

**MINUTES OF THE FLOOR MEETING
OF THE
ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS**

**Seventy-Fourth Session
March 16, 2007**

The Assembly Committee on Ways and Means was called to order by Chair Morse Arberry Jr. at 11:09 a.m., on Friday, March 16, 2007, behind the Bar of the Assembly.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Assemblyman Morse Arberry Jr., Chair
Assemblywoman Sheila Leslie, Vice Chair
Assemblyman Mo Denis
Assemblywoman Heidi S. Gansert
Assemblyman Tom Grady
Assemblywoman Ellen Koivisto
Assemblyman John W. Marvel
Assemblywoman Kathy McClain
Assemblyman David R. Parks
Assemblywoman Debbie Smith
Assemblywoman Valerie E. Weber

COMMITTEE MEMBERS EXCUSED:

Assemblywoman Barbara E. Buckley
Assemblyman Joseph P. (Joe) Hardy
Assemblyman Joseph Hogan

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

Reba Coombs, Committee Secretary

Chairman Morse Arberry Jr. indicated he had three bill drafts which required committee introductions. The first bill draft contained an appropriation of \$500,000 for the Las Vegas Regional Clean Cities Coalition.

- **BDR S-1357—Makes an appropriation to the City of Las Vegas for allocation to the Las Vegas Regional Clean Cities Coalition for an educational initiative. (Assembly Bill 402)**

ASSEMBLYMAN MARVEL MOVED FOR A COMMITTEE INTRODUCTION OF BDR S-1357.

ASSEMBLYWOMAN LESLIE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THE MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

Chairman Arberry said the second bill draft was an appropriation to the Anthony L. Pollard Foundation for construction of a library in west Las Vegas.



- **BDR S-1436—Makes an appropriation to the Anthony L. Pollard Foundation for construction of the Carter G. Woodson Library in west Las Vegas. (Assembly Bill 401)**

ASSEMBLYWOMAN LESLIE MOVED FOR A COMMITTEE INTRODUCTION OF BDR S-1436.

ASSEMBLYWOMAN KOIVISTO SECONDED THE MOTION.

THE MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

Chairman Arberry stated the last bill draft was for an appropriation to the city of Las Vegas to assist in the creation of small businesses.

- **BDR S-1167—Makes an appropriation to the City of Las Vegas for allocation to the New Ventures Capital Development Company to encourage the creation of small businesses in the minority community. (Assembly Bill 400)**

ASSEMBLYWOMAN LESLIE MOVED FOR A COMMITTEE INTRODUCTION OF BDR S-1167.

ASSEMBLYMAN MARVEL SECONDED THE MOTION.

THE MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

As there was no further business before the Committee, Chairman Arberry adjourned the meeting at 11:11 a.m.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

Reba Coombs
Committee Secretary

APPROVED BY:

Assemblyman Morse Arberry Jr., Chair

DATE: _____