## HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

# Minutes of the 8th Meeting of the 2024 Regular Session

# March 19, 2024

#### Call to Order and Roll Call

The eighth meeting of the House Standing Committee on Transportation was held on March 19, 2024, at 12:00 PM in Room 149 of the Capitol Annex. Representative John Blanton, Chair, called the meeting to order, and the secretary called the roll.

#### Present were:

<u>Members:</u> Representatives John Blanton Chair; Jonathan Dixon Vice Chair; Representatives Josh Branscum, Randy Bridges, Adrielle Camuel, Daniel Elliott, Ken Fleming, David Hale, Samara Heavrin, Keturah Herron, John Hodgson, Thomas Huff, Mary Beth Imes, Kimberly Poore Moser, Amy Neighbors, Rachel Roberts, Tom Smith, Walker Thomas, Ken Upchurch, and Bill Wesley.

### Guests:

LRC Staff: John Snyder, Dana Fugazzi, Ashley Nash, Christina Williams and Riley Kelly.

# **Approval of March 12, 2024 Minutes**

The minutes from the March 12, 2024 meeting were approved.

### **Bills for Consideration**

## **SB 199/CS**

## AN ACT relating to motor vehicles and making an appropriation.

**Sponsor:** Senator Jimmy Higdon

Senate Bill 199 was discussed by its sponsor, Senator Jimmy Higdon, who indicated there was a committee substitute on the measure. Representative John Hodgson made a motion to adopt the committee substitute. Representative Samara Heavrin seconded the motion, which passed by voice vote. After brief discussion, Representative Jonathan Dixon made a motion to pass Senate Bill 199 as amended by the committee substitute. Representative Samara Heavrin seconded the motion, which passed on a 20-0-0 roll call vote.

### **SB 215**

# AN ACT relating to motor vehicles.

**Sponsor:** Senator Jared Carpenter

Senate Bill 2015 was discussed by Representative Ken Upchurch. After brief discussion,

Representative Josh Branscum made a motion to pass Senate Bill 2015. Representative Samara Heavrin seconded the motion, which passed on a 17-3-0 roll call vote.

# **Adjournment**

With no further business to come before the committee, Chairman Blanton adjourned the meeting at 12:12 P.M.