

MINUTES OF THE  
MEETING OF THE JOINT COMMITTEES  
OF SENATE FINANCE AND ASSEMBLY WAYS AND MEANS

SIXTY-FIRST SESSION  
NEVADA STATE LEGISLATURE  
May 25, 1981

The Joint Session of the Senate Finance Committee and the Assembly Ways and Means Committee was called to order by Chairman Floyd R. Lamb on Monday, May 25, 1981, at 9:00 a.m., in Room 234 of the Legislative Building, Carson City, Nevada. Exhibit A is the Meeting Agenda.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT - ASSEMBLY WAYS AND MEANS:

Mr. Roger Bremner, Chairman  
Mr. Thomas J. Hickey, Vice Chairman  
Mr. Louis W. Bergevin  
Mr. William D. Brady  
Mr. Alan Glover  
Mrs. Karen W. Hayes  
Mr. Steven A. Coulter  
Mr. Nicholas J. Horn  
Mr. John Marvel  
Mr. Dean Rhoads  
Mr. John Vergiels  
Mrs. Peggy Westall  
Mr. Robert E. Robinson

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT - SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Senator Floyd R. Lamb, Chairman  
Senator James I. Gibson, Vice Chairman  
Senator Norman D. Glaser  
Senator Eugene V. Echols  
Senator Lawrence E. Jacobsen  
Senator Thomas R.C. Wilson  
Senator Clifford E. McCorkle

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

Ronald W. Sparks, Chief Fiscal Analyst  
Dan Miles, Deputy Fiscal Analyst  
Bill Bible, Fiscal Analyst  
Judy Metteucci, Deputy Fiscal Analyst  
Candace Chaney, Secretary

ACROSS THE BOARD BUDGET REDUCTIONS:

Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee with their across the board budget reductions.

Senator Glaser seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

MEDICAL CARE UNIT (Pg. 588)

Mr. Robinson moved to concur with the Senate Finance Committee for the second year of the biennium and to retain the co-payment recommended for each year. In addition, they agreed to freeze the practitioner's fees at the July 1980 level for fiscal year 1982, providing that in the freezing of fees, the agency may come to Interim Finance for an increase in those fees to be done within the capped amount of the budget for the second year of the biennium.

The motion was seconded by Assemblyman John Vergiels.

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Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee, the first year of the biennium.

Senator McCorkle seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

LABOR COMMISSION (Pg. 741)

Mr. Vergiels moved to concur with the Senate Finance Committee.

Mr. Horn seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

PARK IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (Pg. 1045)

Mr. Glover moved to concur with the Senate Finance Committee for paving the Churchill beach.

Mr. Horn seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

STATE AGENCIES TRAINING (Pg. 1031)

Senator McCorkle moved to supplement this budget by \$15,000 for training.

Senator Jacobsen seconded the motion.

The motion carried. (Senators Lamb, Gibson, and Wilson voted "No")

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Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Ways and Means Committee on the State Training budget.

Senator Wilson seconded the motion.

The motion carried. (Senators Echols, McCorkle, and Jacobsen voted "No")

DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES (Pg. 780)

Mr. Bergevin moved to concur with the Senate Finance Committee.

Mr. Marvel seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

DIVISION OF WATER PLANNING (Pg. 784)

Mr. Bergevin moved to concur with the Senate Finance Committee.

Mr. Marvel seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

STATE PARK PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT (Pg. 818)

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Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee to delete one Senior Landscape Architect, one Park and Recreation Specialist II for the second year, and to adjust the operating expenses accordingly.

Senator Jacobsen seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

NEVADA STATE LIBRARY

Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee to amend the budget to provide \$100,000 each year for library development, and, in connection with that, Indefinitely Postpone Senate Bill No. 26. In addition, a letter is to be sent, if the Federal library development money did not materialize, they could request funding from Interim Finance.

Senator Jacobsen seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

NATIONAL GUARD BENEFITS (Pg. 600)

Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee.

Senator Echols seconded the motion.

The motion carried. (Senator Jacobsen voted "No")

FIRE MARSHAL DIVISION (Pg. 727)

Senator Wilson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee.

Senator Jacobsen seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

INSURANCE DIVISION (Pg. 715)

Senator McCorkle moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee.

Senator Jacobsen seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

CONSUMER AFFAIRS DIVISION (Pg. 702)

Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee.

Senator Echols seconded the motion.

The motion carried. (Senator Wilson voted "No")

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR (Pg. 2)

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Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee.

Senator Wilson seconded the motion.

The motion carried. (Senators McCorkle and Jacobsen voted "No")

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Mr. Hickey moved to concur with the Senate Finance Committee by agreeing to amend this budget by adding an unclassified secretary.

Mr. Brady seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

OFFICE OF OPERATIONAL ANALYSIS (Pg. 6)

Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee.

Senator Wilson seconded the motion.

The motion carried. (Senators Jacobsen and McCorkle voted "No")

COMPREHENSIVE STATEWIDE PLANNING (Pg. 7)

Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee and to send a letter to the agency if Federal MX monies were not available, they could come to Interim Finance.

Senator Wilson seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

COMPREHENSIVE STATEWIDE PLANNING - FEDERAL FUNDS (Pg. 10)

Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee.

Senator Jacobsen seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

HAZARDS PREPAREDNESS PLANNING - CIVIL DEFENSE (Pg. 608)

Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee.

Senator Wilson seconded the motion.

The motion carried. (Senators Jacobsen and McCorkle voted "No")

CIVIL DEFENSE AND DISASTER AGENCY (Pg. 601)

Senator Gibson moved to concur with the Assembly Ways and Means Committee.

Senator Wilson seconded the motion.

The motion carried. (Senators McCorkle and Wilson voted "No")

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There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by:

Candace L. Chaney, Secretary

APPROVED BY:

Senator Floyd R. Lamb, Chairman

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

SENATE AGENDA

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Committee on FINANCE, Room 234.

Day MONDAY, Date MAY 25, 1981, Time 9:00 a.m.

1. JOINT SESSION WITH ASSEMBLY WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE.