

MINUTES OF THE
SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES, AGRICULTURE, AND ENVIRONMENT
STANDING COMMITTEE
Wednesday, February 3, 2010
415 State Capitol, Utah State Capitol Complex

Members Present: Sen. Dennis Stowell, Chair
 Sen. Allen Christensen
 Sen. Karen Morgan
 Sen. Ralph Okerlund
 Sen. Gene Davis
 Sen. Margaret Dayton

Staff Present: J Brian Allred, Policy Analyst
 Ernest Hayes, Secretary

Public Speakers Present: Ned Pierson, Executive Director, RWAU
 Kent Jones, State Engineer, Water Rights

A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

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

1. Welcome and Approval of Minutes

Chair Stowell welcomed the committee and visitors

MOTION: Sen. Dayton moved to approve the minutes from January 29, 2010 and February 2, 2010.

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Davis and Sen. Christensen absent from the vote.

2. H.B. 34 Water Storage Projects (M. Noel)

Rep. Noel introduced the bill.

Ned Pierson, Executive Director of RWAU spoke in favor of the bill. Kent Jones, State Engineer, spoke on favor of the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Dayton moved to pass H.B. 34 out with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Dayton moved to adjourn.

The motion passed unanimously.

Chair Stowell adjourned the meeting at 9:10 a.m.

Minutes reported by Ernest Hayes, Secretary

Dennis E. Stowell, Committee Chair