

Assembly

MINUTES OF MEETING - COMMITTEE ON STATE, COUNTY AND CITY AFFAIRS  
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Meeting was called to order at 11:35 a.m.

Chairman Hilbrecht opened discussion as soon as a quorum was present. He announced that Mrs. Tyson has requested AB 83 deferred until further meeting pending new information that had been received.

Present: Hilbrecht, Garfinkle, Dini, Bryan Hafen, Smith, Roy Young, Wooster, McKissick.

Absent: Tyson.

AB 58: The Chairman indicated that this bill was set for consideration at this time giving time to Mrs. Tyson to clarify the technical point she wanted to investigate. He stated that her investigation had revealed no objection to the bill.

Wooster moved Do Pass AB 58.  
Smith seconded.  
Motion unanimously passed.

AB 60: This bill waives certain fees from being payable to county clerks by the State and its political subdivisions. Discussion developed that the intent of the bill was purely for standardization throughout the State. It was noted by Roy Young that Elko County and several other counties were not included in the bill and wondered why.

Garfinkle moved AB 60 continued for consideration until a determination could be made on the omission of certain counties from the bill.  
Dini seconded.  
Motion unanimously passed.

AB 28: Chairman Hilbrecht indicated that copies of the Uniform Time Act had been made available and that contrary to previous concepts the Governor could not allow any local options under the Act and that it is an unqualified requirement that the entire state go on Daylight Saving time for half the year or remain on Standard Time the year around.

Mr. Dini suggested that perhaps a resolution memorializing Congress to amend would grant the relief expressly requested by the interested parties from White Pine and Lincoln Counties.

Dini moved AB 28 to be tabled by the Committee.  
Garfinkle seconded.  
Motion unanimously passed.

Chairman Hilbrecht selected Mr. Dini and Mr. Garfinkle to handle necessary remarks on the floor of the Assembly.

AB 54: This matter before the committee has been held in abeyance pending an opportunity to get a report from the state representative at the Colorado River Commission hearings. Chairman Hilbrecht stated that an informal meeting with Mr. Jim Heald has been held and that under the proposals before Congress water could be pumped out of the Lake with 3 percent federal monies but that under any plan the state would be required to provide treatment facilities financed by state monies.

Mr. Roy Young emphasized that AB 54 would broaden the revenue bond law which would be necessary to develop this water project the vital importance of which all members of the committee fully recognized.

Hal Smith interjected here that some municipalities involved in the development of this water project are fearful that the broadening of the powers in this bill may force them to support a facility they could not fully utilize. He suggested that a full research of this area of the bills effect would be appropriate.

Chairman Hilbrecht stated that it had been his intent to appoint a subcommittee to research both this measure and AB 59 from the revenue, bonding aspects. Appointed to this subcommittee were Smith, Dini, McKissick, Wooster, and Bryan Hafen. Chairman Hilbrecht deferred further consideration of AB 54 and 59 pending a report from this subcommittee.

AB 45: Discussion of this bill aroused a question as to whether or not the bill would accomplish its intent with regard to the establishment of legal holidays throughout the state. Chairman Hilbrecht, upon suggestion of the committee, stated that AB 45 would be removed from the General File.

Chairman Hilbrecht stated that the Wednesday, February 8 agenda be devoted to policy discussion with regard to various political subdivision proposals to merge or consolidate. Discussion developed that the Clark County representatives would be present at that time and their measures could be heard and that the other interested groups could be heard later. The Chairman then set Friday, February 10 for hearings from the Ormsby-Carson City and the Washoe County groups on the merger proposals.

Meeting adjourned at 12:40 p.m.