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## Legislative Review Committee

Meeting Minutes

May 2, 2017 4:00 p.m.

Commons Conference Room

Councilmembers Present: Ken Summers, Ross Cunniff, Ray Martinez, and Bob Overbeck

Staff Present: Jeff Mihelich, Judy Schmidt Jeanne Sanford, Mark Jackson, Ginny Sawyer, Lisa Rosintoski, Lindsay Ex, Tyler Marr, Jackson Brockway.

The meeting came to order at 4:01 pm.

### Approval of Minutes

LRC approved the minutes of the April 18<sup>th</sup> meeting unanimously.

### Update from Bowditch and Cassell

Jennifer Cassell and Ed Bowditch provided the legislative update. Major highlights include:

- No rural broadband bill yet and unlikely to be introduced
- HB 1242 killed in committee one week ago. A few transportation measures are still outstanding. Options include a rural transportation bill (SB 267).
- Construction defects bill is on the Senate calendar and is expected to pass. No other construction defect legislation is expected to pass.
- SB 287 (Nuisance Exhaust) legislation passed the house yesterday and is awaiting the governor's signature.
- SB 40 (Open Records Act) has passed the Senate and passed House finance committee. This bill is still to be scheduled in House Appropriations committee and status is unknown.
- The right to rest bill was killed in committee last week. No other bills on this topic are expected to be introduced

### Bill Review

LRC took the following positions on state bills:

#### *House bills:*

HB 1306	Test Lead in Public Schools Drinking water	<i>Support</i>
HB 1338	Municipal Court Bond Hold Notifications	<i>Monitor: Wait on comments from municipal court staff (will be forwarded to the LRC by the end of the week).</i>

HB 1348	Prohibit HOV High Occupancy Vehicles 3 Requirements North I-25 Express Lane.	<i>Monitor: This bill will die in the Transportation committee</i>
HB 1349	Assessment Ratio for Residential Real Property	<i>Monitor: technical expertise leads to this recommendation.</i>
HB 1362	Plan for Addressing Statewide Infrastructure Needs	<i>Support: Requirement for regular committee meetings.</i>

*Senate bills:*

SB 303	State Highway System Funding and Financing	<i>Monitor: Unlikely to pass in the house</i>
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Standing Agenda Item: CC4CA Update

Lindsay provided a brief update of CC4CA. Major highlights include:

- HB1275: Increase Solid Waste diversion died in committee last week.
- HB 1336: Representative Arndt has issued bill around establishing state climate action/ GHG reduction goals. Lindsay requested that LRC take a position on HB 1336. LRC elected to take a “Monitor” position.
- SB 301: Energy related statutes. Staff is analyzing this bill and its impact on the continuation on the Colorado Energy Office. Staff will be reviewing as it changes through the process.
- Requested that LRC consider taking a position on HB 1366.

Other Business

- Ed and Jennifer will notify staff if any Broadband legislation is introduced, staff will keep LRC informed.
- Ed and Jennifer will continue to notify staff about any updates to SB 40, staff will pass along to LRC.
- Mayor Troxell sent letters of support for low income utility assistance programs and solid waste diversion. These letters will be included in the next LRC packet.
- Legislative breakfast invites have been sent.
- Next Meeting (5/16): After this meeting, the LRC will go to once a month meetings.
- LRC will be discussing the future committee assignments at the upcoming City Council retreat.

Meeting adjourned at 4:38 pm.