



## **West Virginia Senate**

### **Committee on Finance**

#### **Minutes for JANUARY 21, 2020, 3:00 PM**

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Senate Committee on Finance met on January 21, 2020, 3:00 PM in Room 451-M.

Members present: Senators Tarr, Boley, Hamilton, Roberts, Swope, Sypolt, Ihlenfeld, Palumbo, Plymale, Stollings, Unger

Members absent: Senators Blair, Mann, Maroney, Takubo, Facemire, Prezioso

A silent roll call being taken, the presence of a quorum was established.

On motion of Senator Sypolt, the minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

The Vice-Chairman recognized Randall Reid-Smith, Curator, West Virginia Department of Arts, Culture and History for remarks regarding the department's budget. Karen Goff, Secretary, West Virginia Library Commission, Heather Foster, Executive Director, Volunteer WV, and Chuck Roberts, Executive Director, Educational Broadcasting Authority, were all recognized to present the budgets for their departments and to answer questions from the committee.

The Vice-Chairman then recognized Charlotte R. Lane, Chairman, Public Service Commission of West Virginia, to present the commission's budget and to answer questions from the committee. Robert Blankenship, Director, Transportation Division, was also recognized to answer questions.

Vice-Chairman Tarr recognized Jackie Roberts, Director, Public Service Commission, Consumer Advocate Division, was recognized to present the budget for the commission and to answer questions from the committee.

There was no further business to come before the committee.

On Motion of Senator Stollings the committee adjourned.

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Eric J. Tarr

Vice-Chair

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Committee Clerk