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## COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES March 10, 2016

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Economic Development and International Investment was scheduled for Thursday, March 10, 2016, at 2:00 p.m., at the University of Michigan Mcity Test Facility, Mcity Building – Mobility Transformation Center Conference Room, 2901 Baxter Rd., Ann Arbor, MI 48109-2150.

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#### The agenda summary is as follows:

1. Presentation about Willow Run as the American Center for Mobility by the University of Michigan Mobility Transformation Center – Mcity, the Michigan Economic Development Corporation, and the Michigan Department of Transportation.
2. Testimony from the President of Washtenaw Community College.

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The Chairman called the meeting to order at 2:04 p.m. He instructed the Clerk to call the roll.

Attendance for the meeting was recorded as follows:

Members present: Sen.(s) Horn, Schmidt, Stamas, Emmons, Warren, and Bieda,  
Members excused: Sen. Brandenburg

A quorum was present.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Schmidt to adopt the committee meeting minutes of February 2, 2016 joint meeting with the House Committee on Commerce and Trade. Without objection, the minutes were adopted.

The Chairman entertained a motion from Sen. Warren to excuse absent members from the committee. Without objection, the absent members were excused.

The Chairman invited the representatives from the University of Michigan's Mobility Transformation Center – Mcity, Steve Arwood, CEO of the Michigan Economic Development Corporation, and Kirk Steudle, Director of the Michigan Department of Transportation, to present.

The Chairman then invited Dr. Rose Bellanca, President of Washtenaw Community College, to testify about Washtenaw Community College's involvement with Mcity and advanced transportation studies.

The following submitted testimony cards regarding the subject matter:

- Paul Krutko, Ann Arbor Spark – no position given
- Dr. Rose Bellanca, President of Washtenaw Community College – no position given

Being no further business before the Committee, the Chairman moved to adjourn the Economic Development and International Investment meeting at 2:59 p.m. Without objection, the committee was adjourned.

Date Adopted by Committee: March 17, 2016