

MINUTES OF THE JOINT MEETING BETWEEN THE TRANSPORTATION &  
INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE AND THE SUBCOMMITTEE OF APPROPRIATIONS  
ON TRANSPORTATION.

March 19, 2014

10:15 a.m.

Room 203 of the Lansing Center  
Lansing, MI

Chair Schmidt called the Transportation & Infrastructure Committee to order.

Present were: Reps. Schmidt, Daley, Pettalia, Lauwers, McCreedy, Lane, Dianda, Rutledge, Driskell, Cochran,

Absent and excused: Reps. Glardon, Heise, Jacobsen, O'Brien, Smiley.

Chair Schmidt turned the meeting over to Chair VerHeulen for attendance of the subcommittee.

Present were: Reps. VerHeulen, Muxlow, Pscholka, Poleski, Kandrevas.

Absent and excuse: None

Chair VerHeulen turned the meeting over to chair Schmidt.

Chair Schmidt recognized Mayor Ralph Becker from Salt Lake City, Utah for a presentation on the economic benefits of transit.

Questions and discussion followed.

Chair VerHeulen recognized John Norquist, President of the Congress for New Urbanism and Mark Nickita, Commissioner of the City of Birmingham, MI for a presentation on the importance of walkable communities and the benefits of multiple modes of transportation for urban development.

Questions and discussion followed.

Rep. Lane moved to excuse absent members of the Transportation & Infrastructure Committee. The motion prevailed.

With no further business to come before the Committee Chair Schmidt adjourned the Committee on Transportation & Infrastructure, the time being 11:25 a.m.

Chair VerHeulen adjourned the Subcommittee of Appropriations on Transportation, the time being 11:25 a.m.

Mary Lou Terrien, Clerk

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Representative Wayne Schmidt, Clerk