

Approved: February 24, 2004  
Date

*Carl Dean Holmes*

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UTILITIES.

The meeting was called to order by Vice-Chairman Carl Krehbiel at 9:07 a.m. on February 11, 2004 in Room 231-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except: Representative Eric Carter  
Representative Nile Dillmore  
Representative Bonnie Huy  
Representative William Kassebaum  
Representative Annie Kuether  
Representative Judy Morrison

Committee staff present: Mary Galligan, Legislative Research  
Jo Cook, Administrative Assistant

Conferees appearing before the committee: Jim Hill, VekTek  
Joel Merriman

Others attending: See Attached List

Vice-Chairman Krehbiel welcomed Mr. Jim Hill, CEO of VekTek, who provided a power point presentation to the committee on how hydrogen can be processed as an alternative fuel source.

Chairman Holmes reminded the committee that they would be debating **HB 2516** and **HB 2652** the following day.

The meeting adjourned at 10:03 a.m.

The next meeting will be Thursday, February 12, 2004.

# HOUSE UTILITIES COMMITTEE GUEST LIST

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NAME	REPRESENTING
REBECCA FLOYD	KS DEVELOPMENT Finance Authority
JOEL MERRIMAN	GUEST SPEAKER
JAMES K. HILL, II	SPEAKER SUPPORT
Tracy Taylor	KTEC
Jared Suhr	—
ROB GREEN	KANSAS GAS SERVICES
Jack Glaves	Nuke, P&H & KM
Bill Burke	Lawrence Leadership
Brett Sayre	Leadership Lawrence
Debbie Boyer	Leadership Lawrence
Chin Cuts	Leadership Lawrence
MARK Schweiber	Westar Energy
Charles Benjamin	Serra Club - KS