

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Vickrey at 3:30 p.m. on March 20, 2003 in Room 519-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Rep. Campbell  
Rep. Yonally

Committee staff present: Mike Heim, Legislative Research Department  
Theresa Kiernan, Office of the Revisor of Statutes  
Maureen Stinson, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: None

Others attending: See attached list

**SB 178**      **cities; payment for certain improvements**

Rep. Peterson made the motion for passage of SB 178 and asked that it be placed on the Consent Calendar. Rep. Storm seconded the motion. The motion carried.

**SB 167**      **cities; nuisance abatement**

A proposed amendment to **SB 167** was distributed to the committee (Attachment 1). Rep. E. Johnson made a motion to adopt the proposed amendment. Rep. Reitz seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Rep. Siegfroid made the motion to amend the bill to require that subsequent notifications to out-of-town owners be made by first class mail or telephone communication. Rep. Storm seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Rep. Storm made the motion to amend the bill by inserting "over a twenty-four month period" after the word "times" on page 2, Section (c). Rep. Gilbert seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Rep. Huy made the motion to amend the bill on page 2, Section 1 by striking "10 days" and inserting "30 days". There was no motion to second made. The motion failed.

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT at on March 20, 2003 in Room 519-S of the Capitol.

Discussion turned to an additional proposed amendment to **SB 167** which had been distributed to the committee at the meeting held March 18, 2003 (Attachment 2). This amendment would designate Douglas County as an urban area as permitted by section 17 of article 2 of the constitution of the State of Kansas. Rep. Siegfroid made a motion to accept the amendment (Attachment 2) except for Section 16 b. Rep. Horst seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Rep. Siegfroid made a motion to amend the bill on page 2, Section 1 by striking "10 days" and inserting "15 days". Rep. Storm seconded the motion. Motion failed.

Rep. Toelkes made the motion for favorable passage of **SB 167** as amended. Rep. Thull seconded the motion. Motion carried. Rep. Huy asked to be recorded as voting "No".

**SB 79**            **cities; protest petitions**

Rep. Huy made a motion to amend the bill by inserting language from line 16 to line 27 from **HB 2212** into **SB 79**. Rep. Siegfroid seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Rep. Toelkes made a motion for favorable passage of **SB 79** as amended. Rep. Storm seconded the motion. Motion carried on a vote of 7 to 4 with Rep. Siegfried, Rep. Kassebaum and Rep. Horst asking to be recorded as "No".

Rep. Peterson made a motion to approve the minutes of the meetings for March 11, 2003 and March 13, 2003. Rep. Horst seconded the motion. The motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:35 p.m.

The next meeting is scheduled for March 25, 2003.