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MONTANA SENATE 52nd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON STATE ADMINISTRATION

Call to Order: By Chairperson Eleanor Vaughn, on February 22, 1991, at 10: A.M. in room 331.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Eleanor Vaughn, Chairman (D) Bob Pipinich, Vice Chairman (D) John Jr. Anderson (R) Chet Blaylock (D) James Burnett (R) Harry Fritz (D) Jack Rea (D)

Members Excused: Senator Bernie Swift

Members Absent: Senator William Farrell and Senator Bob Hockett

Staff Present: David Niss (Legislative Council).

Please Note: These are summary minutes. Testimony and discussion are paraphrased and condensed.

Announcements/Discussion: None

HEARING ON SENATE BILL 448

Presentation and Opening Statement by Sponsor:

Senator Tom Towe, Senate District 46, said Senate Bill 448 directs the Montana Department of Institutions to transfer the buildings and land of the old Montana State Prison to the Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation for continued operation as a The city of Deer Lodge has leased the complex and then museum. sub-leased to a museum complex. There are tours through the old museum, the Towe Ford Collection, which is the largest Ford collection in the world, a Doll Museum, old Powell County Museum, and the Montana Law Enforcement Memorial and Museum. This is managed by the Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation. There are problems with the buildings, the roofs leak, the asbestos factor is very high in certain areas, deterioration from age and lack of upkeep. The state's position is not to spend any money on these old buildings. If someone wants to lease it and fix the problems, they can. The State can't give away holdings; they are required by law to sell for fair market value for what the purchaser will use it for. The Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation doesn't have the funds to buy the complex, but they do

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want to own or lease for 99 years so that repairs and remodeling can be done with assurance they will be there.

Proponents' Testimony:

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Dick Bauman, President of Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation, said long range planning is essential to their future. Grants are difficult to get, partly because of the lease arrangements of State to Deer Lodge to Foundation. The Montana Law Enforcement Museum is one of the finest in the country and others use it for a pattern. (Exhibit 3, 4, 5) The tourist industry is very important to their operation.

Jack Hinkle, Treasurer of the Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation Board, explained that the foundation has, over the past 10 years, invested around 1 million dollars into stopping the deterioration of the old prison and 10 times that amount could be spent in the next few years. A purchase or a 99 year lease would enable them to commit funds to the repairs and remodeling. They want to extend permanent arrangements to exhibitors. They want to search for grants. They want to build a museum complex that is an honor to the State. They presently have a print shop, Old Cottonwood City, Flatbar Jail Cell, etc. (Exhibit 1, 6)

Opponents' Testimony:

Bill Fleiner, Montana Sheriff's and Peace Officers Association, , opposes this bill because they are concerned about the possible underlying intentions and implications with regard to their existence within the Old Montana State Prison. He read a faxed letter from Owen Brown stating that the Foundation's present administrator sought to revoke many previously made promises that were instrumental in the Montana Law Enforcement Museum's decision to occupy and renovate space within Old Montana State Prison. (Exhibit 2) This is a memorial to slain peace officers and it is sacred ground. They would withdraw their opposition to the bill if it was amended to give the Montana Law Enforcement Museum and Memorial a permanent residence.

Olin Brown, Montana Livestock Inspectors Association, said they would be in favor of this bill if it would be amended to guarantee the Montana Law Enforcement Museum a permanent home.

Questions From Committee Members:

Senator Pipinich asked Tom Towe to answer this opposition.

Senator Towe agrees that the Montana Law Enforcement Museum should have a guarantee and he will amend the bill to do that.

Senator Burnett asked about the constitutionality of the sale arrangement that Senator Towe suggested?

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Senator Towe said this works and there is very little problem constitutionally. It went through the Attorney General's office and the Highway Attorney's office for Zoo Montana in Billings.

Senator Rea asked what the City of Deer Lodge said? Mayor Labbe wrote, plus the Chamber of Commerce wrote. (Exhibits 3 and 4)

Senator Anderson said this is a landmark for the State of Montana and should be preserved. This museum is a non-profit deal and we should support such efforts.

Closing by Sponsor:

Senator Towe said that the amendment should be added to Page 2, line 25 saying "Any agreement shall assure the preservation of adequate space for the Montana Law Enforcement Museum." This bill is important to the people of Deer Lodge, the Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation and it's important to have security so they can get on with the work ahead of them. The State Department of Institutions is anxious to get rid of this problem complex.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SENATE BILL 448

Motion:

Senator Pipinich moved to accept the AMENDMENT to Senate Bill 448 that guarantees the Montana Law Enforcement Museum and Memorial adequate space. (Exhibit 7)

Amendments, Discussion, and Votes:

The VOTE to AMEND SENATE BILL 448 was UNANIMOUS. (Exhibit 7)

Senator Burnett moved to amend so that their would be a length of time to take the complex back to use as a prison again. Attorney Niss pointed out that the bill allows the department to lease or sell. If they lease it, that would be possible.

Senator Fritz said on page 3, lines 9 and 10, the Department of Institutions may establish appropriate conditions, including the provision for reversion, should the property cease to be used for a museum. Senator Burnett withdrew his motion to amend. He wants to be certain if the state needs the buildings it would have the opportunity to get it back if the museum cease to exist.

Senator Blaylock thinks the bill is written correctly in this regard. Would they have to renovate it back into prison use? Senator Vaughn said the suggested amendment would put a real cloud over the situation. Senator Pipinich said the reversion is in the bill.

Rea asked in the event of sale what happens? Attorney Niss

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responded that with a reversion clause, if it is no longer used for a museum purpose, the state could have the reversionary interest first.

Senator Burnett moved that it would have a 100 year lease and amend the bill on page 2, line 23 to removed "by sale". The VOTE was 1 yes and 6 no. Motion failed to amend the bill to just lease for 99 years.

Recommendation and Vote:

Senator Pipinich moved that we DO PASS AS AMENDED SENATE BILL 448. The VOTE was 6 yes and 1 no. Senate Bill 448 is approved as amended.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SENATE BILL 421

Discussion:

Senator Vaughn explained that Senate Bill 421 still doesn't have a fiscal note completed for it. It is providing public employees terminating employment with the option of lump-sum payment for accumulated sick leave or credit against the payment of health insurance premiums to the extent of the accumulated sick leave. The figures given her for the 100% it could cost the state 2.2 million dollars. At 75 percent the cost would be 1.5 million dollars. At 50 percent the cost would be 735 thousand dollars. Senate Bill 421 also impacts the county and city budgets, which would probably equal the same amount across the state.

Attorney Niss asked if that was 100% of the sick leave available? Senator Vaughn responded yes.

Amendments, Discussion, and Votes:

Senator Fritz moved to AMEND SENATE BILL 421 to allow employees, which stipulates that only 1/4 of the sick leave can be applied to health insurance. That would have no fiscal impact. The law now says that 1/4 of it is calculated as ending salary payment. The employee would have a choice of whether or not to take the lump sum or let it pay his health insurance premiums.

Senator Rea asked if this is hypothetical or is there a trust fund that has that money? Senator Fritz responded you still have to use vacancy savings to pay benefits to those leaving employment.

Tom Schneider said this will keep the bill alive and he's willing to work on the process.

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will be sent to the House with 1/4 of the benefit could be applied to health insurance payments.

Recommendation and Vote:

Senator Fritz moved to DO PASS AS AMENDED SENATE BILL 421. The VOTE was 6 yes and 1 no. Senate Bill 421 is approved as amended. (Exhibit 8)

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SENATE BILL 325

Motion:

Senator Pipinich moved to RECONSIDER SENATE BILL 325.

Discussion:

Senator Pipinich explained that Senate Bill 325 has a same day voting and registering plan in it. There is a bill in the House that has absentee registration for the troops. If we kill this bill, it will automatically kill that bill. Senate Bill 325 went out of this committee yesterday with an adverse committee report and he wants to bring it back and table the bill.

Recommendation and Vote:

The VOTE to RECONSIDER SENATE BILL 325 was UNANIMOUS. Senator Pipinich moved to TABLE SENATE BILL 325. The VOTE was UNANIMOUS to TABLE SENATE BILL 325.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment At: 11:10 A.M.

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ELEANOR YAUGHN, Chairman

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ROLL CALL

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SENATOR CHET BLAYLOCK	χ		
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SENATOR HARRY FRITZ	X		
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MUSEUM POST

Powell County Museum & Arts Foundation

VOL. V December, 1990 SENATE STATE AUMIN. EXHIBIT NO. DATE BILL NO. A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Members and Friends,

What is a museum all about? It's about people. The things they did, their foresight, their perseverance, their greed, their kindness. It's about telling the children in all of us about the deeds of our forefathers. It's about imagination. It's about people donating their time to make all this possible. A museum is about the people of a community, their past, present, and future. As such, it cannot exist without your support.

The Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation is working hard to fulfill the goals set by this community. We are increasing tourism, we are preserving the Old Montana Prison, we are trying to tell the history of Powell County. We are also trying to develop Deer Lodge as a center for the performing arts. It takes time, it takes money, it takes volunteers and community support.

you will find reports on our progress. It's your progress, too, for it reflects the progress of Deer Lodge and Powell County. I am not certain that tourism can turn Deer Lodge into a Shangrila or a Camelot, but it can be an even bigger source of revenue than it presently enjoys. All it takes is your support.

Join today, buy a series ticket to the summer theatre, and consider the purchase of a history book. Be a volunteer! You'll be glad you did. You'll learn something, have a laugh, and appreciate our past--all while helping build the economy of Deer Lodge. Such a deal!

Sincerely yours,

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Dick Bauman President

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MONTANA LAW ENFORCEMENT MUSEUM, INC.

"In Historic Old Montana State Prison" P.O. Box 107 Deer Lodge, Montana 59722

A Non-profit, Educational and Historical Organization

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Office of the Warden, Montana State Prison

MEMBER OF:

Museums Association of Montana Gold West Country of Montana Senator Eleanor L. Vaughn, Chairman Senate State Administration Committee Capitol Station Helena, MT 59620

RE: SB448 (Towe), Transfer of Old Montana State Prison to Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation.

Dear Madam Chairman and honorable members of the Senate State Administration Committee:

Due to the shorthess of time between the introduction and committee hearing of SB448, members of our organization, Board of Directors and the professional criminal justice associations of Montana may not be able to personally attend and testify to their concerns over SB448. Therefore, we request that this letter and accompanying prepared testimony be placed and recorded as a matter of the official record before your scheduled hearing set for 10:00 a.m. on 22 February.

The Board of Directors of the Montana Law Enforcement Museum and Officers' Memorial is very much concerned over SB448's possible underlying intentions and implications with regard to our existence within the Old Montana State Prison. The Montana Law Enforcement Museum has experienced difficulties with the Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation's present administrator, who is a member-owner in the Towe-Ford Collection family and brother to Senator Tom Towe who has introduced this bill from Billings. For the committee's information, the Towe-Ford Collection occupies sizable space within Old Montana State Prison. Prior to obtaining our 1989 contract-lease with the Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation, the Foundation's present administrator sought to revoke many previously made promises that were instrumental in the Montana Law Enforcement Museum's decision to occupy and renovate space within Old Montana State Prison.

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He also made attempts to overtake control of the operations and properties of the law museum, which are solely in the seperate and incorporated hands and ownership of the state's law enforcement professional associations. After six months of arduous negotiations, the fact that the State of Montana owns the Old Prison properties and that representatives of every sector of Montana's law enforcement community became involved in the final negotiations meeting was what brought favorable conclusion to a contract-lease which will expire in 1994.

For this and other experiences since then in dealing with the Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation administrator, the Montana Law Enforcement Museum Board of Directors is not in favor of SB448 as presently drafted and fear that we will loose control of our existance within the Old Montana State Prison. We would, however, be in favor of this bill if ammended in such a way as to safeguard the permanent existance and growth of the Montana Law Enforcement Museum at its present site, under the Montana Law Enforcement Museum Board of Directors' guaranteed ownership and control. Thank you.

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Montana Law Enforcement Museum, I am respectfully,

Officer T. L. Tyler, Coordinator-Executive Director of Operations

cc: Senator Bob Pipinich Senator Tom Beck Senator J.D. Lynch Representative Gary Beck Representative Dave Brown Representative Fritz Daily Representative Dan Harrington Representative Bea McCarthy Representative Red Menahan Representative Robert Pavlovich Representative Joe Quilici Senator Judy Jacobson Senator Lawrence Stimatz ۰.

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To the Senate State Administration Committee:

The 1991 Legislature has the opportunity before them, that on the behalf of the State of Montana and its citizens, to give a tangible expression of support, appreciation and recognition to all the past and present dedicated law enforcement and corrections professionals of our state. Support, appreciation and recognition long overlooked in the past for their all too often unrecognized, invaluable contributions so justly deserving.

One of the greatest lifts this state could give its ninty slain in the line of duty officers who died upholding its laws, to their families left behind, and to those who remain the safeguards of our life, property and freedom is to promise that their contributions, sacrifices selfless dedication and jobs well done. are not and will not be taken in vain or forgotten. We simply have a moral duty to acknowledge for all time and for all to see, with more than just kind words, our men and women of the law enforcement and corrections professionals who in service to our communities are subject more than anyone to become tragic victims of brutal violence and life threatening catastrophe each and every day they keep on going, serving and protecting those who for the most part are strangers to them. Where else do we find such men and women willing to "lay their lives on the line" so that each of us may continue to live our lives without constant fear of injury, violence, lawlessness, or impending death to ourselves or our loved ones? It's time to recognize and thank the brave, dedicated and often anonymous public servants without whom the very safety and well being of this state and its people would be in far greater danger than it is today.

That tangible expression is here today available that can prove most effectively and encompass all; as well as provide the state with the most gualified and effective vehicle for the historical and educational preservation of Montana's neglected law enforcement and corrections histories.

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Since 1985, the non-profit Montana Law Enforcement Museum and Officers' Memorial, owned and operated by the professional criminal justice associations of Montana, has occupied space within Old Montana State Prison in Deer Lodge. By 1989, the museum and memorial gained such support and interest statewide that it quickly expanded to over three times its original size. That support and interest has not subsided since and is rapidly on the increase, excelling in notority and popularity among its professions and public not only from across this great state of Montana, but from across the nation as well.

The opportunity and tangible expression of support, appreciation and recognition today exists for the Montana State Legislature in guaranteeing that the Montana Law Enforcement Museum and Officers' Memorial will have a perpetual home and that it may have every opportunity to grow and excell by ammending SB448 to transfer ownership of Old Montana State Prison's historic Administration Building in its entirety, its stoned wall Tower #7 and that section of fenced walkway from Tower #7 to the Administration Building to the Montana Law Enforcement Museum, Inc.

We respectfully make this request on behalf of Montana's law enforcement, criminal justice and corrections communities, and on behalf of all those who have died in serving and protecting this state in those capacities.

-Board of Directors, Montana Law Enforcement Museum, Inc.

R.F. LABBE, Mayor

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City Attorney

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February 20, 1991

Eleanor L. Vaughn, Chairman State Administration Committee Capitol Station Helena, MT 59620

Dear Chairman Vaughn:

I strongly support and hereby give my wholehearted approval to the transfer of the title of the Old Montana Prison to the Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation.

They have kept this facility open to the public continuously since June of 1979 which has greatly benefitted Deer Lodge. To the best of my knowledge, they have done this without any substantial cash money support from either the city or county governments.

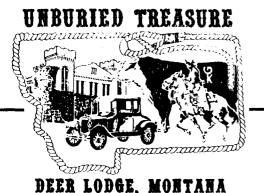
It would be beneficial to everyone involved if Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation could feel secure in their future by having control of the Old Montana Prison complex.

Very sincerely,

R. F. Labbe Mayor

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BARBARA P. McOMBER, CLERK DIXIE HENDERSON, Treasurer



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Chamber of Commerce

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February 20, 1991

State Administration Committee Eleanor L. Vaughn, Chairperson Capitol Station Helena, MT 59620

Dear Chairperson Vaughn:

The Powell County Chamber of Commerce supports Senate Bill #448. The Powell County Museum and Arts Foundation has successfully operated the Old Montana Prison as a tourist attraction and museum for over ten years. They have done so with very little support other than what they generated themselves. The Chamber believes that this facility is important to Deer Lodge's economy as it brings over 60,000 visitors each year to our town. Yet the future is uncertain as there is nothing to guarantee that in fifteen years the State of Montana will close the facility.

Over 200 community members volunteer their time each year to help run the Old Prison Complex. Hundreds of thousands of dollars have been spent fixing the roofs and doing other work to stabilize the buildings. It is all non-profit, it is all for the good of the community and for the enjoyment of the citizens of Montana and the rest of the country. The future should be secure, not subject to the whim of the State Department of Institutions.

Thank you.

Sincerely, lynn Patty Flynn

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For the Committee on State Administration

Prepared by David S. Niss February 22, 1991

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Insert: "RETIRING"

2. Title, line 5. Strike: "TERMINATING EMPLOYMENT" Insert: "OR EMPLOYEES SURVIVING DEPENDANTS"

3. Title, lines 6 AND 7. Strike: "CREDIT AGAINST THE"

4. Title, line 7. Following: "PREMIUMS" Insert: "EQUAL"

5. Title, lines 7 and 8. Strike: "THE EXTENT" Insert: "25%"

6. Page 2, line 7.
Following: "agency"
Insert: "other than by retirement"
Strike: "either"

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SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Bigned: Eleanor Vaughn, Chairman

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