

MINUTES OF THE MEETING  
HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE  
50TH LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The meeting of the House Appropriations Committee was called to order by Chairman Rep. Gene Donaldson on March 31, 1987 at 8:00 a.m. in Room 104 of the State Capitol.

ROLL CALL: All members were present at the meeting except Rep. Thoft who was excused and Rep. Iverson who was absent. Also in attendance was Peter Blouke, LFA and Denise Thompson, Secretary.

HB 891:

Rep. Williams presented his bill to use coal tax monies to balance the budget. There were amendments to remove 1987 numbers from the bill (Exhibit 1). He said the interest comes from coal tax revenue from interest from school trust because of 4 programs which come out of the general fund.

Mr. Dave Hunter, Director, OPBB recommended the legislature take action and adopt the amendments if they plan to move the bill to the floor as the 1987 money should be removed.

(120:A:6.16) Mr. Russ Brown of the Northern Plains Resource Council spoke against the bill saying monies taken from the trust should be replaced with interest. It should not be borrowed from the trust fund.

Rep. Spaeth questioned Mr. Brown if they were requesting spending authority only to put the money into Agriculture as it is their number 1 job in Montana.

Rep. Williams closed on the bill by saying the future is today. This money was set aside for the future and now is the future.

EXECUTIVE ACTION:

Rep. Spaeth moved to accept the amendments to the bill (Exhibit 1). The motion CARRIED unanimously.

Rep. Spaeth moved to TABLE 891 as amended. Rep. Miller called the question. Reps. Quilici, Nathe, and Switzer voted NO. The motion CARRIED.

HB 899:

Rep. Cobb stated the bill would provide direct loans up to \$100,000. Loans could be made at a lot lower rate than

banks are now charging. Rep. Devlin moved to TABLE 899. Rep. Quilici called the question. The motion CARRIED unanimously.

HB 907: (120:A:28.23) Rep. Quilici moved to TABLE HB 907 regarding the Job Training Program. Rep. Peck called the question. Reps. Devlin, Nathe, Swift and Winslow voted NO. The motion CARRIED.

HB 909:

Rep. Bardanouve stated the bill would save a few dollars of local assessments on property at the county level and some general fund. It will allow the Revenue Department to determine the number of county assessors needed in a given county.

(120:A:35.34) Rep. Nathe expressed concern that some county assessors may need help and won't get it. This is a small attempt to make a small savings.

Rep. Bardanouve moved to DO PASS HB 909. Reps. Swift, Nathe, Devlin voted NO. The motion CARRIED.

HB 900: Rep. Winslow stated the bill would assist pregnant teenagers. Rep. Spaeth moved to TABLE HB 900. Rep. Bardanouve called the question. Rep. Bradley voted NO. The motion CARRIED.

HB 838: Rep. Swift referred to Exhibit 2, he said he confirmed his commitment from the previous day that this does set up a statutory regulation and the subcommittee does not wish to do that.

Rep. Swift moved to TABLE 838. The motion CARRIED unanimously.

HB 897: Rep. Spaeth moved to TABLE 897. The motion CARRIED unanimously.

HB 881:

Rep. Bradley moved to reconsider action on the museum bill, HB 881 saying she wanted to amend it to \$50,000 the first year and \$100,000 the second year for a total of 150,000. Rep. Nathe called the question. There was a roll call vote. Reps. Bardanouve, Bradley, Connelly, Menahan, Nathe, Poulsen and Spaeth voted YES. Reps. Winslow, Devlin, Menke, Miller, Peck, Rehberg, Swift and Switzer voted NO. The motion FAILED by 7 to 8.

HB 870 & 871:

(120:B:11.25) Rep. Miller discussed HB 870 and HB 871 saying cutting the appropriation in half and giving the institutions teachers hope is better than nothing. This would be no increase in 1988 and the amount of \$244,000 in 1989.

(120:B:24.00) Rep. Miller moved to reconsider action on HB 870 and 871 involving 93 teachers. There was a roll call vote. Reps. Bradley, Connelly, Devlin, Manuel, Menahan, Menke, Miller, Peck, Poulsen, Quilici, Spaeth, Swift and Switzer voted YES. Reps. Winslow, Bardanouve, Nathe and Rehberg voted NO. The motion CARRIED by a vote of 13 to 4.

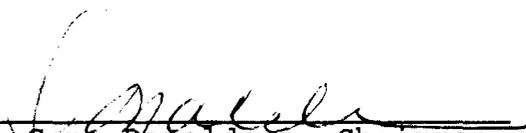
Rep. Spaeth moved to take the same amount of money and place one half the first year and one half in the second year. Rep. Peck called the question. The motion CARRIED.

Rep. Miller moved that 870 and 871 be amended \$122,000 for each year of the biennium. Rep. Donaldson called the question. Reps. Switzer and Rehberg voted NO. The motion CARRIED.

(120:B:30.50) Rep. Miller moved both bills DO PASS as AMENDED. Rep. Donaldson called the question. There was a roll call vote. Reps. Donaldson, Bardanouve, Bradley, Connelly, Devlin, Manuel, Menahan, Menke, Miller, Nathe, Peck, Poulsen, Rehberg, Spaeth, Swift, and Switzer voted YES. Rep. Winslow voted NO. The motion CARRIED.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business before the committee the meeting was adjourned.

  
Rep. Gene Donaldson, Chairman

DAILY ROLL CALL

APPROPRIATIONS

COMMITTEE

50th LEGISLATIVE SESSION -- 1987

Date 5/31/87

NAME	PRESENT	ABSENT	EXCUSED
DONALDSON, GENE Chairman			
THOFT, REP. BOB Vice Chair			✓
WINSLOW, REP. CAL	✓		
BARDANOUE, FRANCIS	✓		
BRADLEY, DOROTHY	✓		
CONNELLY, MARY ELLEN	✓		
DEVLIN, GERRY	✓		
IVERSON, DENNIS			
MANUEL, REX	✓		
MENAHAN, RED	✓		
MENKE, LARRY	✓		
MILLER, RON	✓		
NATHE, DENNIS	✓		
PECK, RAY	✓		
POULSEN, HAROLD	✓		
QUILICI, JOE	✓		
REHBERG, DENNIS	✓		
SPAETH, GARY	✓		
SWIFT, BERNIE	✓		
SWITZER, DEAN	✓		

ROLL CALL VOTE

HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS

COMMITTEE

DATE 3/31/87

BILL NO. HB 881

NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

NAME	AYE	NAY
Rep. Gene Donaldson, Chairman		
Rep. Bob Thoft, Vice Chairman		
Rep. Cal Winslow, Vice Chairman		
Rep. Francis Bardanouve		
Rep. Dorothy Bradley		
Rep. Mary Ellen Connelly		
Rep. Gerry Devlin		
Rep. Dennis Iverson		
Rep. Rex Manuel		
Rep. Red Menahan		
Rep. Larry Menke		
Rep. Ron Miller		
Rep. Dennis Nathe		
Rep. Ray Peck		
Rep. Harold Poulsen		
Rep. Joe Quilici		
Rep. Dennis Rehberg		
Rep. Gary Spaeth		
Rep. Bernie Swift		
Rep. Dean Switzer		

TALLY FAILED

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Denise Thompson  
Secretary

Rep. Gene Donaldson  
Chairman

MOTION: Rep. Bradley moved to reconsider action on 881 in order to  
reduce the amounts to \$50,000 the first year and \$100,000 the  
second year.

ROLL CALL VOTE

HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS

COMMITTEE

DATE 3/31/87 BILL NO. House Bills NUMBER 870&871

NAME	AYE	NAY
Rep. Gene Donaldson, Chairman		
Rep. Bob Thoft, Vice Chairman		
Rep. Cal Winslow, Vice Chairman		✓
Rep. Francis Bardanouve		✓
Rep. Dorothy Bradley		
Rep. Mary Ellen Connelly		
Rep. Gerry Devlin		
Rep. Dennis Iverson		
Rep. Rex Manuel	✓	
Rep. Red Menahan	✓	
Rep. Larry Menke	✓	
Rep. Ron Miller	✓	
Rep. Dennis Nathe		✓
Rep. Ray Peck	✓	
Rep. Harold Poulsen	✓	
Rep. Joe Quilici	✓	
Rep. Dennis Rehberg		✓
Rep. Gary Spaeth	✓	
Rep. Bernie Swift	✓	
Rep. Dean Switzer	✓	

TALLY CARRIED

13      4

Denise Thompson  
Secretary

Rep. Gene Donaldson  
Chairman

MOTION: Rep. Miller moved to reconsider action on HB 870&871

ROLL CALL VOTE

HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS

COMMITTEE

DATE 3/31/87 BILL NO. House Bills NUMBER 870 & 871

NAME	AYE	NAY
Rep. Gene Donaldson, Chairman	✓	
Rep. Bob Thoft, Vice Chairman		
Rep. Cal Winslow, Vice Chairman		
Rep. Francis Bardanouve		
Rep. Dorothy Bradley		
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Rep. Harold Poulsen		
Rep. Joe Quilici		
Rep. Dennis Rehberg		
Rep. Gary Spaeth	✓	
Rep. Bernie Swift	✓	
Rep. Dean Switzer		

TALLY

CARRIED

16      1

Denise Thompson  
Secretary

Rep. Gene Donaldson  
Chairman

MOTION: Rep. Miller moved that HB 870 and 871 DO PASS AS AMENDED.

EXHIBIT 1  
DATE 3/31/87  
RS. 891

Amendment to HB 891

Page 1

Line 7

Strike: 1987,

Page 3

Line 1

Strike: all of line 1, renumber following subsections

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CURRENT STATUS OF HARD ROCK FUNDS

	REVENUE TYPE	* APPROPRIATION TYPE	STATE	AGENCY	* LEGIS.	STATUTORY
	SPECIAL	FUND				
ADMINISTRATION	X	*	X			
ARBITRATION & MITIGATION	X	*	X			
LOCAL TRUST	X	*	X			
LOCAL IMPACT	X	*	X			

PROPOSED STATUS OF HARD ROCK FUNDS

	REVENUE TYPE	* APPROPRIATION TYPE	STATE	AGENCY	* LEGIS.	STATUTORY	NONE
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ADMINISTRATION	X	*	X				
ARBITRATION & MITIGATION	X	*	X				
LOCAL TRUST	X	*	X				
LOCAL IMPACT	X	*	X				

*[Signature]* 3/30/87

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

EXHIBIT

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DATE 3/31/87

MARCH 27, HB 870-871 1987

Mr. Speaker: We, the committee on EDUCATION AND CULTURAL RESOURCES

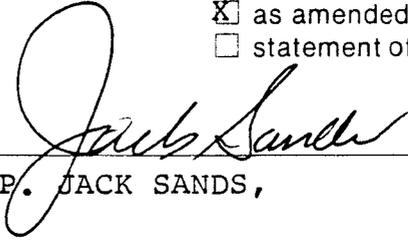
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do pass  
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be concurred in  
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as amended  
 statement of intent attached

TAKEN FROM ED. COMMITTEE



REP. JACK SANDS,

Chairman

1. Title, line 5.

Strike: "PRESCRIBE" through "SCHEDULE"

Insert: "ADJUST THE SALARIES"

2. Title, line 6.

Strike: "PROFESSIONAL"

Insert: "CERTIFIED OR LICENSED"

Strike: "AND STAFF"

3. Title, lines 7 through 11.

Strike: "THAT" on line 7 through "BLIND" on line 11

4. Title, line 12.

Strike: "UPGRADING"

Insert: "ADJUSTING"

Strike: "SALARY SCHEDULE"

Insert: "SALARIES"

5. Title, line 13.

Strike: "IMMEDIATE"

6. Page 1, line 16.

Strike: "staff"

Insert: "faculty"

7. Page 1, line 17.

Strike: "professional"

Insert: "certified or licensed"

Strike: "and staff"

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Insert: "adjust the salaries for certified or licensed faculty so that the cost of the adjustment is equal to the appropriation in [section 2]"

9. Page 2, line 9.

Strike: "\$150,000"

Insert: "\$46,058"

MARCH 27, 1987

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Insert: "adjusting"

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Strike: "professional"

Insert: "certified or licensed"

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Strike: "and staff"

12. Page 2, lines 21 and 22.

Strike: "on" on line 21 through "approval" on line 22

Insert: "July 1, 1987"

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3/31/87

HB 870 & 871

MARCH 27, 1987

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