

House Finance Committee

Minutes

February 7, 2017

Chairman Smith called the meeting of the House Finance Committee to order at 9:05 am in Statehouse Room 313. Attendance was taken and a quorum was present. The minutes from the February 2, 2017 committee meeting were approved without objection.

Chairman Smith called up the Governor's proposed budget for fiscal years 2018-2019 for its second informal hearing.

Chairman Smith invited Director Tim Keen of the Office of Budget Management to provide sponsor testimony on the Governor's proposed budget for fiscal years 2018-2019. Director Keen answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Smith invited Superintendent Paolo DeMaria of the Department of Education to provide sponsor testimony on the Governor's proposed budget for fiscal years 2018-2019. Superintendent DeMaria answered the questions of the committee.

Chairman Smith invited Chancellor John Carey of the Department of Higher Education to provide sponsor testimony on the Governor's proposed budget for fiscal years 2018-2019. Chancellor Carey and Cherri Rice, Vice Chancellor for Workforce Alignment, answered the questions of the committee.

The committee adjourned at 1:26 pm.

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Ryan Smith, Chair

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Dan Ramos, Secretary