

**MINUTES OF THE
WORKFORCE SERVICES & COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
STANDING COMMITTEE
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2007 - 9:30 A.M.
Room W015, West Office Building, State Capitol Complex**

Members Present: Sen. Mark Madsen, Committee Chair
Sen. Fred Fife
Sen. Patricia Jones
Sen. Dennis Stowell

Members Excused: Sen. Dan Eastman
Sen. Sheldon Killpack

Staff Present: Art Hunsaker, Policy Analyst
Norda Shepard, Committee Secretary

Public Speakers Present: Rep. Bradley M. Daw
Nicole Toomey Davis, Director, Centers of Excellence
Bob Carter, CEO, Flying Sensors

A list of visitors is filed with the committee minutes.

Chair Madsen called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m.

1. Approval of Minutes

MOTION: Sen. Fife moved to approve the minutes of February 7, 2007.

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Jones and Sen. Stowell absent at the time of the vote.

2. H.B. 125 Centers of Excellence Amendments

Rep. Bradley M. Daw presented the bill. Nicole Toomey Davis, Director, Centers of Excellence, presented a slide presentation and spoke in support. Bob Carter, CEO, Flying Sensors, also spoke in support.

MOTION: Sen. Jones moved to pass H.B. 125, Centers of Excellence Amendments, out of committee with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Stowell moved to adjourn.

The motion passed unanimously.

Chair Madsen adjourned the meeting at 9:55 a.m.

Minutes were reported by Norda Shepard, Secretary.

Sen. Mark Madsen, Committee Chair