



# MINUTES

## SENATE TRANSPORTATION, PUBLIC UTILITIES, ENERGY, AND TECHNOLOGY STANDING COMMITTEE

LEGISLATURE

Tuesday, January 24, 2023 | 2:00 p.m. | 220 Senate Building

**Members Present:**

Sen. Wayne A. Harper, Chair  
Sen. Jacob L. Anderegg  
Sen. Don L. Ipson  
Sen. Karen Kwan  
Sen. Kathleen A. Riebe

**Members Absent:**

President J. S. Adams  
Sen. Ann Millner

**Staff Present:**

Rachel Brooks, Policy Analyst  
Karen C. Allred, Committee Secretary

Note: A copy of related materials and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at [www.le.utah.gov](http://www.le.utah.gov).

Chair Harper called the meeting to order at 2:13 p.m.

**MOTION:** Sen. Riebe moved to approve the minutes of January 19, 2023. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 4.

Yeas - 3

Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. K. Kwan  
Sen. K. Riebe

Nays - 0

Absent - 4

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. A. Millner

**1. S.C.R. 2 Concurrent Resolution Regarding the Environmental Impact of Vehicle Idling (Fillmore, L.)**

Sen. Lincoln Fillmore presented the bill.

Lauren Griffith, citizen, spoke in favor of the bill.

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

Yeas - 4

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. K. Kwan  
Sen. K. Riebe

Nays - 0

Absent - 3

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. A. Millner

**2. S.B. 85 License Plate Requirement Amendments (Fillmore, L.)**

Sen. Lincoln Fillmore presented the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Anderegg moved to pass S.B. 85 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 2.

Yeas - 5

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Kwan  
Sen. K. Riebe

Nays - 0

Absent - 2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. A. Millner

**3. S.B. 95 Foreign Driver License Reciprocity Amendments (Stevenson, J.)**

Sen. Jerry W. Stevenson presented the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Ipson moved to pass S.B. 95 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 2.

Yeas - 5

Nays - 0

Absent - 2

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Kwan  
Sen. K. Riebe

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. A. Millner

#### **4. H.B. 44 Transportation Corridor Funding Amendments (*Christofferson, K.*)**

Rep. Kay J. Christofferson presented the bill.

Andrew Jackson, Executive Director, Mountainland Association of Governments, spoke in favor of the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Anderegg moved to pass H.B. 44 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 2.

Yeas - 5

Nays - 0

Absent - 2

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Kwan  
Sen. K. Riebe

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. A. Millner

#### **5. H.B. 49 Motor Vehicle Safety Inspection Advisory Council Amendments (*Peterson, K.*)**

Rep. Karen M. Peterson presented the bill.

Colonel Mike Rappich, Utah Highway Patrol, spoke in favor of the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Ipson moved to pass H.B. 49 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 2.

Yeas - 5

Nays - 0

Absent - 2

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Kwan  
Sen. K. Riebe

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. A. Millner

Sen. Anderegg assumed the chair.

#### **6. 2nd Sub. S.B. 27 Transportation Revisions (*Harper, W.*)**

Sen. Wayne A. Harper presented the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Harper moved to replace 2nd Substitute S.B. 27 with 3rd Substitute S.B. 27. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 2.

Yeas - 5

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Kwan  
Sen. K. Riebe

Nays - 0

Absent - 2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. A. Millner

Karson Eilers, Senior Analyst, Utah League of Cities and Towns, spoke in favor of the bill.

Mike Sontag, American Property and Casualty Insurance Company Association and Bear River Insurance Company, spoke to the bill.

Colonel Mike Rappich, Utah Highway Patrol, spoke in favor of the bill.

Barbara Christensen, President, Utah Professional Towing Alliance, spoke to the bill.

Scott Ruf, Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer, Mountain Valley Emergency Communications Center, spoke in favor of the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Ipson moved to pass 3rd Substitute S.B. 27 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 2.

Yeas - 5

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Kwan  
Sen. K. Riebe

Nays - 0

Absent - 2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. A. Millner

Sen. Harper resumed the chair.

**MOTION:** Sen. Anderegg moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 5 - 0 - 2.

Yeas - 5

Sen. J. Anderegg  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. D. Ipson  
Sen. K. Kwan  
Sen. K. Riebe

Nays - 0

Absent - 2

Sen. J. Adams  
Sen. A. Millner

Chair Harper adjourned the meeting at 2:52 p.m.