

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0259

State elected officials-board votes and chairmanship.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Harshman and Senator(s)
Perkins

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to boards and commissions; establishing the
2 governor as chairman as specified; requiring recorded votes
3 on final actions; and providing for an effective date.

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5 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 9-5-101(a), 11-34-105(b)(vii) and
8 36-2-104 are amended to read:

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10 **9-5-101. State building commission; composition;**
11 **general powers and duties; conflicts of interest.**

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13 (a) The five (5) elected state officers constitute
14 the state building commission. The governor shall be
15 chairman of the commission, but in his absence from any
16 meeting, one (1) of the members may act as chairman, and

1 shall preside at the meeting. All votes taken to decide
2 the commission's final action on any matter shall be
3 recorded.

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5 **11-34-105. Chief executive officer; powers and**
6 **duties.**

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8 (b) The director of the office of state lands and
9 investments shall:

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11 (vii) Keep a record of the proceedings of the
12 board and such books and records as are necessary for the
13 conduct of the business of his office including a written
14 record of all votes taken to decide the board's final
15 action on any matter;

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17 **36-2-104. Meetings; rules, regulations and forms of**
18 **procedure; records.**

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20 The board shall hold such regular and special meetings as
21 it may prescribe and consider necessary for the proper
22 transaction of the business before it. All meetings and
23 transactions incident to the duties of the board, together
24 with all protests, contests or other proceedings before it,

1 shall be regulated by such reasonable rules, regulations
2 and forms of procedure as may from time to time be
3 prescribed by the board; and such rules, regulations and
4 forms of procedure shall bear the same relation to
5 proceedings pending before the board, and have the same
6 legal force and effect, upon all parties to such
7 proceedings, as the Code of Civil Procedure bears and has
8 to civil actions and the parties thereto in the courts of
9 this state. The board shall cause proper records of its
10 meetings and other proceedings to be kept in suitable
11 books, and shall preserve all important documents and
12 papers pertaining to the lands of the state and business of
13 the board. All votes taken to decide the board's final
14 action on any matter shall be recorded.

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16 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2013.

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