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Senate Committee on Natural Resources, Environment and Great Lakes

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Natural Resources, Environment and Great Lakes was held Thursday, November 10, 2011 at 8:30 a.m. in Room 210 of the Farnum Building.

The meeting was called to order at 8:37 a.m.

Members present: Senators Casperson, Kowall, Meekhof, Warren and Hood
Members excused: Senators Pavlov and Green

Senator Casperson called the meeting to order and led committee and audience members in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Senator Meekhof moved to adopt the minutes from November 3, 2011 with unanimous consent. Without objection, the minutes were adopted.

Senator Casperson placed before the committee Senate Bills 528-533 (Sens. Casperson, Booher, Pavlov, Meekhof, Kowall and Green) for testimony.

The following testified on Senate Bills 528-533, and answered questions from committee members:

- Randy Gross and Ann Couture, representing the Department of Environmental Quality—Oppose
- Mark Griffin and Cliff Knaggs, representing the Michigan Petroleum Association—Support

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

Senator Casperson adjourned the committee at 9:14 a.m.

12/1/11
Date Approved by Committee

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