

AGENDA

Joint Budget Committee
Revised 3:15 pm 3/19/2025
Thursday, March 20, 2025
9:00 AM
Room A, MAC
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Jonathan Dismang, Co-Chair
Sen. Joshua Bryant, Vice-Chair
Sen. Stephanie Flowers
Sen. Missy Irvin
Sen. Ronald Caldwell
Sen. Jane English
Sen. Alan Clark
Sen. Gary Stubblefield
Sen. Jimmy Hickey, Jr
Sen. Bart Hester
Sen. Scott Flippo
Sen. Blake Johnson
Sen. Breanne Davis
Sen. Ricky Hill
Sen. Mark Johnson
Sen. Greg Leding
Sen. Kim Hammer
Sen. Dan Sullivan
Sen. Clarke Tucker
Sen. Bryan King
Sen. Matt McKee
Sen. Clint Penzo
Sen. Tyler Dees
Sen. John Payton
Sen. Terry Rice, ex officio
Sen. Dave Wallace, ex officio
Sen. Ben Gilmore, ex officio
Sen. Jim Petty, ex officio

Rep. Lane Jean, Co-Chair
Rep. Lee Johnson, Vice-Chair
Rep. Matthew J. Shepherd
Rep. Stephen Magie
Rep. Mike Holcomb
Rep. Marcus E. Richmond
Rep. Frances Cavanaugh
Rep. Roger D. Lynch
Rep. Aaron Pilkington
Rep. Les Warren
Rep. Jim Wooten
Rep. Denise Garner
Rep. Nicole Clowney
Rep. Andrew Collins

Rep. Brian S. Evans
Rep. Tippi McCullough
Rep. Joy Springer
Rep. Ashley Hudson
Rep. Jon Milligan
Rep. Steven Walker
Rep. Jeremiah Moore
Rep. Zack Gramlich
Rep. R. Scott Richardson
Rep. Nick Burkes
Rep. Jeff Wardlaw, ex officio
Rep. Les D. Eaves, ex officio
Rep. Robin Lundstrum, ex officio
Rep. Jimmy Gazaway, ex officio

A. Call to Order

B. Reports and Communications

1. JBC Personnel Subcommittee Report dated March 20, 2025
--Senator Breanne Davis or Representative Jim Wooten
2. JBC Special Language Report dated March 20, 2025
--Senator Matt McGee or Representative Lee Johnson
3. JBC PEER-Review Subcommittee dated March 20, 2025
--Senator Kim Hammer or Representative Aaron Pilkington

C. Consideration of Member Bills and Amendments

1. Amendment MAH041 by Senator English to SB132 – Payment of Approved Claims
2. Amendment BSS027 by Representative Cavanaugh to SB106 – Department of Agriculture

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

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3. Amendment KMW040 by Representative Lee Johnson to SB93 – Department of Education
4. Amendment LCW048 by Representative Cavanaugh to SB36 – Department of Human Services-Division of Aging, Adult, and Behavioral Health Services
5. SB354 by Senator Dismang and Representative Jean – Department of Corrections-Division of Correction

D. Governor's Letters

1. GL#27 – SB92 – Department of Transformation and Shared Services-Arkansas Geographic Information Systems Office
2. GL#28 – SB88 – Department of Education-Division of Higher Education
3. GL#29 – SB93 – Department of Education
4. GL#30 – HB1089 – Department of Commerce-Arkansas Waterways Commission
5. GL#31 – SB25 – Department of Commerce-State Insurance Department
6. GL#32 – SB37 – Department of Commerce
7. GL#33 – SB39 – Department of Commerce-Division of Workforce Services
8. GL#34 – HB1115 – Department of Commerce-Arkansas Rehabilitation Services
9. GL#35 – HB1191 – Department of Public Safety-Arkansas Crime Lab
10. GL#36 – HB1200 – Department of Energy and Environment-Division of Environmental Quality

E. Bills Re-Referred to Joint Budget Committee

1. HB1089 – Commerce Department – Waterways Commission
2. SB132 – Payment of Approved Claims

F. Other Business

Discussion with Department of Finance and Administration on Revenue Projections

G. Adjournment