

AGENDA

Joint Budget Committee

Thursday, February 23, 2017

09:00 AM

Room A, MAC

Little Rock, Arkansas

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

Rep. Lane Jean, Chair
Rep. Les Eaves, Vice-Chair
Rep. Stephen Meeks
Rep. Charlie Collins
Rep. Matthew J. Shepherd
Rep. Jon S. Eubanks
Rep. Douglas House
Rep. Charlotte V. Douglas
Rep. Mark Lowery
Rep. Mark D. McElroy
Rep. Stephen Magie
Rep. Eddie L. Armstrong
Rep. Joe Jett
Rep. Mike Holcomb

Rep. Charlene Fite
Rep. John Payton
Rep. Monte Hodges
Rep. Dan M. Douglas
Rep. Kim Hendren
Rep. Ron McNair
Rep. Jack Ladyman
Rep. Michelle Gray
Rep. Mickey Gates
Rep. DeAnn Vaught
Rep. David L. Branscum, ex-officio
Rep. Richard Womack, ex-officio
Rep. Warwick Sabin, ex-officio
Rep. John Maddox, ex-officio

A. Call to Order

B. Reports and Communications

1. JBC-Special Language Subcommittee Report dated February 23, 2017
2. Letter dated February 21, 2017 from Treasurer of State Requesting an Amendment to HB1235 – Office of the Treasurer of State Appropriation

C. Member Bills

1. Amendment WLC071 by Senator Hester to SB89 – Auditor of State-Deputy Prosecuting Attorneys
2. Amendment KCS045 by Senator Teague to HB1498 – Agriculture Department Capital Projects General Improvement
3. HB1603 by Representative Eaves – State Board of Pharmacy
4. Amendment JAP088 by Senator Ingram to HB1614 – Institutions of Higher Education Reappropriation

D. Consideration of Bills Referred to Joint Budget

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E. Letters from the Governor

1. Governor's Letter #11 – Amend HB1284 – DHS Medicaid Expansion Program
2. Governor's Letter #12 – Amend SB201 – DHS Division of Behavioral Health Services
3. Governor's Letter #13 – Amend SB98 – Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Training
4. Governor's Letter #14 – Supplemental Appropriation for Parks and Tourism
5. Governor's Letter #15 – Supplemental Appropriation for Arkansas State Police – Arkansas Wireless Information Network (AWIN)

F. Bills Re-referred to Joint Budget Committee

1. SB190 – Department of Workforce Services
2. SB267 – Agriculture Department
3. SB72 – Ethics Commission
4. HB1498 – Agriculture Department Capital Projects General Improvement

G. Other Business

H. Adjournment