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## MINUTES OF THE HOUSE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Richard Proehl at 1:30 pm on Thursday, January 29, 2015, 582-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Representative John Doll – Excused Representative Tom Sloan – Excused Representative Kasha Kelley – Excused Representative Mario Goico – Excused

Committee staff present:

Jill Shelley, Legislative Research Department Craig McCullah, Legislative Research Department Adam Siebers, Office of Revisor of Statutes Scott Wells, Office of Revisor of Statutes Betty Boaz, Kansas Legislative Committee Assistant

Conferees appearing before the Committee:

No conferees present

Others in attendance:

See Attached List

## **Bill introductions**

Chairman Proehl called the meeting to order.

The Chairman asked if there were bill introductions and Representative Larry Campbell asked to have two bills introduced: 1) to establish a safety corridor program and 2) providing for increased penalties for right-of-way violations. *Representative Thimesch moved the introduction seconded by Representative Lusker and the motion carried.* 

## **Update on:**

There being no other bill introductions the Chairman recognized Mike King, Secretary of the Kansas Department of Transportation who provided the Committee with information on Budget Impacts. According to Secretary King (Attachment 1) based on their most recent assumptions, they can meet their performance targets for road and bridge conditions at the proposed funding level. He said future savings from lower-than- anticipated bids and other agency savings, combined with additional revenue sources, will go toward funding projects delayed to the latter years of the T-WORKS program.

There being no further business before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned. The next meeting will be on February 3, 2015.