



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 19

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Third Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

Tuesday, April 11, 2017

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

Members' Statements

Mr. Nielsen, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Decore, made a statement reading part of an email message from Pastor Jim Lochhead, McClure United Church, who was expressing gratitude for the pens, pencils, and pins provided by Mr. Nielsen to give to children while Pastor Lochhead was travelling through Central America.

Mr. Loewen, Hon. Member for Grande Prairie-Smoky, made a statement expressing opposition to the Government's Residential No-Charge Energy Savings Program and the bidding process for the program.

Mr. Rodney, Hon. Member for Calgary-Lougheed, made a statement regarding a recent town hall meeting he held in the Calgary-Lougheed constituency and delivered messages from attendees on how the Government should handle a variety of issues.

Ms McKitrick, Hon. Member for Sherwood Park, made a statement recognizing the 50th anniversary of the Alberta Ballet and regarding the performances of its 2017 season.

Ms Sweet, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning, made a statement recognizing the work of the Edmonton Police Service, who are celebrating their 125th anniversary, and expressing gratitude for the officers' sacrifices.

Mr. Orr, Hon. Member for Lacombe-Ponoka, made a statement regarding the history and meaning of Easter.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

Bill 9 Marketing of Agricultural Products Amendment Act, 2017 — Hon.
Mr. Carlier

Tabling Returns and Reports

Mr. McIver, Hon. Leader of the Progressive Conservative Opposition:

Report dated June-October 2013, entitled “Together We Raise Tomorrow,
Children’s Charter,” prepared by the Government of Alberta
Sessional Paper 164/2017

Dr. Swann, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mountain View:

Open letter, undated, from the Calgary Board of Education to parents and
guardians advising that the board is seeking clarification from the Minister of
Education concerning the reduction in transportation fees set out in Bill 1, An Act
to Reduce School Fees
Sessional Paper 165/2017

Open letter, undated, from Hon. Mr. Eggen, Minister of Education, to parents and
guardians providing information regarding Bill 1, An Act to Reduce School Fees
Sessional Paper 166/2017

Mr. van Dijken, Hon. Member for Barrhead-Morinville-Westlock:

Report, undated, entitled “Cost Impacts Affecting Employment Outcomes in
Alberta,” prepared by Alberta Chambers of Commerce, relating to comments
made by Mr. van Dijken during Budget 2017 Main Estimates debate
Sessional Paper 167/2017

Dr. Starke, Hon. Member for Vermilion-Lloydminster:

Report, undated, entitled “Metallurgical Coal, Building the Future,” prepared by
Ram River Coal Corporation
Sessional Paper 168/2017

Hon. Mr. Wanner, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly:

Investigation Report F2017-IR-03, dated April 11, 2017, entitled “Investigation
into allegations of delays and possible interference in responding to access
requests,” prepared by the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner
of Alberta
Sessional Paper 169/2017

Report dated April 2017, entitled “Producing Records to the Commissioner, Restoring Independent and Effective Oversight under the FOIP Act, A Special Report and Request for Legislative Amendment Submitted to the Legislative Assembly of Alberta,” prepared by the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner of Alberta

Sessional Paper 170/2017

Tablings to the Clerk

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Mason, Minister of Infrastructure and Minister of Transportation:

Response to Written Questions WQ7 and WQ8, asked for by Mr. van Dijken on April 10, 2017:

WQ7. As of March 1, 2017, what is the cost to resurface one kilometre of highway with gravel at both 11-metre and 13-metre widths?

WQ8. As of March 1, 2017, what is the cost to resurface one kilometre of highway with asphalt at both 11-metre and 13-metre widths?

Sessional Paper 171/2017

Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 59.01(5)(b) and the Budget 2017 Main Estimates Schedule, the Assembly adjourned at 2:58 p.m. until Wednesday, April 12, 2017, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Robert E. Wanner,
Speaker

Title: Tuesday, April 11, 2017