

MINUTES

HOUSE ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY & TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE

DATE: Tuesday, January 14, 2025

TIME: 1:30 P.M.

PLACE: Room EW41

MEMBERS: Chairman Barbieri, Vice Chairman Furniss, Representatives Vander Woude, Horman, Scott, Wisniewski, Raybould, Redman, Bruce, Burgoyne, Fuhriman, Tanner(13), Thompson, Rubel, Egbert, Galaviz

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** None

GUESTS: The sign-in sheet will be retained in the committee secretary's office; following the end of session the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Library.

Chairman Barbieri called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

Chairman Barbieri welcomed the committee and introduced **Lincoln Hendricks**, committee page; **Wendy Carver-Herbert**, committee secretary; and **Dr. Cailin Casey**, Science Policy Fellow/LSO. Dr. Casey explained her role and availability to the entire committee to do non-partisan legislative and scientific research. Chairman Barbieri said he has asked Dr. Casey to research the distinction between contrails, chemtrails and cloud seeding. **Rep. Horman** suggested Dr. Casey contact **Janet Jessup**, Budget & Policy/LSO, who has been tasked with getting information on the same subject.

Chairman Barbieri thanked **Rep. Egbert** and **Rep. Fuhriman** for agreeing to serve as the committee's minutes proofreaders.

Chairman Barbieri reviewed committee guidelines and expectations as they relate to being an electronic committee, and confidentiality of RSs and materials placed in electronic committee folders. RSs and some materials are not public until after presented in committee.

Chairman Barbieri discussed the Administrative Rules and the Legislature's opportunity to have more control over how they are implemented and enforced. He asked committee members to analyze each docket and write a brief statement about what the proposed rules do, and separately, what the changes are. The goal of the exercise is to help the committee have a better understanding of whether the proposed rules meet original intent of statute and federal law. He assigned half the dockets to members on his right and the other half of the dockets to the members on his left, with the goal of reconvening at the next committee meeting to discuss.

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

Representative Barbieri
Chair

Wendy Carver-Herbert
Secretary