

**TENTATIVE
AGENDA**

Joint Budget Committee

Wednesday, February 22, 2012

09:00 AM

Room A, MAC

Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Gilbert Baker, Chair
Sen. Percy Malone, Vice Chair
Sen. Ruth Whitaker
Sen. Jimmy Jeffress
Sen. Kim Hendren
Sen. Jim Luker
Sen. Sue Madison
Sen. Gene Jeffress
Sen. Mary Anne Salmon
Sen. Randy Laverty
Sen. Jerry Taylor
Sen. Bill Pritchard
Sen. Paul Bookout
Sen. Jack Crumbly
Sen. Robert Thompson
Sen. David Johnson
Sen. Cecile Bledsoe
Sen. Johnny Key
Sen. David Wyatt
Sen. Joyce Elliott
Sen. Larry Teague
Sen. Michael Lamoureux
Sen. Linda Chesterfield
Sen. Jason Rapert
Sen. Stephanie Flowers
Sen. Missy Irvin
Sen. Jonathan Dismang
Sen. Steve Harrelson

Rep. Kathy Webb, Chair
Rep. Uvalde Lindsey, Vice Chair
Rep. Fred Allen
Rep. Robert S. Moore, Jr.
Rep. Tommy Lee Baker
Rep. David "Bubba" Powers
Rep. Buddy Lovell
Rep. Ed Garner
Rep. Bobby J. Pierce
Rep. Bryan B. King
Rep. Clark Hall
Rep. Barry Hyde
Rep. Donna Hutchinson
Rep. Jerry R. Brown

Rep. Tracy Pennartz
Rep. Charolette Wagner
Rep. Duncan Baird
Rep. Tim Summers
Rep. Andrea Lea
Rep. Garry L. Smith
Rep. Mark Perry
Rep. Stephanie Malone
Rep. Keith M. Ingram
Rep. James McLean
Rep. Nate Steel
Rep. Denny Altes
Rep. Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV
Rep. John Catlett

A. Call to Order/Roll Call

B. Reports and Communications

1. JBC Claims Subcommittee Report dated February 22, 2012
2. Status of Budget Bills Currently Held by the Joint Budget Committee

C. Member Bills and Amendments to be Considered

1. HB 1079 by Representative Bell – Agriculture Department – Forestry Commission Supplemental Appropriation
2. HB 1080 by Representative Bell – Agriculture Department – Forestry Commission Supplemental Appropriation
3. HB 1152 by Representatives G. Smith, Fielding, Jean and Senator G. Jeffress. – Southern Arkansas University – School of Veterinary Medicine Feasibility Study Appropriation

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4. HB 1002 by Representatives G. Smith, Hammer, S. Meeks, Senators G. Jeffress and B. Sample – Southern Arkansas University – Lignite Research Appropriation
5. HB 1153 by Representatives G. Smith, Fielding, Senator G. Jeffress – Natural Resources Commission – River Bridge Construction, Repair, Preventive Maintenance and Erosion Control Grants
6. SB 128 by Senator Hutchinson – U of A Poultry Science Department – Lignite Infused Poultry Water General Improvement
7. Amendment TWV181 by Senator Malone to SB 123 – UAMS Operations
8. Amendment TWV185 by Senator Teague to HB 1052 – Highway and Transportation Department Operations
9. Amendment TCW124 by Senator Pritchard to HB 1130 – Department of Community Correction
10. Amendment LEB127 by Senator J. Jeffress and Representative Tyler to HB 1063 – Department of Career Education
11. Amendment MAH147 by Representative Bell to HB 1114 – DFA Disbursing Officer – Miscellaneous Grants and Expenses

D. Consideration of Bills Referred to Joint Budget Committee

E. Bill Re-Referred to Joint Budget Committee

1. SB 45 – Auditor of State – Trial Court Administrative Assistants
2. HB 1114 – DFA Disbursing Officer – Miscellaneous Grants and Expenses

F. Other Business

G. Adjournment