

MINUTES
SENATE RESOURCES & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

DATE: Wednesday, March 20, 2024

TIME: 1:00 P.M.

PLACE: Room WW55

MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairman Burtenshaw, Vice Chairman Adams, Senators Guthrie, Harris, Okuniewicz, Schroeder, Semmelroth, and Taylor

ABSENT/ EXCUSED: Senator Den Hartog

NOTE: The sign-in sheet, testimonies and other related materials will be retained with the minutes in the committee's office until the end of the session and will then be located on file with the minutes in the Legislative Services Library.

CONVENED: **Chairman Burtenshaw** called the meeting of the Senate Resources and Environment Committee (Committee) to order at 1:02 p.m.

RS 31674C1 **Relating to Endowment Trust Lands. Unanimous Consent Request for Referral to a Privileged Committee for Printing. Representative Raymond** explained that there were some entities that had expressed an interest in leasing state endowment lands for nontraditional purposes. To ensure that these entities were good stewards of state lands, this legislation required the Board of Lands and the Department of Lands to develop policy guidance for leasing activities to protect the value of the land.

DISCUSSION: **Senator Taylor** asked for an example of a nontraditional purpose. **Representative Raymond** provided two examples, one was dispersed camping, and the second was glamping. He stated glamping had been especially destructive to state lands.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT REQUEST: **Senator Guthrie** requested unanimous consent to send **RS 31674C1** to a Privileged Committee for printing. There were no objections.

H 586 **FISH AND GAME - Adds to existing law to require nonresidents to procure a hunting license prior to collecting, possessing, or transporting certain antlers or horns.** No further testimony was taken. **H 586** was presented in Committee on March 13, 2024 and testimony was heard at that meeting. **Representative Burns** provided a copy of suggested amendments (Attachment 1) and requested that the Committee send this legislation to the 14th Order of Business for amendment.

MOTION: **Senator Schroeder** moved to send **H 586** to the 14th Order of Business for possible amendment. **Senator Harris** seconded the motion. The motion carried by **voice vote**.

MINUTES APPROVAL: **Senator Taylor** moved to approve the Minutes of February 28, 2024. **Senator Harris** seconded the motion. The motion carried by **voice vote**.

MINUTES APPROVAL: **Senator Harris** moved to approve the Minutes of March 4, 2024. **Senator Schroeder** seconded the motion. The motion carried by **voice vote**.

MINUTES APPROVAL: **Senator Semmelroth** moved to approve the Minutes of March 11, 2024. **Senator Okuniewicz** seconded the motion. The motion carried by **voice vote**.

MINUTES APPROVAL: **Senator Schroeder** moved to approve the Minutes of March 13, 2024. **Senator Harris** seconded the motion. The motion carried by **voice vote**.

- PRESENTATION:** **Acknowledgement of Page - Ashley Richardson.** Ms. Richardson shared that after high school she was moving to Virginia to work for the summer and then she was moving to California to be an au pair.
- DISCUSSION:** **Senator Burtenshaw** asked if she had any plans to continue her education. **Ms. Richardson** responded that she hoped to attend Brigham Young University and study interior design.
- ADJOURNED:** There being no further business at this time, **Chairman Burtenshaw** adjourned the meeting at 1:13 p.m.

Senator Burtenshaw
Chair

Shelly Johnson
Secretary