## Appropriations Committee
### 2014 Bill Hearing Summary
#### LB 1033

| Hearing Date: | Tuesday, February 4th |
| Introducer: | Watermeier |
| One Liner: | Appropriate funds to the Game and Parks Commission and state intent relating to operation and maintenance of Arbor Lodge State Historical Park |

### Proponents:
- Senator Watermeier
- Jim Douglas
- Tammy Partsch
- Douglas Farrar
- Doug Friedli
- Stephanie Shrader
- Andy Pollock
- Timothy Pendrell
- Lucille Sharp
- Jack Hobbie
- Philkp Bakken

### Representing:
- Introducer
- NE Game & Parks
- Friends of Arbor Lodge
- Arbor Day Foundation
- Nebraska City Community Foundation
- Nebraska City Area Economic Development
- NE Travel Assn.
- Nebraska City Tourism & Commerce
- Friends of Arbor Lodge
- City of Nebraska City
- Self

### Opponents:

### Neutral:

### Statement of Intent:
LB 1033 would appropriate $2.1 million from the General Fund for fiscal year 2014-15 to the Game and Parks Commission for projects at Arbor Lodge State Historical Park. The funds are to be used for deferred repairs, maintenance improvements, and to bring the facility into compliance with ADA standards.

Intent language directs the Game and Parks Commission to negotiate a contract to transfer the annual operations and maintenance at Arbor Lodge State Historical Park from the state to a local partner. Only $317,000 of the funds appropriated could be expended prior to the contract being in place.

### Requested Funds:

| FY14-15 | 2,107,000 G |

### Committee Action:

| FY14-15 | (Part of 17,350,000 C combined total for LB873, LB874 and LB1033) |