

HOUSE CALENDAR

No. 11

Tuesday, January 27, 2026
HOUSE CONVENES AT 11:00 AM

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

READING AND CORRECTION OF JOURNAL

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Reference of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

2539–

HB 2539, AN ACT concerning libraries; relating to the Eudora community library district; requiring the adoption of a joint resolution to provide for the election of members of the board of directors of such district; amending K.S.A. 12-1295, 12-1296 and 12-1298 and repealing the existing sections.

Representatives Amyx, Neelly
(Local Government)

2540–

HB 2540, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to the standard nonforfeiture law for individual deferred annuities; exempting contingent deferred annuities from certain provisions therefrom; authorizing the commissioner of insurance to regulate such contingent deferred annuities through the adoption of rules and regulations; amending K.S.A. 40-4,102 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Insurance
(Insurance)

2541–

HB 2541, AN ACT concerning economic development; enacting the Kansas rural business growth program act; establishing a premium tax credit program to be administered by the secretary of commerce for the purpose of

incentivizing capital investment in rural areas.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)

2542–

HB 2542, AN ACT concerning roads and highways; designating a portion of United States highway 56 as the Bill Tucker memorial highway.

Representatives Long, Pishny

(Transportation)

2543–

HB 2543, AN ACT concerning wildlife and parks; requiring an annual reimbursement to the Kansas department of wildlife and parks for lost revenue from free or discounted hunting and fishing licenses, permits or passes that were established by legislative enactment on or after July 1, 2027; requiring the department to maintain an accounting of lost revenue and submit such accounting to the director of accounts and reports and the state treasurer by June 30 of each fiscal year; requiring that such accounting be subject to audits by the state treasurer; making an annual transfer from the state general fund to the wildlife fee fund upon certification of such accounting, subject to appropriation acts of the legislature.

Representative W. Carpenter

(Appropriations)

2544–

HB 2544, AN ACT concerning communications service providers; relating to directives from municipalities to relocate facilities located within the public right-of-way; establishing the relocation reimbursement assistance fund to provide monetary assistance to certain communications service providers that are required to relocate facilities; requiring the state treasurer to administer such fund and establish an application process for disbursement of moneys in such fund.

Committee on Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications
(Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications)

2545–

HB 2545, AN ACT concerning courts; relating to municipal court assessments; increasing certain municipal court fee assessments; crediting such assessment increase to the Kansas commission on peace officers' standards and training fund and the crime victims assistance fund; amending K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 12-4117 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Transportation and Public Safety Budget
(Transportation and Public Safety Budget)

2546–

HB 2546, AN ACT concerning sales and compensating use tax; relating to city and countywide retailers' sales tax; providing countywide retailers' sales tax authority for Labette county for the purpose of providing financial support to

fire departments located in the county; amending K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 12-187, 12-189 and 12-192 and repealing the existing sections.

Representative Goddard

(Taxation)

2547–

HB 2547, AN ACT concerning wildlife; relating to hunting; requiring a valid upland game bird stamp prior to taking any upland game bird in this state; exempting hunters who are not required to have a hunting license, hunters on private land and lifetime license holders; establishing the upland game bird restoration fund and the upland game bird restoration program; requiring moneys from such fund to be used for the procurement and release of upland game birds in Kansas; establishing a youth season for taking upland game birds; setting a maximum fee for an upland game bird stamp; amending K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 32-988 and repealing the existing section.

Representative Chauncey

(Agriculture and Natural Resources)

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Reference of Senate Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

Motions and Resolutions Offered on a Previous Day

6022–

HR 6022, A RESOLUTION congratulating and commending the members of the 2026 Kansas Teacher of the Year team.

Representative Estes

THE UNFINISHED BUSINESS BEFORE THE HOUSE

Consent Calendar

Final Action on Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

Bills Under Consideration to Concur or Nonconcur

General Orders

2413–

HB 2413, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to theft; providing that theft of livestock or implements of husbandry is a severity level 5, nonperson felony; allowing for the forfeiture of certain property used in the commission of theft of an implement of husbandry; amending K.S.A. 21-5801 and 22-4807a and repealing the existing sections.

Representatives Schwertfeger, Steele

(Judiciary)

(Be Passed)

2422–

HB 2422, AN ACT concerning crimes, punishment and criminal procedure; relating to theft; providing that theft of grain is a severity level 6, nonperson felony; amending K.S.A. 21-5801 and repealing the existing section.

Representative Schwertfeger

(Judiciary)

(Be Passed)

(The Line)

2013–

HB 2013, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; discontinuing the imposition of tax on certain cable services; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 79-3603 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2057–

HB 2057, AN ACT concerning the offices of United States senator, state treasurer and the commissioner of insurance; relating to the filling of vacancies in such offices; requiring the appointment of a person of the same political party as the incumbent; requiring the legislature to nominate three persons for consideration for such appointment and that the governor appoint one of the nominated persons; establishing the joint committee on vacancy appointments;

amending K.S.A. 25-101b and 40-106 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 25-318.

Committee on Elections

(Elections)
 (Be Passed)
 (Elections)
 (Be Passed as Amended)
 (Calendar and Printing)
 (Elections)

2098–

HB 2098, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to exemptions; providing for sales tax exemption for not-for-profit corporations operating a community theater; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)
 (Be Passed)

2132–

Sub HB 2132, AN ACT concerning children and minors; relating to the revised Kansas code for care of children; modifying the definition of neglect; prohibiting the removal of a child from such child's home due solely to a lack of financial resources; determining when a law enforcement officer may or shall take a child into custody; requiring the secretary for children and families to provide means for a law enforcement officer to refer potential cases of abuse or neglect and that the secretary provide a response to such referrals within 24 hours; requiring that facts of serious harm demonstrate more than one fact of certain listed facts; allowing the court to consider the participation of parents in services when determining whether a child shall be removed from such child's home; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 38-2202, 38-2231, 38-2234 and 38-2243 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Child Welfare and Foster Care

(Child Welfare and Foster Care)
 (Federal and State Affairs)
 (Child Welfare and Foster Care)
 (Substitute Be Passed)

2159–

HB 2159, AN ACT concerning law enforcement; relating to emergency opioid antagonists; maintaining immunity for law enforcement agencies and officers for damages resulting from administering an emergency opioid antagonist; removing law enforcement agencies and officers from the state board of pharmacy's statewide opioid antagonist protocol; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 65-16,127 and repealing the existing section.

Representatives Proctor, Hoheisel

(Health and Human Services)
 (Be Passed as Amended)
 (Calendar and Printing)
 (Health and Human Services)
 (Be Further Amended, Be Passed as Amended)

2163–

HB 2163, AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to credits; providing for the preceptor income tax incentive act; establishing a credit for nursing home administrators, registered nurses and registered dietitians that serve as community-based faculty preceptor in adult care homes and medical care facilities by providing personalized instruction, training and supervision for students.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2236–

HB 2236, AN ACT concerning mental health; relating to the Kansas department for aging and disability services and mental health intervention team providers; establishing the mental health intervention team program in state statute; providing incentives for coordination between school districts, qualified schools and mental health intervention team providers.

Committee on Appropriations

(Health and Human Services)

(Federal and State Affairs)

(Health and Human Services)

(Be Passed)

2376–

HB 2376, AN ACT concerning alcoholic liquor; amending the Kansas liquor control act, the Kansas club and drinking establishment act and the Kansas cereal malt beverage act; transferring the licensure of off-premise cereal malt beverage retailers and on-premise cereal malt beverage retailers from cities and counties to the alcoholic beverage control division of the department of revenue; allowing local licensure by cities or counties; amending K.S.A. 41-304, 41-2601, 41-2701, 41-2702, 41-2705, 41-2706, 41-2707, 41-2708, 41-2722, 41-2726 and 41-2730 and K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 41-102, 41-104, 41-2703 and 41-2704 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs

(Federal and State Affairs)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2387–

HB 2387, AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to credits; extending the number of years of availability of the income tax credit for contributions to the Eisenhower foundation and friends of cedar crest association; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 79-32,274 and 79-32,275 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2393–

HB 2393, AN ACT concerning courts; relating to court fees and costs; authorizing the supreme court to impose a charge to fund the costs of non-judicial personnel through June 30, 2030; amending K.S.A. 8-2107, 20-3021,

21-6614, 22-2410, 23-2510, 28-170, 28-172a, 28-179, 38-2215, 38-2312 and 38-2314 and K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 8-2110, 28-177, 28-178, 32-1049a, 59-104, 60-729, 60-2001, 60-2203a, 61-2704, 61-4001 and 65-409 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Appropriations

(General Government Budget)

(Be Passed)

2404–

HB 2404, AN ACT concerning the Kansas offender registration act; making it unlawful for certain adult sex offenders to enter onto certain school property or attend certain school activities and creating criminal penalties for violation thereof; prohibiting certain adult sex offenders from residing within 1,000 feet of any school property; authorizing certain offenders to petition for relief from registration requirements; amending K.S.A. 22-4901, 22-4902 and 22-4908 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Taxation

(Judiciary)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2446–

HB 2446, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to the crime of corrupt political advertising; deleting the requirement that treasurers be listed in political advertising attributions; amending K.S.A. 25-2407 and 25-4156 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Elections

(Elections)

(Be Passed)

2452–

HB 2452, AN ACT concerning elections; changing the timing of municipality elections for cities, school districts, community colleges and certain other municipalities to fall in even-numbered years; requiring terms of office to be either two years or four years; amending K.S.A. 2-623, 2-624, 13-1221, 13-1702, 19-2760, 19-3505, 24-412, 24-459, 24-504, 24-506, 25-205, 25-210, 25-610, 25-611, 25-613, 25-2010, 25-2017a, 25-2102, 25-2107, 25-2108a, 25-21a03, 42-706, 71-1408, 71-1413, 71-1422 and 80-2508 and K.S.A. 2025 Supp. 25-213, 25-303, 25-1115, 25-2006, 25-2018, 25-2311, 25-2502 and 25-3009 and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 25-21a01.

Committee on Elections

(Elections)

(Be Passed as Amended)

5006–

HCR 5006, A PROPOSITION to amend section 4 of the bill of rights of the constitution of the state of Kansas to recognize the right to bear arms as a natural and fundamental right; clarifying that such right includes the possession and use of ammunition, firearm accessories and firearm components; making restrictions on such right subject to strict scrutiny.

Representatives Schmoie, Anderson, Awerkamp, Barrett, Barth, Bergkamp,

Bergquist, Blex, Bloom, Brantley, Bryce, Buehler, B. Carpenter, W. Carpenter, Chauncey, Collins, Corbet, Delperdang, Droge, Ellis, Estes, Fairchild, Gardner, Goddard, Goetz, Hawkins, Helwig, Hill, Hoffman, Hoheisel, Howe, Howell, Howerton, Humphries, Johnson, Kessler, King, Long, McNorton, Minnix, Moser, Neelly, Penn, Pickert, Poetter Parshall, Proctor, Rahjes, Rhiley, Roeser, Roth, Sanders, Schwertfeger, Seiwert, A. Smith, Steele, Sutton, Tarwater, Thompson, Turk, Waggoner, Ward, Wasinger, Waymaster, White, Wilborn, K. Williams, Wolf

(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Adopted)

5015-

HCR 5015, A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the United States Department of Education to distribute certain federal moneys for education in the form of block grants to the state.

Committee on Taxation

10-

SB 10, AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to exemptions; providing exemptions for certain personal property including watercraft, marine equipment, off-road vehicles, motorized bicycles and certain trailers; amending K.S.A. 79-213 and 79-5501 and repealing the existing sections.

Senators Tyson, Alley, Blasi, Bowers, Bowser, J.R. Claeys, Claeys, Clifford, Dietrich, Erickson, Fagg, Faust Goudeau, Gossage, Klemp, Kloos, Masterson, Murphy, Owens, Peck, Petersen, Rose, Shallenburger, Shane, Starnes, Thomas, Thompson, Warren

(Taxation)
(Be Passed as Amended)

51-

SB 51, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to economic development; providing a sales tax exemption for the construction or remodeling of a qualified data center in Kansas, the purchase of data center equipment, eligible data center costs and certain labor costs to qualified firms that commit to a minimum investment of \$250,000,000 and meet new Kansas jobs and other requirements; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Commerce

(Taxation)
(Taxation)
(Be Passed as Amended)
(Be Passed as Amended)

52-

SB 52, AN ACT concerning economic development; enacting the Kansas film and digital media production development act; establishing an income tax credit and sales tax exemption program to be administered by the secretary of commerce for the purpose of developing film, video or digital production in Kansas; amending K.S.A. 2024 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Commerce

(Taxation)
(Be Passed)

1603–

SCR 1603, A PROPOSITION to amend section 1 of article 11 of the constitution of the state of Kansas; relating to property taxation; limiting valuation increases for real property and for personal property classified as mobile homes used for residential purposes.

Senators Tyson, Alley, Blasi, Bowser, J.R. Claeys, Claeys Erickson, Gossage, Klemp, Kloos, Masterson, Murphy, Peck, Petersen, Shallenburger, Starnes, Thompson, Warren

(Taxation)
(Be Adopted as Amended)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Bills Adversely Reported

Status of Bills and Resolutions

House bills passed and sent to Senate: Nos. 2004, 2007, 2016, 2018, 2020, 2022, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2033, 2037, 2039, 2040, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2052, 2054, 2056, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2065, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2075, 2083, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2092, 2096, 2099, 2101, 2102, 2106, 2107, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2113, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2124, 2125, 2128, 2131, 2134, 2145, 2149, 2152, 2155, 2158, 2160, 2164, 2166, 2168, 2169, 2170, 2172, 2177, 2182, 2183, 2185, 2192, 2195, 2201, 2204, 2206, 2212, 2215, 2217, 2219, 2221, 2222, 2223, 2228, 2231, 2237, 2238, 2240, 2242, 2245, 2246, 2249, 2254, 2255, 2261, 2263, 2271, 2273, 2274, 2275, 2280, 2284, 2289, 2291, 2294, 2299, 2304, 2307, 2311, 2312, 2313, 2318, 2323, 2327, 2329, 2331, 2332, 2333, 2334, 2335, 2336, 2338, 2340, 2342, 2343, 2347, 2349, 2359, 2365, 2371, 2372, 2377, 2378, 2382, 2390, 2396, 2400, 2402

House bills killed by House: Nos. 2015, 2021, 2035, 2064, 2071, 2095, 2112, 2140, 2179, 2256

House bills passed by the Senate: Nos. 2007, 2016, 2020, 2022, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2033, 2037, 2039, 2040, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2052, 2054, 2056, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2068, 2069, 2075, 2085, 2087, 2088, 2092, 2101, 2102, 2106, 2107, 2109, 2110, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2120, 2122, 2124, 2125, 2128, 2134, 2145, 2149, 2152, 2155, 2158, 2160, 2164, 2166, 2168, 2169, 2172, 2182, 2183, 2185, 2192, 2195, 2201, 2206, 2215, 2217, 2221, 2222, 2228, 2231, 2238, 2240, 2242, 2249, 2254, 2255, 2261, 2263, 2275, 2280, 2284, 2289, 2291, 2304, 2307, 2311, 2312, 2313, 2333, 2334, 2335, 2338, 2342, 2347, 2359, 2365, 2371, 2382

House bills in conference: Nos. 2029, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2046, 2048, 2049, 2068, 2087, 2116, 2124, 2128, 2158, 2164, 2192, 2312, 2333, 2347, 2365

House bills killed by Senate:

House bills signed by the Governor: Nos. 2007, 2016, 2020, 2022, 2027, 2030, 2031, 2033, 2037, 2039, 2040, 2045, 2050, 2052, 2054, 2056, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2069, 2075, 2085, 2088, 2092, 2101, 2102, 2106, 2107, 2109, 2110, 2117, 2118, 2120, 2122, 2125, 2134, 2145, 2149, 2152, 2155, 2160, 2166, 2168, 2169, 2172, 2182, 2185, 2195, 2201, 2206, 2215, 2217, 2221, 2222, 2231, 2238, 2240, 2242, 2249, 2254, 2255, 2261, 2263, 2275, 2280, 2284, 2289, 2291, 2304, 2307, 2311, 2313, 2334, 2335, 2338, 2342, 2359, 2371, 2382

House bills awaiting the signature of the governor:

House bills vetoed by Governor: Nos. 2028, 2033, 2062, 2217, 2228, 2240, 2284, 2291, 2311, 2382

House bills becoming law without Governor's signature: Nos. 2020, 2027, 2056, 2101, 2106, 2263

House resolutions killed:

House resolutions adopted: Nos. 6001, 6002, 6003, 6004, 6005, 6006, 6007, 6008, 6009, 6010, 6011, 6012, 6013, 6014, 6015, 6016, 6017, 6018, 6019, 6020, 6021

House concurrent resolutions killed:

House concurrent resolutions adopted and sent to Senate: Nos. 5002, 5003, 5004, 5011, 5013, 5017, 5018, 5019, 5020

House concurrent resolutions adopted by Senate: Nos. 5002, 5003, 5004, 5017, 5018, 5019, 5020

House concurrent resolutions in conference:**House concurrent resolutions killed by House:****House concurrent resolutions killed by Senate:**

Senate bills in conference: Nos. 20, 22, 23, 27, 28, 30, 32, 82, 84, 92, 121, 157

Senate bills passed in House: Nos. 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32, 35, 36, 42, 44, 45, 50, 54, 58, 63, 64, 67, 77, 78, 79, 82, 84, 88, 89, 92, 97, 98, 104, 105, 114, 117, 121, 125, 126, 135, 137, 139, 156, 157, 166, 175, 186, 193, 194, 199, 204, 227, 237, 241, 250, 269

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Senate concurrent resolutions adopted by House: Nos. 1601, 1602, 1604, 1611, 1613

Senate concurrent resolutions in conference:

House and Senate Bills in House Committees

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House Bills: Nos. 2012, 2063, 2114, 2135, 2153, 2161, 2174, 2268, 2297, 2476

Senate Bills: No. 213

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Appropriations—

House Bills: Nos. 2082, 2165, 2301, 2383, 2398, 2427, 2434, 2455, 2463, 2513

Senate Bills: No. 181

Calendar and Printing—

House Bills:

Senate Bills: No. 138

Child Welfare and Foster Care–

House Bills: Nos. 2076, 2093, 2175, 2207, 2302, 2524

Senate Bills:

Commerce, Labor and Economic Development–

House Bills: Nos. 2090, 2123, 2151, 2229, 2239, 2290, 2292, 2293, 2308, 2310, 2339, 2341, 2344, 2346, 2464, 2465, 2466, 2481

Senate Bills: Nos. 197, 229

Corrections and Juvenile Justice–

House Bills: Nos. 2227, 2324, 2325, 2527

Senate Bills:

Education–

House Bills: Nos. 2034, 2103, 2136, 2137, 2138, 2139, 2141, 2142, 2156, 2176, 2186, 2202, 2203, 2259, 2295, 2330, 2409, 2415, 2420, 2421, 2428, 2431, 2468, 2484, 2485, 2486, 2487, 2488, 2489, 2510, 2530

House Concurrent Resolutions: No. 5005

Senate Bills: Nos. 47, 281

Elections–

House Bills: Nos. 2017, 2019, 2023, 2053, 2055, 2091, 2143, 2190, 2205, 2257, 2258, 2269, 2437, 2438, 2447, 2448, 2449, 2450, 2451, 2453, 2490, 2491, 2492, 2493, 2494, 2503, 2512, 2514, 2525

House Concurrent Resolutions: Nos. 5007, 5009, 5021

Senate Bills: No. 231

Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications–

House Bills: Nos. 2032, 2041, 2108, 2148, 2180, 2225, 2226, 2435, 2483

Senate Bills:

Federal and State Affairs–

House Bills: Nos. 2026, 2051, 2066, 2094, 2104, 2115, 2127, 2146, 2147, 2150, 2167, 2196, 2198, 2200, 2265, 2279, 2283, 2373, 2379, 2384, 2391, 2405, 2407, 2423, 2439, 2454, 2473, 2501, 2502, 2504, 2505, 2507, 2511

House Concurrent Resolutions: Nos. 5010, 5012, 5016, 5022

Senate Bills: Nos. 1, 260

Financial Institutions and Pensions–

House Bills: Nos. 2006, 2008, 2089, 2129, 2130, 2194, 2235, 2281, 2298,

2337, 2411, 2417, 2418, 2497, 2500, 2515
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Health and Human Services–

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House Bills: Nos. 2248, 2374, 2472, 2523

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Interstate Cooperation–

House Bills: Nos. 2009, 2010, 2328, 2375

Senate Bills: No. 284

Judiciary–

House Bills: Nos. 2144, 2173, 2181, 2187, 2224, 2241, 2243, 2253, 2272, 2300, 2306, 2309, 2321, 2322, 2326, 2348, 2350, 2351, 2352, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2356, 2357, 2389, 2401, 2403, 2412, 2419, 2426, 2444, 2460, 2479, 2480, 2498, 2499, 2518, 2519, 2521, 2529, 2535, 2536, 2537, 2538

Senate Bills: Nos. 222, 244

K-12 Education Budget–

House Bills: Nos. 2303, 2320, 2482

Senate Bills:

Legislative Budget (House)–

House Bills:

Senate Bills:

Legislative Modernization–

House Bills: No. 2270

Senate Bills:

Local Government–

House Bills: Nos. 2025, 2191, 2264, 2282, 2363, 2410, 2433, 2495

Senate Bills: No. 146

Rules and Journal–

House Bills:

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House Bills: Nos. 2184, 2314

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Taxation–

House Bills: Nos. 2001, 2005, 2011, 2014, 2024, 2036, 2038, 2058, 2059, 2067, 2073, 2074, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2084, 2097, 2126, 2133, 2154, 2162, 2189, 2197, 2208, 2209, 2210, 2211, 2232, 2233, 2234, 2276, 2277, 2278, 2380, 2385, 2388, 2394, 2395, 2406, 2408, 2430, 2432, 2440, 2441, 2442, 2443, 2445, 2456, 2457, 2458, 2469, 2470, 2474, 2475, 2496, 2516, 2517

House Concurrent Resolutions: No. 5014

Senate Bills: Nos. 33, 39, 69, 259

Transportation–

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Transportation and Public Safety Budget–

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Veterans and Military–

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Water–

House Bills: Nos. 2345, 2424, 2462, 2477

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Welfare Reform–

House Bills: Nos. 2178, 2287, 2358, 2360

Senate Bills: Nos. 85, 161

House Committee Agenda January 27, 2026

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.

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If you want to testify to a committee, please contact the committee assistant listed.

Week of January 26 - 30, 2026

9:00 a.m. Appropriations Federal and State Affairs	Daily	112-N 346-S
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Appropriations

Susan McClacherty, Committee Assistant-785-291-3446

9:00 a.m.

112-N

Tuesday, January 27

Request for bill introductions

Budget report out by Chairperson Buehler, Social Services Budget

Kansas Neurological Institute

Parsons State Hospital

Larned State Hospital

Osawatomie State Hospital

South Central Regional Mental Health Hospital

Office of the Child Advocate

Budget report out by Chairperson Goetz, K-12 Education Budget

Kansas State School for the Blind

Kansas State School for the Deaf

Budget report out by Chairperson Wasinger, General Government Budget

Kansas Lottery

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on Agriculture Update

Mike Beam, Secretary, Kansas Department of Agriculture

Budget report out by Chairperson Buehler, Social Services Budget

Kansas Guardianship Program

Budget report out by Chairperson Wasinger, General Government Budget

Kansas Real Estate Appraisal Board

Kansas Real Estate Commission

Board of Examiners in Optometry

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2463 — Creating the rural health transformation fund, prescribing powers and duties of the state finance council concerning such fund and the rural health transformation program, crediting all federal moneys for the rural health transformation program to such fund and making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2026, and June 30, 2027, for the state finance council and other state agencies.

Budget report out by Chairperson Wasinger, General Government Budget

Human Rights Commission

Board of Tax Appeals

Kansas Department of Revenue

Kansas Department of Labor

Kansas Public Employees Retirement System

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, January 30

Meeting on call of the chair

Federal and State Affairs

Cheryl Baker, Committee Assistant-785-368-7166

9:00 a.m.

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Tuesday, January 27

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2423 — Allowing hunters who are federally licensed drone operators to use drones to locate wounded or recently deceased deer.

HB2502 — Requiring the Kansas department of wildlife and parks to offer discounted resident senior combination hunting and fishing passes to residents of this state who are 65 years of age or older and removing the expiration date for Kansas kids lifetime combination hunting and fishing licenses.

Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Possible action on bills previously heard

Hearing on:

HCR5022 — Making application to the congress of the United States to call a convention of the states to establish term limits for members of congress.

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Possible action on bills previously heard

Final action on:

HCR5022 — Making application to the congress of the United States to call a convention of the states to establish term limits for members of congress.

Hearing on:

HB2501 — Providing for immunity from civil liability to federal firearms licensees for returning a firearm to the firearm owner at the termination of a firearm hold agreement.

Friday, January 30

No meeting scheduled

9:00 a.m.	Mon/Wed	
Financial Institutions and Pensions		582-N
Legislative Modernization		218-N
Local Government		281-N

Financial Institutions and Pensions

Rich Mergen, Committee Assistant-785-296-7689

9:00 a.m.	582-N
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Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2515 — Enacting the virtual currency kiosk consumer protection act, providing definitions, establishing requirements for virtual currency kiosk operators, imposing certain limits on virtual currency kiosk transaction amounts and charges and authorizing the attorney general and any law enforcement agency to investigate reports of fraudulent money transmission and report to the state bank commissioner.

Possible final Action on previously heard bills

Legislative Modernization

Diane Bernheimer, Committee Assistant-785-296-7301

9:00 a.m.	218-N
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Wednesday, January 28

Presentation on:Committee Testimony

Local Government

Debra Heideman, Committee Assistant-785-296-8153

9:00 a.m.

281-N

Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2433 — Clarifying county authority over the transfer or appropriation of water by placing such authority, except for domestic use, with the chief engineer and water transfer hearing panel.

9:00 a.m.**Tue/Thu****Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications****582-N****Veterans and Military****281-N****Water****218-N****Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications**

Mindy Sieve, Committee Assistant-785-296-7663

9:00 a.m.

582-N

Tuesday, January 27

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

Evergy: Powering Growth-Keeping Kansas Competitive Through Investment in Energy and Infrastructure, Chuck Caisley, Executive Vice President, Utility Operations

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2180 — *Establishing the blind information access act to require the state library to provide on-demand information access services to persons who are blind, visually impaired, deafblind or print disabled.*

HB2544 — *Establishing the relocation reimbursement assistance fund to provide reimbursement assistance to communications service providers that are required to relocate facilities located in the public right-of-way pursuant to an order or directive of a municipality.*

Veterans and Military

Debra Heideman, Committee Assistant-785-296-8153

9:00 a.m.

281-N

Tuesday, January 27

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Water

Tony Prohaska, Committee Assistant-785-296-7384

9:00 a.m.

218-N

Tuesday, January 27

Informational briefing:

Kansas Geological Survey, Jay Kalbas

Thursday, January 29

Final action on bills previously heard

Hearing on:

***HB2477** — Requiring the Kansas department of agriculture to publish a map on the department's official website that shows the location of all applied for diversions of water, including requested changes in the point of diversion by more than 300 feet, and expanding the current individual notice requirement to apply to all landowners that are within half a mile of such applied for diversions or changes.*

1:30 p.m.

Daily

Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget

118-N

Commerce, Labor and Economic Development

346-S

Corrections and Juvenile Justice

546-S

Education

218-N

Health and Human Services

112-N

Higher Education Budget

281-N

Transportation

582-N

Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget

Della Regenold, Committee Assistant-785-296-7637

1:30 p.m.

118-N

Tuesday, January 27

Request for bill introductions

Hearing continuation on:

Kansas Department of Agriculture

Wednesday, January 28

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Work Budget previously heard:

Kansas Department of Agriculture

Budget Hearing:

Kansas Department of Commerce

Friday, January 30

No meeting scheduled

Commerce, Labor and Economic Development
DelRay Strahm, Committee Assistant-785-296-7685

1:30 p.m.

346-S

Tuesday, January 27

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2464 — Extending the number of years that new credits may be issued or earned for contributions to graduates of aerospace and aviation-related educational programs and employers of program graduates.

Commerce Conversations: United Methodist Health Ministry Fund - Childcare, David Jordan, President UMCU Health Ministry Fund

Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Briefing on: Kansas Gas Service, Patrick Volgelsberg, Government Affairs

Exploring Energy as an Economic Tool, Evergy, Chuck Caisley, EVP of Utility

Operations

Commerce Conversations: Kansas Realtors Assn., Mark Tomb, Dr. Stan Longhofer, Director, WSU Center for Real Estate

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Friday, January 30

No meeting scheduled

Corrections and Juvenile Justice

Theresa Lister, Committee Assistant-785-296-7461

1:30 p.m.

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Tuesday, January 27

Meeting on call of the chair

Wednesday, January 28

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Friday, January 30

Meeting on call of the chair

Education

Michelle Sims, Committee Assistant-785-296-7388

1:30 p.m.

218-N

Tuesday, January 27

Informational hearing:

Fastbridge

Wednesday, January 28 **NOTE ROOM CHANGED TO 346 S**

Joint House and Senate Education Teacher of the Year
Introduction of Teachers of the Year

Thursday, January 29

Hearing on:

HB2485 — Authorizing the chief executive officer of the state board of regents to negotiate and settle any repayment obligations arising under any scholarship, grant or other financial aid program administered by the board and prohibiting the payment of additional funds to any student who is subject to repayment obligations under such financial aid programs.

HB2487 — Defining teacher and paraprofessional for purposes of eligibility for a scholarship under the Kansas education opportunity scholarship program.

HB2486 — Requiring children to be toilet trained to enroll in and attend kindergarten in any public school and providing certain exceptions thereto.

Friday, January 30

Informational hearing:

Roundtable discussion on defining and measuring success

Health and Human Services

David Long, Committee Assistant-785-296-7660

1:30 p.m.

112-N

Tuesday, January 27

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2366 — Expanding the scope of practice of naturopathic doctors, specifying continuing education requirements, increasing the required amount of professional liability insurance and modifying certain provisions relating to the licensure and regulations of naturopathic doctors.

Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

Maternal Health Report and Child Care

Hearing on:

HB2506 — Establishing the addiction counselor apprentice license and setting fees for such license.

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on:

KU Alzheimer Research

Hearing on:

HB2157 — Expanding pharmacist's scope of practice to include point-of-care testing for and treatment of COVID-19.

Friday, January 30

No meeting scheduled

Higher Education Budget

Adrian Nightengale, Committee Assistant-785-296-7396

1:30 p.m.

281-N

Tuesday, January 27

Budget Hearing:

Kansas State University
KSU Extension Services and Agriculture Research Program
KSU Veterinary Medical Center
Dr. Richard Linton, President, Kansas State University

Wednesday, January 28

Informational hearing:

Student Financial Aid, Dr. Blake Flanders, President and CEO Kansas Board of Regents

Budget Hearing:

Private and Independent Colleges

Thursday, January 29

Budget Hearing:

Washburn University
Technical Colleges, Dr Blake Flanders, President and CEO, Kansas Board of Regents
Community Colleges, Heather Morgan, Executive Director, Kansas Association of Community Colleges
Dr. Blake Flanders, President and CEO, Kansas Board of Regents

Friday, January 30

Budget Hearing:

Kansas Board of Regents, Dayton LaMunyon, Principal Fiscal Analyst, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Dr. Blake Flanders, President and CEO, Kansas Board of Regents

Transportation

Meg Atwood, Committee Assistant-785-296-7466

1:30 p.m.

582-N

Tuesday, January 27

Meeting on call of the chair

Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions
Possible final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions
Possible final action on bills previously heard

Friday, January 30

Meeting on call of the chair

1:30 p.m. **Mon/Wed**
Child Welfare and Foster Care **152-S**

Child Welfare and Foster Care
 Judy Pierson, Committee Assistant-785-296-7468

1:30 p.m. 152-S

Wednesday, January 28

Informational briefings:
 2025 Annual Report Office Child Advocate, Kerrie Lonard, Child Advocate
 Hearing on:
HB2524 — Permitting the secretary for children and families to license family foster homes when certain persons reside in such home and creating an appeal process for family foster homes when licenses are not granted.

1:30 p.m. **Tue/Thu**
Welfare Reform **152-S**

Welfare Reform
 Gary Deeter, Committee Assistant-785-296-6989

1:30 p.m. 152-S

Tuesday, January 27

Informational hearing
Steve Anderson, Inspector General, Attorney General's Office

Thursday, January 29

Informational hearing on Medicaid data checks
Christine Osterlund, Deputy Secretary of Agency Integration and Medicaid Director, Kansas Department of Health and Environment
Informational hearing Medicaid Fraud
Marc Alienbernt, General Counsel, Kansas Department for Children and Families

3:30 p.m. **Daily**

Agriculture and Natural Resources	112-N
General Government Budget	281-N
Judiciary	582-N
K-12 Education Budget	546-S
Social Services Budget	152-S
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Agriculture and Natural Resources
 Dana Rooney, Committee Assistant-785-296-7463

3:30 p.m. 112-N

Tuesday, January 27
 Request for bill introductions

Possible action on:

HB2476 — *Permitting federal pesticide warning or labeling requirements to satisfy any state pesticide warning or labeling requirements.*

Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Meeting scheduled - Agenda to be announced

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Meeting scheduled - Agenda to be announced

Friday, January 30

No meeting scheduled

General Government Budget

Kelly Humpherys, Committee Assistant-785-296-4683

3:30 p.m.

281-N

Tuesday, January 27

Request for bill introductions

Committee Recommendations:

Kansas Department of Revenue

Committee Recommendations:

Office of Information Technology

Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Budget Hearing: Office of Attorney General

Arianna Waddell, Fiscal Analyst, KLRD

Budget Hearing: Office of the Attorney General

Kris Kobach, Attorney General of Kansas, Office of the Attorney General

Luke Hellier, Director of Government Affairs, Starkey Hearing Technologies

Committee Recommendations:

Office of the Attorney General

Secretary of State

Office of the Governor

Thursday, January 29

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, January 30

Meeting on call of the chair

Judiciary

Lynette Hosek, Committee Assistant-785-296-5805

3:30 p.m.

582-N

Tuesday, January 27

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2444 — Providing that jail credit when consecutive sentences are imposed shall not apply to more than one case, creating special sentencing rules when a felony is committed by certain offenders while on probation, parole or postrelease supervision for a prior felony and requiring secured minimum bonds for certain defendants who commit a new felony while on probation, parole, postrelease supervision or bond for a prior felony unless the court makes certain findings.

HB2479 — Authorizing electronic monitoring with victim notification as a condition of release prior to trial for certain offenders charged with a domestic violence offense, domestic battery, stalking or violation of a protective order.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2480 — Creating an exception to certain mandatory reporting obligations for licensed social workers when working under the supervision of an attorney and permitting an attorney to require a licensed social worker to keep ethical obligations of attorney-client privilege while working under the supervision of such attorney.

HB2536 — *Requiring proposed guardians for certain adults who have a cognitive impairment or are diagnosed with a neurological condition to complete training approved by the secretary for aging and disability services prior to appointment as a guardian.*

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2529 — *Modifying procedures for the citizen petition process to impanel a citizen grand jury under the Kansas code of criminal procedure, limiting criminal liability for good faith conduct by the person who initiates such petitions and any person who signs such petitions and prohibiting diversion agreements related to a true bill of indictment found by a citizen grand jury.*

HB2351 — Amending the uniform arbitration act of 2000 to make certain agreements to appraise or arbitrate in contracts of insurance invalid and creating exceptions therefor.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, January 30

No meeting scheduled

K-12 Education Budget

Rose Souter, Committee Assistant-785-296-7501

3:30 p.m.

546-S

Tuesday, January 27

Request for bill introductions:

Budget Hearing continuation on:

Kansas State Department of Education - Public Testimony

Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Budget Hearing continuation on:

Kansas State Department of Education

Reviewing Free Lunch Student Counts Used as the Basis for At-Risk Funding,
audit by Legislative Post Audit

School Based Fee for Service Medicaid Reimbursements, audit by The Inspector
General's Office

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Budget Recommendations for Kansas State Department of Education

Friday, January 30

Meeting on call of the chair

Social Services Budget

Francisca Hernandez, Committee Assistant-785-296-7653

3:30 p.m.

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Tuesday, January 27

Request for bill introductions

Hearing continuation on:

Public Testimony for the Kansas Department of Health and Environment

Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Budget Hearing:

Kansas Department of Aging and Disability Services

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Hearing continuation on:

Public Testimony for the Kansas Department of Aging and Disability Services

Friday, January 30

Request for bill introductions

Hearing continuation on:

Recommendations for the Kansas Department for Children and Families, Kansas
Department of Health and Environment and the Kansas Department of Aging and
Disability Services

Taxation

Lea Gerard, Committee Assistant-785-296-4830

3:30 p.m.

346-S

Tuesday, January 27

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2408 — Providing that leased ground owned by a county-recognized community land trust shall be considered as a factor in determining fair market value for property tax purposes.

HB2440 — Excluding owners of oil leases from having to file request for exemption with the board of tax appeals for property tax exemptions.

HB2406 — Providing tax exemption eligibility for commercial and industrial machinery and equipment that is currently ineligible for tax exemption due to such equipment being acquired or transported into this state on or before June 30, 2006.

Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2456 — *Authorizing cities and counties to levy a 0% sales and use tax on sales of food and food ingredients.*

Thursday, January 29

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, January 30

No meeting scheduled

Transportation and Public Safety Budget

Garrett Kane, Committee Assistant-785-296-2361

3:30 p.m.

118-N

Tuesday, January 27

Budget Hearing:

Kansas Department of Corrections

Kansas Highway Patrol

Budget Recommendation:

Kansas Department of Transportation

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Budget Recommendation:

Kansas Department of Transportation

Kansas Department of Corrections

Insurance	3:30 p.m.	Mon/Wed	218-N
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Insurance

Carol Robertson, Committee Assistant-785-296-7676

3:30 p.m.			218-N
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Wednesday, January 28

Request for bill introductions

Final action on bills previously heard

Elections	3:30 p.m.	Tue/Thu	218-N
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Elections

Cheryl Dew, Committee Assistant-785-296-7357

3:30 p.m.			218-N
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Tuesday, January 27

Request for bill introductions

Possible action on bills previously heard

Hearing on:

HB2447 — Providing for a presidential preference primary election every four years commencing in 2028 and aligning the special election date in March with the presidential preference primary election date.

HB2493 — Requiring a person transmitting or delivering a ballot on behalf of another voter to include such person's driver's license number in the written statement on the ballot envelope.

Thursday, January 29

Request for bill introductions

Possible action on bills previously heard

Hearing on:

HB2448 — Requiring citizenship status be listed on driver's licenses.

HCR5021 — Amending article 5 of the constitution of the state of Kansas to require voters to present photographic identification at the time of voting.

ON CALL

House Select Committee on Government Oversight	112-N
Legislative Budget (House)	142-S
Legislative Post Audit	546-S
Joint Committee on State Building Construction	152-S

House Select Committee on Government Oversight

Leslie Wolfe, Committee Assistant-785-291-0518

11:00 a.m.

112-N

Friday, January 30

Informational hearing:

Unsolicited Voter Registration Packets: Statutory Compliance, Costs, and Administrative Oversight

Briefing by staff on:

Review of Statutes (Federal and State) - Revisor

Review of Budget Expenditures - KLRD

Informational briefing:

Inspector General Steven Anderson

Briefing:

Agencies - KDHE, KDCF, KDADS

External Influence & Memorandums of Understanding

Election Administration & Legal Context

Discussion on:

Recommendations, corrective actions, next steps

Legislative Budget (House)

Susan McClacherty, Committee Assistant-785-291-3446

2:30 pm.

142-S

Thursday, January 29

Legislative Branch Budget Reports:

Legislature

Legislative Coordinating Council

Legislative Research Department

Office of Revisor of Statutes

Legislative Division on Post Audit

Legislative Post Audit Committee

Whitney Watson, Committee Assistant-785-296-3793

12:00 p.m.

546-S

Wednesday, January 28

Agency Presentations to IPAC

Department of Revenue, HPIP update

Department of Commerce, annual report

Joint Committee on State Building Construction

Sky Westerlund, Committee Assistant, 785-296-2393

12:00 p.m.

152-S

Wednesday, January 28

Agency Capital Budgets:

Kansas Bureau of Investigation

Adjutant General
Department of Transportation
Kansas Highway Patrol
Kansas State Fair
Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks

DOCTOR OF THE DAY

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Tuesday, January 27
No Doctor Scheduled

Wednesday, January 28
No Doctor Scheduled

Thursday, January 29
Doctor Jason Butler

Junction City

Friday, January 30
Doctor Sara Hicks

Leawood

SUSAN KANNARR, Chief Clerk
Lesley Brancaccio, Calendar Clerk