

**MINUTES OF THE
SENATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND WORKFORCE SERVICES
STANDING COMMITTEE**

Thursday, February 16, 2017 • 8:00 a.m. • 215 Senate Building

Members Present:

Sen. Jacob L. Anderegg, Chair
Sen. D. Gregg Buxton
Sen. Karen Mayne
Sen. Ann Millner

Members Absent:

President Wayne L. Niederhauser
Sen. Ralph Okerlund
Sen. Jerry W. Stevenson

Staff Present:

Mr. Ryan M. Hunter, Policy Analyst
Ms. Karen Allred, 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 Anderegg called the meeting to order at 8:10 a.m.

1. S.J.R. 14 Joint Resolution Regarding Jobs in Rural Utah (*Van Tassell, K.*)

Sen. Kevin T. Van Tassell explained the resolution.

Ms. Linda Gillmor, Governor's Office of Economic Development, spoke in favor of the resolution.

Mr. Lee Peacock, Utah Petroleum Association, spoke in favor of the resolution.

MOTION: Sen. Millner moved to pass S.J.R. 14 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 4-0-3.

Yeas:

Sen. J. Anderegg
Sen. D. Buxton
Sen. K. Mayne
Sen. A. Millner

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. W. Niederhauser
Sen. R. Okerlund
Sen. J. Stevenson

MOTION: Sen. Millner moved to place S.J.R. 14 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 4-0-3.

Yeas:

Sen. J. Anderegg
Sen. D. Buxton
Sen. K. Mayne
Sen. A. Millner

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. W. Niederhauser
Sen. R. Okerlund
Sen. J. Stevenson

MOTION: Sen. Buxton moved to approve the minutes of February 10, 2017. The motion passed with a vote of 4-0-3.

Yeas:

Sen. J. Anderegg
Sen. D. Buxton
Sen. K. Mayne
Sen. A. Millner

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. W. Niederhauser
Sen. R. Okerlund
Sen. J. Stevenson

2. H.C.R. 2 Concurrent Resolution Recognizing the United States and Utah's Participation in World War I (*Handy, S.*)

Rep. Stephen G. Handy explained the resolution.

MOTION: Sen. Millner moved to pass H.C.R. 2 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 4-0-3.

Yeas:

Sen. J. Anderegg
Sen. D. Buxton
Sen. K. Mayne
Sen. A. Millner

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. W. Niederhauser
Sen. R. Okerlund
Sen. J. Stevenson

MOTION: Sen. Millner moved to place H.C.R. 2 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 4-0-3.

Yeas:

Sen. J. Anderegg
Sen. D. Buxton
Sen. K. Mayne
Sen. A. Millner

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. W. Niederhauser
Sen. R. Okerlund
Sen. J. Stevenson

MOTION: Sen. Buxton moved to recess. The motion passed with a vote of 4-0-3.

Yeas:

Sen. J. Anderegg
Sen. D. Buxton
Sen. K. Mayne
Sen. A. Millner

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. W. Niederhauser
Sen. R. Okerlund
Sen. J. Stevenson

Chair Anderegg called the meeting back to order at 8:47 a.m.

3. S.J.R. 13 Joint Resolution Supporting Creation of Citizens Equity Funds (*Adams, J. S.*)

Sen. J. Stuart Adams explained the resolution.

Ms. Abby Osborne, Salt Lake Chamber, spoke in favor of the resolution.

Mr. Andrew Gruber, Wasatch Front Regional Council, spoke in favor of the resolution.

MOTION: Sen. Millner moved to pass S.J.R. 13 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 4-0-3.

Yeas:

Sen. J. Anderegg
Sen. D. Buxton
Sen. K. Mayne
Sen. A. Millner

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. W. Niederhauser
Sen. R. Okerlund
Sen. J. Stevenson

MOTION: Sen. Millner moved to place S.J.R. 13 on the Consent Calendar. The motion passed with a vote of 4-0-3.

Yeas:

Sen. J. Anderegg
Sen. D. Buxton
Sen. K. Mayne
Sen. A. Millner

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. W. Niederhauser
Sen. R. Okerlund
Sen. J. Stevenson

4. 1st Sub. H.C.R. 6 Concurrent Resolution Supporting the Re-empowerment of the States Amendment (Nelson, M.)

Rep. Merrill F. Nelson explained the resolution.

MOTION: Sen. Millner moved to pass 1st Substitute H.C.R. 6 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 3-1-3.

Yeas:

Sen. J. Anderegg
Sen. D. Buxton
Sen. A. Millner

Nays:

Sen. K. Mayne

Abs:

Sen. W. Niederhauser
Sen. R. Okerlund
Sen. J. Stevenson

MOTION: Sen. Millner moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 4-0-3.

Yeas:

Sen. J. Anderegg
Sen. D. Buxton
Sen. K. Mayne
Sen. A. Millner

Nays:

Abs:

Sen. W. Niederhauser
Sen. R. Okerlund
Sen. J. Stevenson

Chair Anderegg adjourned the meeting at 9:22 a.m.