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Senate Committee on Local Government and Elections

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Local Government and Elections was held on Wednesday, June 15, 2011 at 3:00 p.m. in Room 100 of the Farnum Building.

The meeting was called to order at 3:07 p.m.

Members present: Senators Robertson, Hansen, Brandenburg and Young

Members excused: none

Senator Robertson called the meeting to order.

Senator Robertson announced the agenda for the day:

HB 4347 Rep. Zorn Property tax; other; use of county general funds raised from property taxes; allow transfer to county road fund for road improvements.

Senator Brandenburg moved to adopt the minutes from June 8, 2011 by unanimous consent. Without objection, the minutes were adopted.

Senator Robertson placed before the committee House Bill 4347 (Rep. Zorn).

Senator Robertson briefly recapped the bill.

Those submitting cards, but not wishing to testify, on House Bill 4347 were as follows:

- David Bertram, representing the Michigan Townships Association—Support

Senator Robertson recessed the committee at 3:10 p.m.

Senator Hansen entered the committee room at 3:12 p.m.

Senator Robertson reconvened the committee at 3:12 p.m.

Senator Young moved, supported by Senator Brandenburg, that House Bill 4347 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 Robertson, Hansen, Brandenburg, Young (4/4)

Nays: none (0)

Pass: none (0)

Excused: none (0)

Senator Hansen moved that the committee recommend immediate effect. Without objection, the committee further recommended that the bill be given immediate effect.

Senator Robertson adjourned the committee without objection at 3:14 pm.

6/21/11

Date Approved by Committee

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