

MINUTES
HOUSE JUDICIARY, RULES & ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

DATE: Thursday, February 19, 2026

TIME: 1:30 P.M.

PLACE: Room EW42

MEMBERS: Chairman Skaug, Vice Chairman Alfieri, Representatives Scott, Ehardt, Erickson, Garner, Handy, Hawkins, Hill, Hostetler, Pohanka, Shirts, Hall (Stone), Gannon, Mathias, Rubel

**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 Skaug called the meeting to order at 1:30pm.

MOTION: **Rep. Pohanka** made a motion to approve the February 11, 2026, February 13, 2026, and February 17, 2026 meeting minutes. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

H 660: **Chairman Skaug** removed **H 660** from the agenda at the sponsor's request.

H 689: **Rep. Handy** presented **H 689** regarding administrative subpoenas.

Chief Deputy Jeff Nye, Criminal Investigation, Idaho Office of the Attorney General, testified **in support**.

MOTION: **Rep. Scott** made a motion to send **H 689** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Handy** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

H 690: **Rep. Handy** presented **H 690** regarding sobriety drug monitoring programs and the Attorney General.

Chief Deputy Jeff Nye, Criminal Investigation, Idaho Office of the Attorney General, testified **in support**.

MOTION: **Rep. Alfieri** made a motion to send **H 690** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Handy** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

H 698: **Rep. Garner** presented **H 698** regarding voting and felonies in other states.

Committee inquired regarding history of treason charges in Idaho.

MOTION: **Rep. Ehardt** made a motion to send **H 698** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Garner** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

Chairman Skaug turned the gavel over to **Vice Chairman Alfieri**.

H 603: **Chairman Skaug** presented **H 603** regarding the Capitol Mall, property, and camping.

Caleb Jacobs, Cicero Action, testified **in support**.

Committee inquired regarding clarification of infractions, and catalyst of legislation.

MOTION: Rep. Scott made a motion to send H 603 to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** Reps. Rubel, Gannon, and Mathias requested to be recorded as voting **NAY.** Rep. Skaug will sponsor the bill on the floor.

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 1:53pm.

Representative Skaug
Chair

Nancy Conrad
Secretary