

House Committee Agenda March 18, 2009

The following is a tentative schedule of Committees and is subject to change day-to-day. Committees not listed have no meetings scheduled.

Material shown in *italics* is new or changed from the previous day's Agenda.

On Call Committees and Joint Committees will be listed at the end of the Agenda. Subcommittees will be listed following the regular committee or in that time period with their meeting day and time noted.

In order to take part in committee meetings, individuals with special needs should contact the committee secretary at least two working days prior to the scheduled meeting time.

Week of March 16 - 20, 2009

<p style="text-align: center;">9:00 a.m.</p> <p>Appropriations</p> <p>Commerce and Labor</p> <p>Education</p> <p>Energy and Utilities</p> <p>Taxation</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Monday through Friday</p> <p>Room 143-N</p> <p>Docking Room 784</p> <p>Docking Room 711</p> <p>Docking Room 783</p> <p>Room 535-N</p>
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Appropriations

Kathy Holscher, Assistant - Ph 291-3446

9:00 a.m. Room 143-N

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MEETING. PLEASE PROVIDE 50 COPIES OF WRITTEN TESTIMONY
BY 8:30 A.M. IN THE COMMITTEE ROOM**

Wednesday, March 18

Introduction of proposed legislation

Hearing and possible action on:

SB 30 - State surplus property; disposition of computers and firearms.
Block Grants

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 19

Introduction of proposed legislation

Hearing and possible action on:

HB 2355 - *Limitation on outstanding principal of state general fund bonded debt.*

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, March 20

Meeting on call of Chair

Commerce and Labor

Steve Bainum, Assistant - Ph 6-7645

9:00 a.m.

Docking Room 784

Wednesday, March 18

Discussion and possible action on:

SB 160 - Kansas minimum wage law; minimum wage increase.

Thursday, March 19

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, March 20

Meeting on call of the Chair

Energy and Utilities

Renae Hansen, Assistant - Ph 6-7670

9:00 a.m.

Docking Room 783

Wednesday, March 18

Hearing on:

HR 6018 - Encouraging the Kansas Electric Transmission authority to continue to participate in dockets of the State Corporation Commission concerning the transmission of electricity in Kansas

Thursday, March 19

Presentation on:

Regulation/ratemaking 101 - Don Low, KCC

Friday, March 20

Meeting on call of the Chair

Taxation

Kathy Beavers, Assistant - Ph 6-4830

9:00 a.m.

Room 535-N

Wednesday, March 18

Hearing on:

HB 2378 - Public utility defined for property tax purposes related to natural gas inventories
Possible action on bill(s) previously heard

Thursday, March 19
Action on bill(s) previously heard

Friday, March 20
Meeting on call of the Chairman
Possible action on bill(s) previously heard

1:30 p.m.	Monday through Friday
Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget	Room 431-N
Corrections and Juvenile Justice	Room 535-N
Federal and State Affairs	Room 143-N
General Government Budget	Room 531-N
Health and Human Services	Docking Room 784
Higher Education	Docking Room 786
Transportation	Docking Room 783

Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget

Diane Brian, Assistant Ph 6-7500

1:30 p.m. Room 431-N

Wednesday, March 18

Hearing on:

HB 2383 - *Transferring moneys from certain fee funds to the state general fund*
Possible discussion and action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 19
Meeting on call of Chair

Friday, March 20
Meeting on call of Chair

Corrections and Juvenile Justice

Jackie Lunn, Assistant - Ph 6-7631

1:30 p.m. Room 535-N

INDIVIDUALS WISHING TO APPEAR AND PROVIDE VERBAL TESTIMONY BEFORE THE COMMITTEE MUST NOTIFY THE COMMITTEE SECRETARY AND PRESENT 25 WRITTEN COPIES OF

TESTIMONY 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE HEARING UNLESS OTHER ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE WITH THE COMMITTEE SECRETARY. IF SUBMITTING "WRITTEN ONLY" TESTIMONY THE SAME RULES APPLY. AN INDIVIDUAL WITH SPECIAL NEEDS MAY REQUEST ACCOMMODATIONS AT LEAST 2 WORKING DAYS IN ADVANCE OF MEETING BY CONTACTING LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES AT 785/296-2391 (TTY:785/296-8430)

Wednesday, March 18

Hearing on:

SB 248 - *Electronic logging system for sale of methamphetamine precursor.*

Possible *final* action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 19

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, March 20

On call of the Chair

Federal and State Affairs

Nikki Feuerborn, Assistant - Ph 368-7166

1:30 p.m.

Room 143-N

INDIVIDUALS WISHING TO TESTIFY ARE REQUIRED TO NOTIFY THE COMMITTEE ASSISTANT 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETING. 35 COPIES OF WRITTEN TESTIMONY MUST BE PROVIDED TO THE COMMITTEE ASSISTANT BY 10:30 A.M. THE DAY OF THE HEARING.

Wednesday, March 18

Introduction of legislation

Hearings on:

SB 212 - *Wine shipments, certain persons; licensure; limitations*

SB 54 - *Brown v. Board of Education mural in the capitol.*

Possible discussion and action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 19

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, March 20

Meeting on call of the Chair

General Government Budget

Ellen Martinez, Assistant - Ph 6-1769

1:30 p.m.

Room 531-N

Wednesday, March 18
Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 19
Possible action on bills previously heard

Health and Human Services

Janet Grace, Assistant - Ph 6-7683

1:30 p.m. Docking Room 784

Wednesday, March 18

Hearing on:

HB 2356 - Child care facilities; inspection

Working bills previously heard

Thursday, March 19
Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, March 20
Meeting on call of the Chair

Higher Education

Kay Scarlett, Assistant - Ph 6-7649

1:30 p.m. Docking Room 786

Wednesday, March 18

Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, March 19
Meeting on call of the Chair

Transportation

Betty Boaz, Assistant - Ph 6-7640

1:30 p.m. Docking Room 783

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Wednesday, March 18

Meeting on call of the Chair

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 19

Hearing on:

HB 2382 - Enacting 2010 transportation plan

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, March 20

Meeting scheduled

Possible action on bills previously heard

1:30 p.m.
Vision 2020

Monday and Wednesday
Docking Room 711

Vision 2020

Mary Koles, Assistant - Ph 6-7654

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 711

Wednesday, March 18

Meeting cancelled

1:30 p.m.
Veterans, Military, and Homeland Security

Tuesday and Thursday
Docking Room 711

Veterans, Military and Homeland Security

Barbara Lewerenz, Assistant - Ph 6-7695

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 711

Thursday, March 19

Meeting on call of the Chair

3:30 p.m.
Agriculture and Natural Resources
Education Budget
Government Efficiency and Fiscal Oversight
Judiciary
Social Services Budget
Transportation and Public Safety Budget

Monday through Friday
Docking Room 783
Room 531-N
Room 535-N
Room 143-N
Docking Room 786
Room 136-N

Agriculture and Natural Resources

Pat Matzek, Assistant - Ph 6-7694

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 783

Wednesday, March 18

Commission Reports - Wheat, Corn, Milo, Soybean

Hearing on:

SB 204 - Secretary of agriculture, disposition of food safety and lodging moneys,
food safety and lodging fee fund

Possible action on bills

Thursday, March 19

Meeting on call of the Chair

Possible action on bills

Friday, March 20

Meeting on call of the Chair

Possible action on bills

Education Budget

Dee Heideman, Assistant - Ph 6-7681

3:30 p.m.

Room 531-N

Wednesday, March 18

Presentation:

Security Post Audit - Allan Foster, Auditor, Legislative Post Audit

Government Efficiency and Fiscal Oversight

Gary Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7676

3:30 p.m.

Room 535-N

Wednesday, March 18

Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, March 19

Meeting on call of the Chair

Judiciary

Sue VonFeldt, Assistant - Ph 6-5805

3:30 p.m.

Room 143-N

CONFEREES ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE 30 COPIES OF WRITTEN TESTIMONY THE DAY OF THE HEARING, IN ROOM 143-N AT 3:15. IF MULTIPLE PAGES OR ATTACHMENTS OF TESTIMONY ARE TO BE HANDED OUT, PLEASE COLLATE PRIOR TO SUBMISSION. ANYONE WISHING TO APPEAR BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON ANY OF THE BILLS SHOULD CONTACT THE COMMITTEE ASSISTANT 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE HEARING

Wednesday, March 18

Action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 19

Action on bills previously heard

Friday, March 20

Meeting on call of the Chair

Social Services Budget Committee

Cyndie Rexer, Assistant - Ph 6-7685

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 786

Wednesday, March 18

Discussion on community living opportunities

Thursday, March 19

Meeting on call of the Chair

3:30 p.m.

Economic Development and Tourism

Elections

Financial Institutions

Monday and Wednesday

Docking Room 711

Room 446-N

Docking Room 784

Economic Development and Tourism

Ann Deitcher, Assistant - Ph 6-7652

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 711

Wednesday, March 18

Possible action on bills previously heard

Economic Development and Tourism Sub-Committee

Ann Deitcher, Assistant - Ph 6-7652

1:30 p.m.

431-N

Wednesday, March 18

Meeting on call of the Chair

Elections

Florence Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-1754

3:30 p.m.

Room 446-N

Wednesday, March 18

Possible action on bills previously heard

Financial Institutions

Joyce Bishop, Assistant - Ph 6-7679

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

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Wednesday, March 18

Possible action on bills previously heard

3:30 p.m.
Aging and Long Term Care
Insurance
Local Government

Tuesday and Thursday
Docking Room 711
Docking Room 784
Room 446-N

Aging and Long Term Care

Judy Holliday, Assistant - Ph 6-7616

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 711

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Thursday, March 19

Continued hearing on Telemedicine

Hearing on:

SB 31 - Behavioral sciences; continuing education requirements

Possible action on bills previously heard

Insurance

Sue Fowler, Assistant - Ph 6-7684

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

Thursday, March 19

Possible action on bills previously heard

Hearing on:

HB 2367 - Insurance coverage; autism

Local Government

Carol Bertram, Assistant - Ph 6-7637

3:30 p.m.

Room 446-N

ANYONE WISHING TO APPEAR BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON ANY OF THE BELOW BILLS SHOULD CONTACT THE COMMITTEE ASSISTANT AT 296-7637. PLEASE PROVIDE 25 COPIES OF WRITTEN TESTIMONY BY NOON ON THE DAY PRECEDING THE HEARING

Thursday, March 19

Hearing on:

SB 257 - Requirements for public improvements by cities outside of city limits
Possible action on bills previously heard

Select, On Call and Joint Committees

Joint Committee on State Building Construction

Gary Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7676

Noon

Room 143-N

Wednesday, March 18

Review of leases and change orders

Legislative Post Audit

Sharon Chandler, Assistant - Ph 6-2792

Noon - 1:00 p.m.

Room 446 N

Wednesday, March 18

Presenting the following completed audit reports:

- State Inspection Functions, Part I: A K-GOAL Audit determining the cost savings or efficiencies from automating inspection processes
- Efficiencies from Automating Inspection Processes State Contracts: Determining whether the state's office-supply vendor is providing products to state agencies at agreed-upon prices
- Business Procurement Cards: Expanding their use to increase cash rebates to the state

Doctor of the Day

Phone 296-7397

Pager 231-3434

Room 403-N

Wednesday, March 18

Doctor Dennis Tietze, Topeka

Thursday, March 19

Doctor Mary Redmon, Kansas City, Kansas

Friday, March 20

Doctor Maria Jindra, Concordia

SUSAN KANNARR, CHIEF CLERK

Judy Grace, Agenda and Calendar Clerk
Jane Schaible, Status Clerk