

MINUTES  
**HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Thursday, February 14, 2019

**TIME:** 9:00 A.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW40

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Harris, Vice Chairman Armstrong, Representatives Crane, Palmer, Barbieri, Holtzclaw, Monks, Zito, Scott, Andrus, Hartgen, Young, Smith, Gannon, Green(18)

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** None

**GUESTS:** Jonathan Parker, Chelsea Wilson, PPA; Quinn Perry, ISBA; Russell Westerberg, RMP/FIBA; Alli, ICI

**Chairman Harris** called the meeting to order at 8:59 AM

**RS 26874:** **Rep. Raymond** presented **RS 26874**, legislation relating to emergency declarations and sole-source declarations in regards to competitive bids for goods and services. **Rep. Raymond** explained that current statute states an emergency declaration must be made before a sole-source declaration can be made. The proposed legislation will allow a sole-source declaration to be made without an emergency declaration being made first.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Smith** made a motion to introduce **RS 26874. Motion carried by voice vote.**

**RS 26877:** **Rep. Raymond** presented **RS 26877**, relating to public notices of political subdivision purchasing. The proposed legislation would add verbiage that would allow public notices for IT procurements be posted online in lieu of publishing in a newspaper. The suggestion for the change was made by the Idaho Association of Cities and would allow an alternative method for securing RFP's. The bill is specific to IT procurements.

In response to be committee questions, **Rep. Raymond** answered that local publications may not reach out to the public far enough and this legislation would allow publishing of public notices both in local papers and online.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Monks** made a motion to introduce **RS 26877. Motion carried by voice vote. Rep. Armstrong** requested he be recorded as voting **NAY**.

**RS 26611C1:** **Rep. Boyle** presented **RS 26611C1**, legislation proposing the development of a Federal land issues council.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Monks** made a motion to introduce **RS 26611C1**.

In response to committee questions, **Rep. Boyle** answered the language in the proposed legislation was taken from the Indian Affairs Committee and she interprets the language to mean members from the minority party can participate.

**VOTE ON  
MOTION:** **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**H 134:** **Rep. Syme** presented **H 134**, legislation adding the word "plaza" to the section of Idaho Code relating to the serving and sale of beer and wine. The change would have plazas fall under the same guidelines as ballparks, sports arenas, etc.

In response to committee questions, **Rep. Syme** answered this legislation specifically applies to special events. The legislation would expand the area to the confines of the whole plaza, not just a specific, small area.

**MOTION:** **Rep. Hartgen** made a motion to send **H 134** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation.

**Jonathan Parker**, PPA, testified in support of **H 134**. He stated that Idaho State Police will still determine licensed areas. It was under the recommendation of the Attorney General to add the word "plaza" to this section of Idaho Code.

**VOTE ON MOTION:** **Motion carried by voice vote. Reps. Andrus, Palmer, Harris, and Zito** requested they be recorded as voting **NAY. Rep. Syme** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 9:43 AM.

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Representative Harris  
Chair

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Julia Grief  
Secretary