



MINUTES

HOUSE POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS STANDING COMMITTEE

Tuesday, February 23, 2021 | 9:00 a.m. | 445 State Capitol

Members Present:

Rep. James A. Dunnigan, Chair
Rep. Calvin R. Musselman, Vice Chair
Rep. Gay Lynn Bennion
Rep. Jefferson S. Burton
Rep. Steve R. Christiansen
Rep. Matthew H. Gwynn

Rep. Michael L. Kohler
Rep. Rosemary T. Lesser
Rep. Jordan D. Teuscher
Rep. Elizabeth Weight

Staff Present:

Samantha D. Brucker, Policy Analyst
Daniel Ryan, Committee Secretary

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

Chair Dunnigan called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

MOTION: Rep. Musselman moved to approve the minutes of February 17 and February 18, 2021. The motion passed with a vote of 9 - 0 - 1.

Yeas-9

Rep. G. Bennion
Rep. J. Burton
Rep. S. Christiansen
Rep. J. Dunnigan
Rep. M. Gwynn
Rep. R. Lesser
Rep. C. Musselman
Rep. J. Teuscher
Rep. E. Weight

Nays-0

Absent-1

Rep. M. Kohler

1 . 2nd Sub. S.B. 92 Elections Amendments (Harper, W.)

Sen. Wayne Harper presented the bill.

Justin Lee, Director of Elections, Lieutenant Governor's Office, spoke to the bill.

Ryan Call, Accountant, spoke to the bill.

Nate Crippes, Legislative and Policy Council, Disability Law Center, spoke in favor of the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Burton moved to pass 2nd Substitute S.B. 92 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 0.

Yeas-10

Nays-0

Absent-0

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Rep. M. Kohler
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2 . H.B. 174 Municipal Instant Runoff Voting Amendments (Robertson, A.)

Rep. Adam Robertson presented the bill.

[HB 174 Handout](#)

Cory Holdaway, Utah Ranked Choice Voting, spoke against the bill.

Ricky Hatch, Weber County Clerk Auditor, spoke to the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Weight moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 0.

Yeas-10

Nays-0

Absent-0

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Chair Dunnigan adjourned the meeting at 10:06 a.m.