

**MINUTES OF THE SENATE WORKFORCE SERVICES & COMMUNITY AND
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STANDING COMMITTEE
ROOM 215, SENATE BUILDING
FEBRUARY 10, 2012**

Members Present: Sen. Stuart C. Reid, Committee Chair
Sen. Patricia W. Jones
Sen. Ralph Okerlund
Sen. Aaron Osmond
Sen. Jerry Stevenson
Pres. Michael G. Waddoups

Member Absent: Sen. Karen W. Morgan

Staff Present: Mr. Ben Christensen, Policy Analyst
Ms. Karen Allred, Committee Secretary

A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Chair Reid called the meeting to order at 2:13 p.m.

Approval of Minutes

MOTION: Sen. Okerlund moved to approve the minutes of the February 7, 2012 meeting. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Osmond absent for the vote.

S.B. 164 Transportation Funding Amendments (*Sen. J. Stevenson*)

MOTION: Sen. Stevenson moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. *Page 1, Lines 16 through 20:*

16 fund certain highway improvements { ~~and~~ and
17 { ~~provides that if project savings are identified by the Department of~~
Transportation,
18 **and if the use of funds is not in violation of any agreement, the Department of**
19 **Transportation shall provide \$1,000,000 of the funds to West Jordan City for certain**
20 **highway and trail improvements. }**

2. *Page 4, Lines 98 through 103:*

98 { ~~(8) If project savings are identified by the Department of Transportation~~
from the funds
99 provided to the Department of Transportation as described in Subsection (2)(b) and
if the use
100 of funds is not in violation of any agreement, the Department of Transportation
shall provide

- 101 ~~\$1,000,000 of the funds described in Subsection (2)(b) to West Jordan City for
highway and~~
102 ~~trail improvements at 9000 South and the Jordan River crossing to allow for Jordan
River trail~~
103 ~~park connectivity.~~ } ____

The motion passed unanimously,

Sen. Stevenson introduced and explained the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Stevenson moved to send **S.B. 164** out as amended with a favorable recommendation. The motion passed unanimously.

S.J.R. 13 Joint Resolution on Social Security (*Sen. J. Valentine*)

Sen. Valentine introduced and explained the resolution and answered questions from the committee.

MOTION: Sen. Osmond moved to send **S.J.R. 13** out with a favorable recommendation. The motion passed unanimously

H.B. 263 Unemployment Benefits for Military Spouse (*Rep. L. Hemingway*)

Rep. Hemingway introduced and explained the bill.

Spoke for the bill: Bill Starks, Vice Director, Division of Workforce Services
Tom Bingham, Member, Employment Advisory Council

MOTION: Sen. Jones moved to send **H.B. 263** out with a favorable recommendation. The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Osmond moved to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously. Chair Reid adjourned the meeting at 2:35 p.m.

Sen. Stuart Reid, Committee Chair