

MINUTES
HOUSE LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

DATE: Monday, March 02, 2015

TIME: 1:30 P.M.

PLACE: Room EW05

MEMBERS: Chairman Luker, Vice Chairman Sims, Representatives Barbieri, Perry, Clow, Horman, Malek, Collins, Cheatham, Loertscher, Redman, Kloc, McCrostie, Nye

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** Representative(s) Barbieri, Perry

GUESTS: None

Chairman Luker called the meeting to order at 2:51 PM.

Chairman Luker welcomed the new secretary, **Francoise Cleveland**, to the committee.

S 1045: **Rep. Rudolph** presented to the committee **S 1045** which eliminates the requirement for the Port of Lewiston to publish their audited financial report in a newspaper within 45 days of the end of its fiscal year. He said with new accounting standards, 45 days is an extremely short period of time. The language in this legislation aligns with current Idaho Code 67-450B, Independent Financial Audit of Local Government Entities, which details filing requirements for Idaho cities, counties, and districts.

MOTION: **Rep. Kloc** made a motion to send **S 1045** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation.

In response to a question, **Rep. Rudolph** said the Port could not publish notice until the completion of the independent audit. This aligns with current code for cities and counties that audits will happen within nine months. The due date would be within 30 days of the completion of the audit.

VOTE ON MOTION: **Motion carried by voice vote. Rep. Rudolph** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:58 PM.

Representative Luker
Chair

Francoise Cleveland
Secretary