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MINUTES OF THE HOUSE TAXATION COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Marvin Kleeb at 3:32pm on Thursday, February 11, 2016, 582-N of the Capitol.

All members were present

Committee staff present:

Scott Wells, Office of Revisor of Statutes Reed Holwegner, Legislative Research Department Phyllis Fast, Kansas Legislative Committee Assistant Chris Courtwright, Legislative Research Department Adam Siebers, Office of Revisor of Statutes

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

Richard Cram, Kansas Department of Revenue

Others in attendance:

See Attached List

Richard Cram, portraying Abraham Lincoln briefed the Committee on some of his history and tax policy. (Attachment 1) He did not stand for questions, but did receive a standing ovation from the Committee.

Representative Marc Rhoades made a motion to approve the House Taxation Committee January 14, 19, 20, 26, 27, 2016 minutes. Vice Chair Suellentrop seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Chairman Kleeb opened a hearing on HB2498.

Hearing on: HB2498 — Removal of community improvement district sales tax administration fund aggregate cap.

Scott Wells briefed the Committee on **HB2498** by detailing the fund's cap. He stood for questions.

Richard Cram presented testimony in support of **HB2498** by explaining why Revenue feels the fund's cap needs to be changed. (Attachment 2) He stood for questions.

No testimony neutral to or in opposition of **HB2498** was presented to the Committee.

When all questions from the Committee were answered, Chairman Kleeb closed the Hearing on **HB2498**.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:53pm.

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.

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