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Senate Committee on Outdoor Recreation and Tourism

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Outdoor Recreation and Tourism was held on Thursday, March 1, 2012 at 12:30 p.m. in Room 210 of the Farnum Building.

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 p.m.

Members present: Senators Hansen, Hildenbrand, Meekhof, Casperson, Moolenaar and Young
Members excused: Senator Gleason

Senator Hansen called the meeting to order.

Senator Hansen announced the order of business for the day:

Approval of Minutes

SB 897	Sen. Booher	Natural resources; fishing; use of crossbows for fishing; allow.
SB 821	Sen. Moolenaar	Watercraft; other; inspection frequency, boat livery permit term, and certificate of number fee and term; revise for certain nonmotorized livery boats.

Senator Hansen placed before the committee Senate Bill 821 (Sen. Moolenaar). Senator Hansen announced that there was a substitute for consideration. Senator Moolenaar testified in explanation of the bill and substitute, and answered questions from the committee members.

The following people submitted cards, but did not testify, on Senate Bill 821:

- Dennis Knapp and Lt. Andy Turner, representing the Department of Natural Resources—Support
- Scott Everett, representing the Association of Paddlesports—Support

Senator Casperson moved to adopt the substitute (S-3) to Senate Bill 821. By an affirmative vote of the majority of members serving, the substitute was adopted. Voting as follows:
Yeas: Senators Hansen, Hildenbrand, Meekhof, Casperson, Moolenaar (5/7)

Nays: none (0)
Pass: Senator Young (1)
Absent: Senator Gleason (1)

Senator Moolenaar moved that Senate Bill 821 (S-3) be reported out of committee with the recommendation that the bill then pass. The motion prevailed by an affirmative vote of a majority of the members appointed to and serving on the committee, voting as follows:

Yeas: Senators Hansen, Hildenbrand, Meekhof, Casperson, Moolenaar (5/7)

Nays: none (0)

Pass: Senator Young (1)

Absent: Senator Gleason (1)

By unanimous consent, the committee further recommended that the bill be given immediate effect.

Senator Hansen placed before the committee Senate Bill 897 (Sen. Booher).

The following people submitted cards, but did not testify, on Senate Bill 897:

- Dennis Knapp, representing the Department of Natural Resources—Support

Senator Hildenbrand moved that Senate Bill 897 be reported out of committee with the recommendation that the bill then pass. The motion prevailed by an affirmative vote of a majority of the members appointed to and serving on the committee, voting as follows:

Yeas: Senators Hansen, Hildenbrand, Meekhof, Casperson, Moolenaar (5/7)

Nays: Senator Young (1)

Pass: none (0)

Absent: Senator Gleason (1)

By unanimous consent, the committee further recommended that the bill be given immediate effect.

Senator Young moved to excuse absent members. Without objection, absent members were excused.

Senator Hildenbrand moved to adopt the minutes from February 16, 2012 with unanimous consent. Without objection, the minutes were adopted.

Senator Hansen adjourned the committee at 12:38 p.m.

3/8/12
Date Approved by Committee

**An audio recording of this committee meeting is available upon request for a minimal fee.