

JOINT WAYS AND MEANS

March 1, 2024
10:30 AM

Hearing Room F

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Elizabeth Steiner, Co-Chair
Sen. Fred Girod, Co-Vice Chair
Sen. Dick Anderson
Sen. Wlnsvey Campos
Sen. Michael Dembrow
Sen. Lynn Findley
Sen. Lew Frederick
Sen. Sara Gelsner Blouin
Sen. Bill Hansell
Sen. Tim Knopp
Sen. Janeen Sollman

Rep. Tawna Sanchez, Co-Chair
Rep. David Gomberg, Co-Vice Chair
Rep. Greg Smith, Co-Vice Chair
Rep. Vikki Breese-Iverson
Rep. Paul Evans
Rep. Jeffrey Helfrich
Rep. Paul Holvey
Rep. Rick Lewis
Rep. Kevin Mannix
Rep. Susan McLain
Rep. Khanh Pham
Rep. Andrea Valderrama

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:

Rep. Mark Owens

STAFF PRESENT:

Amanda Beitel, Legislative Fiscal Officer
Vivian Stair, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS:

Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

00:00:40

[Meeting Called to Order](#)

00:00:41

Representative Sanchez, Presiding Co-Chair

00:01:16

[HB 4080 Relating to offshore wind energy development](#)

00:01:23

MOTION: Rep. Holvey reads the Subcommittee Recommendation

00:03:11

Co-Chair Sanchez

00:03:21

Sen. Findley

00:04:22

Josh Nasbe, Legislative Director, Bureau of Labor and Industries

00:05:22

Sen. Findley

00:05:39

Mr. Nasbe

00:05:41

Sen. Findley

00:06:07 Mr. Nasbe
00:06:18 Sen. Findley
00:06:50 Mr. Nasbe
00:06:57 Sen. Findley
00:07:28 Rep. Holvey
00:10:36 Sen. Findley
00:10:59 Rep. Mannix
00:12:23 Sen. Hansell
00:13:29 Sen. Dembrow
00:16:14 Co-Vice Chair Gomberg
00:17:53 Co-Vice Chair Smith
00:18:18 Mr. Nasbe
00:18:28 Co-Vice Chair Smith
00:19:52 Sen. Anderson
00:21:33 Sen. Campos
00:22:49 Co-Chair Sanchez
00:23:20 Rep. Evans
00:24:03 Rep. Holvey
00:25:06 Co-Vice Chair Girod
00:26:00 VOTE: 16-7-1
Ayes: Sens., Campos, Dembrow, Frederick, Gelser Blouin, Knopp, Sollman, Steiner; Reps. Evans, Gomberg, Holvey, Mannix, McLain, Pham, Sanchez, Smith, Valderrama
Nays: Sens. Anderson, Findley, Girod, Hansell; Reps. Breese-Iverson, Helfrich, Lewis
Exc: Owens
MOTION CARRIES

00:26:38 **HB 4082 Relating to funding for expanded learning opportunities**
00:26:46 MOTION: Rep. McLain reads the Subcommittee Recommendation
00:28:21 VOTE: 23-0-1
Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Campos, Dembrow, Findley, Frederick, Gelser Blouin, Girod, Hansell, Knopp, Sollman, Steiner; Reps. Breese-Iverson, Evans, Gomberg, Helfrich, Holvey, Lewis, Mannix, McLain, Pham, Sanchez, Smith, Valderrama
Exc: Owens
MOTION CARRIES

00:28:29 **HB 4084 Relating to the education of foster children**
00:28:36 MOTION: Rep. McLain reads the Subcommittee Recommendation
00:30:12 VOTE: 23-0-1
Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Campos, Dembrow, Findley, Frederick, Gelser Blouin, Girod, Hansell, Knopp, Sollman, Steiner; Reps. Breese-Iverson, Evans, Gomberg, Helfrich, Holvey, Lewis, Mannix, McLain, Pham, Sanchez, Smith, Valderrama

Exc: Owens
MOTION CARRIES

- 00:30:18** **HB 4129 Relating to in-home service providers**
- 00:30:26** MOTION: Sen. Gelser Blouin reads the Subcommittee Recommendation
- 00:31:47** Sen. Gelser Blouin
- 00:32:46** Co-Vice Chair Girod
- 00:33:56** Co-Vice Chair Smith
- 00:36:50** Sen. Gelser Blouin
- 00:37:52** Sen. Anderson
- 00:38:57** Amanda Beitel, Legislative Fiscal Officer
- 00:39:27** Co-Chair Steiner
- 00:40:07** Sen. Anderson
- 00:40:53** Co-Chair Steiner
- 00:41:36** Sen. Gelser Blouin
- 00:42:39** Rep. Mannix
- 00:44:30** Sen. Gelser Blouin
- 00:45:47** Rep. McLain
- 00:46:53** Co-Vice Chair Smith
- 00:47:16** Sen. Hansell
- 00:47:30** Sen. Gelser Blouin
- 00:47:44** Sen. Hansell
- 00:47:50** Co-Chair Sanchez
- 00:49:10** Sen. Hansell
- 00:49:18** Co-Chair Sanchez
- 00:49:31** Co-Chair Steiner
- 00:49:49** Rep. Mannix
- 00:50:16** VOTE: 15-8-1
Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Campos, Dembrow, Frederick, Gelser Blouin, Sollman, Steiner; Reps. Evans, Gomberg, Holvey, McLain, Pham, Sanchez, Smith, Valderrama
Nays: Sens. Findley, Girod, Hansell, Knopp; Reps. Breese-Iverson, Helfrich, Lewis, Mannix
Exc: Owens
MOTION CARRIES
- 00:50:50** **HB 4136 Relating to health care**
- 00:50:57** MOTION: Rep. Valderrama reads the Subcommittee Recommendation
- 00:52:08** Rep. Mannix
- 00:52:34** Co-Vice Chair Girod
- 00:53:10** VOTE: 23-0-1
Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Campos, Dembrow, Findley, Frederick, Gelser Blouin, Girod, Hansell, Knopp, Sollman, Steiner; Reps. Breese-Iverson, Evans, Gomberg, Helfrich, Holvey, Lewis, Mannix, McLain, Pham, Sanchez, Smith, Valderrama

Exc: Rep. Owens
MOTION CARRIES

00:53:15 **HB 4151 Relating to youth behavioral health**

00:53:23 MOTION: Sen. Campos reads the Subcommittee Recommendation

00:54:20 Sen. Sollman

00:54:54 Rep. Evans

00:55:38 VOTE: 23-0-1

Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Campos, Dembrow, Findley, Frederick, Gelser Blouin, Girod, Hansell, Knopp, Sollman, Steiner; Reps. Breese-Iverson, Evans, Gomberg, Helfrich, Holvey, Lewis, Mannix, McLain, Pham, Sanchez, Smith, Valderrama

Exc: Rep. Owens

MOTION CARRIES

00:55:45 **HB 4153 Relating to artificial intelligence**

00:55:53 MOTION: Sen. Campos reads the Subcommittee Recommendation

00:57:01 Co-Vice Chair Girod

00:57:38 Co-Vice Chair Gomberg

00:58:05 VOTE: 23-0-1

Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Campos, Dembrow, Findley, Frederick, Gelser Blouin, Girod, Hansell, Knopp, Sollman, Steiner; Reps. Breese-Iverson, Evans, Gomberg, Helfrich, Holvey, Lewis, Mannix, McLain, Pham, Sanchez, Smith, Valderrama

Exc: Rep. Owens

MOTION CARRIES

00:58:10 **SB 1522 Relating to individuals with intellectual disabilities**

00:58:19 MOTION: Sen. Gelser Blouin reads the Subcommittee Recommendation

00:59:07 Sen. Gelser Blouin

01:00:10 Rep. Mannix

01:01:13 Co-Vice Chair Girod

01:01:46 Sen. Gelser Blouin

01:05:29 Sen. Hansell

01:06:02 Rep. Evans

01:06:51 Rep. Mannix

01:07:27 Co-Vice Chair Smith

01:07:42 Sen. Gelser Blouin

01:10:02 Rep. Mannix

01:10:10 Sen. Knopp

01:10:53 Rep. Helfrich

01:11:08 Co-Chair Sanchez

01:11:28 VOTE: 14-9-1

Ayes: Sens., Campos, Dembrow, Frederick, Gelser Blouin, Sollman, Steiner; Reps. Evans, Gomberg, Holvey, Mannix, McLain, Pham, Sanchez, Valderrama

Nays: Sens. Anderson, Findley, Girod, Hansell, Knopp; Reps. Breese-Iverson,

Helfrich, Lewis, Smith

Exc: Owens

MOTION CARRIES

01:12:01 Sen. Hansell

01:12:15 Amanda Beitel, Legislative Fiscal Officer

01:12:24 Meeting Adjourned