

HOUSE CALENDAR

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**House Committee Agenda  
February 3, 2010**

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 February 1 - 5, 2010**

<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Monday through Friday</b>
<b>Appropriations</b>	<b>Room 346-S</b>
<b>Commerce and Labor</b>	<b>Docking Room 784</b>
<b>Education</b>	<b>Docking Room 711</b>
<b>Energy and Utilities</b>	<b>Docking Room 785</b>
<b>Taxation</b>	<b>Docking Room 783</b>

**Appropriations**

Kathy Holscher, Assistant - Ph 291-3446

9:00 a.m.

Room 346-S

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Wednesday, February 3

Introduction of proposed legislation

*Presentation :*

Alan Conroy, *Director*, Kansas Legislative Research Department

*Hearing and possible action on:*

***HB 2403 - Transparency and accountability in purchasing and state spending act***

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Thursday, February 4

Introduction of proposed legislation

Presentations by:

Reginald Robinson, President and CEO, Kansas Board of Regents  
Dr. Bernadette Gray-Little, Chancellor, University of Kansas  
Dr. Kirk Schulz, President, Kansas State University  
Dr. Steven Scott, President, Pittsburg State University  
*Linda Fund, Executive Director, Kansas Community College Trustee Association*

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Commerce and Labor**

Steve Bainum, Assistant - Ph 6-7645

9:00 a.m.

Docking Room 784

Wednesday, February 3

Briefing on:

Unemployment insurance

Possible hearing on unemployment insurance

Thursday, February 4

Briefing on:

Unemployment insurance

Possible hearing on unemployment insurance

Friday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Education**

Janet Henning, Assistant - Ph 6-7672

9:00 a.m.

Docking Room 711

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Wednesday, February 3

Hearing on:

**HB 2410** - School districts; recalculating adjusted enrollment if it is determined pupils are ineligible for free meals

Possible action on bills previously heard

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Thursday, February 4

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Energy and Utilities**

Renaë Hansen, Assistant - Ph 6-7670

9:15 a.m.

Docking Room 785

Wednesday, February 3

Hearing on:

**HB 2488** - State agencies and political subdivisions; facility conservation improvements

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 4

Hearing on:

**HB 2419** - Authorizing contracts between utilities and customers for the installation of renewable energy generation units and energy storage devices

Possible action on bills previously heard

**Taxation**

Marla Morris, Assistant - Ph 6-4830

9:00 a.m.

Docking Room 783

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Wednesday, February 3

Hearings on:

**HB 2520** - Defining "willfully" for failure to collect taxes and other violations of Kansas tax law

**HB 2519** - Amendments to sales tax law to provide conformity with streamlined sales and use tax agreement act

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 4

Hearing on:

**HB 2538** - Amendments to the promoting employment across Kansas act

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair

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<b>1:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Monday through Friday</b>
<b>Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget</b>	<b>Room 142-S</b>
<b>Corrections and Juvenile Justice</b>	<b>Room 144-S</b>
<b>Federal and State Affairs</b>	<b>Room 346-S</b>
<b>General Government Budget</b>	<b>Room 159-S</b>
<b>Health and Human Services</b>	<b>Docking Room 784</b>
<b>Transportation</b>	<b>Docking Room 783</b>

**Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget**

Diane Brian, Assistant Ph 6-7500

1:30 p.m. Room 142-S  
Wednesday, February 3  
Budget Presentation and Agency Testimony on:  
Department of Agriculture

Thursday, February 4  
Budget Presentation and Agency Testimony on:  
Kansas State Fair  
Kansas Animal Health Department

**Corrections and Juvenile Justice**

Jackie Lunn, Assistant - Ph 6-7631

1:30 p.m. Room 144-S  
**INDIVIDUALS WISHING TO APPEAR AND PROVIDE VERBAL  
TESTIMONY BEFORE THE COMMITTEE MUST NOTIFY THE  
COMMITTEE SECRETARY AND PRESENT 30 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, February 3

Continued hearing on:

**HB 2413** - Disposition of district court fines, penalties and forfeitures.

Hearings on:

**HB 2453** - Enhanced penalties for certain drug crimes on or within 1,000 feet  
of a child care facility.

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**HB 2454** - Enhanced criminal penalty for felonies committed while wearing or using ballistic resistant material.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 4

Continued hearing on:

**HB 2518** - Proportionality of sentencing; merging the drug and nondrug sentencing grids.

Hearings on:

**HB 2489** - Providing sentencing requirements and punishments for postrelease supervision violators.

**HB 2435** - Certain crimes in which the penalty is an offgrid felony, attempt, conspiracy and criminal solicitation are also offgrid; aggravated habitual sex offender.

**HB 2468** - Requiring offenders guilty of attempt, conspiracy or solicitation to commit any crime requiring offender registration for life to register as an offender.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 5

**\*\*Please note the meeting will start at 9:30 a.m. in room 144-S\_\_**

Hearings on:

**HB 2504** - *Eliminating the addition of good time credits earned while in prison to postrelease supervision time calculations.*

**HB 2505** - Release procedures and discharge of paroled inmates.

**HB 2506** - Requiring the parole board to weigh the proportionality of a crime committed prior to July 1, 1993, to the sentence for the same crime under the new guidelines.

**HB 2507** - Parole and postrelease conditions established by parole board.

**HB 2508** - Shortening the length of deferral time for certain inmates' parole hearings to five years and requiring review of inmates on a 10 year deferral.

**HB 2509** - Notice of release of sexually violent predators into work release program.

*Possible action on bills previously heard*

**Federal and State Affairs**

Nikki Feuerborn, Assistant - Ph 368-7166

1:30 p.m.

Room 346-S

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**PROVIDED TO THE COMMITTEE ASSISTANT BY 10:30 A.M. THE DAY OF THE HEARING.**

Wednesday, February 3

Introduction of proposed legislation

Presentation on the status of the racing industry by:

Kansas Thoroughbred Association, Kansas Quarter Horse Racing Association,  
and the Greyhound Breeders Association

Thursday, February 4

Introduction of proposed legislation

Hearing on:

**HB 2537** - Cereal malt beverages; alcohol content, regulation by ABC, retailers  
authorized to sell, taxation

**General Government Budget**

Ellen Martinez, Assistant - Ph 6-7680

1:30 p.m.

Room 159-S

Wednesday, February 3

Hearings on:

Department of Labor Budget  
Kansas Racing and Gaming Budget

Hearings and possible action on:

Governmental Ethics Commission Budget  
Kansas Human Rights Commission Budget

Thursday, February 4

Hearings on:

Department of Revenue Budget  
Kansas Lottery

Hearings and possible action on:

Department of Administration Budget  
Court of Tax Appeals Budget

Friday, February 5

Hearings on:

Board of Barbering Budget  
Board of Cosmetology Budget  
Board of Mortuary Arts Budget  
Board of Pharmacy

Hearings and possible action on:

Department of Labor  
Kansas Racing and Gaming Budget

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**Health and Human Services**

Debbie Bartuccio, Assistant - Ph 6-7683

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

Wednesday, February 3

Hearing on:

**SB 262** - Emergency medical services attendants scope of practice and titles

Thursday, February 4

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, February 5

Health & Human Services Subcommittee Roundtable

**(Note: Meeting Time 8:30 a.m., Meeting Location in Room 546-S)**

**Transportation**

Betty Boaz, Assistant - Ph 6-7640

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 783

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Wednesday, February 3

Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, February 4

Hearings on:

**HB 2485** - Increasing time period for audit of certain motor carriers

**HB 2555** - Designating parts of K-14, US 160 and K-2 as the SFC David R. Berry/SGT. WillSun M. Mock memorial highway

**HB 2561** - Allowing transit buses to be operated on right shoulder of certain highways

Possible action on bills previously heard

**1:30 p.m.**

**Vision 2020**

**Monday and Wednesday**

**Docking Room 785**

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**Vision 2020**

Mary Koles, Assistant - Ph 6-7654

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 785

Wednesday, February 3

Briefings by:

Dr. Michael R. Lane, President, Emporia State University  
Dr. Edward Hammond, President, Ft. Hays State University  
Dr. Steven A. Scott, President, Pittsburg State University

**1:30 p.m.**

**Veterans, Military, and Homeland Security**

**Tuesday and Thursday**

**Docking Room 785**

**Veterans, Military and Homeland Security**

Barbara Lewerenz, Assistant - Ph 6-7695

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 785

Thursday, February 4

Possible action:

**HB 2445** - Land uses adjacent to military installations

**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 159-S**  
**Room 546-S**  
**Room 346-S**  
**Docking Room 785**  
**Room 142-S**

**Agriculture and Natural Resources**

Pat Matzek, Assistant - Ph 6-7694

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 783

Wednesday, February 3

Meeting on call of the Chair

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 4

Tour of the Department of Agriculture Lab

Friday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair



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**Education Budget**

Dee Heideman, Assistant - Ph 6-7681

3:30 p.m.

Room 159-S

Wednesday, February 3

Introduction of proposed legislation

Possible action on bills previously heard

Committee deliberations:

Arts Commission, State Library, Historical Society, Humanities Council

Presentation by:

Laurel Murdie, Supervisor, K-12 Education: Efficiency Audit of the Ellinwood School District

Thursday, February 4

Introduction of proposed legislation

Possible action on bills previously heard

Hearings on:

**HB 2446** - State educational institutions; gifts and donations; investments

**HB 2559** - School districts; expenditures over \$20,000

**Government Efficiency and Fiscal Oversight**

Gary Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7676

3:30 p.m.

Room 546-S

Wednesday, February 3

Risk Assessment:

- Roger Werholtz, Secretary, Kansas Department of Corrections

- Russ Jennings, Commissioner, Kansas Juvenile Justice Authority

Thursday, February 4

Information Technology Consolidation Opportunities - Don Heiman, Legislative Chief  
Information Technology Officer, *et al*

Hearing on:

**HB 2572** - Authorizing a feasibility study of consolidation opportunities for the information technology of the state

**Judiciary**

Sue VonFeldt, Assistant - Ph 6-5805

3:30 p.m.

Room 346-S

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**BILLS SHOULD CONTACT THE COMMITTEE ASSISTANT 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE HEARING.**

Wednesday, February 3

Bill introductions

Hearings on:

**HB 2531** - Courts; for fiscal year 2011, docket fee percentage from judicial performance fund to go to judicial branch non-judicial salary initiative fund  
Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 4

Bill introductions

Hearings on:

**HB 2530** - Rules and regulations filing act  
**HB 2529** - Continuation of certain exceptions to disclosure under the open records act  
Possible action on bills previously heard

**Social Services Budget Committee**

Cyndie Rexer, Assistant - Ph 6-7685

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 785

Wednesday, February 3

Budget hearing on Larned State Hospital, Osawatomie State Hospital, Rainbow Mental Health Facility:

Staff overview

Agency presentation

Thursday, February 4

Budget hearing on Larned State Hospital, Osawatomie State Hospital, Rainbow Mental Health Facility:

Public testimony

Deliberations and recommendations

Budget hearing on Board of Nursing:

Staff overview

Agency presentation

Public testimony

Deliberations and recommendations

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**Transportation and Public Safety Budget**

Gina Bowes, Assistant - Ph 6-7639

3:30 p.m.

Room 142-S

Wednesday, February 3

Budget Overview/Agency Presentation:

Kansas Parole Board  
Kansas Sentencing Commission

Deliberations/Recommendations:

Abstracters Board of Examiners  
Board of Technical Professions

Thursday, February 4

Budget Overview/Agency Presentation:

Board of Indigents' Defense  
KBI

Deliberations/Recommendations:

Kansas Commission on Peace Officers Standards and Training  
Kansas Parole Board  
Kansas Sentencing Commission

**3:30 p.m.**

**Economic Development and Tourism  
Elections  
Financial Institutions**

**Monday and Wednesday**

**Room 152-S  
Room 144-S  
Docking Room 784**

**Economic Development and Tourism**

Ann Deitcher, Assistant - Ph 6-7652

3:30 p.m.

Room 152-S

Wednesday, February 3

Hearings and possible actions on:

**HB 2551** - Granting authority to the department of commerce to recapture unissued recovery zone bonds

**HB 2553** - Updating references to the standard industrial classification codes in the Kansas enterprise zone act

**HB 2554** - Authorizing the issuance of bonds for certain economic development projects

**HB 2434** - State parks; relating to naming thereof

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**Elections**

Florence Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-1754

3:30 p.m.

Room 144-S

Wednesday, February 3

Briefing - Carol Williams, Executive Director, Ethics Commission

**Financial Institutions**

Joyce Bishop, Assistant - Ph 6-7679

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

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Wednesday, February 3

Meeting on call of the Chair

**3:30 p.m.**

**Aging and Long Term Care  
Insurance  
Local Government**

**Tuesday and Thursday**

**Docking Room 784  
Room 152-S  
Room 144-S**

**Aging and Long Term Care**

Judy Holliday, Assistant - Ph 6-7616

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

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Thursday, February 4

Discussion of state long-term care ombudsman

**Insurance**

Sue Fowler, Assistant - Ph 6-7684

3:30 p.m.

Room 152-S

Thursday, February 4

Hearing on:

**HB 2546** - Insurance, reimbursement for certain services

Possible action on:

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**HB 2490** - Allowing the insurance commissioner to adopt rules and regulations to enforce the regulation of life insurance companies

**HB 2491** - Expanding the definition of creditable individual health insurance to include Title XXI of the Social Security Act

**Local Government**

Carol Bertram, Assistant - Ph 6-7637

3:30 p.m.

Room 144-S

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Thursday, February 4

Hearing on:

**HB 2515** - Prohibition against a municipality requiring the installation of a multi-purpose sprinkler system in a residential structure

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 144-S

Wednesday, February 3

Review of agency capital improvements budgets:

Kansas Department of Corrections

Kansas Bureau of Investigation

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Review of agency capital improvements budgets:

Kansas Highway Patrol

Adjutant General

Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks

Kansas State Fair

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**Select Committee on KPERS**

Carol Bertram, Assistant - Ph 6-7637

8:00 a.m.

Room 142-S

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**Redistricting Advisory Group**

Connie Burns, Assistant - Ph 6-4335

3:00 p.m.

Docking Room 711

Wednesday, February 3

Discussion and recommendation on:

Database - centralized or decentralized

Redistricting database - voter registration and election data inclusion

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**Doctor of the Day**

Phone 296-7397

Pager 231-3434

Room540-E

Wednesday, February 3

Doctor Aron Fast, Wichita

Thursday, February 4

Doctor Vance Lassey, Holton

Friday, February 5

Doctor Gregg Coup, Junction City

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