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THE MINUTES OF THE HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE
ON
GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

Thursday, March 26, 2015

10:30 a.m.

Room 327 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Government Operations was called to order by **Representative Bradford Jacobsen**, Chair.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Representatives Jacobsen, Webber, LaFontaine and Singh.

MEMBERS ABSENT/EXCUSED: Representative Greimel.

Representative Webber moved to adopt the minutes of the **January 29, 2015**, meeting. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Chair Jacobsen laid **SB 160** before the committee:

SB 160 (Booher) Cities; home rule; provision regarding financial recovery bonds; modify.

TESTIMONY

Lisa Howze, Director of Governmental Affairs for Detroit's Mayor Duggan's office and **David Massaron**, Director of Transformational Projects and Chief Assistant Corporation Counsel, representing the City of Detroit, testified and submitted a handout in support of the bill.

The following people submitted a card but did not wish to speak:

Kenneth Cole, a Director at Governmental Consultant Services, Inc. (GCSI), representing the City of Detroit, supports the bill.

Paul Connors, Legislative Liaison, representing the Michigan Department of Treasury, supports the bill.

Patrick Tiedt, Chief of Staff for Senator Booher's office, supports the bill.

Representative LaFontaine moved to report **SB 160** with recommendation.

The motion prevailed by a vote of **4-0-0**.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives Jacobsen, Webber, LaFontaine and Singh,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Representative Singh moved to excuse Representative Greimel from the committee. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:39 a.m.

Representative Bradford Jacobsen, Chair
House Standing Committee on Government Operations
Malika Abdul-Basir
Committee Clerk
517-373-7256
12 Minutes