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# Agenda

## House Appropriations Committee May 7, 2012 Room 140, Main Capitol

Bill Number	Prime Sponsor	Amendments	Topic
1. House Bill 1047	Staback		House Bill 1047 amends the "Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code" to permit alternate members for the planning commission. This legislation would take effect in 60 days.
2. House Bill 1484	Stevenson		House Bill 1484 amends the "PA Municipalities Planning Code" regarding mailed notice and electronic notice of certain public meetings. This legislation would take effect in 60 days.
3. House Bill 1780	Metzgar		House Bill 1780 amends the Tax Reform Code further providing for inheritance tax.
4. Senate Bill 342	Greenleaf		Senate Bill 342 amends the Occupational Therapy Practice Act to update various provisions, require occupational therapists to maintain professional liability insurance and authorize an impaired professionals program. This legislation would take effect in 60 days.

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Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
Harrisburg

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**HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**

**MINUTES**

**May 7, 2012**

Committee Chairman William F. Adolph, Jr. called the meeting of the House Appropriations Committee to order on May 7, 2012 at 1:43 p.m. in Room 140, Main Capitol Building. All members were present except Representative Matt Smith. Representatives Scott Petri and Deberah Kula were on official Leave. Proxy votes were accepted from Representatives Jim Christiana, Matthew Bradford and Ron Waters.

Chairman Adolph presented the following list of Bills for consideration:

Bill Number – Printer's No.	Sponsor of Motion	Second	Type of Motion
House Bill 1047 Printer's No. 1134	Representative Millard	Representative O'Brien	Report as Committed.
House Bill 1484 Printer's No. 3209	Representative Millard	Representative O'Brien	Report as Committed.
House Bill 1780 Printer's No. 3057	Representative Millard	Representative O'Brien	Report as Committed.
Senate Bill 342 Printer's No. 549	Representative Millard	Representative O'Brien	Report as Committed.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

Handwritten signature of Mauree A. Gingrich in cursive.

Representative Mauree Gingrich, Secretary

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK

**Committee Attendance Record**

DATE: May 7, 2012

COMMITTEE: APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE  
DATE: May 7, 2012 PLACE: 140 Main Capitol Building  
TIME CALLED TO ORDER: 1:43 p.m. TIME ADJOURNED: 1:45 p.m.

MAJORITY MEMBERS	PRES	ABS	ON LEAVE	MINORITY MEMBERS	PRES	ABS	ON LEAVE
Adolph, W., Chairman	X			Markosek, J. – Chairman	X		
Bear, J.	X			Bradford, M.	X		
Causer, M.	X			Brownlee, M.	X		
Christiana, J.	X			Conklin, H. S.	X		
Day, G.	X			Costa, P.	X		
Denlinger, G.	X			Kula, D.			X
Ellis, B.	X			Mahoney, T.	X		
Gingrich, M.	X			O'Brien, M.	X		
Grell, G.	X			Parker, C.	X		
Killion, T.	X			Sabatina, J.	X		
Millard, D.	X			Samuelson, S.	X		
Mustio, M.	X			Smith, M.		X	
O'Neill, B.	X			Vitali, G.	X		
Peifer, M.	X			Waters, R.	X		
Perry, S.	X						
Petri, S.			X				
Pickett, T.	X						
Pyle, J.	X						
Quigley, T.	X						
Scavello, M.	X						
Sonney, C.	X						

Total Present 32

Total Absent 1

Total Absent with Leave 2

*William F. Adolph Jr.*

Majority Chairman *Joe Marbone*

Minority Chairman *Maureen A. Lingrich*

Secretary

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**Committee Roll Call**

May 07, 2012

Committee	APPROPRIATIONS	Date & Time	May 07, 2012 at 1:43PM
Bill or Resolution No.	HOUSE BILL 1047 PN1134	Type of Motion	Re-report Bill As Committed
Maker of Motion	Representative Millard	Seconded by	Representative O'Brien

Brief Description

House Bill 1047 amends the "Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code" to permit alternate members for the planning commission. This legislation would take effect in 60 days.

Yeas 32      Nays 0      Not Voting 3      Passed X      Failed \_\_\_\_\_

MAJORITY MEMBERS	AYE	NAY	NV	MINORITY MEMBERS	AYE	NAY	NV
Adolph, William F. - Chairman	X			Markosek, Joseph F. - Chairman	X		
Bear, John C.	X			Bradford, Matthew D.	P		
Causer, Martin T.	X			Brownlee, Michelle F.	X		
Christiana, Jim	P			Conklin, H. S.	X		
Day, Gary	X			Costa, Paul	X		
Denlinger, Gordon	X			Kula, Deberah			X
Ellis, Brian L.	X			Mahoney, Tim	X		
Gingrich, Mauree	X			O'Brien, Michael H.	X		
Grell, Glen R.	X			Parker, Cherelle L.	X		
Killion, Thomas H.	X			Sabatina, John P.	X		
Millard, David R.	X			Samuelson, Steve	X		
Mustio, T. M.	X			Smith, Matthew			X
O'Neill, Bernie	X			Vitali, Greg	X		
Peifer, Michael	X			Waters, Ronald G.	P		
Perry, Scott	X						
Petri, Scott A.			X				
Pickett, Tina	X						
Pyle, Jeffrey P.	X						
Quigley, Thomas J.	X						
Scavello, Mario M.	X						
Sonney, Curtis G.	X						

*William F. Adolph*

Majority Chairman

*Joe Manhorse*

Minority Chairman

*Mauree A. Gingrich*

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May 07, 2012

Committee	APPROPRIATIONS	Date & Time	May 07, 2012 at 1:43PM
Bill or Resolution No.	HOUSE BILL 1484 PN3209	Type of Motion	Re-report Bill As Committed
Maker of Motion	Representative Millard	Seconded by	Representative O'Brien

Brief Description

House Bill 1484 amends the "PA Municipalities Planning Code" regarding mailed notice and electronic notice of certain public meetings. This legislation would take effect in 60 days.

Yeas 32 Nays 0 Not Voting 3 Passed X Failed \_\_\_\_\_

MAJORITY MEMBERS	AYE	NAY	NV	MINORITY MEMBERS	AYE	NAY	NV
Adolph, William F. - Chairman	X			Markosek, Joseph F. - Chairman	X		
Bear, John C.	X			Bradford, Matthew D.	P		
Causer, Martin T.	X			Brownlee, Michelle F.	X		
Christiana, Jim	P			Conklin, H. S.	X		
Day, Gary	X			Costa, Paul	X		
Denlinger, Gordon	X			Kula, Deberah			X
Ellis, Brian L.	X			Mahoney, Tim	X		
Gingrich, Mauree	X			O'Brien, Michael H.	X		
Grell, Glen R.	X			Parker, Cherelle L.	X		
Killion, Thomas H.	X			Sabatina, John P.	X		
Millard, David R.	X			Samuelson, Steve	X		
Mustio, T. M.	X			Smith, Matthew			X
O'Neill, Bernie	X			Vitali, Greg	X		
Peifer, Michael	X			Waters, Ronald G.	P		
Perry, Scott	X						
Petri, Scott A.			X				
Pickett, Tina	X						
Pyle, Jeffrey P.	X						
Quigley, Thomas J.	X						
Scavello, Mario M.	X						
Sonney, Curtis G.	X						

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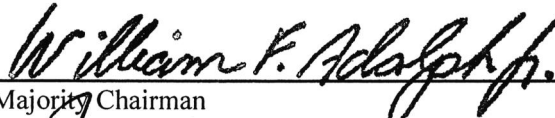
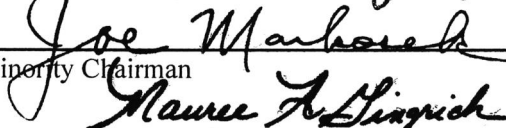

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Committee	<u>APPROPRIATIONS</u>	Date & Time	<u>May 07, 2012 at 1:43PM</u>
Bill or Resolution No.	<u>HOUSE BILL 1780 PN3057</u>	Type of Motion	<u>Re-report Bill As Committed</u>
Maker of Motion	<u>Representative Millard</u>	Seconded by	<u>Representative O'Brien</u>
Brief Description	<u>House Bill 1780 amends the Tax Reform Code further providing for inheritance tax.</u>		

Yeas 32 Nays 0 Not Voting 3 Passed X Failed \_\_\_\_\_

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Adolph, William F. - Chairman	X			Markosek, Joseph F. - Chairman	X		
Bear, John C.	X			Bradford, Matthew D.	P		
Causar, Martin T.	X			Brownlee, Michelle F.	X		
Christiana, Jim	P			Conklin, H. S.	X		
Day, Gary	X			Costa, Paul	X		
Denlinger, Gordon	X			Kula, Deberah			X
Ellis, Brian L.	X			Mahoney, Tim	X		
Gingrich, Mauree	X			O'Brien, Michael H.	X		
Grell, Glen R.	X			Parker, Cherelle L.	X		
Killion, Thomas H.	X			Sabatina, John P.	X		
Millard, David R.	X			Samuelson, Steve	X		
Mustio, T. M.	X			Smith, Matthew			X
O'Neill, Bernie	X			Vitali, Greg	X		
Peifer, Michael	X			Waters, Ronald G.	P		
Perry, Scott	X						
Petri, Scott A.			X				
Pickett, Tina	X						
Pyle, Jeffrey P.	X						
Quigley, Thomas J.	X						
Scavello, Mario M.	X						
Sonney, Curtis G.	X						

  
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**Committee Roll Call**

May 07, 2012


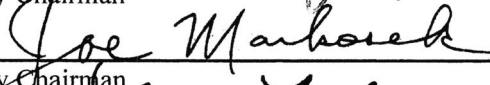
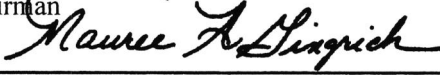
Committee	APPROPRIATIONS	Date & Time	May 07, 2012 at 1:43PM
Bill or Resolution No.	SENATE BILL 342 PN549	Type of Motion	Re-report Bill As Committed
Maker of Motion	Representative Millard	Seconded by	Representative O'Brien

Brief Description

Senate Bill 342 amends the Occupational Therapy Practice Act to update various provisions, require occupational therapists to maintain professional liability insurance and authorize an impaired professionals program. This legislation would take effect in 60 days.

Yeas 32 Nays 0 Not Voting 3 Passed X Failed \_\_\_\_\_

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Christiana, Jim	P			Conklin, H. S.	X		
Day, Gary	X			Costa, Paul	X		
Denlinger, Gordon	X			Kula, Deberah			X
Ellis, Brian L.	X			Mahoney, Tim	X		
Gingrich, Mauree	X			O'Brien, Michael H.	X		
Grell, Glen R.	X			Parker, Cherelle L.	X		
Killion, Thomas H.	X			Sabatina, John P.	X		
Millard, David R.	X			Samuelson, Steve	X		
Mustio, T. M.	X			Smith, Matthew			X
O'Neill, Bernie	X			Vitali, Greg	X		
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Perry, Scott	X						
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Pickett, Tina	X						
Pyle, Jeffrey P.	X						
Quigley, Thomas J.	X						
Scavello, Mario M.	X						
Sonney, Curtis G.	X						

  
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 Secretary

**HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**  
**PROXY FORM**

**Submission of Proxy**

On this day of 5-7-12, I hereby submit my proxy to: *(Check one)*  
*(date)*

(  ) William F. Adolph, Jr., Majority Chair or (  ) Joseph F. Markosek, Minority Chair

to be voted on all bills, resolutions, amendments and procedural matters offered on the Committee agenda, or for other legislative business which may come before the Committee.

**Specific Voting Instructions**

I hereby direct my proxy to be voted:

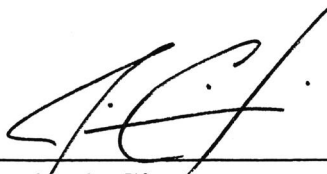
in the same manner as the designated Chair.

in the same manner as Representative \_\_\_\_\_ for as long as he/she is present at the meeting. If my designee leaves the meeting, I do  do not  direct my proxy to be voted in the same manner as the designated Chair.

on the following specified bills, amendments and resolutions:

_____ Y / N / Abstain	_____ Y / N / Abstain
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Jim Christiana  
Member's Printed Name

  
Member's Signature

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**Contact Number(s) for Member (REQUIRED)**

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK**

**OFFICIAL LEAVE REQUEST FORM**

I, Scott A. Petri, hereby request an official leave of  
NAME

absence from the meeting/hearing of the Appropriations,  
COMMITTEE

to be held on May 7, 2012 at Call of Chair.  
DATE TIME

I will be absent for the following reasons:

delayed arrival to Harrisburg  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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May 7, 2012  
DATE

*Scott A. Petri*  
SIGNATURE

\*\*Submit this form to the Majority Committee Chairman prior to the Committee meeting.

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK

**OFFICIAL LEAVE REQUEST**

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I, Deberah Kula, hereby request an official leave  
**NAME**  
of absence from the meeting/hearing of the Appropriations Committee  
**COMMITTEE**  
to be held on May 7, 2012 at Call of Chair.  
**DATE** **TIME**

I will be absent for the following reason:

Family Issues  
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\_\_\_\_\_

5/7/12  
**DATE**

  
**SIGNATURE**

**HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE  
PROXY FORM**

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**Specific Voting Instructions**

I hereby direct my proxy to be voted:

X in the same manner as the designated Chair.

\_\_\_\_\_ in the same manner as Representative \_\_\_\_\_ for as long as he/she is present at the meeting. If my designee leaves the meeting, I do \_\_\_\_\_ do not \_\_\_\_\_ direct my proxy to be voted in the same manner as the designated Chair.

\_\_\_\_\_ on the following specified bills, amendments and resolutions:

\_\_\_\_\_ Y / N / Abstain  
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\_\_\_\_\_ Y / N / Abstain

Ronald Waters

Member's Printed Name

Ronald G. Waters

Member's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_ **Contact Number(s) for Member (REQUIRED)**



**HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE**  
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\_\_\_\_\_ Y / N / Abstain  
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\_\_\_\_\_ Y / N / Abstain

Rep. Matthew Bradford  
Member's Printed Name

  
Member's Signature

**Contact Number(s) for Member (REQUIRED)**

