

**MINUTES OF THE
SENATE GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS
STANDING COMMITTEE**

Friday, February 3, 2017 • 2:00 pm • 415 State Capitol

Members Present:

Sen. Don L. Ipson, Chair
Sen. J. Stuart Adams
Sen. Margaret Dayton
Sen. David P. Hinkins
Sen. Jani Iwamoto
Sen. Peter C. Knudson
Sen. Daniel W. Thatcher

Members Absent:

Sen. Luz Escamilla

Staff Present:

Ms. Megan L. Bolin, Policy Analyst
Ms. Paula Morgan, Committee Secretary

Note: A list of others present, a copy of related materials, and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at le.utah.gov.

Chair Ipson called the meeting to order at 2:06 PM

1. H.B. 70 Common Area Assessment Amendments (*Froerer, G.*)

Rep. Froerer explained the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Dayton moved to pass H.B. 70 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 4-0-4.

Voting in the affirmative were:

Ipson D, Dayton M, Iwamoto J, Thatcher D

Absent or not voting were:

Adams J S, Escamilla L, Hinkins D, Knudson P.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. L. Escamilla
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. P. Knudson

MOTION: Sen. Dayton moved to place H.B. 70 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 5-0-3.

Voting in the affirmative were:

Ipson D, Dayton M, Hinkins D, Iwamoto J, Thatcher D

Absent or not voting were:

Adams J S, Escamilla L, Knudson P.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. L. Escamilla
Sen. P. Knudson

MOTION: Sen. Dayton moved to approve the minutes from February 1, 2017. The motion passed with a vote of 4-0-4.

Voting in the affirmative were:

Ipson D, Dayton M, Iwamoto J, Thatcher D

Absent or not voting were:

Adams J S, Escamilla L, Hinkins D, Knudson P.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. L. Escamilla
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. P. Knudson

2. S.B. 140 Annexation of Islands Within Cities (*Buxton, D. G.*)

Sen. Buxton explained the bill.

Ron Faerber, Chair, Sandy Hills Community Council, spoke to the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Dayton moved to pass S.B. 140 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Voting in the affirmative were:

Ipson D, Dayton M, Hinkins D, Iwamoto J, Knudson P, Thatcher D

Absent or not voting were:

Adams J S, Escamilla L.

Yeas:

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. P. Knudson
Sen. D. Thatcher

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. L. Escamilla

3. S.B. 143 Local District Board Amendments (*Stevenson, J.*)

MOTION: Sen. Hinkins moved to replace S.B. 143 with 1st Substitute S.B. 143. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Voting in the affirmative were:

Ipson D, Dayton M, Hinkins D, Iwamoto J, Knudson P, Thatcher D

Absent or not voting were:

Adams J S, Escamilla L.

Yeas:

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. P. Knudson
Sen. D. Thatcher

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. L. Escamilla

Sen. Stevenson explained the bill.

LeGrand Bitter, Executive Director, Utah Association of Special Districts, spoke in favor of the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Iwamoto moved to pass 1st Substitute S.B. 143 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Voting in the affirmative were:

Ipson D, Dayton M, Hinkins D, Iwamoto J, Knudson P, Thatcher D

Absent or not voting were:

Adams J S, Escamilla L.

Yeas:

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. P. Knudson
Sen. D. Thatcher

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. L. Escamilla

MOTION: Sen. Knudson moved to place 1st Substitute S.B. 143 on the Consent Calendar.
The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.
Voting in the affirmative were:
Ipson D, Dayton M, Hinkins D, Iwamoto J, Knudson P, Thatcher D
Absent or not voting were:
Adams J S, Escamilla L

Yeas:

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. P. Knudson
Sen. D. Thatcher

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. L. Escamilla

4. H.B. 30 Historic Preservation Amendments (*Webb, R. C.*)

Rep. Webb explained the bill.

Lynn Pace, Senior Advisor, Salt Lake City, spoke in favor of the bill.

Mark Stratford, Assistant City Attorney, Ogden City, spoke in favor of the bill.

Kirk Huffaker, Executive Director, Preservation Utah, spoke to the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Thatcher moved to pass H.B. 30 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.
Voting in the affirmative were:
Ipson D, Dayton M, Hinkins D, Iwamoto J, Knudson P, Thatcher D
Absent or not voting were:
Adams J S, Escamilla L.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. P. Knudson
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. L. Escamilla

5. H.B. 69 Capital Facilities Revisions (*Edwards, R.*)

Rep. Edwards explained the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Dayton moved to pass H.B. 69 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Voting in the affirmative were:

Ipson D, Dayton M, Hinkins D, Iwamoto J, Knudson P, Thatcher D

Absent or not voting were:

Adams J S, Escamilla L.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. P. Knudson
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. L. Escamilla

MOTION: Sen. Dayton moved to place H.B. 69 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Voting in the affirmative were:

Ipson D, Dayton M, Hinkins D, Iwamoto J, Knudson P, Thatcher D

Absent or not voting were:

Adams J S, Escamilla L.

Yeas:

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. P. Knudson
Sen. D. Thatcher

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. L. Escamilla

6. H.B. 89 Impact Fee Reporting Requirements (*Knotwell, J.*)

Rep. Knotwell explained the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Hinkins moved to pass H.B. 89 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Voting in the affirmative were:

Ipson D, Dayton M, Hinkins D, Iwamoto J, Knudson P, Thatcher D

Absent or not voting were:

Adams J S, Escamilla L.

Yeas:

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. P. Knudson
Sen. D. Thatcher

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. L. Escamilla

MOTION: Sen. Hinkins moved to place H.B. 89 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Voting in the affirmative were:

Ipson D, Dayton M, Hinkins D, Iwamoto J, Knudson P, Thatcher D

Absent or not voting were:

Adams J S, Escamilla L.

Yeas:

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. P. Knudson
Sen. D. Thatcher

Sen. J. Adams
Sen. L. Escamilla

MOTION: Sen. Thatcher moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.
Voting in the affirmative were:
Ipson D, Dayton M, Hinkins D, Iwamoto J, Knudson P, Thatcher D
Absent or not voting were:
Adams J S, Escamilla L.

Yeas:

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. M. Dayton
Sen. D. Hinkins
Sen. D. Ipson
Sen. J. Iwamoto
Sen. P. Knudson
Sen. D. Thatcher

Sen. J. Adams
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Sen. Ipson adjourned the meeting at 2:42 PM