



LEGISLATURE

MINUTES

BUSINESS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND LABOR

APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE

Tuesday, August 14, 2018, 1:15 p.m. 125 House Building

Members Present:

Sen. Daniel Hemmert, Senate Chair
Rep. R. Curt Webb, House Chair
Rep. Scott D. Sandall, House Vice Chair
Sen. Jacob L. Anderegg
Sen. Curtis S. Bramble
Sen. David G. Buxton
Sen. Gene Davis
Sen. Deidre M. Henderson
Rep. Carol Spackman Moss
Rep. Jeremy A. Peterson
Rep. Val L. Peterson

Rep. Tim Quinn
Rep. Elizabeth Weight

Members Absent:

Sen. Wayne A. Harper
Rep. Marc K. Roberts
Rep. John R. Westwood
Rep. Brad R. Wilson

Staff Present:

Ms. Alysha S. Gardner, Staff Economist
Dr. Andrea Wilko, Chief Economist
Ms. Sally Thompson, Administrative Assistant

Note: A copy of related materials and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at www.le.utah.gov.

Chair Daniel Hemmert called the meeting to order at 1:20 p.m.

1 . Welcome and Introduction

2 . GOED: Is there a role for government in stimulating economic development?

[2-GOED Final Report August 14th 2018](#)

Mr. Val Hale, Executive Director, Governor's Office of Economic Development (GOED), described the function of GOED and introduced Mr. Jerry Oldroyd, Board Member, GOED.

3 . GOED: What are the components of GOED and how do they relate to economic development?

Mr. Oldroyd gave a presentation on how economic development relates to GOED.

Rep. Tim Quinn asked questions. Mr. Oldroyd responded.

4 . GOED: Who, what, where, why and how?

Mr. Hale defined economic development and its purpose for the State of Utah.

5 . GOED: Fiscal Analysis

Mr. Hale presented information on the current state of economic development in Utah.

6 . GOED: Comparison

Mr. Hale provided information on national trends and how they impact the State of Utah.

Sen. Jacob L. Anderegg asked questions. Mr. Hale responded and continued his presentation.

Dr. Andrea Wilko, Chief Economist, Office of Legislative Fiscal Analyst, explained why some programs are not funded.

Rep. Carol Spackman Moss added comments and asked questions. Mr. Hale responded.

Sen. D. Gregg Buxton requested information. Mr. Hale made a commitment to provide the information at a future date.

Rep. Quinn asked questions. Mr. Clark Cahoon, Life Science Director, GOED, responded.

Rep. Scott D. Sandall asked questions. Mr. Hale and Mr. Ginger Chinn, Managing Director, GOED, responded.

Rep. Quinn asked questions. Ms. Jill Flygare, Managing Director, Internet Operations, GOED, Mr. Cahoon, and Mr. Hale responded.

Rep. R. Curt Webb asked questions. Ms. Flygare, Mr. Hale, and Mr. Oldroyd responded. Rep. Webb requested a list of pass-through entities. Mr. Hale agreed to send him a list.

Chair Hemmert asked questions and requested follow-up funding information before the next meeting in October 2018. Mr. Hale responded.

Sen. Anderegg asked questions. Mr. Hale responded.

Dr. Wilko provided information on the statute for the pass-through funding.

Sen. Gene Davis asked questions. Mr. Hale, Mr. Ben Hart, Deputy Director, GOED, and Mr. Oldroyd responded.

Sen. Hemmert added closing comments.

MOTION: Rep. Quinn motioned to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 9 - 0 - 8.

Yeas-9

Sen. D. Buxton
Sen. G. Davis
Sen. D. Hemmert
Rep. J. Peterson
Rep. V. Peterson
Rep. T. Quinn
Rep. S. Sandall
Rep. R. Webb
Rep. E. Weight

Nays-0

Absent-8

Sen. J. Anderegg
Sen. C. Bramble
Sen. W. Harper
Sen. D. Henderson
Rep. C. Moss
Rep. M. Roberts
Rep. J. Westwood
Rep. B. Wilson

Chair Hemmert adjourned the meeting at 3:33 p.m.