourier, and Aylward

Excused: Randolph and Hughes

MOTION: DO PASS SB 169

Moved by: Pourier

Second by: Reder

Action: Failed by Majority Members Elect (5-6-2-0)

Voting Yes: Massie, Reder, Walburg, Pourier, and Aylward

Voting No: Bathke, Mortenson, Czmowski, Roe, Weems, and Weisgram

Excused: Randolph and Hughes

MOTION: WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION SB 169

Moved by: Weems

Second by: Mortenson

Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (11-0-2-0)

Voting Yes: Bathke, Massie, Mortenson, Czmowski, Reder, Roe, Walburg, Weems, Weisgram, Pourier, and Aylward

Excused: Randolph and Hughes

SB 178 : increase a tax on aviation gasoline and jet fuel.

Presented by: Senator Joy Hohn (Handout(s) #1, #2, #3, #4)

Proponents: Representative Tesa Schwans

Katie Sieverding, Sioux Falls Airport Authority, Sioux Falls (Handout(s) #1)

Mitch Rave, Greater Sioux Falls Chamber of Commerce, Sioux Falls

Justin G. Smith, Tourism Coalition of South Dakota, Yankton

David Owen, South Dakota Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Pierre

Garth Wadsworth, Elevate Rapid City

Jessica Carr, South Dakota Municipal League, Fort Pierre

Patrick Dame, Rapid City Regional Airport

Dan Letellier, Sioux Falls Regional Airport

Opponents: Brandy Miesner, Bureau of Finance and Management

Joe Hughes, Self, Mesa, AZ

Allison Corbin, WestJet Air Center, Inc, Rapid City

Mizraim Cordero, United Airlines, Denver, CO

Sarah Gonzales, Delta Air Lines, Haslett, MI

Sean Williams, Airlines for America, Hartford, CT (Handout(s) #1)

MOTION: DEFER SB 178 TO THE 41ST LEGISLATIVE DAY

Moved by: Mortenson

Second by: Weems

Action: Prevailed by Majority Members Elect (7-4-2-0)

Voting Yes: Bathke, Mortenson, Reder, Walburg, Weems, Weisgram, and Aylward

Voting No: Massie, Czmowski, Roe, and Poirier

Excused: Randolph and Hughes

MOTION: ADJOURN

Moved by: Roe

Second by: Czmowski

Action: Prevailed by voice vote

Leah Splichal, Committee Secretary

/s/ AARON AYLWARD
Aaron Aylward, Chair