

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

Friday, February 17, 2017 • 4:10 pm • 415 State Capitol

**Members Present:**

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

**Members Absent:**

Sen. J. Stuart Adams

**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](http://le.utah.gov).

Chair Ipson called the meeting to order at 4:12 p.m.

**MOTION:** Sen. Knudson moved to approve the minutes. The motion passed with a vote of 4-0-4.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. P. Knudson  
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. D. Hinkins  
Sen. J. Iwamoto

**1. H.B. 188 Local Historic District Amendments (*Wilson, B.*)**

Rep. Wilson explained the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to pass H.B. 188 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. P. Knudson  
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Hinkins

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to place H.B. 188 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. P. Knudson  
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Hinkins

**2. 1st Sub. H.B. 119 School Board Midterm Replacement Process (*Pulsipher, S.*)**

Rep. Pulsipher explained the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to pass 1st Substitute H.B. 119 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. P. Knudson  
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Hinkins

**MOTION:** Sen. Dayton moved to place 1st Substitute H.B. 119 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. P. Knudson  
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Hinkins

**3. H.B. 158 State House Boundary Amendments (*Peterson, J.*)**

Rep. Peterson explained the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Thatcher moved to pass H.B. 158 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. P. Knudson  
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Hinkins

**MOTION:** Sen. Thatcher moved to place H.B. 158 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. P. Knudson  
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Hinkins

**MOTION:** Sen. Thatcher moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 6-0-2.

Yeas:

Sen. M. Dayton  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. J. Iwamoto  
Sen. P. Knudson  
Sen. D. Thatcher

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Hinkins

Chair Ipson adjourned the meeting at 4:26 PM.