## MINUTES

## SENATE COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Wednesday, February 9, 2011 9:30 AM Capitol Extension, Room E1.028

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Pursuant to a notice posted in accordance with Senate Rule 11.10 and 11.18, a public hearing of the Senate Committee on Intergovernmental Relations was held on Wednesday, February 9, 2011, in the Capitol Extension, Room E1.028, at Austin, Texas.

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MEMBERS PRESENT: Senator Royce West, Chair Senator Robert Nichols, Vice Chair Senator Mario Gallegos, Jr. Senator Jeff Wentworth

## **MEMBERS ABSENT:** Senator Dan Patrick

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The Chair called the meeting to order at 9:30 AM. There being a quorum present, the following business was transacted:

Senator Nichols moved adoption of the minutes from the previous hearing held on February 2, 2011. Without objection, it was so ordered.

The committee heard invited testimony from the following:

\*Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
\*Texas Department of Rural Affairs
\*Texas State Affordable Housing Corporation
\*Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs
\*Texas Municipal League
\*Texas Association of Counties

Witnesses testifying are shown on the attached list.

There being no further business, at 10:50 AM Senator Wentworth moved that the Committee stand recessed subject to the call of the Chair. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Senator Royce West, Chair

Tiffany White, Clerk