



West Virginia House of Delegates

Subcommittee on Local Governments

Minutes for February 13, 2026, 1:00 PM

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Subcommittee on Local Governments met on February 13, 2026, 1:00 PM, in the House East Wing Committee Room 215-E.

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

Members absent: Delegates Burkhammer, Leavitt, McCormick, Young.

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

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

Markup and Passage. The Committee considered **H. B. 5063**, To permit the county commission to appoint a county commissioner to a convention and visitor's bureau as a voting member. After explanation by counsel, and on a motion by Delegate Sheedy, House Bill 5063 was reported to the Standing Committee on Government Organization with the recommendation that it do pass.

The Committee considered **H. B. 5065**, Relating to hotel occupancy tax. After explanation by counsel, and on a motion by Delegate Sheedy, House Bill 5065 was reported to the Standing Committee on Government Organization with the recommendation that it do pass.

A Committee Hearing was held for **H.B. 5199**. Delegate B. Smith addressed the Committee. A discussion was held. The Chair advanced the bill to Markup and Passage.

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

Dana Ferrell
Committee Chair

Marlene Elliott
Clerk