

**AGENDA**  
**Arkansas Legislative Task Force on Autism**

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**Friday, September 20, 2013**

**01:00 PM**

**Room 130, State Capitol**

**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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**Legislative Members**

Sen. Uvalde Lindsey, Chair

Rep. Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV, Chair  
Rep. Mary Broadaway

**Non-Legislative Members**

Ms. Martha Kay Asti  
Ms. Maureen Bradshaw  
Ms. Karan Burnette  
Dr. Loretta Cochran  
Dr. Richard Frye  
Dr. Charlie Green

Ms. Leslie Henson-Kita  
Ms. Glenda Higgs  
Ms. Natalie Ibanez  
Dr. Steve Kahler  
Dr. Michael Martin  
Ms. Karen Massey

Ms. Kay Michael  
Mr. Eric Moxley  
Ms. Christy Plunkett  
Dr. Tyra Reid  
Ms. Linda Rogers  
Ms. Dianna Varady

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- A. Call to Order
  - B. Opening Comments by Co-Chairs: **Senator Uvalde Lindsey**  
**Representative Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV**
  - C. Adoption of Minutes from July 19, 2013 **[Exhibit C]**
  - D. PowerPoint Presentation on Structured Teaching and Evidence-based Practices Classroom (STEP)
    - 1. Ms. Linda Rogers, Vice President, Easter Seals Arkansas
    - 2. Ms. Debbie Ware, Speech Language Pathologist and Autism Specialist, Outreach Program, Easter Seals Arkansas
    - 3. Ms. Alison McGrimley, Behavior Analyst, STEP Classroom Teacher, Easter Seals Arkansas
  - E. Discussion of Task Force Goals and Objectives
  - F. Other Business
  - G. Adjournment

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