

**MINUTES OF THE
HOUSE POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS
STANDING COMMITTEE**

Room 450 State Capitol

February 9, 2012

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. R. Curt Webb, Chair
 Rep. Becky Edwards, Vice Chair
 Rep. Johnny Anderson
 Rep. Jack R. Draxler
 Rep. James A. Dunnigan
 Rep. Michael T. Morley
 Rep. Jeremy A. Peterson
 Rep. Dixon M. Pitcher
 Rep. Marie H. Poulson
 Rep. Jennifer M. Seelig
 Rep. Larry B. Wiley

MEMBER ABSENT: Rep. Stephen E. Sandstrom

STAFF PRESENT: Mr. Joseph Wade, Policy Analyst
 Ms. Karen Mitchell, Committee Secretary

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

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

MOTION: Rep. Poulson moved to approve the minutes of the February 7, 2012 meeting. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Anderson, Rep. Draxler, Rep. Edwards, Rep. Morley, Rep. Sandstrom, and Rep. Seelig absent for the vote.

H.B. 119 Study on Signing Petitions Online (Rep. R. Chavez-Houck)

Rep. Chavez-Houck introduced the bill to the committee and provided a handout.

Spoke to the bill: Mr. Mark Thomas, Lieutenant Governor's Office

Spoke for the bill: Ms. Jen Donnelly, Utah League of Women Voters
 Mr. Quang Dang, Represent Me Utah
 Ms. Kelli Lundgren, Represent Me Utah

MOTION: Rep. Edwards moved to pass H.B. 119 out favorably. The motion passed with Rep. Anderson, Rep. Dunnigan, and Rep. Morley voting in opposition. Rep. Draxler and Rep. Sandstrom were absent for the vote.

H.B. 224 Political Subdivisions - Report of Receipts of Federal Money (Rep. K. Ivory)

Rep. Ivory introduced the bill to the committee and provided a handout.

MOTION: Rep. Anderson moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Page 3, Lines 85 through 86:

85 (5) The Division of Finance shall submit the report required by Subsection (4) to the
86 Executive Appropriations Committee on or before {~~November~~} December 1 of
each year.

The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Draxler, Rep. Edwards, and Rep. Sandstrom absent for the vote.

Spoke to the bill: Mr. Lincoln Shurts, Utah League of Cities and Towns
 Mr. Brent Gardner, Utah Association of Counties

MOTION: Rep. Dunnigan moved to proceed to the next item on the agenda. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Draxler, Rep. Edwards, Rep. Sandstrom, and Rep. Seelig absent for the vote.

2nd Sub. S.B. 124 County Amendments (Sen. C. Bramble) (Rep. G. Hughes)

Sen. Bramble introduced the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Mr. Brent Gardner, Utah Association of Counties
 Mr. Michael Jensen, Salt Lake County Councilman

Spoke against the bill: Mr. Bryan Thompson, Utah County Clerk
 Mr. Jim Wightman, Salt Lake County Auditor's Office (handout)
 Mr. Greg Hawkins, Salt Lake County Auditor

MOTION: Rep. Dunnigan moved to pass 2nd Sub. S.B. 124 out favorably. The motion passed with Rep. Anderson, Rep. Pitcher, and Rep. Webb voting in opposition. Rep. Edwards and Rep. Sandstrom were absent for the vote.

H.B. 121 Disabled Law Enforcement Officer Amendments (Rep. L. Perry)

Rep. Perry introduced the bill to the committee.

MOTION: Rep. Draxler moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. *Page 3, Lines 59 through 61:*

59 (2) (a) [~~Each~~] A law enforcement officer {~~;~~} or state correctional officer {~~;~~
60 ~~operator license~~
61 ~~examiner, commercial license examiner, or Driver License Division hearing~~
 ~~examiner~~} who is
61 injured in the course of employment shall be given a leave of absence with [~~full pay~~] 100%
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The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Edwards, Rep. Morley and Rep. Sandstrom absent for the vote.

MOTION: Rep. Wiley moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously, with Rep. Edwards, Rep. Poulson, and Rep. Sandstrom absent for the vote.

H.B. 216 Political Subdivision Residential Rental Amendments (*Rep. K. Sumsion*)

This bill was not considered.

Chair Webb adjourned the meeting at 3:55 p.m.

Rep. R. Curt Webb, Chair