

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

COMMITTEE ON ELECTIONS AND ETHICS REP. ANN BOLLIN CHAIR

COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, March 2, 2021

12:00 PM

Room 326, House Office Building

The House Committee on Elections and Ethics was called to order by Chair Bollin.

The Chair requested attendance be called:

Present: Reps. Bollin, Wendzel, Calley, Steven Johnson, Filler, Koleszar, Whitsett.

Absent: None. Excused: None.

Representative Wendzel moved to adopt the minutes from the February 23rd, 2021 meeting. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid HB 4282, HB 4284, HB 4283 and HB 4285 before the committee:

HB 4282 (Rep. Calley) A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan

election law," by amending section 163 (MCL

168.163), as amended by 2012 PA 276.

HB 4284 (Rep. Koleszar) A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan

election law," by amending sections 193 and 254 (MCL 168.193 and 168.254), section 193 as amended by 2012 PA 276 and section 254 as

amended by 2018 PA 120.

HB 4283 (Rep. Sabo) A bill to amend 1966 PA 261, entitled "An act to

provide for the apportionment of county boards of commissioners; to prescribe the size of the board; to provide for appeals; to prescribe the manner of election of the members of the county board of commissioners; to provide for compensation of members; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," by amending sections 11 and 11a (MCL 46.411 and

46.411a), section 11 as amended by 2002 PA 158.

HB 4285 (Rep. Bollin)

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending section 349 (MCL 168.349), as amended by 2018 PA 654.

Representative Sabo, testified in support of HB 4282, HB 4284, HB 4283 and HB 4285.

Lindsay Oswald, representing the St. Joseph County Clerk, testified in support of HB 4282, HB 4284, HB 4283 and HB 4285.

The following people submitted a card in support of HB 4282, HB 4284, HB 4283 and HB 4285, but did not wish to speak:

Michigan Association of County Clerks.

Bill Zaagman, representing the Michigan Association of Municipal Clerks.

There being no further business before the committee, Chair Bollin adjourned the meeting at 12:06 PM.

Representative Ann Bollin, Chair

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