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## MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Nancy Brown at 1:30 p.m. on January 20, 1993 in Room 521-S of the Capitol.

All members were present.

Committee staff present: Michael Heim, Legislative Research Department

Theresa Kiernan, Revisor of Statutes Lois Hedrick, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee: Gerry Ray, Johnson County Commission

Bob McDaneld, Board of Emergency Medical Services

Others attending: See Guest List (<u>Attachment 1</u>)

The Chairman announced that tomorrow we will have conferees in to talk more thoroughly about mandates. Today's agenda addresses possible introduction of committee-sponsored legislation and the conferees will outline some other proposals that may be brought up.

Gerry Ray, Johnson County Commission, stated that the Johnson County Commission is requesting a bill be re-introduced (last year's SB 727) which allows the Board of County Commissioners, or upon a ten percent petition of qualified voters, to pass a resolution to disorganize a township with a population of 200 or less (only in counties with a county unit road system).

Bob McDaneld, Board of Emergency Medical Service, is seeking legislation (1) relating to the powers and duties of the Emergency Medical Services Board; (2) peer review of EMS providers; (3) to expand authority to allow EMS approved training officers to instruct and coordinate first responder training programs; and (4) that first responders statutes be amended into EMS statutes to eliminate their separate provisions as they only replicate EMS provisions. Drafts of the bills were distributed. Any questions about them may be raised at next Monday's meeting as Mr. McDaneld will be a conferee on that day to disseminate information on EMS operations.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:50 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for 1:30 p.m., January 21, 1993, in Room 521-S of the State Capitol.

## GUEST LIST

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