

**AGENDA**  
**JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE - Pre-Fiscal Session Budget Hearings**

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**Thursday, March 10, 2016**  
**09:00 AM**  
**Room A, MAC**  
**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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Sen. Larry Teague, Chair  
Sen. Missy Irvin, Vice-Chair  
Sen. David Johnson  
Sen. Cecile Bledsoe  
Sen. Joyce Elliott  
Sen. Linda Chesterfield  
Sen. Jason Rapert  
Sen. Stephanie Flowers  
Sen. David Burnett  
Sen. Jake Files  
Sen. Jonathan Dismang  
Sen. Bill Sample  
Sen. Jeremy Hutchinson  
Sen. Eddie Joe Williams  
Sen. Ronald Caldwell  
Sen. Uvalde Lindsey  
Sen. Alan Clark  
Sen. Bruce Maloch  
Sen. Keith Ingram  
Sen. Bobby J. Pierce  
Sen. Jim Hendren  
Sen. Gary Stubblefield  
Sen. Jon Woods  
Sen. Jimmy Hickey, Jr  
Sen. David J. Sanders  
Sen. Bart Hester  
Sen. Bryan King  
Sen. John Cooper

Rep. Lane Jean, Chair  
Rep. Douglas House, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Stephen Meeks  
Rep. John T. Vines  
Rep. Fredrick J. Love  
Rep. Charlie Collins  
Rep. Reginald Murdock  
Rep. Matthew J. Shepherd  
Rep. Justin T. Harris  
Rep. Kim Hammer  
Rep. Jon S. Eubanks  
Rep. David L. Branscum  
Rep. Jeremy Gillam  
Rep. John W. Walker

Rep. Charlotte V. Douglas  
Rep. Mark D. McElroy  
Rep. Stephen Magie  
Rep. Jim Dotson  
Rep. Joe Jett  
Rep. Richard Womack  
Rep. Andy Davis  
Rep. Micah S. Neal  
Rep. Deborah Ferguson  
Rep. Mary Broadaway  
Rep. John Payton  
Rep. Monte Hodges  
Rep. Dan M. Douglas  
Rep. Justin Gonzales

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- A. Call to Order / Roll Call
- B. Reports and Communications
1. Lieutenant Governor FY2017 Proposed Changes
  2. Highway Department FY2017 Proposed Changes
- C. Department of Health Requests FY2017
1. Department of Health Overview
    - Ms. Mildred Hamilton, BLR Staff
    - Budget Requests - Volume 1, Page 79
  2. Department of Health
    - Dr. Nathaniel Smith, Director
  3. Governor's Letters - Department of Health
  4. Committee Action

**LUNCH BREAK**

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D. 1:00 PM - Department of Human Services Requests FY2017

1. Department of Human Services Overview

- Ms. Lilah Walls, BLR Staff

- a. DHS - Community Service & Nonprofit Support - Volume 1, Page 155  
- Mr. Edet Frank, Interim Director
- b. DHS - Aging & Adult Services - Volume 1, Page 164  
- Mr. Craig Cloud, Director
- c. DHS - Behavioral Health Services - Volume 1, Page 200  
- Dr. James C. Green, Director
- d. DHS - Child Care & Early Childhood Education - Volume 1, Page 187  
- Ms. Tonya Williams, Director
- e. DHS - Children & Family Services - Volume 1, Page 176  
- Ms. Cecile Bluker, Director
- f. DHS - County Operations - Volume 1, Page 259  
- Ms. Mary Franklin, Interim Director
- g. DHS - Developmental Disabilities - Volume 1, Page 289  
- Ms. Melissa Stone, Director
- h. DHS - Director's Office / Office of Chief Counsel - Volume 1, Page 136  
- Mr. David Sterling, Director
- i. DHS - Division of Administrative Services - Volume 1, Page 142  
- Ms. Misty Bowen-Eubanks, Interim Chief Fiscal Officer
- j. DHS - Medical Services - Volume 1, Page 222  
- Ms. Dawn Stehle, Director
- k. DHS - State Services for the Blind - Volume 1, Page 309

2. Department of Human Services

- Mr. John Selig, Director

3. Governor's Letters - Department of Human Services

4. Committee Action

E. Other Business

F. Adjourn