

REPORT OF THE  
EXECUTIVE SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE  
ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

**January 16, 2026**

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Senator Ben Gilmore, Co-Chair  
Senator Justin Boyd, Vice Co-Chair  
Senator Bart Hester  
Senator Terry Rice

Representative Les D. Eaves, Co-Chair  
Representative Jack Ladyman, Vice Co-Chair  
Representative Jeff Wardlaw  
Representative Brian S. Evans

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**January 15, 2026 Meeting**

We, the Executive Subcommittee of the Arkansas Legislative Council, met Thursday, January 15, 2026, in Room B of the Big MAC Building, Little Rock, Arkansas. House Co-Chair Les D. Eaves, called the meeting to order and saw a quorum of members present.

Co-Chair Eaves recognized Mr. Harold Jeffcoat, Superintendent, Van Buren School District, to present a waiver request for Cooperative Purchasing Construction Services. **With no questions from members, Senator Terry Rice made a motion to approve the request for the Van Buren School District. The motion was seconded and passed by voice vote.**

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Ben Gilmore, Co-Chair and Representative Les D. Eaves, Co-Chair