

## AGENDA

### JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE - Pre-Fiscal Session Budget Hearings

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Wednesday, March 4, 2020

9:00 AM

Room A, MAC

Little Rock, Arkansas

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Sen. Larry Teague, Co-Chair  
Sen. Missy Irvin, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Joyce Elliott  
Sen. Linda Chesterfield  
Sen. Stephanie Flowers  
Sen. Jonathan Dismang  
Sen. Ronald Caldwell  
Sen. Jane English  
Sen. Alan Clark  
Sen. Bruce Maloch  
Sen. Keith Ingram  
Sen. Jim Hendren  
Sen. Gary Stubblefield  
Sen. Bart Hester  
Sen. Eddie Cheatham  
Sen. John Cooper  
Sen. Scott Flippo  
Sen. Blake Johnson  
Sen. Lance Eads  
Sen. Will Bond  
Sen. Breanne Davis  
Sen. Bob Ballinger  
Sen. Mark Johnson  
Sen. Greg Leding  
Sen. Cecile Bledsoe, ex officio  
Sen. Jason Rapert, ex officio  
Sen. Bill Sample, ex officio  
Sen. Jimmy Hickey, Jr, ex officio

Rep. Lane Jean, Co-Chair  
Rep. Les Eaves, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Stephen Meeks  
Rep. Matthew J. Shepherd  
Rep. Jon S. Eubanks  
Rep. Douglas House  
Rep. Stephen Magie  
Rep. Joe Jett  
Rep. Mike Holcomb  
Rep. Andy Davis  
Rep. Monte Hodges  
Rep. Jack Ladyman  
Rep. Robin Lundstrum  
Rep. Michelle Gray

Rep. Dwight Tosh  
Rep. Jana Della Rosa  
Rep. Grant Hodges  
Rep. Rick Beck  
Rep. Kenneth B. Ferguson  
Rep. Justin Boyd  
Rep. Marcus E. Richmond  
Rep. Austin McCollum  
Rep. Frances Cavanaugh  
Rep. Bruce Coleman  
Rep. Jeff Wardlaw, ex officio  
Rep. Jim Dotson, ex officio  
Rep. Richard Womack, ex officio  
Rep. Sarah Capp, ex officio

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A. Call to Order

B. General Revenue Official Forecast/Executive Balanced Budget for Fiscal Year 2021 - No Committee Recommendation Required

1. The Honorable Asa Hutchinson, Governor of the State of Arkansas

C. Act 678 of 2019 – Government Financial Disclosure and Accountability Act

1. Act requiring an appropriation for unappropriated cash funds. Schedule provided for the Committee's information with discussion and Committee action scheduled for Tuesday, March 10, 2020

D. Consideration of "Flag List" schedule

1. Various items for Committee consideration for the 2020 Fiscal Session bill drafts (for FY2021)

**Note: All exhibits for this meeting are available by electronic means and are accessible on the General Assembly's website at [www.arkleg.state.ar.us](http://www.arkleg.state.ar.us)**

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## **-Break for Lunch-**

**Starting at 1:00 p.m.**

### E. Institutions of Higher Education Budget Requests for Fiscal Year 2021

1. Legislative Audit Findings
2. Institutions of Higher Education Overview
  - a. Dr. Maria Markham Department of Education – Arkansas Division of Higher Education Director, presentation
  - b. Arkansas Division of Higher Education letter requesting to amend various appropriations and special language
  - c. Arkansas Division of Higher Education letter requesting to amend various authorized position
  - d. Mr. Henry Rice, BLR Staff, summary of Institutions Fiscal Year 2021 budget requests

### F. Other Business

### G. Adjournment