



MINUTES

HOUSE POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS STANDING COMMITTEE

Monday, January 23, 2023 | 2:00 p.m. | 120 Senate Building

Members Present:

Rep. James A. Dunnigan, Chair
Rep. Michael L. Kohler, Vice Chair
Rep. Gay Lynn Bennion
Rep. Paul Cutler
Rep. Jason Kyle
Rep. Trevor Lee
Rep. Rosemary T. Lesser
Rep. Anthony Loubet

Rep. Jordan D. Teuscher
Rep. R. N. Walter

Members Absent:

Rep. Matthew H. Gwynn

Staff Present:

Nathan W. Brady, Policy Analyst
Linda Service, Committee Secretary

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

Chair Kohler called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

1. H.B. 157 County Office Consolidation Amendments (Petersen, M.)

Rep. Peterson presented the bill assisted by Brian McKenzie, Davis County Clerk.

Yasmin Alvarado, Lieutenant Governor's Office, spoke in support of the bill.

MOTION: Rep. Cutler moved to replace H.B. 157 with 1st Substitute H.B. 157.

Rep. Cutler withdrew the motion.

MOTION: Rep. Cutler moved to replace H.B. 157 with 1st Substitute H.B. 157. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 1.

Yeas - 10

Rep. G. Bennion
Rep. P. Cutler
Rep. J. Dunnigan
Rep. M. Kohler
Rep. J. Kyle
Rep. T. Lee
Rep. R. Lesser
Rep. A. Loubet
Rep. J. Teuscher
Rep. R. Walter

Nays - 0

Absent - 1

Rep. M. Gwynn

MOTION: Rep. Teuscher moved to amend 1st Substitute H.B. 157 with Amendment #1. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 1.

Amendment 1
1st Sub. H.B. 157

1. Page 2, Lines 38 through 40:

38 (3) Each county legislative body shall ensure that any ordinance consolidating or
39 separating county offices:

40 (a) is enacted before the [February] [~~December~~] November 1 of the year before the year in which

Yeas - 10

Nays - 0

Absent - 1

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Rep. J. Kyle
Rep. T. Lee
Rep. R. Lesser
Rep. A. Loubet
Rep. J. Teuscher
Rep. R. Walter

Rep. M. Gwynn

MOTION: Rep. Lesser moved to pass 1st Substitute H.B. 157 out favorably as amended. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 1.

Yeas - 10

Nays - 0

Absent - 1

Rep. G. Bennion
Rep. P. Cutler
Rep. J. Dunnigan
Rep. M. Kohler
Rep. J. Kyle
Rep. T. Lee
Rep. R. Lesser
Rep. A. Loubet
Rep. J. Teuscher
Rep. R. Walter

Rep. M. Gwynn

MOTION: Rep. Loubet moved to approve the minutes of of January 18, 2023. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 1.

Yeas - 10

Nays - 0

Absent - 1

Rep. G. Bennion
Rep. P. Cutler
Rep. J. Dunnigan
Rep. M. Kohler
Rep. J. Kyle
Rep. T. Lee
Rep. R. Lesser
Rep. A. Loubet
Rep. J. Teuscher
Rep. R. Walter

Rep. M. Gwynn

MOTION: Rep. Lesser moved to adjourn the meeting at 2:16 p.m. The motion passed with a vote of 10 - 0 - 1.

Yeas - 10

Nays - 0

Absent - 1

Rep. G. Bennion
Rep. P. Cutler
Rep. J. Dunnigan
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Rep. J. Kyle
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Chair Kohler adjourned the meeting at 2:17 p.m.