## REVISED AGENDA (8/25/15 @ 11:15 a.m.) Senate Committee on City, County, and Local Affairs House Committee on City, County, and Local Affairs Meeting Jointly

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## Wednesday, August 26, 2015 01:00 PM

## Skillet Restaurant, Ozark Folk Center State Park, 1032 Park Avenue Mountain View, Arkansas

Sen. Missy Irvin, Chair Sen. Keith Ingram, Vice Chair Sen. Stephanie Flowers Sen. Jim Hendren Sen. Bart Hester Sen. Scott Flippo Sen. Linda Collins-Smith Sen. Greg Standridge Rep. Betty Overbey, Chair Rep. Mary Bentley, Vice Chair Rep. Gary Deffenbaugh Rep. Kim Hammer Rep. David Fielding Rep. Warwick Sabin Rep. Monte Hodges Rep. Les Eaves Rep. Donnie Copeland Rep. Jana Della Rosa Rep. Charles Blake
Rep. Justin Gonzales
Rep. Kenneth B. Ferguson
Rep. Justin Boyd
Rep. Ken Henderson
Rep. Tim Lemons
Rep. Lance Eads
Rep. Nelda Speaks
Rep. Milton Nicks, Jr.
Rep. Michael John Gray

- A. Call to Order
- B. Opening Remarks by Senate and House Chairs—Senator Missy Irvin and Representative Betty Overbey
- C. Approval of Minutes—August 5-6, 2015 [Exhibit C, C-1]
- D. Consideration of Motion:

"to Authorize Committee Chairs to Approve Special Expenses Incurred by the Committee" [Exhibit D]

- 1. Chair Remarks—Senator Irvin and Representative Overbey
- 2. Discussion and Action by Committee Members
- E. Welcome by Michalle Stevens, Executive Director, Mountain View Chamber of Commerce
- F. Welcome by John Morrow, Park Superintendent, Ozark Folk Center State Park
- G. Brief Summary of Litigation Concerning the Funding of Local Chambers of Commerce (*Lynch v. Little Rock & North Little Rock*-Appeal Pending) [Exhibit G]
  - --John Wilkerson, Staff Attorney, Arkansas Municipal League
- H. Status of Arkansas State Parks, Overview of Programs and Projects, plus Bicycle Trail Facilities and Coordination with the AR Highway and Transportation Department **[PowerPoint on website]** 
  - 1. Greg Butts, Director, Arkansas State Parks, Arkansas Department of Parks and Tourism
  - 2. Mike Sprague, Grant Project Officer, Outdoor Recreation Grant Program, Arkansas Department of Parks and Tourism, and Executive Secretary, Arkansas Trails Council
- I. Cycling Tourism in Arkansas- Road and Mountain Bicycling, and the Syllamo Trails IMBA Epic Mountain Bike Trail Project
  - 1. Leah DiPietro, Communications Manager, State Tourism, Arkansas Department of Parks and Tourism
  - 2. Jon Moran, Vice President of Governmental Affairs, Roger-Lowell Chamber of Commerce
  - 3. Misty Murphy, Director, Razorback Greenway
  - 4. Alan Ley, Director, Bike Bentonville
  - 5. J. R. Shaw, President, Visit Rogers
  - 6. County Judge Stacey Avey, Stone County

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- J. Tour of the Craft Village at the Ozark Folk Center State Park
- K. Adjournment

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