

**AGENDA**  
**Higher Education Subcommittee**  
**of the**  
**Arkansas Legislative Council**

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**Monday, June 13, 2022**  
**1:00 PM**  
**Room A, MAC**  
**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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Sen. Jane English, Chair  
Sen. Joyce Elliott, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Linda Chesterfield  
Sen. Jonathan Dismang  
Sen. Alan Clark  
Sen. Breanne Davis  
Sen. Mark Johnson  
Sen. Greg Leding  
Sen. Missy Irvin, ex officio  
Sen. Terry Rice, ex officio

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Rep. Ken Bragg  
Rep. Denise Garner  
Rep. Tippi McCullough  
Rep. Jeff Wardlaw, ex officio  
Rep. Jim Dotson, ex officio

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- A. Call to Order
- B. Overview of the Arkansas Center for Forest Business at the University of Arkansas Monticello (UAM) as an Economic and Workforce Driver for Arkansas **[EXHIBIT B]**
1. Dr. Peggy Doss, Chancellor, UAM
  2. Dr. Michael Blazier, Dean of College of Forestry, Agriculture, and Natural Resources, UAM
  3. Dr. Matthew Pelkki, Professor and George H. Clippert Endowed Chair of Forestry and Director of the Arkansas Center for Forest Business, UAM
- C. Discussion of the Impact of the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff (UAPB) on First Generation College Students and the 1890 Land Grant Mission **[EXHIBIT C]**
1. Dr. Robert Z. Carr, Jr., Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs
  2. Mr. Jordan O'Guinn, Recent Graduate
  3. Mr. Leon Jones, III, Recent Graduate and Former Student Government Association President
  4. Ms. Kandace Jimmerson, Current Student, Class of 2025
- D. Other Business
- E. Adjournment

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