

**JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS**  
**SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES**

February 18, 2025  
3:00 PM

Hearing Room H-170

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Sen. Lew Frederick, Co-Chair  
Sen. Dick Anderson  
Sen. Chris Gorsek

Rep. Emerson Levy, Co-Chair  
Rep. Vikki Breese-Iverson  
Rep. John Lively  
Rep. Mark Owens

**MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:**

Rep. Annessa Hartman

**STAFF PRESENT:**

April McDonald, Legislative Fiscal Office  
Vivian Stair, Committee Assistant

**EXHIBITS:**

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

**00:00:30**      [Meeting Called to Order](#)  
**00:00:31**      Representative Levy, Presiding Co-Chair  
**00:00:42**      April McDonald, Legislative Fiscal Office  
  
**00:01:25**      [SB 5543 Water Resources Department](#)  
**00:01:44**      Angela Parada, Chief Financial Office, Department of Administrative Services  
**00:08:02**      Ivan Gall, Director, Water Resources Department  
**00:27:00**      Sen. Gorsek  
**00:27:24**      Mr. Gall  
**00:28:28**      Sen. Gorsek  
**00:28:52**      Co-Chair Levy  
**00:29:08**      Mr. Gall  
**00:57:42**      Rep. Owens  
**00:58:24**      Mr. Gall  
**00:59:40**      Rep. Owens  
**00:59:56**      Mr. Gall  
**01:01:38**      Rep. Owens

01:02:29 Mr. Gall  
01:09:31 Rep. Owens  
01:09:44 Mr. Gall  
01:15:50 Sen. Gorsek  
01:16:10 Mr. Gall  
01:17:43 Sen. Gorsek  
01:18:20 Mr. Gall  
01:19:35 Rep. Lively  
01:20:12 Mr. Gall  
01:21:32 Racquel Rancier, Deputy Director of Strategy and Administration, Water  
Resources Department  
01:21:59 Co-Chair Levy  
01:22:14 Mr. Gall  
01:23:37 Co-Chair Levy  
01:23:49 Mr. Gall  
01:24:13 Co-Chair Levy  
01:24:41 April McDonald, Legislative Fiscal Office  
  
01:24:55 Meeting Adjourned