



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

REP. JACK O'MALLEY

CHAIR

COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, February 4, 2020

10:30 AM

Room 327, House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Transportation was called to order by Chair O'Malley.

The Chair requested attendance be called:

Present: Reps. O'Malley, Eisen, Cole, Sheppard, Bellino, Howell, Afendoulis, Sneller, Clemente, Haadsma, Shannon.

Absent/Excused: Reps. Alexander, Yancey.

Representative Sheppard moved to adopt the meeting minutes from January 28, 2020. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Chair O'Malley shares remarks with the committee.

Ben Gielczyk, representing the Michigan House Fiscal Agency, provided a presentation on a Fiscal Brief Summary regarding the State Transportation Bonds and Debt Service.

Director Paul Ajegba, Chief Administrative Officer Laura Mester, and Director of Finance and Operations Patrick McCarthy, representing the Michigan Department of Transportation, joined by the State of Michigan Treasurer Rachel Eubanks, all provided a presentation on Rebuilding Michigan: Governor Whitmer's Proposed Road Bonding Plan. Questions and discussion followed.

Former Lieutenant Governor Brian Calley, President of the Small Business Association of Michigan, provided a presentation on Borrowing: A Problem, Not a Solution. Questions and discussion followed.

Representative Bellino moved to excuse Representatives Alexander and Yancey from the meeting. There being no objection the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

There being no further business before the committee, Rep. Jack O'Malley adjourned the meeting at 11:56 AM.

Representative Jack O'Malley, Chair

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