

**TENTATIVE AGENDA  
ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL - JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE BUDGET  
HEARINGS**

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**Wednesday, November 05, 2014**

**09:00 AM**

**Room A, MAC**

**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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Sen. Bill Sample, Chair	Rep. John Charles Edwards, Chair	Rep. Marshall Wright
Sen. Robert Thompson	Rep. Duncan Baird	Rep. John T. Vines
Sen. David Johnson	Rep. Debra M. Hobbs	Rep. Greg Leding
Sen. Cecile Bledsoe	Rep. James L. Word	Rep. Lane Jean
Sen. David Wyatt	Rep. Andrea Lea	Rep. Fredrick J. Love
Sen. Joyce Elliott	Rep. Les "Skip" Carnine	Rep. Mark Biviano
Sen. Larry Teague	Rep. Butch Wilkins	Rep. Tommy Wren
Sen. Michael Lamoureux	Rep. Terry Rice	Rep. John Catlett
Sen. Linda Chesterfield	Rep. Mark Perry	Rep. Reginald Murdock
Sen. Jason Rapert	Rep. Jonathan Barnett	Rep. Kelley Linck
Sen. Stephanie Flowers	Rep. Robert E. Dale	Rep. Matthew J. Shepherd
Sen. David Burnett	Rep. Stephanie Malone	Rep. Bruce Westerman
Sen. Missy Irvin	Rep. Darrin Williams	Rep. Jeff Wardlaw
Sen. Jake Files	Rep. Karen S. Hopper	Rep. Kim Hammer
Sen. Jonathan Dismang	Rep. Ann V. Clemmer	Rep. Jon S. Eubanks
Sen. Bruce Holland	Rep. Davy Carter	Rep. David L. Branscum
Sen. Jeremy Hutchinson	Rep. Jim Nickels	Rep. James Ratliff
Sen. Eddie Joe Williams	Rep. James McLean	Rep. David Meeks
Sen. Ronald Caldwell	Rep. Jody Dickinson	Rep. Jeremy Gillam
Sen. Jane English	Rep. John Burris	Rep. John W. Walker
Sen. Uvalde Lindsey	Rep. Nate Steel	Rep. Tommy Thompson
Sen. Alan Clark	Rep. Denny Altes	Rep. Mark D. McElroy
Sen. Bruce Maloch	Rep. Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV	Rep. Joe Jett
Sen. Keith Ingram	Rep. Stephen Meeks	Rep. Andy Davis
Sen. Bobby J. Pierce		Rep. Micah S. Neal
Sen. Jim Hendren		
Sen. Gary Stubblefield		
Sen. Jon Woods		
Sen. David J. Sanders		
Sen. Bart Hester		
Sen. Eddie Cheatham		
Sen. Bryan King		

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A. Call to Order

B. Reports and Communications

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| 1. Personnel Subcommittee Reports        | <b>Exhibit B.1</b> |
| 2. Special Language Subcommittee Reports | <b>Exhibit B.2</b> |

C. Presentation of Budget Reports:

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Morning Meetings 9:00 AM

1.	Arkansas Building Authority (0350)	8/97	Kathy Schmidt
	Ms. Anne Laidlaw, Director		
	- Critical Maintenance	8/109	
	- ABA – State Operations	8/112	
	- Building Maintenance	8/115	

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- Acquisition and Maintenance 8/118

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- Building Design – Loans		8/121	
- Justice Building Operations		8/124	
- Justice Building Maintenance		8/126	
- Justice Building Construction – Cash		8/128	
- Cash in State Treasury		8/131	
2. Workforce Services (0810)	8/652		Mildred Hamilton
Mr. Artee Williams, Director			
- Annual Assessments			
- Excess Unemployment Benefits/Expenses		8/672	
- Operations		8/674	
- Workforce Investment Act		8/677	
- UI Trust Fund Loan Interest		8/681	
- DWS Training Trust Fund		8/684	
- DWS Unemployment Insurance Fund		8/686	
- TANF-IDA		8/688	
- TANF Block Grant Paying / New Hire Registry		8/692	
- Unemployment Benefits & Expenses-Cash		8/696	
- Federal Employees Benefit-Cash		8/699	
- U I Benefits - Taxable Employers - Cash		8/701	
- U I Benefits-Reimb Employers - Cash		8/704	
- Building Improvement / Land-Reed Act		8/706	
- Loans to Local WIBs		8/709	
3. Career Education Department (0590)	8/134		Mildred Hamilton
Mr. Bill Walker, Director			
- High-Tech Scholarship Program			
- Housing Construction Program		8/147	
- Vo Tech Admin-Operations		8/149	
- Fed Voc Educ-Operations		8/153	
- Adult Basic Education		8/156	
- Fed-Adult Basic Education		8/159	
- Fed Equipment & Training - Operations		8/162	
- Fed-Veterans Approving Agency		8/164	
- Construction Craft		8/166	
- LESO Program		8/168	
- Career Coaches Grant		8/171	
- Alternate Retirement Plan		8/174	
- AR Works - School Districts		8/176	
- Vocational Start-Up Grants		8/180	
- Vocational Center Aid		8/183	
- Governors Commission on Adult Literacy		8/186	
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- Career Coaches Public School Fund		8/194	
- KUDER - Public School Fund		8/197	
- Adult Education Career Coaches		8/200	
- Smarter Sentencing Program - PSF		8/203	

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4.	Career Education-Public School (0595) Mr. Bill Walker, Director -			Mildred Hamilton
5.	Career Education–Rehabilitation Services (0520) Mr. Jonathan Bibb, Acting Commissioner - Rehab Services - Operations - Increase Capabilities Access Network - Statewide Disability Telecomm - People w/ Disabilities - Tech Equipment - Treasury - Rehab Services - Treasury Pay - Promise Grant	8/205	8/235 8/238 8/240 8/243 8/245 8/247 8/249	

**Lunch Break**

Afternoon Meetings 1:30 PM

6.	State Medical Board (0274) Ms. Peggy Cryer, Executive Secretary - State Medical Operations	1/180	1/192	Andrea Barksdale
7.	Emergency Management (0995) Mr. David Maxwell, Director - Homeland Security - State Operations - Federal Operations - Disaster Relief Grants - Emergency Operations Center - Cash - ADEM Federal Surplus Property Program - Hazardous Materials - Disaster Relief Trust - Radiological Emergency Response Grants - 911 Rural Enhancements	8/352	8/364 8/367 8/370 8/373 8/376 8/378 8/381 8/384 8/387 8/389	Kathy Schmidt
8.	Higher Education Department (0700) Mr. Shane Broadway - General Operations - Research Development Program Grants - State Scholarship - Federal - Student Asst Grants / Scholarships - Improving Teacher Quality - TANF - College Access Challenge Grant - ADHE - Scholarship Admin. - Technical Education - Federal Programs - Dept Higher Education - Cash in Treasury - Compl Coll Amer Grt - Outcome - Cent Funding - Higher Education Grants & Loans	8/450	8/466 8/469 8/471 8/473 8/476 8/478 8/481 8/484 8/487 8/489 8/492 8/495 8/498	Tony Vogelgesang
9.	Economic Development Commission (0790)	8/304		Kathryn Walden

Mr. Grant Tennille, Director	
- Super Projects	8/324
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	- State Energy Plan - Federal	8/332	
	- Technology Development	8/335	
	- Energy Efficiency Arkansas - Cash	8/337	
	- Clean Cities	8/340	
	- Weatherization Program	8/342	
	- Quick Action Closing	8/345	
	- New Markets Performance Program	8/347	
10.	Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute (0534) Mr. Burl Lieblong, President	8/251	Tony Vogelgesang
	- Crowley's Ridge – Federal	8/260	
	- Crowley's Ridge – Cash	8/262	
11.	Northwest Technical Institute (0552) Dr. George V. Burch, Director	8/264	Tony Vogelgesang
	- Northwest TI – State	8/273	
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12.	Riverside Vo-Tech (0582) Mr. Joe Kelnhofer, Director	8/281	Tony Vogelgesang
	- Riverside VT – State Operations	8/289	
	- Plumbing Apprenticeship Program	8/292	

D. Other Business

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