

The House Committee on Ways & Means

89th Legislature

August 22, 2025

10:00 a.m. or upon final adjourn./recess or bill referral if permission granted

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Pursuant to a notice posted on August 21, 2025, and permission granted on August 20, 2025, to meet while the House was in session, the House Committee on Ways & Means met in a public hearing and was called to order by the chair, Representative Meyer, at 10:06 a.m.

The initial quorum call was answered as follows: Representatives Meyer; Bernal; Button; Capriglione; Gervin-Hawkins; Noble; Perez, Vincent; Troxclair; Turner; and Vasut.

A quorum was present.

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HB 23

The chair laid out HB 23.

The chair recognized Representative Harless to explain HB 23.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair recognized Representative Harless to close on HB 23.

The chair moved that HB 23, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Meyer; Bernal; Button; Capriglione; Gervin-Hawkins; Noble; Perez, Vincent; Troxclair (8).

Nays: None (0).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representatives Martinez Fischer; Hickland; Muñoz; Turner; Vasut (5).

HB 17

The chair laid out HB 17.

The chair explained HB 17.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair closed on HB 17.

Representative Button moved that HB 17, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

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Ayes: Representatives Meyer; Button; Capriglione; Hickland; Noble; Perez, Vincent; Troxclair; Vasut (8).

Nays: Representatives Bernal; Gervin-Hawkins; Turner (3).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representatives Martinez Fischer; Muñoz (2).

SB 10

The chair laid out SB 10.

The chair explained SB 10.

Testimony taken/registration recorded. (See attached witness list.)

The chair closed on SB 10.

Representative Noble moved that SB 10, without amendments, be reported favorably to the full house with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed. The motion prevailed by the following record vote:

Ayes: Representatives Meyer; Button; Capriglione; Hickland; Noble; Troxclair; Vasut (7).

Nays: Representatives Bernal; Gervin-Hawkins; Turner (3).

Present, Not Voting: None (0).

Absent: Representatives Martinez Fischer; Muñoz; Perez, Vincent (3).

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At 1:58 p.m., on the motion of the chair and without objection, the meeting was adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

Rep. Meyer, Chair

Ryan Marquess, Clerk