

HOUSE CALENDAR

**House Committee Agenda
February 3, 2009**

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 2 - 6, 2009

9:00 a.m.	Monday through Friday
Appropriations	Room 143-N
Commerce and Labor	Docking Room 784
Education	Docking Room 711
Energy and Utilities	Docking Room 783
Taxation	Room 535-N

Appropriations

Kathy Holscher, Assistant - Ph 291-3446

9:00 a.m. Room 143-N

Tuesday, February 3

Introduction of proposed legislation

Hearing and possible action on:

HB 2095 - *School finance; capital outlay; cash-basis law, exemption; LOB authority.*

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 4

Introduction of proposed legislation

Presentation on: State Employee Plan Payment

Duane Goossen, Secretary, Department of Administration

Jane Carter, Executive Director, Kansas Organization of State Employees

Presentation on: Performance Audits

Barb Hinton, Legislative Post Auditor, Legislative Division of Post Audit

Possible action on bills previously heard

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Thursday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

Commerce and Labor

Steve Bainum, Assistant - Ph 6-7645

9:00 a.m.

Docking Room 784

Tuesday, February 3

Hearing and action on:

HB 2067 - Kansas home inspectors registration board; removing the secretary of state as custodian of the board's records

HB 2068 - Real estate brokers and salespersons; licensure; deactivation

Wednesday, February 4

Briefing by:

Jim Garner, Secretary of Labor

Final action on bills previously considered

Thursday, February 5

Briefing by:

Blake Flanders, VP of Workforce Development, Kansas Board of Regents

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

Education

Janet Henning, Assistant - Ph 6 -7672

9:00 a.m.

Docking Room 711

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Tuesday, February 3

Hearings on:

HB 2104 - Schools; low enrollment weighting, limitation relating to high and medium density at-risk pupil weightings

HB 2103 - School districts; low enrollment weighting; districts with less than 200 pupils

HB 2102 - School districts; pupil attending schools outside district of residence; transportation

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Wednesday, February 4

Hearing on:

HB 2105 - Teacher and administrator contracts; notice of non-renewal

Thursday, February 5

Sub-Committee meeting Deena Horst - Chair 9:00 a.m. Docking Room 711

HB 2008 - School medication aide act; certain persons authorized to administer epinephrine

Energy and Utilities

Rena Hansen, Assistant - Ph 6-7670

9:00 a.m.

Docking Room 783

Tuesday, February 3

Hearings on:

HB 2127 - Establishing the renewable energy standards act and net metering and easy connection act, and establishing energy efficiency standards for state buildings

Sub-Committee meeting on Renewables issues, Forrest Knox, Chair 7:30-8:30 a.m. Docking Room 783

Possible discussion on:

HB 2013 - Establishing renewable portfolio standards for public utilities.

HB 2020 - Establishing the renewable energy incentive program.

HB 2038 - Establishing fossil-fuel electric generation standards and evaluating renewable, distributive generation and transmission technology.

HB 2043 - Establishing the net metering and easy connection act for wind generation.

HB 2051 - Establishing the net metering and easy connection act for solar generation

Wednesday, February 4

Hearing on:

HB 2182 - Requiring the Kansas air quality act be consistent and uniform with the federal clean air act

Sub-Committee meeting on KCC issues, Vern Swanson, Chair Noon - 1:30 p.m. Docking Room 785

Possible discussions on:

HB 2012 - Establishing a deadline for the court of appeals to decide appeals from administrative orders of the state corporation commission

HB 2014 - Granting authority to the Kansas Electric Transmission Authority (KETA) to establish and charge reasonable fees for use of facilities owned, financed or administered and services rendered by KETA

HB 2017 - Establishing a deadline for decisions by the state corporation

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commission

HB 2021 - Listing factors to be weighed by the state Corporation Commission when granting a certificate of public convenience to an electric utility

HB 2035 - Permitting members of large electric cooperatives to elect to be exempt from regulation by the KCC

Thursday, February 5

Meeting - agenda to be announced

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Sub-Committee meeting on Energy Efficiency issues, Rob Olson, Chair NOON - 1:30 p.m. 784 DSOB

HB 2015 - *Establishing energy efficiency standards for certain owned and leased property, equipment and vehicles.*

HB 2036 - *Granting the state corporation commission authority to convene stakeholders to study energy efficiency and storage issues.*

HB 2064 - *Light pollution; night sky protection act.*

HB 2116 - *Requiring the state corporation commission to annually update base load projections; also requiring utilities to establish energy efficiency and loan management programs.*

Friday, February 6 **8:00 a.m. - Noon Room Docking Room 783**

Sub-Committee agendas to be announced

Taxation

Kathy Beavers, Assistant - Ph 6-4830

9:00 a.m.

Room 535-N

Tuesday, February 3

Hearing on:

HB 2070 - Repeal of the income tax credit under the Kansas community services program act

Possible action on bills already heard

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Wednesday, February 4

Hearings on:

HB 2009 - Exception to property tax exemption for certain transmission lines and appurtenances

HB 2048 - Sales tax exemption for the All American Beef Battalion, Inc.

Possible action on bills already heard

Thursday, February 5

Hearing on:

HB 2079 - Sales tax refund on certain purchasers of telecommunications machinery and equipment

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

1:30 p.m.	Monday through Friday
Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget	Room 431-N
Corrections and Juvenile Justice	Room 535-N
Federal and State Affairs	Room 143-N
General Government Budget	Room 531-N
Health and Human Services	Docking Room 784
Higher Education	Docking Room 786
Transportation	Docking Room 783

Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget

Diane Brian, Assistant Ph 6-7500

1:30 p.m.

Room 431-N

Tuesday, February 3

Overview of agency duties of the Kansas Department of Animal Health:

George Teagarden, Livestock Commissioner

Overview of agency duties of the Department of Agriculture:

Stacy Woolington, Chief Fiscal Officer

Wednesday, February 4

Budget Report:

Duane Goossen, Director of the Budget

Overview of agency duties of the Department of Commerce

David Kerr, Secretary of Commerce

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Thursday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

Corrections and Juvenile Justice

Jackie Lunn, Assistant - Ph 6-7631

1:30 p.m.

Room 535-N

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Tuesday, February 3

Hearings on:

HB 2097 - Criminal jury trials, alternate or additional juror selection

HB 2099 - Withdrawal of guilty plea, time limitation

Wednesday, February 4

Hearings on:

HB 2059 - Proceeds derived from violation of the uniform controlled substances act or any substantially similar offense from another jurisdiction

HB 2039 - Identification of defendant by unique DNA profile sufficient for reasonable certainty requirement of warrant

HB 2040 - Giving the Kansas parole board the authority to defer subsequent parole hearings for up to 20 years for crimes involving two or more victims or a minor

Thursday, February 5

Presentation on Sentencing grid by Helen Pedigo, Executive Director, Kansas Sentencing Commission

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

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Sub Committee on Community Corrections and Juvenile Justice

Judy Holliday, Assistant Ph 6-7616

12:00 Noon

KLRDC Room 010W

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Kansas Legislative Research Department Conference Room – 010 W

Tuesday, February 3

Testimony from community corrections organizations concerning court imposed collectable fees and offender obligation for 123 treatment and collection of the obligation

Federal and State Affairs

Nikki Feuerborn, Assistant - Ph 368-7166

1:30 p.m.

Room 143-N

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Tuesday, February 3

Presentation of the impact of recent federal and state legislation:

Carmen Aldritt, Director of the Motor Vehicle Division, Department of Revenue

Wednesday, February 4

Introduction of proposed legislation

Hearing on:

HB 2062 - Cereal malt beverages; alcohol content, regulation by ABC, retailers authorized to sell, taxation

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 5

Hearing on:

SB 19 - Concealed weapons; U.S. attorneys, county and district attorneys and assistants

General Government Budget

Ellen Martinez, Assistant - Ph 6-1769

1:30 p.m.

Room 531-N

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Meeting on call of the Chair

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Meeting on call of the Chair

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Meeting on call of the Chair

Health and Human Services

Janet Grace, Assistant - Ph 6-7683

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

Tuesday, February 3

Health Savings Account, how they can be promoted and the differences in Kansas presented by:

Beverly Gossage, HSA Benefits Consulting

Health Savings Account program presented by:

Deborah Needleman, First Source Solution USA, Incorporated

Wednesday, February 4

Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, February 5

Economic Impact of Healthcare in Kansas presented by Dr. John Leatherman, Kansas State University

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

Higher Education

Kay Scarlett, Assistant - Ph 6-7649

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 786

Tuesday, February 3

Hearing on:

HB 2007 - State educational institutions; waiver fees and tuition at undergraduate and graduate levels

Wednesday, February 4

Report on textbook prices by Representative Marc Rhoades

Discussion and possible action on:

HB 2003 - Career technical education; funding formula; update in terminology

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Thursday, February 5

Hearing on:

HB 2004 - Regents institutions; participation in mandatory retirement plans, conditions

Transportation

Betty Boaz, Assistant - Ph 6-7640

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 783

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Tuesday, February 3

Hearings on:

HB 2045 - Designating bridge no.85 on U.S. highway 166 in Labette county as the veterans memorial bridge

HB 2129 - Driver's licenses, classes thereof; farm registered vehicles

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, February 4

Hearings on:

HB 2130 - Support Kansas arts license plate

HB 2138 - Providing for the Kansas military family license plate

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 5

Hearings on:

HB 2146 - Special overweight or oversize permits; increasing fees

HB 2147 - Regulating traffic; removal of vehicles from highways

Possible action on bills previously heard

Vision 2020 **1:30 p.m.**

Monday and Wednesday
Docking Room 711

Vision 2020

Mary Koles, Assistant - Ph 6-7654

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 711

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Wednesday, February 4

Briefings, demonstrations, and discussions on health care delivery: telemedicine and telehealth monitoring

1:30 p.m. **Tuesday and Thursday**
Veterans, Military, and Homeland Security **Docking Room 711**

Veterans, Military and Homeland Security

Barbara Lewerenz, Assistant - Ph 6-7695

1:30 p.m. Docking Room 711

Tuesday, February 3

Briefing:

____ Major General Tod Bunting, Adjutant General, Kansas Director,
Homeland Security and Emergency Management

Thursday, February 5

Discussion of:

HB 2085 - An act relating to the veterans claims assistance program; service grant eligibility requirements

HB 2086 - An act relating to composition of the veterans claims assistance advisory board

3:30 p.m. **Monday through Friday**
Agriculture and Natural Resources **Docking Room 783**
Education Budget **Room 531-N**
Government Efficiency and Fiscal Oversight **Room 535-N**
Judiciary **Room 143-N**
Social Services Budget **Docking Room 786**
Transportation and Public Safety Budget **Room 136-N**

Agriculture and Natural Resources

Pat Matzek, Assistant - Ph 6-7694

3:30 p.m. Docking Room 783

Tuesday, February 3

Hearings on:

HB 2063 - Adjusting fees imposed by the secretary of agriculture for weights and measures services

HB 2081 - Fixing fees charged by the secretary of agriculture for milk and dairy products

Possible Action on:

HB 2049 - Hunter safety orientation programs in schools

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Possible bill introductions

Wednesday, February 4

Hearings on:

HCR 5004 - Urging Congress to oppose federal legislation interfering with a state's ability to direct the transport or processing of horses

HB 2121 - Amendments to department of agriculture fertilizer and pesticide programs, fixing fees, definitions

Possible bill introductions

Possible action on bills

Thursday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair

Friday, February 6

Meeting on call of the Chair

Education Budget

Dee Heideman, Assistant - Ph 6-7681

3:30 p.m.

Room 531-N

Tuesday, February 3

Meeting on call of the Chair

Wednesday, February 4

Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair

Government Efficiency and Fiscal Oversight

Gary Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7676

3:30 p.m.

Room 535-N

Tuesday, February 3

Sharon Zoellner, Superintendent, DeSoto Schools, "Reporting Efficiencies"

Wednesday, February 4

Meeting on call of the Chair

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Judiciary

Sue VonFeldt, Assistant - Ph 6-5805

3:30 p.m.

Room 143-N

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Tuesday, February 3

Meeting on call of the Chair

Wednesday, February 4

Hearings on:

HB 2110 - Increase in property damage amount in actions involving negligent motor vehicle operation

HB 2111 - Removing sunset provision from Kansas commission on judicial performance statutes; retaining increase in docket fees to fund commission

HB 2082 - Musical performing groups; advertising; restrictions

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, February 5

Possible action on bills previously heard

Social Services Budget Committee

Cyndie Rexer, Assistant - Ph 6-7685

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 786

Tuesday, February 3

Discussion on Medicaid spending on Aged and Disabled and other fiscal issues by the Kansas Health Policy Authority

Wednesday, February 4

Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, February 5

Meeting on call of the Chair

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Transportation and Public Safety Budget

Gina Bowes, Assistant - Ph 6-7639

3:30 p.m.

Room 136-N

Monday, February 2

No Meeting Scheduled

Tuesday, February 3

Staff briefing/agency presentation:

Sentencing Commission

Parole Board

Wednesday, February 4

Staff briefing/agency presentation:

Fire Marshal

Emergency Medical Services Board

Thursday, February 5

Deliberations/recommendations:

Fire Marshal

Emergency Medical Services

Staff briefing/agency presentation:

Commission on Peace Officers Standards & Training

Friday, February 6

Deliberations/recommendations:

Sentencing Commission

Parole Board

Staff briefing/agency presentation:

Adjutant General

3:30 p.m.

Economic Development and Tourism

Elections

Financial Institutions

Monday and Wednesday

Docking Room 711

Room 446-N

Docking Room 784

Economic Development and Tourism

Ann Deitcher, Assistant - Ph 6-7652

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 711

Wednesday, February 4

Briefing on Kansas Commission on Rural Policy:

Department of Commerce

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Elections

Florence Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-1754

3:30 p.m.

Room 446-N

Wednesday, February 4

Hearings on:

HB 2066 - Elections; HAVA compliance, voter identification requirements, party affiliation declaration

HB 2077 - Elections; voters; photo identification required; free photo identification, certain persons

Possible introduction of bills

Financial Institutions

Joyce Bishop, Assistant - Ph 6-7679

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

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Wednesday, February 4

Hearings and possible action on:

HB 2091 - Exempting modular homes from Kansas manufactured housing act.

HB 2092 - Prohibiting transfer fee covenants

HB 2185 - *Public moneys, reciprocal deposit program*

3:30 p.m.

Aging and Long Term Care

Insurance

Local Government

Tuesday and Thursday

Docking Room 711

Docking Room 784

Room 446-N

Aging and Long Term Care

Judy Holliday, Assistant - Ph 6-7616

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 711

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Tuesday, February 3

Presentations by:

Michelle Niedens, Alzheimers Association, Kansas Chapter
Mike Hutfles, Kansas Oral Health

Thursday, February 5

Presentations by:

Anne Marie Hughey, Legislative and Policy Advocate, SKIL Resources, Inc.
Carrie Greenwood, Program Coordinator, Kansas Youth Empowerment Academy

Insurance

Sue Fowler, Assistant - Ph 6-7684

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

Tuesday, February 3

Staff review of current health mandates

Hearings on:

HB 2159 - Insurance settlement payments, mortgage holder and mortgagor
HB 2160 - Insurance, payment of insurance claims without dual endorsement

Thursday, February 5

Hearings on:

HB 2089 - Life insurance, valuation of policies, reserves
HB 2075 - Providing insurance coverage for colorectal cancer screening

Local Government

Carol Bertram, Assistant - Ph 6-7637

3:30 p.m.

Room 446-N

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Tuesday, February 3

Presentation:

Presentation by Heidi Shadid, KU Law School Policy Clinic - Land Government Annexation Paper

Hearing on:

HB 2029 - Cities; annexation; deannexation procedures

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Thursday, February 5

Hearings on:

HB 2030 - Cities; annexation; board of county commissioners; agriculture land restriction

HB 2031 - Cities; annexation; board of county commissioners decision; election required

Select, On Call and Joint Committees

Legislative Post Audit Committee

Sharon Chandler, Assistant - Ph 6-3792

12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.

Room 446-N

Wednesday, February 4

Discussion of committee bills

Follow-up on 2005 computer security audit of three universities

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Doctor of the Day

Phone 296-7397

Pager 231-3434

Room 403-N

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Tuesday, February 3

No doctor

Wednesday, February 4

Doctor Joshua Freeman, Kansas City

Thursday, February 5

Doctor Chuck Allred, Salina

Friday, February 6

Doctor Mike Kennedy, Kansas City

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