AGENDA

Senate Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development House Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development Meeting Jointly

Friday, February 9, 2024 10:00 AM Room B, MAC Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Ronald Caldwell, Chair Sen. Matt Stone, Vice-Chair Sen. David Wallace Sen. Breanne Davis Sen. Greg Leding Sen. Ben Gilmore Sen. Tyler Dees Sen. Fredrick J. Love Rep. Jack Fortner, Chair Rep. Roger D. Lynch, Vice-Chair Rep. Matthew J. Shepherd Rep. Bruce Cozart Rep. Stephen Magie Rep. Ron McNair Rep. DeAnn Vaught Rep. Austin McCollum Rep. Steve Hollowell Rep. Danny Watson

Rep. Carlton Wing Rep. Denise Garner Rep. Cameron Cooper Rep. Harlan Breaux Rep. Howard M. Beaty, Jr. Rep. Delia J. Haak Rep. Brandon Achor Rep. RJ Hawk Rep. Kendra Moore Rep. Chad Puryear

A. Call to Order

- B. Comments by Committee Chairs
- C. Consideration to Approve the November 30, 2023, Meeting Minutes [Exhibit C]
- D. County Fair Funding Update
 - Wes Ward, Secretary, Department of Agriculture
- E. Research and Promotion Board Update
 - Wes Ward, Secretary, Department of Agriculture
- F. Update on Bird Disposal Related to Cook Venture [Handout F1-F3]
 - Wes Ward, Secretary, Department of Agriculture
- G. Discussion on Interim Resolution on Farm Land and Solar Panels [Exhibit G] [Handout G1-G2] - Rodney Baker, Capitol Concepts LLC
- H. Other Business
- I. Adjournment

Note: All exhibits for this meeting are available by electronic means and are accessible on the General Assembly's website at <u>www.arkleg.state.ar.us</u>

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