

HOUSE CALENDAR

House Committee Agenda

March 7, 2006

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 6 - 10, 2006

9:00 - 11:00 a.m.	Monday through Friday
Appropriations	Room 514-S
Commerce and Labor	Room 241-N
Education	Room 313-S
Taxation	Room 519-S
Utilities	Room 231-N

Appropriations

Shirley Jepson, Sec. - Ph 291-3446

9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Room 514-S

Tuesday, March 7

Introduction of legislation

Budget Committee reports on:

Kansas Corporation Commission, Citizens Utility Ratepayers Board, Department of Corrections, Topeka Correctional Facility, Hutchinson Correctional Facility, Lansing Correctional Facility, Ellsworth Correctional Facility, Larned Correctional Mental Health Facility, Winfield Correctional Facility, Norton Correctional Facility, and El Dorado Correctional Facility

Hearing on:

SB 475 - Creating the state affordable airfare fund; moneys from the economic development initiatives fund; implementing a program to provide more flight options, more competition and affordable airfares

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, March 8

Introduction of legislation

Budget Committee reports on:

Commission on Human Rights, Kansas Neurological Institute, Larned State Hospital,

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Osawatomie State Hospital, Parsons State Hospital, Rainbow Mental Health Facility,
Kansas Guardianship Program and Capitol Improvements
Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 9

Introduction of legislation

Budget Committee reports on:

Department of Administration, Division of Health Policy and Finance, Department on
Aging, Health Policy Authority, and Social and Rehabilitation Services

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, March 10

Introduction of legislation

Discussions and possible action on:

HB 2869 - Base budget appropriations for FY2007 for state agencies

HB 2950 - Appropriations for FY 2006 for Kansas racing and gaming commission

HB 2957 - Appropriations for FY2007 and FY2008 for capital improvements for various
state agencies

HB 2958 - Appropriations for FY2006 and FY2007, supplemental appropriations for
various state agencies

HB 2968 - Appropriations for FY2007 for state agencies

Possible action on bills previously heard

Appropriations Sub Committee on Level V and Level VI Issues

Deb O'Neil, Sec. - Ph. 6-7616

Noon

Room 514-S

Tuesday, March 7

No Meeting Scheduled

Wednesday, March 8

Staff Overview

Reagan Cussimano - Legislative Research Department

Susan Kannarr - Legislative Research Department

Agency Overview

Commissioner Don Jordan - Juvenile Justice Authority

Secretary Gary Daniels - Social and Rehabilitation Services

Thursday, March 9

No Meeting Scheduled

Friday, March 10

No Meeting Scheduled

Commerce and Labor

June Evans, Sec. - Ph 6-7659

9:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Room 241-N

Tuesday, March 7

Continuation of Hearing on:

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SB 461: Workers compensation; preexisting condition; permanent partial general disability; supplemental functional disability compensation

Wednesday, March 8

Final action on:

SB 271 - Real Estate brokers and salespersons; fees

SB 515 - Workers compensation pool; group-funded; surplus funds; adequate surplus funds

HB 2973 - Extension for filing annual reports of business entities

HB 2975 - Registration with fire marshal required for business providing fire prevention or fire safety services or products

Possible action on previously heard bills

Thursday, March 9

Hearing on:

SB 380 - Amendments to the residential landlord and tenant act; inventory of premises, security deposit, automatic renewal clauses

Possible action on previously heard bills

Friday, March 10

Possible action on previously heard bills

Education

Ann Deitcher, Sec - Ph 6 -7637

9:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Room 313-S

Tuesday, March 7

Hearings and possible action on:

SB 485 - Concerning school districts; relating to suspension or expulsion of pupils

SRS Presentation - An update on foster care kids school records

Department of Education - Online school records

Wednesday, March 8

Hearings and possible action on:

SB 329 - Concerning education; relating to curriculum standards

SB 481 - Concerning school districts; relating to consolidation; relating to state aid

Thursday, March 9 ***Meeting will be held in rm. 423-S at 9:45 a.m.***

Round table discussion with Wichita High School Super SAC

Friday, March 10

Meeting on call of the Chair

Select Committee on School Finance

Ann Deitcher, Sec. - Ph 6-7637

9:00 a.m.

Room 313-S

Tuesday, March 7

Meeting on call of the Chair

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Wednesday, March 8
Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, March 9
Deliberations on school finance.

Friday, March 10
Deliberations on school finance.

Taxation

Rose Marie Glatt, Sec. - Ph 6-4830

9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Room 519-S

Tuesday, March 7
Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, March 8
Hearings on:
 HB 2987 - Authorizing counties to impose an excise tax on removal and severance of aggregate
 SB 358 - Withholding requirements; filing certain statements by electronic means
 SB 359 - Eliminate monetary limitations on tax refund funds
Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 9
Hearings on:
 SB 444 - Net operating loss carry back or carry forward for income tax purposes
 SB 465 - Increasing income tax credit for adoption of certain Kansas children
Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, March 10
Possible action on bills previously heard

Utilities

Renae Hansen, Sec. - Ph 6-7670

9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Room 231-N

Tuesday, March 7
Hearing on:
Proponents
 SB 350-Regulation of telecommunications

Wednesday, March 8
Hearing on:
Opponents
 SB 350-Regulation of telecommunications
Sub-Committee on Energy will meet in room 235-N at 12:00 - 1:15pm
Comments and recommendations on previously presented energy bills
Discussion on tax incentive bills for energy production issues

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Thursday, March 9

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, March 10

Possible action on bills previously heard

Sub-Committee on Energy will meet in room 234-N at 12:00 - 1:15pm

Discussion and possible action on:

HB 2900-Oil refineries; tax incentives; K DFA bonds; permits

HB 2901-Crude oil pipelines; tax incentives; K DFA financing

HB 2902-Integrated coal or coke gasification nitrogen fertilizer plants; tax incentives; K DFA bonds

HB 2903-Cellulosic alcohol plants; tax incentives; K DFA financing

HB 2904-Electric generation facilities; tax credits and exemptions; K DFA bonds; safety requirements

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Monday through Friday

Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget Committee	Room 235-N
Education Budget Committee	Room 514-S
Federal and State Affairs	Room 313-S
General Government and Commerce Budget Committee	Room 234-N
Health and Human Services	Room 526-S
Public Safety Budget Committee	Room 527-S
Revenue, Judicial, Transportation & Retirement Budget Committee	Room 233-N
Transportation	Room 519-S

Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget Committee

Jenna Keesling, Sec. - Ph 6-7683

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Room 235-N

Tuesday, March 7

Hearings on:

_____ **HB 2949** -Purposes for disbursements from the public water supply loan fund

_____ **HB 2956** - Allocations from Kansas water pollution control revolving fund

Wednesday, March 8

Hearings on:

_____ **HB 2778** - Concerning the preservation of Cedar Bluff reservoir

_____ **HB 2862** - Monitoring the water leaking from the dam at Cedar Bluff reservoir into the Smoky Hill river

Thursday, March 9

Hearings on:

_____ **HB 2817** - Prescribing certain procedures for acquisition of land by the Department of Wildlife and Parks

_____ **HB 2896** - Concerning information gathered by conservation officers

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Friday, March 10
Meeting on call of the Chair

Education Budget Committee
Lura Attig, Sec. Ph. 6-7698

1:30 - 3:30 p.m. Room 514-S

Tuesday, March 7
Meeting on call of the Chair

Wednesday, March 8

Hearing on:

*SB 553 - State historical society; transfer of property to Audubon of Kansas.
Action on any bills previously heard.*

Thursday, March 9
Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, March 10
Meeting on call of the Chair

Federal and State Affairs
Carol Doel, Sec. - Ph 368-7166

1:30 - 3:30 p.m. Room 313-S

Tuesday, March 7 1:00 P.M. **NOTE TIME CHANGE**

Introduction of bills

Briefing by:

David A. Prentice, Ph.D. – Senior Fellow for Life Sciences
Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, March 8

Introduction of bills

Hearing on:

HB 2912 - Promoting obscenity; deleting provisions concerning devices promoted to
emphasize their sexually provocative aspects
Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 9

Introduction of bills

Possible action on bills previously heard

General Government and Commerce Budget Committee

Florence Deeter, Sec. - Ph 6-7501

1:30 - 3:30 p.m. Room 234-N

Tuesday, March 7
Meeting on call of the Chair

Wednesday, March 8
Meeting on call of the Chair

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Thursday, March 9
Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, March 10
Meeting on call of the Chair

Health and Human Services
Gary Deeter, Sec. - Ph 6-7676

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Tuesday, March 7
Meeting canceled.

Room 526-S

Wednesday, March 8
Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, March 9
Meeting on call of the Chair

Public Safety Budget Committee
Deb O'Neil, Sec. - Ph. 6-7616

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Tuesday, March 7
Meeting on call of the Chair

Room 527-S

Wednesday, March 8
Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, March 9
Hearings on:

HB 2967 - An Act concerning the Kansas national guard; relating to periods of state active duty; cost of certain health insurance; amending K.S.A. 2005 Supp. 79-32,213 and repealing the existing section

HB 2818 - An Act concerning the secretary of corrections; relating to payment for certain personal injuries and personal property of inmates; amending K.S.A. 46-920 and repealing the existing section

Friday, March 10
Meeting on call of the Chair

Transportation
Betty Boaz, Sec. - Ph 6-7640

1:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Tuesday, March 7
Hearings on:

Room 519-S

SB 374 - Registration of vehicles, self-propelled cranes

SB 413 - Regulating traffic, allowing certain golf carts

SB 554 - Expiration of drivers' licenses for people under 21 years of age

Possible action on bills previously heard

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Wednesday, March 8

Hearings on:

SB 371 - Commercial driver's licenses, providing penalties, notification

SB 411 - Traffic regulations, duty of driver approaching highway construction vehicles

Possible action on bills previously heard

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Judiciary
Social Services Budget Committee

Monday through Friday
Room 313-S
Room 514-S

Judiciary

Cindy O'Neal, Sec. - Ph 6-5805

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Room 313-S

INDIVIDUALS WISHING TO TESTIFY ARE REQUIRED TO NOTIFY THE COMMITTEE SECRETARY 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETING

25 COPIES OF WRITTEN TESTIMONY MUST BE PROVIDED TO THE COMMITTEE SECRETARY, IN THE MEETING ROOM, 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO THE MEETING

Tuesday, March 7

Hearings on:

SB 261- Revised Kansas juvenile justice code

SB 432 - Prosecution of juvenile traffic offenders; traffic offense includes violation of requirement of motor vehicle liability insurance coverage

SB 431- Expungement of DUI ordinance violations and DUI convictions including diversions; probation

SB 479- Preliminary screening tests; grounds; notice

Action on any bills heard and/or previously heard

Wednesday, March 8

Hearings on:

SB 451- Medicaid cards, medicaid pharmacy claim forms and criminal acts and violations

SB 536 - Medicaid reimbursement

SB 435 - Requiring a standardized risk assessment tool be used as part of a pre-sentence investigation

SB 434 - Extending Johnson County adult offender community supervision program until July 1, 2008

Action on any bills heard and/or previously heard

Thursday, March 9

Action on any bills previously heard

Social Services Budget Committee

Jenna Keesling, Sec. - Ph 6-7683

3:30 -5:30 p.m.

Room 514-S

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Tuesday, March 7

Deliberations and recommendations on:
Social and Rehabilitation Services

Wednesday, March 8

Hearings on:
HB 2730 - Kansas foster child educational assistance act

Thursday, March 9

Hearings on:
HB 2762 - Adult care home administrators, grounds for licensure action, board membership
HB 2861 - Exercising the state's option to provide an exemption to disqualification for public assistance to certain drug offenders
HB 2520 - Community mental health center licensure

Friday, March 10

Meeting on call of the Chair

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Agriculture
Financial Institutions
Higher Education
Wildlife, Parks and Tourism

Monday and Wednesday
Room 423-S
Room 527-S
Room 231-N
Room 241-N

Agriculture

Kay Scarlett, Sec.- Ph 6-7639

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Room 423-S

Wednesday, March 8

Meeting on call of the Chair

Financial Institutions

Patti Magathan, Sec. - Ph 6-7689

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Room 527-S

Wednesday, March 8

Meeting on call of the Chair

Higher Education

Haley DaVee, Sec. - Ph 6-7677

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Room 231-N

Wednesday, March 8

Hearings and possible action on:

SB 305 - Kansas comprehensive grant program; students attending institutions accredited by American Association of Bible Colleges, eligibility of

SB 330 - Learning Quest (family postsecondary savings accounts); removing penalty for early withdrawal

Possible action on bills previously heard

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Wildlife, Parks and Tourism
Betty Caruthers, Sec. - Ph 6-7695

3:30 - 5:30 p.m. Room 241-N
Wednesday, March 8
Possible action on previously heard bills

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.	Tuesday and Thursday
Economic Development	Room 526-S
Environment	Room 231-N
Governmental Organization and Elections	Room 519-S
Insurance	Room 527-S

Economic Development
Carlene Maag, Sec. - Ph 6-7652

3:30 - 5:30 p.m. Room 526-S
Tuesday, March 7
Overview of the Kansas Center for Entrepreneurship
Hearing on:
SB 324 Abolishing the Kansas community entrepreneurship fund

Thursday, March 9
Hearing on:
HB 2993 - Workforce development, senior citizen training program
Report from Sub Committee:
HB 2194 - State workforce investment program, state and local boards membership, older Kansans designated special target population

Environment
Pam Shaffer, Sec. - Ph 6-7645

3:30 - 5:30 p.m. Room 231-N
Tuesday, March 7
Possible action on:
SB 362 - Solid waste, industrial facilities, permits
Hearing on:
SB 453 - Environmental laws; compliance audit privilege; immunity; lesser penalties for violations

Thursday, March 9
Possible action on bills previously heard

Governmental Organization and Elections
Maureen Stinson, Sec. - Ph 6-6014

3:30 - 5:30 p.m. Room 519-S
Tuesday, March 7
Hearings on:

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SB 336 - Uniform Real Property Electronic Recording Act

SB 499 - Re-authorization of certain exceptions to KORA

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 9

Hearings on:

SB 497 - Improvement districts; qualifications of directors

SB 498 - Requiring continuing education for certain contractors licensed by cities and counties

Possible action on bills previously heard

Insurance

Sue Fowler, Sec. - Ph 6-7684

3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Room 527-S

Tuesday, March 7

Hearings on:

Sub SB 338 - Construction contracts; indemnification clauses and additional insured requirements contained therein void

Sub SB 149 - Motor carrier transportation contracts; indemnification clauses contained therein void

Possible action on:

SB 405 - Insurance commissioner; discretion to waive certain requirements for foreign insurance companies to operate in Kansas

Thursday, March 9

Hearing on:

SB 442 - Insurance applications; listing lienholders and mortgagees

SB 547 - Kansas Pharmacy Benefits Manager Registration Act

Possible action on:

Sub SB 149 - Motor carrier transportation contracts; indemnification clauses contained therein void

Sub SB 338 - Construction contracts; indemnification clauses and additional insured requirements contained therein void

Select, On Call and Joint Committees

Joint Committee on State Building Construction

Helen Abramson, Sec. - Ph 6-7361

12:00 - 1:30 p.m.

123-S

Wednesday, March 8

Tour of the Kansas Bureau of Investigation of the Topeka facilities

Legislative Post Audit Committee

Angie Barnes, Sec. - Ph 6-3792

Noon

Room 423-S

Wednesday, March 8

Performance audit:

Homeland Security:

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Reviewing contracts to provide equipment under the Homeland Security Grant Program (limited-scope audit)

Select Committee on Veterans Affairs

Gina Bowes, Sec. - Ph.6-1754

12:00 noon

Room 514-S

Thursday, March 9

Possible action on bills previously heard

Hearing on:

HB 2894 - Concerning hunting and fishing licenses for veterans

State Pay Plan Subcommittee

Jenna Keesling, Sec. - Ph 6-7683

7:00 a.m.

Room 514-S

Wednesday, March 8

Continue review of State Pay Plan

Possible action on bills previously heard

JUDY GRACE, Agenda Clerk

JANET E. JONES, Chief Clerk.