

Approved: April 26, 2006
Date

MINUTES OF THE SENATE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Dwayne Umbarger at 10:35 A.M. on March 13, 2006, in Room 123-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Senator Vicki Schmidt- excused
Senator Mark Taddiken- excused

Committee staff present:

Jill Wolters, Revisor of Statutes Office
Michael Corrigan, Revisor of Statutes Office
Alan Conroy, Director, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Reagan Cussimano, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Audrey Dunkel, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Julian Efird, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Debra Hollon, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Amy VanHouse, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Judy Bromich, Chief of Staff
Mary Shaw, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: None

Others attending:

See attached list.

Bill Introductions

Senator Wysong moved, with a second by Senator Teichman, to introduce a bill concerning school districts; at-risk education grant program (5rs2279). Motion carried on a voice vote.

The Chairman mentioned that there was \$6 million dollars in damage at the University of Kansas campus in Lawrence from a storm that moved through the area on March 12, 2006. There was damage to 60 percent of the buildings on the campus.

Copies of the Kansas Legislative Research Department Budget Analysis Report for FY 2006 and FY 2007 were made available to the Committee.

Subcommittee budget reports on:

State Conservation Commission Kansas Water Office (Attachment 1)

Subcommittee Chairwoman Carolyn McGinn reported that the budget subcommittee on the State Conservation Commission concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 and FY 2007 with adjustments and notations.

Senator McGinn moved, with a second by Senator Teichman, to amend the budget subcommittee report on the State Conservation Commission in FY 2007, Item Number 3, to delete \$786,268 from the State Water Plan for the Water Rights Purchase Program for consideration at Omnibus. Motion carried on a voice vote.

Senator McGinn moved, with a second by Senator Kelly, to adopt the budget subcommittee report on the State Conservation Commission in FY 2006 and FY 2007 as amended. Motion carried on a voice vote.

Subcommittee Chairwoman Carolyn McGinn reported that the budget subcommittee on the Kansas Water Office concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 with notation and FY 2007 with adjustments and notations.

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Senator McGinn moved, with a second by Senator Wysong, to adopt the budget subcommittee report on the Kansas Water Office in FY 2006 and FY 2007. Motion carried on a voice vote.

Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks (Attachment 2)

Subcommittee Chairwoman Carolyn McGinn reported that the budget subcommittee on the Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 with an additional recommendation and FY 2007 with adjustments and recommendations.

Senator McGinn moved, with a second by Senator Wysong, to adopt the budget subcommittee report on the Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks in FY 2006 and FY 2007. Motion carried on a voice vote.

Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education:

Postsecondary Education Systemwide

Board of Regents

University of Kansas

University of Kansas Medical Center

Kansas State University

Kansas State University Veterinary Medical Center

Kansas State University Extension Systems and Agriculture Research Programs

Wichita State University

Emporia State University

Fort Hays State University

Pittsburg State University (Attachment 3)

Subcommittee Chairman Stephen Morris reported that the budget subcommittee on Postsecondary Education Systemwide concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 and FY 2007 with adjustments and notations.

Subcommittee Chairman Stephen Morris reported that the budget subcommittee on the Kansas Board of Regents concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 and FY 2007 with notations and adjustments.

Subcommittee Chairman Stephen Morris reported that the budget subcommittee on the University of Kansas concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 and FY 2007.

Subcommittee Chairman Stephen Morris reported that the budget subcommittee on the University of Kansas Medical Center concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 and FY 2007 with notation.

Subcommittee Chairman Stephen Morris reported that the budget subcommittee on the Kansas State University concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 and FY 2007.

Subcommittee Chairman Stephen Morris reported that the budget subcommittee on the Kansas State University Veterinary Medical Center concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 and FY 2007.

Subcommittee Chairman Stephen Morris reported that the budget subcommittee on the Kansas State University Extension Systems and Agriculture Research Program concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 and FY 2007.

Subcommittee Chairman Stephen Morris reported that the budget subcommittee on Wichita State University concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 and FY 2007.

Subcommittee Chairman Stephen Morris reported that the budget subcommittee on Emporia State University concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 and FY 2007.

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Subcommittee Chairman Stephen Morris reported that the budget subcommittee on Fort Hays State University concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 and FY 2007.

Subcommittee Chairman Stephen Morris reported that the budget subcommittee on Pittsburg State University concurs with the Governor's recommendations in FY 2006 and FY 2007.

Senator Barone moved, with a second by Senator Teichman, to adopt the budget subcommittee report on the Postsecondary Education Systemwide, Board of Regents, University of Kansas, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas State University, Kansas State University Veterinary Medical Center, Kansas State University Extension Systems and Agriculture Research Programs, Wichita State University, Emporia State University, Fort Hays State University and Pittsburg State University in FY 2006 and FY 2007. Motion carried on a voice vote.

The meeting adjourned at 11:25 a.m. The next meeting was scheduled for March 14, 2006.