

SENATE CALENDAR

No. 3

Wednesday, January 15, 2025
SENATE CONVENES at 8:00 AM PRO FORMA

Order of Business

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Reference of Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

2-

SB 2, AN ACT concerning school districts; relating to question submitted elections on the issuance of bonds by a school district; validating the election results for the bond issuance question submitted by the board of education of USD 200, Greeley county.

Senators Blew, Clifford

(Local Government, Transparency and Ethics)

4-

SB 4, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to advance voting ballots; requiring the return of such ballots by 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election; amending K.S.A. 25-1132 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs

(Federal and State Affairs)

5-

SB 5, AN ACT concerning elections; relating to the transparency in revenues underwriting elections act; prohibiting the use of funds provided by the United States government for the conduct of elections and election-related activities unless approved by the legislature; amending K.S.A. 25-2436 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs

(Federal and State Affairs)

6-

SB 6, AN ACT concerning elections; prohibiting the use of any form of ranked-choice voting methods in conducting elections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs

(Federal and State Affairs)

7–

SB 7, AN ACT concerning townships; relating to the bonding authority thereof; increasing the statutory limits on such bonding authority based on the population of the township; increasing the statutory limit on bonding authority for improvements to a township fire department; amending K.S.A. 80-113 and 80-1910 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Local Government, Transparency and Ethics
(Local Government, Transparency and Ethics)

1602–

SCR 1602, A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION encouraging Governor Kelly to fully cooperate with the policies of the Trump administration in enforcing federal immigration laws.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)

Reference of Appointments

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

Consideration of Motions to Concur or Nonconcur

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

Consideration of Appointments

By the Attorney General:

Chairperson, Crime Victims Compensation Board

Richard Samaniego, to serve a term of four years

By the Governor:

Member, State Banking Board

Herbert Iams, to serve a term of three years

Taylor Hight, to serve a term of three years

Irvin Mitchell, to serve a term of three years

Leonard Wolfe, to serve a term of three years

Secretary, Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks

Christopher Kennedy, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor

Kansas Child Advocate, Office of the Child Advocate

Kerrie Lonard, to serve a term of four years

Brigadier General, Kansas National Guard

Paul Schneider

Commissioner, Kansas Lottery Commission

Margaret LaRue, to serve a term of four years

Member, Kansas Racing and Gaming Commission

David Moses, to serve a term of four years

Member, Kansas Human Rights Commission

Christal Watson, to serve a term of four years

State Long-Term Care Ombudsman

Haely Ordoyne

(Confirmation Oversight)

(Be Confirmed)

Consent Calendar

(Senate action to be taken on third day or thereafter)

Final Action on Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

General Orders

ANTICIPATED END OF DEBATE CALENDAR

Bills Adversely Reported

Status of Bills and Resolutions

Senate bills passed in Senate:
 Senate bills killed in Senate:
 Senate bills passed by the House:
 Senate bills killed in the House:
 Senate bills in conference:
 Senate bills awaiting the signature of the governor:
 Senate bills signed by the Governor:
 Senate bills becoming law without Governor's signature:
 Senate bills vetoed by Governor:
 Senate bills line item vetoed by Governor:
 Senate bills becoming law notwithstanding Governor's veto:
 Senate resolutions adopted: Nos. 1701, 1702, 1703
 Senate resolutions killed:
 Senate concurrent resolutions adopted: No. 1601
 Senate concurrent resolutions killed:
 Senate concurrent resolutions adopted by House:
 Senate concurrent resolutions killed in House:
 House bills passed in the Senate:
 House bills killed in the Senate:
 House bills in conference:
 House concurrent resolutions adopted by the Senate: No. 5002
 House concurrent resolutions killed in the Senate:
 House concurrent resolutions in conference:

Bills in Senate Committees

Agriculture and Natural Resources–

Assessment and Taxation–

Commerce–

Confirmation Oversight–

Education–

Appointments:

Member, State Board of Regents:

Kathy Wolfe-Moore, term ends June 30, 2025

Federal and State Affairs–

Senate Bills: No. 1

Financial Institutions and Insurance–

Government Efficiency–

Interstate Cooperation–

Judiciary–

Local Government, Transparency and Ethics–

Organization, Calendar and Rules–

Public Health and Welfare–

Senate Bills: No. 3

Transportation–

Utilities–

Ways and Means–

Senate Committee Agenda

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

New or changed material for the present week will be printed in *italics*.

On-call Committees and Joint Committees will be listed at the end of the Agenda.

Sub-Committees will be listed at the time of the Committee's regular meeting

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2025

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS SCHEDULE

All Committees will meet Daily

TIME		MEETING ROOM
8:30 a.m.	Agriculture and Natural Resources	144-S
	Public Health and Welfare	142-S
	Transportation	546-S
9:30 a.m.	Assessment and Taxation	548-S
	Financial Institutions and Insurance	546-S
	Government Efficiency	144-S
	Local Government, Transparency and Ethics	142-S
10:30 a.m.	Federal and State Affairs	144-S
	Judiciary	346-S
	Ways and Means	548-S
1:30 p.m.	Commerce	159-S
	Education	144-S
	Utilities	548-S

Note: Senate committees: Interstate Cooperation, Organization, Calendar and Rules, Confirmation Oversight, and any subcommittees are not listed. These committees are "On-call" and will appear in Daily Calendars

Senate Schedule

Week of January 15 - 17, 2025

Wednesday, January 15

8:00 a.m. Session – PRO FORMA

Thursday, January 16

2:30 p.m. Session

Friday, January 17

9:00 a.m. Session – PRO FORMA

Agriculture and Natural Resources**8:30 a.m. Patti Mills, Committee Assistant–785-296-7742 144-S**Wednesday, January 15

Committee introductions

Review of committee rules

Request for bill introductions

Thursday, January 16

Request for bill introductions

*Presentation on Kansas Agriculture and Trade**Kelsey Olson, Kansas Department of Agriculture*Friday, January 17

No meeting scheduled

Public Health and Welfare**8:30 a.m. Suzanne Nelson, Committee Assistant–785-296-5123 142-S**Wednesday, January 15

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, January 16*Requests for bill introductions**Update on Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services**Secretary Laura Howard**Update on Targeted Case Management**Michele Heydon, Commissioner, Long Term Service and Supports, Kansas**Department for Aging and Disability Services**Briefing on Robert G. Bethell Joint Committee on Home and Community Based Services and KanCare Oversight**Iraida Orr, Kansas Legislative Research Department**Briefing on 2024 Special Committee on Sedation Dentistry**Elizabeth Cohn, Kansas Legislative Research Department*Friday, January 17

No meeting scheduled

Transportation**8:30 a.m. Florence Deeter, Committee Assistant–785-296-7355 546-S**Wednesday, January 15

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, January 16

Bill introductions

Presentation on digital identification

*Kansas Department of Revenue and American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators*Friday, January 17

No meeting scheduled

Assessment and Taxation**9:30 a.m.** **John Gauntt, Committee Assistant–785-296-2713** **548-S**Wednesday, January 15

Meeting canceled for State of the Military address

Thursday, January 16

Pending introduction and referral: hearing on senate concurrent resolution regarding property valuation growth limits

Friday, January 17

No meeting scheduled

Financial Institutions and Insurance**9:30 a.m.** **Jackie Gutierrez, Committee Assistant–785-296-7648** **546-S**Wednesday, January 15

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, January 16

Request for bill introductions

Kansas Banking Industry Update

Shawn Mitchell, Community Bankers Association

Alex Orel, Kansas Bankers Association

Friday, January 17

No meeting scheduled

Government Efficiency**9:30 a.m.** **Connie Burns, Committee Assistant–785-296-7370** **144-S**Wednesday, January 15

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, January 16

Request for bill introductions

Briefing on:

State government budget and personnel

Administrative rules and regulations

Friday, January 17

Meeting on call of the chair

Local Government, Transparency and Ethics**9:30 a.m.** **Randi Walters, Committee Assistant–785-296-7389** **142-S**Wednesday, January 15

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, January 16

No meeting scheduled

Friday, January 17

No meeting scheduled

Federal and State Affairs**10:30 a.m.** **Angela Gantzer, Committee Assistant–785-296-4335** **144-S**Wednesday, January 15

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, January 16

Request for bill introductions

Friday, January 17

No meeting scheduled

Judiciary

10:30 a.m. Barbara Moore, Committee Assistant–785-296-6817 346-S

Wednesday, January 15

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, January 16 NOTE ROOM CHANGED TO 548-S

Request for bill introductions

Kansas Department of Corrections Updates

Jeff Zmuda, Kansas Department of Corrections

Kansas Legal Services Overview

Matt Keenan, Kansas Legal Services

Friday, January 17

No meeting scheduled

Ways and Means

10:30 a.m. Nancy Fontaine, Committee Assistant–785-296-3775 548-S

Wednesday, January 15 NOTE TIME CHANGED TO 11:00 A.M.

Staff introductions

Committee rules

Modified budget process

Dylan Dear, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Budget summary briefing

Steven Wu, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Thursday, January 16 NOTE TIME CHANGED TO 10:00 A.M. AND ROOM CHANGED TO 346-S

Joint Meeting with House Appropriations

Briefing on Governor's Budget Recommendation

Adam Profitt, Division on the Budget

Friday, January 17

No meeting scheduled

Commerce

1:30 p.m. Connie Burns, Committee Assistant–785-296-7370 159-S

Wednesday, January 15

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, January 16 NOTE ROOM CHANGED TO 346-S

Joint meeting with the House Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development

Request for bill introductions

Presentation on Network Kansas

Steve Radley, Eric Peterson and Trish Brasted

Presentation on K-State 105

Marshall Stewart and Jessica Gnad

Friday, January 17 **NOTE ROOM CHANGED TO 346-S**

Joint meeting with the House Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development

Meeting canceled

Education

1:30 p.m. Cyndie Rexer, Committee Assistant–785-296-7476 144-S

Wednesday, January 15

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, January 16

Request for bill introductions

K-12 by the numbers: achievements and outcomes

Matthew Willis, Kansas Legislative Research Department

Friday, January 17

Meeting on call of the chair

Utilities

1:30 p.m. Susanne Murphy, Committee Assistant–785-296-7678 548-S

Wednesday, January 15

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, January 16

Presentation on Grain Belt Express

Representative of Invenergy

Kimberly Svaty, Gencur Svaty Public Affairs

Justin Grady and Paul Owings, Kansas Corporation Commission

Wendee Grady, Kansas Farm Bureau

Friday, January 17

No meeting scheduled

Doctor of the Day

Telephone: 785-296-7397 480-W

Wednesday, January 15

Sheryl Beard, MD, FAAFP, Andover

Thursday, January 16

Chad Johanning, MD, FAAFP, Lawrence

Friday, January 17

No doctor scheduled

Laurie Varner & Nancy Reddy, *Calendar Clerks*

Corey Carnahan, *Secretary of the Senate*

