

## MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE

December 3, 2014

9:30 a.m.

Room 327 House Office Building

Chair Schmidt called the meeting to order.

Present were: Reps. Schmidt, Glardon, Daley, Heise, Jacobsen, O'Brien, Pettalia, Lauwers, McCready, Lane, Dianda, Rutledge, Driskell, Cochran, Smiley,

Absent and excused: Reps. Daley, McCready,

Rep. O'Brien moved to excuse the members that were absent. The motion prevailed.

Rep. Pettalia moved to approve the minutes of the meeting held December 2, 2014. The motion prevailed.

Chair Schmidt laid before the Committee HB 5408 – Schmidt – Vehicles; other; commercial quadricycle; define and exclude from definition of "motor vehicle".

Chair Schmidt stated that the votes on this bill at the meeting on December 2, 2014 were out of order because there was not a substitute to HB 5408. The bill is to be reported out of committee as introduced.

Rep. Dianda moved to report out HB 5408 with the recommendation that it pass. The motion prevailed, the vote being 13-0-2.

### FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Schmidt, Glardon, Heise, Jacobsen, O'Brien, Pettalia, Lauwers, Lane, Dianda, Rutledge, Driskell, Cochran, Smiley,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Chair Schmidt stated that the remainder of the bills on the agenda for today are for testimony only.

Chair Schmidt laid before the Committee SB 748 – Smith – Transportation; limousines; compliance with the city vehicle for hire ordinance; revise population requirement, modify definition of limousine, and increase fine for a limo carrier of passengers that allows a driver or operator of a limousine to drive or operate a limousine in violation of the limousine transportation act.

Chair Schmidt recognized Chris Clark representing Senator Smith's office to explain SB 748.

The following people testified in opposition to SB 748.

Michael White representing Uber Technologies  
Anton Kiricoenko representing Motor City Limousine

The following people testified in support of SB 748.

Matthew Oddy representing Checker Cab

The following people filled out testimony cards in support of SB 748 but did not want to testify.

Jeff Pardonnet representing Metro Cars  
Ken Cole representing the City of Detroit  
Lindsay Case Palsrok representing the Detroit Regional Chamber

The following person filled out a testimony card stating a neutral position on SB 748 but did not want to testify.

Troy Hagon representing the Michigan Department of Transportation

Chair Schmidt laid before the Committee the following 5 bill package.

HB 5962 (Dianda)	Traffic control; speed restrictions; modified speed limits on certain roads; allow.
HB 5963 (Kivela)	Traffic control; speed restrictions; speed limit law; modify to exclude certain pickup trucks from posted speed limit and to exclude certain speed limit violations from master driving record.
HB 5964 (Jacobsen)	Traffic control; speed restrictions; speed limit law; modify.
HB 5965 (Jacobsen)	Traffic control; speed restrictions; certain requirements for speed limits in school zones; revise.
HB 5966 (Kowall)	Traffic control; violations; assessment of points for certain speeding violations; modify, and make other revisions.

Chair Schmidt recognized Reps. Jacobsen, Rep. Dianda and Rep. Kivela to explain the package of bills and to answer questions by members of the Transportation & Infrastructure Committee.

Chair Schmidt turned the meeting over to Vice-Chair Glardon, the time being 10:08 a.m.

The following people filled out testimony cards in support of HB 5962 – HB 5966 and wanted to testify but there was insufficient time.

Thad Peterson representing himself  
James Walker representing the National Motorists Association

The following people filled out testimony cards in opposition to HB 5962 – HB 5966 and wanted to testify but there was insufficient time.

John LaMacchia representing the Municipal League  
Tom Frazer representing the Michigan Township Association  
David Richmond representing the Secretary of State of Michigan

The following person filled out a testimony card stating no position on HB 5962 – HB 5966 and wanted to testify but there was insufficient time.

Frank Raha representing the Michigan Department of Transportation

The following people filled out testimony cards in opposition to HB 5962 – HB 5966 but did not want to testify.

Liz Treutel representing the Michigan Environmental Council  
John Lindenmayer representing the League of Michigan Bicyclists  
Ed Noyola representing the County Road Association  
Tiffany Hauser representing AAA Michigan

With no further business to come before the Committee Vice-Chair Glardon adjourned the meeting, the time being 10:40 a.m.

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Representative Ben Glardon, Vice-Chair

Mary Lou Terrien, Clerk