

**MINUTES OF THE
SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES, AGRICULTURE & ENVIRONMENT
STANDING COMMITTEE
Room 415, Utah State Capitol
February 6, 2014**

Members Present: Sen. Scott K. Jenkins, Chair
Sen. Allen M. Christensen
Sen. Jim Dabakis
Sen. David P. Hinkins
Sen. Ralph Okerlund
Sen. Evan J. Vickers

Members Excused: Sen. Peter C. Knudson

Staff Present: Mr. Brian Allred, Policy Analyst
Ms. Karen C. Allred, Committee Secretary

NOTE: A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Chair Jenkins called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

There were no minutes to approve.

S.B. 165 Trial Hunting Authorization (*R. Okerlund*)

Sen. Okerlund explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Robin Cahoon, Legislative Relations, Division of Wildlife Resources

MOTION: Sen. Hinkins moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Christensen absent for the vote.

S.C.R. 6 Concurrent Resolution Calling on Congress to Fully Fund the Payments in Lieu of Taxes Program (*Sen. Okerlund*)

MOTION: Sen. Okerlund moved to replace S.C.R. 6 with 1st Sub. S.C.R. 6. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Christensen absent for the vote.

Sen. Okerlund explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Mark Ward, Utah Association of Counties
Gordon Todd, Sevier County Commissioner
Rep. Mike Noel
Chris Sloan, Past President Utah Association of Realtors, Tooele County
Doug Heaton, Kane County Commissioner

MOTION: Sen. Dabakis moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Christensen absent for the vote.

H.B. 13 Rural Waste Disposal (*R. Menlove*)

Rep. Menlove explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke to the bill: Scott Anderson, Director, Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste
Mr. Lynn Pace, Mayor, Advisor, Salt Lake City

Spoke for the bill: Sterling Brown, Vice President Public Policy, Utah Farm Bureau

Spoke in opposition to the bill: Dwayne Woolley, General Manager, Trans-Jordan Cities

MOTION: Sen. Hinkins moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Okerlund absent for the vote.

H.B. 28 Wildlife License Expiration Amendments (*M. Noel*)

Rep. Noel explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke for the bill: Robin Cahoon, Legislative Relations, Division of Wildlife Resources

Spoke to the bill: Mr. Sterling Brown, Vice President, Public Policy, Utah Farm Bureau

MOTION: Sen. Christensen moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Okerlund absent for the vote.

MOTION: Sen. Dabakis moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Okerlund absent for the vote.

Chair Jenkins adjourned the meeting at 9:00 a.m.

Sen. Scott K. Jenkins, Chair