

**2019 HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS**

**HCR 3001**

# 2019 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

## Appropriations Committee Roughrider Room, State Capitol

HCR 3001  
1/9/2019  
30628

- ☐ Subcommittee  
☐ Conference Committee

Committee Clerk: Risa Bergquist
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### Explanation or reason for introduction of bill/resolution:

**A concurrent resolution authorizing the Budget Section of the Legislative Management to hold the required legislative hearings on state plans for the receipt and expenditure of new or revised block grants passed by Congress.**

### Minutes:

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**Chairman Delzer:** Called the meeting to order, roll call was taken, we have a quorum. We are going to start with Resolution 3001. This is a resolution that we pass every session.

**Levi Kinnischtzke: Legislative Council:** I am neither for or against the resolution before you I am just here to provide information. HB Resolution bill 3001 is a resolution to allow the budget section to hold hearings for federal block grants. August 2018 Legislative Council staff surveyed agencies regarding federal funds received and whether or not those agencies will receive federal block grants that require legislative hearings. The results were presented to the budget section September 2018, there was only one block grant that the agencies anticipate receiving, which is the community service block grant, Department of Commerce division of community service. The Dept. of Commerce budget hearing was held this morning by the E&E section of the House Appropriation committee and briefly touched on this block grant. This block grant provides funds for serves and activities for the poor, elderly, homeless individuals; services include housing, health, food and self-sufficiency's. The Department of Commerce anticipates receiving approximately 6.71 million of federal funds during the 2021 biennium and that is the same amount expected in the 2017/2019 biennium. HB 3001 authorizes the budget section to hold required legislative hearing on state plans for the receipts and expenditure of the block grants that run through September 2021. This resolution has been passed at least the last 6 biennia.

**3:25 Chairman Delzer:** Questions by the committee? Any further discussion or testimony regarding HB 3001? Hearing none what are you wishes?

**Representative Monson: Motion to do pass**

**Representative Schmidt: Second.**

**Chairman Delzer:** Discussion on the motion?

**Roll Call was taken 20 yes, 0No, 1 Absent**

**Motion Carries and place on consent calendar.**

**Chairman Delzer:** Representative Mock will carry that bill.

Date: 1/9/2019  
Roll Call Vote #: 1

**2019 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE  
ROLL CALL VOTES  
BILL/RESOLUTION NO. HCR 3001**

House Appropriations Committee

☐ Subcommittee

Amendment LC# or Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation: ☐ Adopt Amendment  
☒ Do Pass ☐ Do Not Pass ☐ Without Committee Recommendation  
☐ As Amended ☐ Rerefer to Appropriations  
☒ Place on Consent Calendar

Other Actions: ☐ Reconsider ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

Motion Made By Representative Monson Seconded By Representative Schmidt

Representatives	Yes	No	Representatives	Yes	No
Chairman Delzer	X				
Representative Kempenich	A				
Representative Anderson	X		Representative Schobinger	X	
Representative Beadle	X		Representative Vigesaa	X	
Representative Bellew	X				
Representative Brandenburg	X				
Representative Howe	X		Representative Boe	X	
Representative Kreidt	X		Representative Holman	X	
Representative Martinson	X		Representative Mock	X	
Representative Meier	X				
Representative Monson	X				
Representative Nathe	X				
Representative J. Nelson	X				
Representative Sanford	X				
Representative Schatz	X				
Representative Schmidt	X				

Total (Yes) 20 No 0

Absent 1

Floor Assignment Representative Mock

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**HCR 3001: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** and **BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR** (20 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HCR 3001 was placed on the Tenth order on the calendar.

**2019 SENATE APPROPRIATIONS**

**HCR 3001**

# 2019 SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

## Appropriations Committee Harvest Room, State Capitol

Resolution 3001  
3/5/2019  
JOB # 33231

- ☐ Subcommittee  
☐ Conference Committee

Committee Clerk: Alice Delzer
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### Explanation or reason for introduction of bill/resolution:

A concurrent resolution authorizing the Budget Section of the Legislative Management to hold the required legislative hearings on state plans for the receipt and expenditure of new or revised block grants passed by Congress. (Do Pass)

### Minutes:

1.Chris Kadrmas, fiscal analyst, Legislative Council, Information regarding the block grant program
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**Chairman Holmberg:** called the Committee to order at 01:45 pm on House Concurrent Resolution # 3001. All committee members were present except Senator Bekkedahl. Chris Kadrmas, Legislative Council and Stephanie Gullickson, OMB were also present.

**Chairman Holmberg:** This is a hearing on House Concurrent Resolution # 3001 on public hearings and block grants.

**Chris Kadrmas, Fiscal Analyst, Legislative Council:** I am here to present on House Concurrent Resolution No. 3001. I am neither for nor against the resolution and am here merely to provide information regarding the resolution. Chris submitted Attachment # 1, stating that the Resolution authorizes the Budget Section of the Legislative Management to hold the required legislative hearings on state plans for the receipt and expenditure of new or revised block grants passed by Congress.

**Senator Robinson:** moved a Do Pass. 2<sup>nd</sup> V. Chairman Wanzek.

**A Roll Call vote was taken. Yea: 13; Nay: 0; Absent: 1.**

**Senator Mathern will carry the Resolution on the floor.**

The hearing was closed on House Concurrent Resolution # 3001.

Date: 3-5-19Roll Call Vote #: 1

**2019 SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE  
ROLL CALL VOTES  
BILL/RESOLUTION NO. 3001**

Senate Appropriations Committee☐ Subcommittee

Amendment LC# or Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation: ☐ Adopt Amendment  
☒ Do Pass ☐ Do Not Pass ☐ Without Committee Recommendation  
☐ As Amended ☐ Rerefer to Appropriations  
☐ Place on Consent Calendar  
 Other Actions: ☐ Reconsider ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

Motion Made By Robinson Seconded By Wanzek

Senators	Yes	No	Senators	Yes	No
Senator Holmberg	✓		Senator Mathern	✓	
Senator Krebsbach	✓		Senator Grabinger	✓	
Senator Wanzek	✓		Senator Robinson	✓	
Senator Erbele	✓				
Senator Poolman	✓				
Senator Bekkedahl	A				
Senator G. Lee	✓				
Senator Dever	✓				
Senator Sorvaag	✓				
Senator Oehlke	✓				
Senator Hogue	✓				

Total (Yes) 13 No 0Absent 1Floor Assignment Sen. Mathern

If the vote is on an amendment, briefly indicate intent:



**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

**HCR 3001: Appropriations Committee (Sen. Holmberg, Chairman)** recommends **DO PASS** (13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HCR 3001 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

**2019 TESTIMONY**

**HCR 3001**

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Res. 3001  
3-5-19  
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# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3001

## LEGISLATIVE HEARING FOR FEDERAL BLOCK GRANTS

3/5/19

Mr. Chairman, Members of the House Appropriations Committee, for the record my name is *Chris Kadrmaz* and I'm a fiscal analyst on the Legislative Council. I am here to present on House Concurrent Resolution No. 3001. I am neither for nor against the resolution, and am here to merely provide information regarding the resolution.

In August 2018, the Legislative Council staff contacted state agencies receiving federal funds to determine which agencies receive block grants that require legislative hearings. The results, which were presented to Budget Section in September 2018, revealed that only one block grant required a public hearing to be held by the Legislative Assembly - the community services block grant administered by the Department of Commerce Division of Community Services. The Department of Commerce budget hearing was held by the Education and Environment Division of the House Appropriations Committee on January 9, 2019.

The community services block grant provides funds for services and activities for the poor, particularly the elderly, homeless individuals, and migrants. Services include housing, health, nutritious food, and self-sufficiency.

The Department of Commerce anticipates receiving approximately \$6.71 million of federal funds through the community services block grant program during the 2019-21 biennium, the same amount estimated to be received during the 2017-19 biennium.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 3001 authorizes the Budget Section of the Legislative Management to hold the required legislative hearings on state plans for the receipt and expenditure of new or revised block grants passed by Congress. This would run through September of 2021. This resolution is the same as what has been passed for at least the last 6 bienniums.

If there are any questions, I'd be happy to answer those at this time.

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