Approved: May 28, 2015

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE TAXATION COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Marvin Kleeb at 9:31am on Wednesday, April 01, 2015, 582-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Representative John Edmonds – Excused

Committee staff present:

Reed Holwegner, Legislative Research Department Phyllis Fast, Kansas Legislative Committee Assistant Chris Courtwright, Legislative Research Department

Chuck Reimer, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Scott Wells, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Chris Courtwright, Kansas Legislative Research Department

J.G. Scott, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Others in attendance:

See Attached List

Bill introductions

Representative Hutton made a motion to introduce a bill concerning property tax exemptions for pipelines. Representative Hedke seconded the motion. Motion passed.

<u>Representative Hutton made a motion to introduce a bill concerning future property being exempted</u> from tax required to pay a 20 mil school levy. Vice Chair Suellentrop seconded the motion. <u>Motion passed.</u>

<u>Representative Hutton made a motion to introduce a bill concerning insurance and parity between</u> <u>behavioral health and physical health coverage.</u> <u>Representative Corbet seconded the motion. Motion passed.</u>

<u>Representative Lunn made a motion to introduce a bill concerning property exempted from tax required</u> to pay 20 mil school levy. Vice Chair Suellentrop seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Representative Lunn made a motion to introduce a bill concerning property exempted from tax required to pay 5 mil for school levy. Vice Chair Suellentrop seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Representative Hineman made a motion to introduce a bill concerning appeals of property valuations for property tax, and restricting appeals to one time period prior to setting of local school and government budgets. Representative Wolfe Moore seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Representative Hineman made a motion to introduce a bill concerning the adjustment of statewide mill levy for schools from 20 mils to 30 mils. Representative Bridges seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Unless specifically noted, the individual remarks recorded herein have not been transcribed verbatim. Individual remarks as reported herein have not been submitted to the individuals appearing before the committee for editing or corrections.

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES of the Committee on Taxation at 9:31am on Wednesday, April 01, 2015, 582-N of the Capitol.

<u>Representative Hineman made a motion to introduce a bill concerning termination of HPIP and PEAK</u> programs to use the savings to buy down the corporate income tax rate. Representative Bridges seconded the motion. Motion passed.

<u>Vice Chair Suellentrop made a motion to approve all March meeting minutes. Ranking Minority Member Sawyer seconded the motion. Motion passed.</u>

Informational briefing:

Chris Courtwright presented updates of March receipts and upcoming trends. He stood for questions. (Attachment 1)

J.G. Scott presented the latest updates of the state's profiles of revenue and expenditure monies. He stood for questions. (Attachment 2)

When all questions from the Committee were answered, Chairman Kleeb adjourned the meeting at 10:45am.