

AGENDA

Arkansas Legislative Taskforce on Reducing Poverty and Promoting Economic Opportunity

Wednesday, August 18, 2010

01:30 PM

Room 171, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

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Sen. Joyce Elliott, Chair
Sen. Larry Teague

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Rep. Davy Carter

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Mr. Rich Huddleston, Chair
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- A. Call to Order
- B. Approval of Minutes of May 26, 2010, June 29, 2010, and July 13, 2010 **[Exhibit B]**
- C. **Presentation** ~ Solutions to Identified Barriers, Unemployment and Economic Growth in Arkansas
Adrienne M. Toney, M.A., Reemployment Services Specialist, Dislocated Workers Task Force, DWFS
- D. Feedback on Town Hall and Focus Group meeting. **[Exhibit D]**
- E. Review and Consideration of Draft Recommendations **[Exhibit E]**
 - 1. Economic and Community Development Work Group
 - 2. Individual Economic Support/Security and Aging Work Group
 - 3. Education Work Group
 - 4. Tax Policy Work Group
 - 5. Health Work Group
- F. Other Business
- G. Adjournment

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