

MINUTES OF THE SENATE AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Derek Schmidt at 9:00 a.m. on January 28, 2003 in Room 423-S of the Capitol.

All members were present

Committee staff present: Lisa Montgomery, Revisor of Statutes  
Amy Van House, Legislative Research  
Judy Swanson, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Others attending: See attached list

Senator Corbin moved to recommend SB 31, concerning criminal procedures and punishment, favorable for passage. Senator Umbarger seconded the motion, and the motion carried with no opposition.

Senator Schmidt moved to introduce a bill relating to establishing an indemnity program for deer damage. Senator Taddiken seconded the motion, and the motion carried with no opposition.

Senator Schmidt moved to introduce a bill moving all food-related programs to the Department of Agriculture. Senator Downey seconded the motion, and the motion carried with no opposition.

Senator Umbarger moved to introduce a bill to create state incentives for bio-diesel and ethanol production. Senator Lee seconded the motion, and the motion carried with no opposition.

Senator Umbarger moved to introduce a concurrent resolution to include the promotion and support of ethanol in Federal legislation. Senator Tyson seconded the motion, and the motion carried with no opposition.

Senator Huelskamp made a motion to introduce a bill concerning the slaughter of buffalo captured during sport hunting. Senator Taddiken seconded the motion, and the motion carried with no opposition.

Senator Morris made a motion to introduce a resolution urging ethanol production in Kansas. Senator Downey seconded the motion, and the motion carried with no opposition.

Senator Umbarger made a motion to approve the Minutes of the January 22 Committee meeting. Senator Schmidt seconded the motion, and the motion carried with no opposition.

The meeting adjourned at 9:10 a.m.

CONTINUATION SHEET

MINUTES OF THE SENATE AGRICULTURE COMMITTEE at 8:30 a.m. on January 28, 2003 in Room 423-S of the Capitol.