



West Virginia House of Delegates

Subcommittee on Local Governments

Minutes for February 03, 2026, 1:00 PM

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Subcommittee on Local Governments met on February 03, 2026, 1:00 PM, in the House East Wing Committee Room 215-E.

Members present: Delegates Ferrell, Sheedy, Sr., Adkins, Brooks, Browning, Burkhammer, Clay, Drennan, Foggin, Howell, Kyle, Leavitt, Young.

Members absent: Delegate McCormick.

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

A Committee Hearing was held for **H. B. 4549**, Local Government Freedom Act. Delegate Shamblin addressed the Committee. Justin Williams, Director of Building and Construction Trades and Jason Pizatella from Contractors Association of WV were sworn in and addressed the Committee. A discussion was held. The Chair noted that due to the time, this bill will be continued until the next meeting on Friday, February 6, 2026.

On motion of Delegate Sheedy, Sr., the minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

On Motion of Delegate Sheedy, Sr. the committee adjourned.

Dana Ferrell
Committee Chair

Marlene Elliott
Clerk