

**JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS**  
**SUBCOMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT**

April 26, 2023  
03:00 PM

Hearing Room E

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Sen. Deb Patterson, Co-Chair  
Sen. Daniel Bonham  
Sen. Wlinsvey Campos

Rep. Greg Smith, Co-Chair  
Rep. Farrah Chaichi  
Rep. David Gomberg  
Rep. E. Werner Reschke  
Rep. Jules Walters

**STAFF PRESENT:**

Tom MacDonald, Deputy Fiscal Officer  
Ron Nalley, Committee Assistant

**EXHIBITS:**

Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

**00:00:27**     [\*\*Meeting Called to Order\*\*](#)  
**00:00:29**     Representative Smith, Presiding Co-Chair

**00:00:37**     [\*\*SB 5516 Legislative Branch\*\*](#)  
**00:00:47**     Tom MacDonald, Deputy Fiscal Officer  
**00:00:59**     Co-Chair Smith  
**00:01:20**     Amanda Beitel, Legislative Fiscal Officer  
**00:06:23**     Sen. Bonham  
**00:06:37**     Ms. Beitel  
**00:09:28**     Co-Chair Smith  
**00:09:30**     Rep. Reschke  
**00:10:41**     Ms. Beitel  
**00:11:53**     Co-Chair Smith  
**00:12:15**     Ms. Beitel  
**00:13:51**     Co-Chair Smith  
**00:14:09**     Ms. Beitel  
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**00:14:17**     Rep. Reschke  
**00:15:17**     Ms. Beitel  
**00:17:22**     Co-Chair Smith  
**00:17:36**     Ms. Beitel  
**00:17:43**     Co-Chair Smith  
**00:17:54**     Sen. Bonham  
**00:18:02**     Rep. Gomberg

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00:32:04 Mr. MacDonald  
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00:32:26 Dexter Johnson, Legislative Counsel  
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