

House Committee Agenda

January 23, 2007

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

Material shown in *italics* is new or changed from the previous day's Agenda.

On Call Committees and Joint Committees will be listed at the end of the Agenda. Subcommittees will be listed following the regular committee or in that time period with their meeting day and time noted.

In order to take part in committee meetings, individuals with special needs should contact the committee secretary at least two working days prior to the scheduled meeting time.

Week of January 22- 26, 2007

9:00 - 11:00 a.m.
Appropriations
Commerce and Labor
Education
Energy and Utilities
Taxation

Monday through Friday
Room 514-S
Room 231-N
Room 313-S
Room 241-N
Room 519-S

Appropriations

Shirley Jepson, Assistant - Ph 291-3446

9:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Room 514-S

Tuesday, January 23

Introduction of proposed legislation

Update on water litigation issues and tobacco settlement funds by Attorney General's Office--
Doug Farmer

Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks fees and projects, report on legislative initiatives by
Secretary Hayden

Wednesday, January 24

Introduction of proposed legislation

Presentation on Financial Management System Needs Assessment by Duane Goossen, Budget
Division

Presentation on Deferred Maintenance issues by Board of Regents President Robinson

Thursday, January 25

Kansas Department of Revenue overview by Joan Wagnon, Secretary

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2010 Commission, Rochelle Chronister, Chair
Kansas Health Policy Authority update by Dr. Marcie Nielson

Friday, January 26
Meeting on call of the Chair

Commerce and Labor

Steve Bainum, Assistant - Ph 6-7645

9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Room 231-N

Tuesday, January 23
Briefing by Guest Speaker:
Jeff Glendenning, Vice President of Political Affairs, KCCI

Wednesday, January 24
Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, January 25
Guest Speaker: Secretary of Labor Jim Garner

Friday, January 26
Briefing by Guest Speaker:
Alan Cobb, Kansas State Director, Americans for Prosperity

Education

Janet Henning, Assistant - Ph 6 -7672

9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Room 313-S

Tuesday, January 23
Introduction of bills
Hearings on:
HB 2015 - School accreditation, student performance standards; implementation of federal education programs
HB 2022 - School district board members; restrictions on school district work

Wednesday, January 24
Performance Audit Report of At-Risk funding, Part I and Part II
Katrin Osterhaus, Legislative Division of Post Audit
Overview of At-Risk Council Report by Dr. Andy Tompkins

Thursday, January 25
Overview of Midwestern Higher Education Compact (MHEC) 2005-2006
report by: Larry Isaak, President, MHEC

Energy and Utilities

Renae Hansen, Assistant - Ph 6-7670

9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Room 241-N

Tuesday, January 23
Hearings on:
HB 2033 - Certain public utility construction work in progress required to be included in

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rate base

HB 2038 - Nuclear power plants; application of siting act; property tax exemption
Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, January 24

Hearing on:

HB 2066 - Extension of electric transmission lines; exemption from siting requirements
Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, January 25

Briefing on The Smokey Hill Wind Project
Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, January 26

Possible action on bills previously heard

Taxation

Rose Marie Glatt, Assistant - Ph 6-4830

9:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Room 519-S

Tuesday, January 23

Continuation of Interim Reports

Wednesday, January 24

Meeting scheduled - agenda to be announced

Thursday, January 25

Hearing on:

HB 2018 - Increasing membership on state board of tax appeals to five members

Friday, January 26

Meeting scheduled - agenda to be announced

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Monday through Friday

Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget Committee

Room 235-N

Education Budget Committee

Room 514-S

Federal and State Affairs

Room 313-S

General Government Budget Committee

Room 234-N

Health and Human Services

Room 526-S

Transportation

Room 519-S

Transportation and Public Safety Budget

Room 527-S

Veterans, Military and Homeland Security

Room 241-N

Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget Committee

Lura Attig, Assistant Ph 6-7694

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Room 235-N

Tuesday, January 23

Meeting on call of the Chair

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Wednesday, January 24
Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, January 25
Meeting on call of the Chair

Education Budget Committee
Dee Heideman, Assistant Ph. 6-7681

1:30 - 3:30 p.m. Room 514-S

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Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, January 26
Meeting on call of the Chair

Federal and State Affairs
Carol Doel, Assistant - Ph 368-7166

1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Room 313-S

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Tuesday, January 23
Introduction of bills
Briefing by Mr. Ed Van Petten regarding the Kansas Lottery

Wednesday, January 24
Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, January 25
Introduction of bills
State of Kansas liquor and malt beverage law presented by Mr. Tom Groneman of the ABC

General Government Budget Committee
Melba Waggoner, Assistant - Ph 6-7693

1:30 - 3:30 p.m. Room 234-N

Tuesday, January 23
Meeting on call of the Chair

Wednesday, January 24
Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, January 25
Meeting on call of the Chair

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Health and Human Services

Patti Magathan, Assistant - Ph 6-7683

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Room 526-S

Tuesday, January 23

Possible bill introductions

Legislator Training on Tablet PC and electronic committee capabilities

Wednesday, January 24

Possible bill Introductions

Overview of Kansas Health Statistics and information availability

Thursday, January 25

Possible bill introductions

Presentation on Federal Health Agenda

Transportation

Betty Boaz, Assistant - Ph 6-7640

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Room 519-S

Tuesday, January 23

Hearing on:

HB 2071 - Designating certain highways as memorial highways

Introduction of bills

Possible action on previously heard bills

Wednesday, January 24

Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, January 25

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, January 26

Meeting on call of the Chair

Transportation and Public Safety Budget Committee

Gina Bowes, Assistant - Ph. 6-7639

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Room 527-S

Tuesday, January 23

Presentation on prison expansion options including bonding authority by Secretary Werholtz,
Department of Corrections

Thursday, January 25

Budget Overview by J.G. Scott, Chief Fiscal Analyst

Research and Analysis on Kansas Corrections program by Tony Fabelo and Fred Oescher,
Council of State Governments

Veterans, Military, and Homeland Security

Betty Caruthers, Assistant - Ph 6-7695

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Room 241-N

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Tuesday, January 23

Briefing:

Mission Profile & Results of last BRAC conclusion - David Howie, Ft. Leavenworth
Public Information Officer

Introduction of bills

Hearing on:

HB 2067 - Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs; Criminal history checks of
employees

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, January 24

Introduction of bills

Hearing on:

HB 2068 - Adjutant general, security officers

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, January 25

Introduction of bills

Possible action on bills previously heard

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Agriculture and Natural Resources
Economic Development & Tourism
Elections and Governmental Organization
Government Efficiency and Technology
Insurance and Financial Institutions
Judiciary
Social Services Budget Committee

Monday through Friday

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Room 231-N
Room 526-S
Room 527-S
Room 313-S
Room 514-S

Agriculture and Natural Resources

Florence Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7500

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Room 423-S

Tuesday, January 23

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, January 24

Hearing on:

HB 2052 - Water projects environmental coordination act

Thursday, January 25

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, January 26

Meeting on call of the Chair

Economic Development and Tourism

Ann Deitcher, Assistant - Ph 6-7652

3:30 - 5:00 p.m.

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Tuesday, January 23

Overview of Kansas Technology Enterprise Corporation(KTEC)

Tracy Taylor, President and CEO

Western Kansas Rural Economic Development Alliance - Tourism promotion

Roger Rabe

Wednesday, January 24

Kansas tourism initiative

Senator Nick Jordan

Dick Carter, Jr., Executive Director, Travel Industry Association of Kansas(TIAK)

Overview of Kansas Bio-Science Authorities

Tom Thornton

Thursday, January 25

Overview of state parks

Secretary Mike Hayden, Dept. Of Wildlife & Parks

Hearing and possible action on:

HB 2046 - concerning state parks, renaming state park no. 24

Elections and Governmental Organization

Maureen Stinson, Assistant - Ph 6-7699

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Room 231-N

Tuesday, January 23

Introductions of bills

Hearings on:

HB 2051 - Governmental ethics; officers and employees; when meals may be accepted

HB 2080 - Governmental ethics, acceptance of meals when

Possible action on previously heard bills

Wednesday, January 24

Introduction of bills

Hearing on:

HB 2058 - Counties- Courts for enforcement of county codes and resolutions, removal of restriction

Possible action on previously heard bills

Thursday, January 25

Bill Introductions

Hearing on:

HB 2128 - Elections; petitions; time frame for advisory opinion

HB 2082 - Initiative and referendum; extended to counties

Possible action on bills previously heard

Government Efficiency and Technology

Gary Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7676

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

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Tuesday, January 23

Continued Committee discussion

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Wednesday, January 24

Committee discussion regarding an Information Assurance proposal, Dr. Mark Bannister,
Fort Hays State University

Thursday, January 25

Committee discussion

Insurance and Financial Institutions

Sue Fowler, Assistant - Ph 6-7684

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Room 527-S

Tuesday, January 23

Meeting on call of the Chair

Wednesday, January 24

Hearing on:

HB 2109 - Insurance; risk-based capital requirements

HB 2110 - Insurance companies; authorizing merger with health maintenance organizations

Thursday, January 25

Hearing on:

HB 2112 - Insurance companies; removal of requirement for corporate seal

Possible action on bills previously heard

Judiciary

Cindy O'Neal, Assistant - Ph 6-5805

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Room 313-S

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30 COPIES OF WRITTEN TESTIMONY MUST BE PROVIDED TO THE COMMITTEE ASSISTANT, IN THE COMMITTEE ROOM, 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO THE MEETING.

Tuesday, January 23

Hearings & possible action on:

HB 2059 - upon adoption, the right to inherit from birth parent ceases

HB 2074 - fingerprints and photos of juveniles in custody

Possible action on any bills previously heard

Wednesday, January 24

Committee discussion and possible action on any bills previously heard

Thursday, January 25

Hearings and possible action on:

HB 2073 - fee increase authority for Sedgwick & Johnson county law libraries

HB 2087 - Kansas sentencing commission assumes the functions of the state statistical analysis center

Possible action on any bills previously heard

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Social Services Budget Committee

Kay Dick, Assistant - Ph 6-7616

3:30 -5:30 p.m.

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Tuesday, January 23

Meeting on call of the Chair

Wednesday, January 24

Overview of Agencies and Organizations:

Roderick L. Bremby, Director - Kansas Department of Health and Environment

Susan Kang, Legislative Liaison - Department of Health and Environment

Thursday, January 25

Overview of Agencies and Organizations

Kathy Greenlee, Secretary - Kansas Department On Aging

Phyllis Kelly - Kansas Adult Care Executive

Debra Zehr - Kansas Association of Homes and Service for the Aging

Cindy Luxem - Kansas Health Care Association

Select, On Call and Joint Committees

House Health Task Force

Carol Bainum, Assistant - Ph 6-7667

12:00 noon

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JUDY GRACE, Agenda Clerk

JANET E. JONES, Chief Clerk.