

# SENATE CALENDAR

No. 17

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Wednesday, February 4, 2026  
SENATE CONVENES at 2:30 PM

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## Order of Business

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ROLL CALL

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INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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### Reference of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

450–

**SB 450**, AN ACT concerning state employees; authorizing the secretary of administration to grant a monetary award to a state employee who reports activity that constitutes fraud, waste or abuse of funds in any program administered by a state agency; amending K.S.A. 75-37,105 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs  
(Government Efficiency)

451–

**SB 451**, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to campaign finance reports; requiring treasurer reports to include the products and services provided by vendors that are paid by an advertising agency, public relations firm or political consultant from a campaign account expenditure; amending K.S.A. 25-4148 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs  
(Federal and State Affairs)

452–

**SB 452**, AN ACT concerning law enforcement; requiring traffic laws that apply to local and state law enforcement to apply to federal law enforcement; including federal law enforcement in the definitions used in the crime of interference with law enforcement; including buildings owned by the United States in the crime of interference with the conduct of public business in public buildings; including enforcement of federal laws and executive orders in the exceptions from liability in the tort claims act; amending K.S.A. 8-1404, 8-

2010, 21-5904 and 21-5922 and K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 8-1102 and 75-6104 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs  
(Federal and State Affairs)

**453–**

**SB 453**, AN ACT concerning infrastructure; enacting the Kansas critical infrastructure protection act; prohibiting access to state critical infrastructure by countries of concern; prohibiting the acquisition of critical software and other technology used in state infrastructure from countries of concern.

Senator Bowser

(Federal and State Affairs)

**454–**

**SB 454**, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; enacting the crush transnational repression in Kansas act; providing for enhanced criminal penalties for offenses committed with the intent to commit transnational repression; requiring the development of transnational repression recognition and response training; amending K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 21-6804 and repealing the existing section.

Senator Bowser

(Federal and State Affairs)

**455–**

**SB 455**, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to the homestead property tax refund act; restoring homestead renters as eligible to participate in certain homestead property tax refund claims; amending K.S.A. 79-4501, 79-4511 and 79-4522 and K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 79-4502, 79-4508 and 79-4509 and repealing the existing sections.

Senator Corson

(Assessment and Taxation)

**456–**

**SB 456**, AN ACT concerning public safety; creating the Kansas law enforcement trust fund; establishing the purposes and requirements for such fund; authorizing such fund to retain interest earnings; making a transfer from the state general fund to the Kansas law enforcement trust fund during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2027.

Senator Corson

(Judiciary)

**457–**

**SB 457**, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to medical assistance; establishing the affordable healthcare for Kansans program; expanding income limits for eligibility to 138% of the federal poverty level.

Committee on Education

(Public Health and Welfare)

**458–**

**SB 458**, AN ACT concerning education; relating to state assessments; requiring state assessment performance levels and cut scores to be based on the 2024

performance levels and cut scores; amending K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 72-5170 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Education

(Education)

**459–**

**SB 459**, AN ACT concerning the prisoner review board; relating to membership of the board; changing the appointing authority for the members and creating qualifications for the members; requiring parole hearings to be postponed if proper notice of the public comment session is not made to the victim; amending K.S.A. 75-52,152 and K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 22-3717 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

**460–**

**SB 460**, AN ACT concerning drivers' licenses; relating to replacement drivers' licenses; authorizing municipal court services agencies to issue an identification certificate to offenders under the agency's probation supervision; amending K.S.A. 8-246 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

**461–**

**SB 461**, AN ACT concerning the Kansas offender registration act; requiring offenders convicted of distribution of a controlled substance causing great bodily harm or death to register under the act for 15 years; amending K.S.A. 22-4902 and 22-4906 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

**462–**

**SB 462**, AN ACT concerning public nuisance; prohibiting civil actions for certain nuisances; requiring the attorney general to bring nuisance actions that are not wholly contained in one political subdivision; requiring special injury for certain public nuisance actions; providing an accrual period for the statute of limitations in public nuisance actions; amending K.S.A. 60-513 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

**463–**

**SB 463**, AN ACT concerning civil actions; relating to actions in negligence; prohibiting certain persons from recovering damages in such actions; creating requirements for actions involving negligent security.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)

**464–**

**SB 464**, AN ACT enacting the anesthesiologist assistant licensure act; providing for the powers, duties and functions of the state board of healing arts

thereunder; amending K.S.A. 65-1163 and 65-28,127 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Public Health and Welfare  
(Public Health and Welfare)

**465–**

**SB 465**, AN ACT concerning corporations; relating to agricultural corporations; including limited liability partnerships as an entity required to obtain county approval to establish a dairy or swine production facility; amending K.S.A. 17-5903, 17-5904, 17-5907 and 17-5908 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources  
(Agriculture and Natural Resources)

**466–**

**SB 466**, AN ACT concerning housing; relating to denial of housing or other adverse actions against tenants or prospective tenants on the basis of past evictions or rental arrears; prohibiting the reporting by consumer reporting agencies or the use by landlords for adverse action against tenants of such information after three years from the date of such evictions or rental arrears; requiring consumer reporting agencies to provide an opportunity for individuals to explain any record of evictions or rental arrears; providing that court records of an eviction action be sealed for certain periods; providing that violations of such provisions by landlords or consumer reporting agencies shall constitute unconscionable acts or practices under the provisions of the Kansas consumer protection act; amending K.S.A. 50-626, 60-2617 and 61-3804 and repealing the existing sections.

Senator Faust Goudeau

(Judiciary)

**467–**

**SB 467**, AN ACT concerning accident and health insurance; relating to utilization review; enacting the use of artificial intelligence in medical decisions transparency act; establishing requirements for the use of artificial intelligence by certain health insurers and utilization review entities; requiring that all medical necessity determinations be made by a competent licensed physician or healthcare professional.

Senator Holscher

(Financial Institutions and Insurance)

**468–**

**SB 468**, AN ACT repealing K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 12-16,222; relating to the prohibition on municipal establishment of guaranteed income programs.

Senator Holscher

(Local Government, Transparency and Ethics)

**469–**

**SB 469**, AN ACT concerning law enforcement; enacting the safe and transparent arrest act; requiring all law enforcement agencies operating in Kansas to adopt a written policy regarding the use of facial coverings;

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prohibiting law enforcement officers from wearing a facial covering that conceals or obscures their facial identity in the performance of their duties except as expressly authorized by law; waiving any privilege or immunity against a claim of civil liability for certain tortious conduct committed while committing violations thereof; providing criminal penalties for violations thereof.

Senator Holscher

(Judiciary)

**470–**

**SB 470**, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to exemptions; providing an exemption for sales of electricity delivered to residential premises for noncommercial use; amending K.S.A. 12-189a and K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 79-3603 and 79-3606 and repealing the existing sections.

Senator Haley

(Assessment and Taxation)

**471–**

**SB 471**, AN ACT concerning labor and employment; increasing the Kansas minimum wage to \$16 an hour; providing that such minimum wage shall apply to employers and employees covered under the provisions of the federal fair labor standards act; amending K.S.A. 44-1202 and 44-1203 and repealing the existing sections.

Senator Holscher

(Commerce)

**2471–**

**HB 2471**, AN ACT concerning roads and highways; designating a portion of interstate 35 as the deputy Sam Smith memorial highway; redesignating a current portion of the 35th infantry division memorial highway for interstate 35; amending K.S.A. 68-1013 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Transportation

(Transportation)

**2476–**

**HB 2476**, AN ACT concerning agriculture; relating to pesticides; permitting federal pesticide warning or labeling requirements to satisfy any state pesticide warning or labeling requirements.

Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources  
(Agriculture and Natural Resources)

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## Reference of Appointments

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MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

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COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

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## MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

**Consideration of Motions to Concur or Nonconcur**

## REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

**Consideration of Appointments***By the Governor:**Director, Office of Early Childhood:*

Christi Smith, at the pleasure of the Governor  
 (Public Health and Welfare)  
 (Be Confirmed)

*Member, State Board of Regents:*

Peter Johnston, term ends June 30, 2029  
 (Education)  
 (Be Confirmed)

*Member, State Corporation Commission:*

Dwight Keen, term ends March 15, 2030  
 (Utilities)  
 (Be Confirmed)

**Consent Calendar****(Senate action to be taken on third day or thereafter)****322–(First Day)**

**SB 322**, AN ACT concerning administrative rules and regulations; relating to the prescription monitoring program act; removing the authority of the state board of pharmacy to authorize individuals to access the program database as delegates by rules and regulations; amending K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 65-1682 and repealing the existing section.

Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and Regulations  
 (Public Health and Welfare)  
 (Be Passed)

**328–(First Day)**

**SB 328**, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; relating to regulation of pharmacists; permitting a pharmacist to distribute epinephrine delivery systems to a school for emergency medication kits; amending definitions related to medication in schools to allow for use of epinephrine delivery systems; amending K.S.A. 72-6282 and K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 65-1680 and 72-6283 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Public Health and Welfare  
 (Public Health and Welfare)  
 (Be Passed)

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## Final Action on Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

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INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

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CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

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### General Orders

**299–**

**SB 299**, AN ACT concerning courts; relating to the supreme court nominating commission; requiring certain records of the commission to be released under the open records act; amending K.S.A. 20-123 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs  
(Federal and State Affairs)  
(Be Passed)

**348–**

**SB 348**, AN ACT concerning the state corporation commission; relating to the jurisdiction of the commission over electric public utilities; exempting any electric public utility that is a not-for-profit wholly owned subsidiary of an electric cooperative public utility from the jurisdiction of the state corporation commission; establishing certain exceptions; authorizing the customers of such subsidiary utility to petition the commission to investigate the rates of such utility; authorizing the commission to order new rates if the commission finds that such rates are found to be unjust, unreasonable, unjustly discriminatory or unduly preferential; requiring the customers of such subsidiary utility to receive notice of and be provided access to meetings concerning electric rates; providing an option for the customers of such subsidiary utility to elect to terminate such exemption.

Committee on Utilities  
(Utilities)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**2331–**

**HB 2331**, AN ACT concerning the disposition of human remains; authorizing the disposition of the unclaimed remains of deceased persons by district coroners; providing exemptions from liability for actions taken to dispose of such remains; establishing requirements for programs of continuing education for licensed embalmers and funeral directors; authorizing use of the word

"crematory" as part of the business name for businesses owned by the same person who owns a licensed crematory; amending K.S.A. 22a-215, 65-1702, 65-1716 and 65-1769 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs  
(Federal and State Affairs)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**327–**

**SB 327**, AN ACT concerning legislative oversight; relating to the Robert G. (Bob) Bethell joint committee on home and community based services and KanCare oversight; eliminating the requirement that the committee's January and April meetings be held during the regular legislative session; amending K.S.A. 39-7,160 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Robert G. (Bob) Bethell Joint Committee on Home and  
Community Based Services and KanCare Oversight  
(Public Health and Welfare)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

## **ANTICIPATED END OF DEBATE CALENDAR**

**331–**

**SB 331**, AN ACT repealing K.S.A. 52-717; relating to the payment of negotiable instruments on Saturday afternoons or holidays.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance  
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)  
(Be Passed)

**324–**

**SB 324**, AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; prohibiting the use of a mobile telephone while operating a motor vehicle in a school zone or a road construction zone; amending K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 8-2118 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Transportation  
(Transportation)  
(Be Passed)

**300–**

**SB 300**, AN ACT concerning financial institutions; relating to the technology-enabled fiduciary financial institutions act; prohibiting the office of the state bank commissioner or any other state agency from becoming a receiver for a technology-enabled fiduciary financial institution that becomes insolvent or declares bankruptcy; amending K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 9-2301 and repealing the existing section.

Joint Committee on Fiduciary Financial Institutions Oversight  
(Financial Institutions and Insurance)  
(Be Passed)

**113–**

**SB 113**, AN ACT concerning traffic regulations; relating to reckless driving; including operating a motor vehicle at a speed of 35 miles per hour over the posted speed limit under the crime of reckless driving; amending K.S.A. 8-254

and 8-1566 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Transportation

(Transportation)  
(Be Passed)  
(Transportation)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**74-**

**SB 74**, AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to credits; providing a tax credit for expenditures for lockable gun and ammunition storage; repealing unused tax credits relating to agritourism liability insurance, assistive technology contributions, declared disaster capital investment, environmental compliance, owners promoting employment across Kansas and swine facility improvement; amending K.S.A. 65-7107 and repealing the existing section; also repealing K.S.A. 79-32,204, 79-32,222, 79-32,262 and 79-32,266 and K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 32-1438.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation

(Assessment and Taxation)  
(Be Passed as Amended)  
(Assessment and Taxation)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**1616-**

**SCR 1616**, A PROPOSITION to amend section 1 of article 11 of the constitution of the state of Kansas; relating to property taxation; limiting assessed value increases for real property classified in any subclass and personal property classified as mobile homes used for residential purposes.

Senators Tyson, Alley, Blasi, Erickson, Gossage, Klemp, Kloos, Masterson, Murphy, Peck, Petersen, Shallenburger, Shane, Starnes, Thompson, Titus

(Assessment and Taxation)  
(Be Adopted as Amended)

**263-**

**SB 263**, AN ACT concerning schools; relating to crisis drills; establishing standards and requirements for active shooter drills conducted by public and accredited nonpublic elementary and secondary schools; amending K.S.A. 31-133 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs

(Education)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

**1606-**

**SCR 1606**, A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION approving the creation of a port authority in Wyandotte County and Kansas city, Kansas.

Senator Haley

(Commerce)  
(Be Adopted)

**5008-**

**HCR 5008**, A PROPOSITION to amend article 2 of the constitution of the state of Kansas by adding a new section thereto; providing legislative oversight

of rules and regulations adopted by executive branch agencies and officials.

Committee on Judiciary

(Judiciary)  
(Be Adopted)

**290–**

**SB 290**, AN ACT making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, for the state historical society to issue a scope statement, plan the work to be accomplished and issue a request for proposals for a master plan for the Quindaro ruins archaeological park in Wyandotte county, Kansas, and implement such master plan.

Committee on Ways and Means

(Ways and Means)  
(Be Passed as Amended)

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## **Bills Adversely Reported**

## Status of Bills and Resolutions

Senate bills passed in Senate: Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32, 33, 35, 36, 39, 42, 44, 45, 47, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 58, 63, 64, 66, 67, 69, 70, 71, 76, 77, 78, 79, 82, 84, 85, 87, 88, 89, 92, 97, 98, 104, 105, 114, 117, 121, 125, 126, 128, 135, 137, 138, 139, 146, 156, 157, 161, 166, 175, 181, 184, 186, 193, 194, 197, 199, 204, 213, 222, 227, 229, 231, 237, 241, 244, 250, 254, 259, 260, 269, 281, 284

Senate bills killed in Senate: No. 211

Senate bills passed by the House: Nos. 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32, 35, 36, 42, 44, 45, 50, 54, 58, 63, 64, 67, 77, 78, 79, 82, 84, 88, 89, 92, 97, 98, 104, 105, 114, 117, 121, 125, 126, 135, 137, 139, 156, 157, 166, 175, 186, 193, 194, 199, 204, 227, 237, 241, 244, 250, 269

Senate bills killed in the House: Nos. 53, 70, 71, 76, 87, 128

Senate bills in conference: Nos. 20, 22, 23, 27, 28, 30, 32, 82, 84, 92, 121, 157

Senate bills awaiting the signature of the Governor: No. 244

Senate bills signed by the Governor: Nos. 2, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 21, 35, 36, 42, 44, 45, 50, 54, 58, 64, 67, 77, 78, 88, 89, 97, 98, 104, 105, 114, 117, 125, 126, 135, 137, 139, 156, 166, 175, 186, 193, 194, 199, 204, 227, 237, 241, 250

Senate bills becoming law without Governor's signature: Nos. 105, 250

Senate bills vetoed by Governor: Nos. 4, 5, 14, 18, 24, 29, 63, 79, 269

Senate bills line item vetoed by Governor: No. 125

Senate bills becoming law notwithstanding Governor's veto: Nos. 4, 5, 14, 29, 63, 269

Senate resolutions adopted: Nos. 1701, 1702, 1703, 1704, 1705, 1707, 1708, 1710, 1711, 1712, 1713, 1714, 1715, 1716, 1717, 1718, 1719, 1720, 1721, 1722, 1723, 1724, 1725

Senate resolutions killed:

Senate concurrent resolutions adopted: Nos. 1601, 1602, 1604, 1613, 1615

Senate concurrent resolutions killed:

Senate concurrent resolutions adopted by House: Nos. 1601, 1602, 1604, 1611, 1613

Senate concurrent resolutions killed in House:

House bills passed in the Senate: Nos. 2007, 2016, 2020, 2022, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2033, 2037, 2039, 2040, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2052, 2054, 2056, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2068, 2069, 2075, 2085, 2087, 2088, 2092, 2101, 2102, 2106, 2107, 2109, 2110, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2120, 2122, 2124, 2125, 2128, 2134, 2145, 2149, 2152, 2155, 2158, 2160, 2164, 2166, 2168, 2169, 2172, 2182, 2183, 2185, 2192, 2195, 2201, 2206, 2215, 2217, 2221, 2222, 2228, 2231, 2238, 2240, 2242, 2249, 2254, 2255, 2261, 2263, 2275, 2280, 2284, 2289, 2291, 2304, 2307, 2311, 2312, 2313, 2333, 2334, 2335, 2338, 2342, 2347, 2359, 2365, 2371, 2382

House bills killed in the Senate:

House bills in conference: Nos. 2029, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2046, 2048, 2049, 2068, 2087, 2116, 2124, 2128, 2158, 2164, 2192, 2312, 2333, 2365  
House concurrent resolutions adopted by the Senate: Nos. 5002, 5003, 5004, 5017, 5018, 5019, 5020  
House concurrent resolutions killed in the Senate:  
House concurrent resolutions in conference:

### **Bills in Senate Committees**

#### **Agriculture and Natural Resources—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 80, 130, 235, 317, 344, 364, 390, 407, 425  
House Bills: No. 2111

#### **Assessment and Taxation—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 25, 26, 59, 72, 73, 90, 103, 107, 108, 109, 148, 152, 179, 190, 192, 195, 201, 209, 210, 215, 217, 223, 224, 225, 226, 267, 268, 277, 278, 280, 283, 296, 303, 309, 311, 319, 320, 329, 332, 365, 368, 378, 389, 397, 401, 402  
Senate Concurrent Resolutions: No. 1619  
House Bills: Nos. 2083, 2096, 2318, 2336, 2377, 2390, 2396

#### **Commerce—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 95, 153, 189, 216, 218, 297, 334, 335, 369, 370, 371, 388, 418, 429  
Senate Concurrent Resolutions: No. 1609  
House Bills: Nos. 2119, 2340, 2343, 2400

#### **Confirmation Oversight—**

#### **Education—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 48, 49, 123, 134, 140, 142, 154, 159, 162, 163, 164, 165, 252, 270, 275, 302, 304, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 349, 350, 361, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 406, 419, 420, 421, 424, 437, 438, 440, 441  
Senate Concurrent Resolutions: No. 1620  
House Bills: Nos. 2299, 2402

#### **Federal and State Affairs—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 15, 38, 43, 56, 65, 83, 100, 118, 133, 136, 143, 176, 177, 178, 196, 234, 258, 261, 265, 272, 273, 279, 287, 292, 294, 295, 310, 313, 314, 333, 336, 347, 354, 355, 356, 376, 377, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 405, 449  
Senate Concurrent Resolutions: Nos. 1605, 1607, 1608, 1610, 1614, 1617, 1618  
House Bills: Nos. 2018, 2065, 2204, 2271, 2332, 2372, 2446

**Financial Institutions and Insurance–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 16, 34, 55, 115, 147, 202, 212, 232, 238, 282, 301, 316, 330, 352, 360, 409, 410, 412, 422, 423, 435

House Bills: Nos. 2047, 2086, 2245

House Concurrent Resolutions: No. 5013

**Appointments:**

*Member, Kansas Development Finance Authority:*

Liz Miller, term ends March 15, 2027

*Member, State Banking Board:*

Darren Gragg, term ends March 15, 2029

Jared Brown, term ends March 15, 2028

Tonya Barta, term ends March 15, 2029

Jacinda Zerr, term ends March 15, 2028

**Government Efficiency–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 151, 256, 363, 387, 428, 432

House Bills: No. 2004

**Interstate Cooperation–****Judiciary–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 60, 61, 62, 91, 94, 96, 102, 110, 111, 116, 127, 129, 141, 155, 160, 180, 183, 185, 187, 188, 203, 205, 206, 208, 220, 221, 239, 240, 242, 243, 245, 246, 247, 248, 255, 262, 288, 305, 306, 307, 323, 326, 345, 346, 351, 358, 359, 372, 373, 374, 375, 398, 399, 408, 413, 414, 415, 416, 426, 427, 442, 443, 446, 447

House Bills: Nos. 2131, 2177, 2212, 2323, 2327, 2329, 2349, 2378, 2413, 2422

**Local Government, Transparency and Ethics–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 12, 37, 40, 112, 120, 124, 144, 285, 286, 308, 362, 396, 436, 444

House Bills: No. 2099

**Organization, Calendar and Rules–****Public Health and Welfare–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 3, 19, 31, 41, 132, 145, 149, 150, 158, 172, 174, 182, 198, 207, 219, 236, 249, 251, 253, 257, 264, 271, 276, 291, 430, 431, 448

House Bills: Nos. 2070, 2170, 2219, 2223, 2246, 2294

**Select Committee on Veterans Affairs–**

Senate Bills: Nos. 106, 200, 433, 434

House Bills: Nos. 2273, 2274

**Transportation—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 17, 119, 122, 230, 312, 318, 321, 325, 353, 366, 367, 403, 404, 411, 445

House Bills: No. 2121

**Utilities—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 11, 46, 81, 93, 131, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 173, 191, 233, 266, 274, 289, 379, 380, 400, 417, 439

**Ways and Means—**

Senate Bills: Nos. 57, 68, 75, 86, 99, 101, 214, 228, 293, 298, 315, 337, 357

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: No. 1612

House Bills: Nos. 2113, 2237

## Senate Committee Agenda

The following is a tentative schedule of Committees and is subject to change day-to-day. Committees not listed have no meetings scheduled.

New or changed material for the present week will be printed in *italics*.

On-call Committees and Joint Committees will be listed at the end of the Agenda. Sub-Committees will be listed at the time of the Committee's regular meeting.

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### 2026

## SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS SCHEDULE

### All Committees will meet Daily

TIME		MEETING ROOM
8:30 a.m.	Agriculture and Natural Resources	144-S
	Public Health and Welfare	142-S
	Transportation	546-S
9:30 a.m.	Assessment and Taxation	548-S
	Financial Institutions and Insurance	546-S
	Government Efficiency	144-S
	Local Government, Transparency, and Ethics	142-S
10:30 a.m.	Federal and State Affairs	144-S
	Judiciary	346-S
	Ways and Means	548-S
1:30 p.m.	Commerce	159-S
	Education	144-S
	Utilities	548-S

**Note:** Senate committees: Interstate Cooperation, Organization, Calendar and Rules, Confirmation Oversight, and any subcommittees are not listed. These committees are "On-call" and will appear in Daily Calendars.

### Week of February 4 - 6, 2026

#### Wednesday, February 4

2:30 p.m. Session

#### Thursday, February 5

2:30 p.m. Session

#### Friday, February 6

2:30 p.m. Session – PRO FORMA



**Assessment and Taxation**

**9:30 a.m.**      **John Gauntt, Committee Assistant-785-296-2713**      **548-S**

Wednesday, February 4

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 332** — Excluding buyer's premiums from the sale price of property purchased at auction for real estate sales validation questionnaire and property tax valuation purposes.

**SB 378** — Providing a one-time, nonrefundable vehicle registration property tax credit for eligible vehicles.

**SB 320** — Expanding property tax exemption eligibility to include commercial and industrial machinery and equipment that was acquired or transported into this state on or before June 30, 2006.

Possible action on legislation previously heard

Thursday, February 5

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 368** — Enacting the health care sharing ministries tax deduction act to provide a subtraction modification for qualified health care sharing expenses paid by a qualified individual and certain qualified health care shares received by a qualified individual.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the chair

**Financial Institutions and Insurance**

**9:30 a.m.**      **Jackie Gutierrez, Committee Assistant-785-296-7648**      **546-S**

Wednesday, February 4

Hearing on:

**SB 330** — Enacting the ensuring transparency in prior authorization act to impose requirements and limitations on the use of prior authorization in healthcare.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 5

Hearing on:

**SB 55** — Prohibiting the assignment of benefits under certain property and casualty insurance contracts and defining such assignment of benefits as an unfair method of competition and unfair or deceptive act or practice.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 6

No meeting scheduled

**Government Efficiency**

**9:30 a.m.**      **Tyler Kirby, Committee Assistant-785-296-5415**      **144-S**

Wednesday, February 4

*Presentation and discussions around NGO transparency and government efficiency*

*Possible final action on bills previously heard*

Thursday, February 5

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, February 6

No meeting scheduled

### Local Government, Transparency and Ethics

**9:30 a.m.**     **Randi Walters, Committee Assistant-785-296-7389**                     **142-S**

Wednesday, February 4

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, February 5

*Final action on:*

**SB 396** — *Reorganizing the Clearwater cemetery district in Sedgwick county to remove Ohio township.*

Friday, February 6

No meeting scheduled

### Federal and State Affairs

**10:30 a.m.**     **Angela Gantzer, Committee Assistant-785-296-4335**                     **144-S**

Wednesday, February 4

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 356** — Providing federal firearms licensees immunity from civil liability for returning a firearm to the firearm owner at the termination of a firearm hold agreement. (Testimony is due by 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, February 3, 2026. Please refer to the conferee rules for submission and presentation of testimony.)

Final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 5

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

**SB 391** — Prohibiting cities and counties from adopting or enforcing any ordinance or resolution that requires landlords to lease housing to tenants receiving financial assistance from or through the housing choice voucher program or any other housing assistance program or that otherwise restricts a landlord's ability to consider the income source of a prospective tenant.

Final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 6

No meeting scheduled

### Judiciary

**10:30 a.m.**     **Barbara Moore, Committee Assistant-785-296-6817**                     **346-S**

Wednesday, February 4

Hearing on:

**SB 374** — Requiring further consideration of evaluation and treatment during the course of competency proceedings for defendants charged with the most serious offenses.

**SB 358** — Requiring individuals convicted of certain felonies to be held without bond in the county jail until sentencing.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 5

Hearing on:

**SB 398** — Requiring a proponent to demonstrate that it is more likely than not that certain specialized knowledge will help the trier of fact to understand evidence before certain qualified witnesses may testify.

**SB 413** — Prohibiting counsel from suggesting an amount of damages for noneconomic loss in civil actions.

Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the chair

**Ways and Means****10:30 a.m.** Nancy Fontaine, Committee Assistant-785-296-3775

548-S

Wednesday, February 4

Request for bill introductions

Budget reports:

Judicial Branch

Office of the Attorney General

Board of Indigents Defense Services

Kansas Office of Veterans Services

Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services

Kansas Neurological Institute

Larned State Hospital

Osawatomie State Hospital

Parsons State Hospital

South Central Regional Mental Health Hospital

Thursday, February 5

Request for bill introductions

Budget reports:

*Kansas Department of Revenue*

Office of the Governor

Kansas State Department of Education

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the chair

**Note: Ways and Means Subcommittees appear in alphabetical order at the end of the committee agenda listings.**

**Commerce****1:30 p.m.** Connie Burns, Committee Assistant-785-296-7370

159-S

Wednesday, February 4

Hearing on:

**SB 335** — Requiring public construction contracts to include a mutual waiver of consequential damages.

Thursday, February 5

Audit report evaluating the Angel Investor Tax Credit Program

Legislative Post Audit

Informational briefing on Angel Investor Tax Credit Program

Kansas Chamber

Friday, February 6

No meeting scheduled

### Education

**1:30 p.m.**      **Cyndie Rexer, Committee Assistant-785-296-7395**                      **144-S**

Wednesday, February 4

Hearing on:

**SB 419** — Enacting the Kansas intellectual rights and knowledge act, providing a civil cause of action and penalties for violations of such act and authorizing students and student associations to exercise political and ideological beliefs, values and missions.

**SB 421** — Enacting the safeguarding personal expression at K-12 schools act to authorize students and student clubs or organizations to engage in certain speech or expression at school and providing a civil cause of action for violations of the act.

Final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 5

Briefing by Legislative Post Audit:

Reviewing free lunch student counts used as the basis for at-risk funding

Evaluating access controls of school district accounting systems

Final action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the chair

### Utilities

**1:30 p.m.**      **Susanne Murphy, Committee Assistant-785-296-7678**                      **548-S**

Wednesday, February 4

Presentation on right-of-way parity

Megan Bottenberg, Cox Communications

Thursday, February 5

Hearing on:

**SB 380** — Requiring retail electric suppliers to provide nondiscriminatory rates and services to entities that provide electric vehicle charging services and prohibiting any costs and expenses associated with a retail electric supplier's electric vehicle charging stations from being recovered in electric rates.

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the chair

**On-Call Committees**

**Joint Committee on  
State Building Construction**

**12:00 p.m.** Sky Westerlund, Committee Assistant-785-296-2393 159-S  
Friday, February 6

**Joint meeting with the House Corrections and Juvenile Justice Committee and  
House Transportation and Public Safety Budget Committee**  
Meeting canceled

**Legislative Post Audit Committee**

**12:00 p.m.** Whitney Watson, Committee Assistant-785-296-3793 546-S  
Wednesday, February 4

Executive session  
IT security audit – Board of Veterinary Examiners  
Performance audit  
2-year IT security summary report

**Senate Select Committee on  
Veterans Affairs**

**12:00 p.m.** Angela Gantzer, Committee Assistant-785-296-4335 144-S  
Thursday, February 5

Request for bill introductions  
Hearing on:

**HB 2274** — Removing the active requirement from military servicemembers for occupational licensure. (Testimony is due by 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, February 4, 2026. Please refer to the conferee rules for submission and presentation of the testimony.)

**SB 434** — *Providing for a new determination of disability for the purposes of certain retailer's sales tax exemptions. (Testimony is due by 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, February 4, 2026. Please refer to the conferee rules for submission and presentation of the testimony.)*

Final action on bills previously heard

**Ways and Means Subcommittee on  
Legislative**

**12:00 p.m.** Donna Fulkerson, Committee Assistant-785-296-7399 548-S  
Wednesday, February 4

Hearing and recommendations on agency budget:  
Office of the Governor

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**Doctor of the Day****Telephone: 785-296-7397****480-W****For emergencies: contact Legislative Administrative Services at 785-296-2391**Wednesday, February 4

Jenifer Cook, MD, Wichita

Thursday, February 5

No doctor scheduled

Friday, February 6

No doctor scheduled

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*Laurie Varner & Nancy Reddy, Calendar Clerks**Corey Carnahan, Secretary of the Senate*