

**MINUTES OF THE SENATE GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS &  
POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS STANDING COMMITTEE  
FRIDAY FEBRUARY 4, 2011, 2:00 P.M.  
ROOM 415 STATE CAPITOL**

Members Present: Sen. Peter C. Knudson, Chair  
Sen. Margaret Dayton  
Sen. Scott K. Jenkins  
Sen. Daniel Thatcher

Member Excused: Sen. Luz Robles

Staff Present: Rich North, Policy Analyst  
Lorna Wells, Committee Secretary

Public Speakers Present: Kent Beurs, Director of State Purchasing and General Purposes  
Ronald Mortensen  
Larry Ellertson, Commissioner, Utah County Commission  
Brent Bateman, Ombudsman, Utah Office of Property Rights  
Jodi Hoffman - Utah League of Cities and Towns  
Mike Ostermiller - Utah Property Rights Coalition

A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Committee Chair Knudson called the meeting to order at 2:05 p.m.

**Approval of Minutes**

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to approve the minutes of the February 1, 2011 minutes.

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

1. **SB 130** - Surplus Property Amendments

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to adopt Amendment #2 to **SB 130**. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

1. *Page 3, Lines 78 through 81:*

78 (8) (a) "Surplus property" means property that an agency:

79 (i) intends for disposal; and

80 (ii) has acquired by purchase, seizure, or donation.

81 (b) "Surplus property" does not include **∴**

**(i) real property **∴or****

- (ii) an aluminum can or an item made primarily of paper, plastic, or cardboard that is:  
(A) discarded; and  
(B) recyclable .

Sen. Reid introduced and explained this bill.

Mr. Beurs spoke in favor of the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to pass **SB 130** as amended out of committee with a favorable recommendation. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Thatcher absent for the vote.

2. **SJR 12** Joint Resolution - Immigration

Sen. Reid introduced and explained this bill.

Mr. Mortensen spoke in favor of this bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Jenkins moved to amend **SJR 12** as follows. The motion passed unanimously.

Page 3, Line 66: delete the word "and" and after "delegation" insert ", and all states"

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to pass **SJR 12** as amended out of committee with a favorable recommendation. The motion passed unanimously.

3. **SB 144** - County Purchasing Agent

Sen. Dayton presented and explained this bill.

Mr. Ellertson spoke in favor of this bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to pass **SB 144** out of committee with a favorable recommendation. The motion passed unanimously.

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to place **SB 144** on the consent calendar. The motion passed unanimously.

4. **SB 146** - Impact Fee Amendments

Sen. Stevenson presented and explained this bill.

Mr. Bateman, Ms. Hoffman, and Mr. Ostermiller spoke in favor of this bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to pass **SB 146** out of committee with a favorable recommendation. The motion passed unanimously.

5. **HB 46 S02** - County Recorder Amendments

Rep. Webb introduced and explained this bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to pass **2nd Substitute HB 46** out of committee with a favorable recommendation. The motion passed unanimously.

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 2:40

Minutes reported by Lorna Wells, Secretary.

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Sen. Peter Knudson, Committee Chair