

**MINUTES OF THE  
HOUSE POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS  
STANDING COMMITTEE**  
Room 223 - State Capitol Building  
February 9, 2000

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Rep. Joseph G. Murray, Chair  
Rep. Richard M. Siddoway, Vice Chair  
Rep. Sheryl L. Allen  
Rep. Loretta Baca  
Rep. Craig W. Buttars  
Rep. Marda Dillree  
Rep. LaWanna "Lou" Shurtliff  
Rep. David Ure  
Rep. Richard L. Walsh

MEMBERS EXCUSED: Rep. David L. Gladwell

STAFF PRESENT: Joseph Wade, Research Analyst  
Karen Holt, Committee Secretary

VISITORS: (List filed with committee minutes.)

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The meeting was called to order by Rep. Siddoway, Vice Chair, at 8:06 a.m.

**H.B. 300 Providing Notice of Delinquent Property Tax** (*M. Dillree*)

Rep. Dillree introduced the bill.

Brent Gardner, Utah Association of Counties, further explained the bill.  
Handouts were distributed.

Mel Hudman, Utah County Treasurer, spoke for the bill.  
Mark Altom, Davis County Treasurer and Pres. Utah Association of Counties, spoke for the bill.  
Brett Bezzant, Utah Press Association - New Utah!, spoke against the bill.  
Handouts were distributed.  
Mark Fuellenbach, Utah Press Association - The Richfield Reaper, spoke against the bill.

**Motion:** Rep. Allen moved that the committee report a favorable recommendation on H.B. 300.  
The motion passed unanimously with a vote of **8-0-2**, with Reps. Allen, Baca, Buttars, Dillree, Murray, Shurtliff, Siddoway and Ure voting yes, and Reps. Gladwell and Walsh absent for the vote.

**H.B. 118 Quasi-governmental Entities Amendments** (*D. Ure*)

Rep. Ure introduced the bill.

Donna Dahl, Utah State Fair Board, spoke to the bill.

Travis Wood, Utah Public Employees Association, spoke for the bill.

William H. Erickson, Utah Housing Finance Agency, spoke against the bill.

Paula Plant, Utah Teachers Assn., School and Institutional Trust Lands Admin., spoke against the bill.

**Motion:** Rep. Ure moved to adopt the following amendments:

1. Page 5, Line 146: Delete "or"
2. Page 5, Line 147: After "Title 17A, Special District" insert "; or (vi) a local district created under the authority of Title 17B, Limited Purpose Local Government Entities"

The motion passed unanimously with a vote of **9-0-1**, with Reps. Allen, Baca, Buttars, Dillree, Murray, Shurtliff, Siddoway, Ure and Walsh voting yes, and Rep. Gladwell absent for the vote.

**Motion:** Rep. Allen moved to adopt the following amendments:

1. Page 6, Line 152: Delete "13" and insert "14"
2. Page 6, Line 153: Delete "four" and insert "five"  
Delete "one senator" and insert "two senators"
3. Page 6, Line 156: Delete "two" and insert "three"

The motion passed unanimously with a vote of **9-0-1**, with Reps. Allen, Baca, Buttars, Dillree, Murray, Shurtliff, Siddoway, Ure and Walsh voting yes, and Rep. Gladwell absent for the vote.

**Motion:** Rep. Allen moved that the committee report a favorable recommendation on H.B. 118. The motion passed unanimously with a vote of **9-0-1**, with Reps. Allen, Baca, Buttars, Dillree, Murray, Shurtliff, Siddoway, Ure and Walsh voting yes, and Rep. Gladwell absent for the vote.

#### **H.R. 4 House Rules Resolution - Legislative Quasi-governmental Entities Committee** (*D. Ure*)

Rep. Ure introduced the bill.

**Motion:** Rep. Allen moved that the committee report a favorable recommendation on H.R. 4. The motion passed unanimously with a vote of **9-0-1**, with Reps. Allen, Baca, Buttars, Dillree, Murray, Shurtliff, Siddoway, Ure and Walsh voting yes, and Rep. Gladwell absent for the vote.

**H.J.R. 14 Joint Rules Resolution - Legislative Quasi-governmental Entities Committee** *(D. Ure)*

Rep. Ure introduced the bill.

**Motion:** Rep. Dillree moved that the committee report a favorable recommendation on H.J.R. 14. The motion passed unanimously with a vote of **9-0-1**, with Reps. Allen, Baca, Buttars, Dillree, Murray, Shurtliff, Siddoway, Ure and Walsh voting yes, and Rep. Gladwell absent for the vote.

**1st Sub. S.B. 111 Endowment Care Cemetery Amendments** *(L. Jones)*

Senator Jones introduced the bill.

Handouts were distributed.

Roger Tew further explained the bill.

**Motion:** Rep. Dillree moved that the committee report a favorable recommendation on 1st Sub. S.B. 111. The motion passed unanimously with a vote of **8-0-2**, with Reps. Allen, Baca, Buttars, Dillree, Murray, Shurtliff, Siddoway and Walsh voting yes, and Reps. Gladwell and Ure absent for the vote.

**Motion:** Rep. Dillree moved to adjourn. The vote was unanimous. The meeting adjourned at 9:39 a.m.

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Joseph G. Murray, Chair