

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 58

INTRODUCED BY DUSSAULT, SCULLY, QUILICI,  
GERKE, OBERG, HAND, ROSENTHAL, KEMMIS, VINCENT

IN THE HOUSE

March 19, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Education and Cultural Resources.
March 30, 1979	Committee recommend bill do pass as amended. Report adopted.
March 31, 1979	Printed and placed on members' desks.
April 2, 1979	Second reading, do pass.
April 3, 1979	Considered correctly engrossed.  Third reading, passed. Transmitted to second house.

IN THE SENATE

April 4, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Finance and Claims.
April 9, 1979	Committee recommend bill be not concurred in as amended.

IN THE HOUSE

April 9, 1979	Returned from second house. Not concurred in as amended.
April 11, 1979	On motion request of Senate granted for return of HJR No. 58 for further consideration.

IN THE SENATE

April 12, 1979	Returned from House. Placed on second reading.
April 13, 1979	Motion pass consideration.
April 16, 1979	Second reading, concurred in.
April 17, 1979	Third reading, concurred in as amended.

IN THE HOUSE

April 18, 1979	Returned from second house. Concurred in as amended.  Second reading, amendments adopted.  Third reading, amendments adopted. Sent to enrolling.  Reported correctly enrolled.
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2 INTRODUCED BY *Shusane Scully, Larkin*  
3 *Gerbe Olug, Hand, Rosenthal, Kemmis* VINCENT  
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5 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MONTANA REQUESTING THE  
6 LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON PRIORITIES TO APPOINT A JOINT  
7 COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT AN INTERIM STUDY ON THE FUNDING OF THE  
8 MONTANA UNIVERSITY SYSTEM.  
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11 funding problems of the Montana university system; and

12 WHEREAS, the existing formula for funding the six units  
13 of the university system is in need of critical reevaluation  
14 and refinement; and

15 WHEREAS, any reevaluation of funding for the university  
16 system should involve the participation of all parties with  
17 an interest in higher education.  
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19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE  
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21 That the Legislative Committee on Priorities is  
22 requested to appoint a joint committee to conduct an interim  
23 study and present recommendations and proposed legislation  
24 to the 47th Legislature concerning changes and refinements  
25 in funding formulas that would promote efficiency and

1 effectiveness in the Montana university system.

2 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Higher  
3 Education, the units of the Montana university system,  
4 student associations, the office of the Governor, and the  
5 staff of the Legislative Fiscal Analyst are requested to  
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APPROVED BY COMM. ON  
EDUCATION & CULTURAL RESOURCES

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9 MONTANA UNIVERSITY SYSTEM AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICTS.  
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11 WHEREAS, the Montana Legislature recognizes the special  
12 funding problems of the Montana university system AND THE  
13 COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICTS; and

14 WHEREAS, the existing formula FORMULAS for funding the  
15 six units of the university system is AND THE COMMUNITY  
16 COLLEGE DISTRICTS ARE in need of critical reevaluation and  
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6 COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICTS.

7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Higher  
8 Education, THE COORDINATOR OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICTS,  
9 COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT TRUSTEES, the ADMINISTRATION,  
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April 12, 1979

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

That House Joint Resolution No. 58, third reading bill, be amended as follows:

1. Title, line 9.  
Following: "SYSTEM"  
Insert: "AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICTS"
2. Page 1, line 12.  
Following: "system"  
Insert: "and the community college districts"
3. Page 1, line 13.  
Following: "existing"  
Strike: "formula"  
Insert: "formulas"
4. Page 1, line 14.  
Following: "system"  
Strike: "is"  
Insert: "and the community college districts are"
5. Page 1, line 17.  
Following: "system"  
Insert: "or community college districts"
6. Page 2, line 2.  
Following "system"  
Insert: "and among the community college districts"
7. Page 2, line 4.  
Following: "Education"  
Insert: "the coordinator of community college districts, community college district trustees,"
8. Page 2, line 5.  
Following: "system"  
Insert: "and the community colleges"