

**MINUTES OF THE
HOUSE TRANSPORTATION STANDING COMMITTEE
ROOM 405, STATE CAPITOL BUILDING**

February 24, 1998

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Don E. Bush, Chair
 Rep. Brian R. Allen, Vice-Chair
 Rep. Gerry A. Adair
 Rep. Trisha Beck
 Rep. Ralph Becker
 Rep. Ron Bigelow
 Rep. DeMar "Bud" Bowman
 Rep. Brad King
 Rep. Peter C. Knudson
 Rep. Lowell A. Nelson
 Rep. Richard M. Siddoway

MEMBERS ABSENT: Rep. Gene Davis
 Rep. Marda Dillree
 Rep. Joseph G. Murray
 Rep. David Ure

STAFF PRESENT: Benjamin N. Christensen, Research Analyst
 Betty M. Bushman, Secretary

OTHERS PRESENT: (List of visitors on file)

Chair Bush called the meeting to order at 8:10 a.m.

MOTION: Representative Adair moved that the minutes of the meetings of February 19 and 20, 1998 be approved. The motion passed unanimously with Representative Nelson absent for the vote.

H.J.R. 13 RESOLUTION URGING IMPROVEMENTS ON HIGHWAY 6
 Representative Brad King, et al

Representative King explained the resolution to the committee with proposed amendments.

MOTION: Representative King moved that the resolution be amended as follows:

1. Page 2, line 19: After "urge the" insert "Utah Highway Commission and the" and after "to" delete the rest of the line and insert "consider Highway 6 improvements between Spanish Fork and Price, beginning with the most dangerous areas, as a high priority."

2. Page 2, lines 20-21: Delete lines 20-21
3. Page 2, line 25: After "to the" insert "Governor, the Utah Highway Commission, the"
4. Page 2, line 27: After "and the" insert "mayors of the"

The motion passed unanimously with Representative Nelson absent for the vote.

MOTION: Representative Becker moved that the bill be amended as follows:

1. Page 1, Line 10: Delete "DURING THE 1998-99 FISCAL YEAR"
2. Page 2, Line 19
previous amendment: Delete "Highway Commission" and insert "Transportation Commission"
3. Page 2, Line 25
previous amendment: Delete "Highway Commission" and insert "Transportation Commission"

The motion passed unanimously with Representative Nelson absent for the vote.

Clint Topham, Utah Department of Transportation, spoke to the resolution and answered questions of committee members.

MOTION: Representative Adair moved that the resolution be passed out favorably as amended. The motion passed with Representative Bigelow voting no. Representative Nelson was absent for the vote.

H.J.R. 18 **RESOLUTION ON HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENTS**
Representative Lloyd Frandsen

Representative Frandsen explained the resolution to the committee.

Clint Topham, Utah Department of Transportation, spoke to the resolution and answered questions of committee members.

MOTION: Representative Beck moved that the resolution be passed out favorably. The motion passed with Representatives Bigelow, Knudson and Siddoway voting no.

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