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HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON Transportation DATE: March 10, 2021

Chairman VanSingel called the meeting to order at 12:00 PM. Representatives VanSingel, Borton, Brann, Lightner, Huizenga, Steckloff, and Sabo were present.

Rep. Borton moved to adopt the minutes of the March 3, 2021 subcommittee meeting. The motion was approved by voice vote without objection.

The subcommittee heard testimony (in person) from Jon Cool, Director of the Michigan Railroads Association (MRA) on Michigan railroads. He was joined, through Zoom, by Jocelyn Hill, General Counsel & Corporate Secretary, Conrail. Ms. Hill gave an overview of Conrail history and operations in Michigan.

The subcommittee then heard testimony, by Zoom, by Charles Hunter, Assistant VP, Government Affairs, Genesee & Wyoming Railroad Services.

The subcommittee then heard testimony by Zoom Denise Donohue, Director, and Ed Noyola, Deputy Director, representing the County Road Association of Michigan.

Copies of the presentations from the MRA and from the County Road Association are included in the official House Fiscal Agency minutes and are posted to the <u>HFA website</u>.

Chair VanSingel adjourned the subcommittee, without objection, the time being 1:00 PM.

Minutes taken by William E. Hamilton, House Fiscal Agency Approved: March 17, 2021