

HOUSE CALENDAR

No. 43

Tuesday, March 14, 2023
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

2457–

HB 2457, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to income tax; providing a 4.95% tax rate for individuals and decreasing the normal tax for corporations; discontinuing possible future corporate rate decreases as a result of agreements under the attracting powerful economic expansion program act; increasing the income limit to qualify for a subtraction modification for social security income; providing that all social security benefits qualify for the subtraction modification commencing in tax year 2026; increasing the Kansas standard deduction by a cost-of-living adjustment; discontinuing the food sales tax credit; relating to sales and compensating use tax; reducing the rate of tax on sales of food and food ingredients; relating to property tax; increasing the extent of exemption for residential property from the statewide school levy; relating to privilege tax rates; decreasing the surtax; amending K.S.A. 79-1107 and 79-1108 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 74-50,321, 79-201x, 79-32,110, 79-32,117, 79-32,119, 79-32,271, 79-3603, 79-3603d, 79-3620, 79-3703 and 79-3710 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)

2458–

HB 2458, AN ACT concerning school districts; authorizing the state board of education to establish new school districts for purposes of attachment of territory of a disorganized school district; providing for administrative and

judicial review of resolutions to permanently close a school building;
amending K.S.A. 72-635 and 72-1431 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Education)

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STATE OFFICERS

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Reference of Senate Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

53–

SB 53, AN ACT concerning sales taxation; relating to exclusions from the sales or selling price; excluding manufacturers' coupons; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-3602c and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Assessment and Taxation
(Taxation)

114–

SB 114, AN ACT concerning solid waste; relating to advanced recycling; creating definitions for "advanced recycling" and related terms; separating advanced recycling from the current solid waste management system; amending K.S.A. 65-3402 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Commerce
(Commerce, Labor and Economic Development)

INTRODUCTION OF ORIGINAL MOTIONS AND HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

Motions and Resolutions Offered on a Previous Day

6013–

HR 6013, A RESOLUTION strengthening the sister-state ties between the State of Kansas and Taiwan, supporting the U.S.-Taiwan Initiative on 21st Century Trade and reaffirming support for increasing Taiwan's international participation.

Representatives Hawkins, Mason, Anderson, Bergkamp, Bergquist, Blew, Blex, Bloom, Borjon, Boyd, Bryce, Buehler, Butler, B. Carpenter, W.

Carpenter, Clifford, Collins, Concannon, Corbet, Croft, Curtis, Delperdang, Dodson, Ellis, Eplee, Essex, Estes, Featherston, Garber, Goddard, Goetz, Hill, Hoffman, Hoheisel, Howe, Howell, Howerton, Hoye, Humphries, Johnson, Kessler, Maughan, D. Miller, V. Miller, Minnix, Moser, Murphy, Neighbor, Oropeza, Osman, Owens, Patton, Penn, Pickert, Poetter Parshall, Poskin, Probst, Proctor, Rahjes, Resman, Rhiley, Roth, Sanders, Sawyer Clayton, Schreiber, Seiwert, A. Smith, C. Smith, E. Smith, Thomas, Thompson, Turk, Turner, Underhill, Waggoner, Wasinger, Waymaster, Weigel, White, K. Williams, L. Williams, Woodard

THE UNFINISHED BUSINESS BEFORE THE HOUSE

Consent Calendar

2421–(First Day)

HB 2421, AN ACT concerning sales and compensating use tax; relating to city and countywide retailers' sales tax; providing countywide retailers' sales tax authority for Grant county; amending K.S.A. 12-187 and 12-189 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)
(Be Passed)

Final Action on Bills and Concurrent Resolutions

Bills Under Consideration to Concur or Nonconcur

2184–

HB 2184, AN ACT concerning the judicial council; abolishing the judicial council fund; transferring all moneys and liabilities of such fund to the state general fund; repealing the transfer of funds from docket fees to the judicial council fund; transferring annually unencumbered funds from the publications fee fund to the state general fund; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 20-362, 20-2207 and 20-2208 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on General Government Budget
(As Amended by the Senate)

General Orders

83–

H Sub for SB 83, AN ACT concerning education; making and concerning appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, for the state department of education; establishing the sunflower education equity act; providing

education savings accounts for students; establishing the sunflower education equity scholarship fund; requiring each school district to provide a salary increase to each licensed teacher in the school district in school year 2023-2024; defining enrollment of small school districts as the highest enrollment of the four preceding years under the Kansas school equity and enhancement act; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 72-3120 and 72-5132 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on K-12 Education Budget
(K-12 Education Budget)
(Substitute Be Passed)

2400–

HB 2400, AN ACT concerning workforce development; enacting the Kansas adult learner grant act; establishing a grant program for adult learners to pursue certain fields of study; providing for workforce retention incentive tax credits; creating the Kansas adult learner grant program fund.

Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development
(Commerce, Labor and Economic Development)
(Be Passed as Amended)
(Appropriations)
(Commerce, Labor and Economic Development)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2422–

HB 2422, AN ACT concerning the state fire marshal; eliminating the statutory qualifications of the chief inspector for boiler safety; amending K.S.A. 44-918 and repealing the existing section.

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

(The Line)

2066–

HB 2066, AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to motor vehicles; providing for a property tax exemption of up to two motor vehicles for firefighters and emergency medical service providers; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-5107 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Taxation
(Taxation)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2132–

HB 2132, AN ACT concerning postsecondary education; relating to the Kansas promise scholarship act; expanding the eligible fields of study; establishing a maximum scholarship amount for certain private postsecondary institutions; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 74-32,272, 74-32,273 and 74-32,274 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Appropriations
(Education)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2041–

HB 2041, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to sales and compensating use tax; providing for a sales tax exemption for a not-for-profit corporation operating a community theater; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)

(Be Passed)

2084–

HB 2084, AN ACT concerning food products; regulating the preparation, distribution and sale of kratom products; prohibiting the preparation, distribution and sale of adulterated or contaminated kratom products; establishing fines and penalties; requiring the secretary of agriculture to adopt rules and regulations to administer the act.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs

(Federal and State Affairs)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2036–

HB 2036, AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to exemptions; creating a property tax exemption for homestead property of certain retired and disabled veterans.

Representatives Proctor, Blex, Buehler, Butler, Clifford, Collins, Dodson, Ellis,
Johnson, Neelly, Thompson, Turk

(Taxation)

(Be Passed)

2135–

HB 2135, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to income, privilege and premium tax credits; establishing a tax credit for contributions to eligible charitable organizations operating pregnancy centers or residential maternity facilities.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)

(Be Passed)

2109–

HB 2109, AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to the determination of Kansas adjusted gross income; increasing the income limit to qualify for a subtraction modification for social security income; providing that all social security benefits qualify for the subtraction modification commencing in tax year 2026; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-32,117 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)

(Be Passed as Amended)

5008–

HCR 5008, A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION applying to the Congress of the United States to call a convention of the states for the purpose of proposing

amendments to the Constitution of the United States that impose limits on the federal government.

Committee on Federal and State Affairs
(Federal and State Affairs)
(Be Adopted as Amended)

2406–

HB 2406, AN ACT concerning the personal and family protection act; prohibiting the collection of personal information regarding off-duty law enforcement officers entering buildings or requiring the officer to wear anything identifying the person as a law enforcement officer or being armed; amending K.S.A. 75-7c22 and repealing the existing section.

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

2275–

HB 2275, AN ACT concerning income taxation; relating to credits; increasing the maximum yearly amount of credit available for purchases under the disability employment act from qualified vendors and continuing in existence such credits beyond tax year 2023; defining qualifying vendors and eligible employees; amending K.S.A. 79-32,273 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development
(Commerce, Labor and Economic Development)
(Be Passed)
(Appropriations)
(Commerce, Labor and Economic Development)
(Be Passed)

2388–

HB 2388, AN ACT concerning occupational regulation; relating to occupational licenses; requiring that licensing bodies provide verified electronic credentials, in addition to paper-based credentials, to all credential holders, including military servicemembers and others receiving Kansas credentials based on their credentials from other jurisdictions; requiring licensing bodies to use centralized electronic credential data management systems capable of providing instantaneous credential verification; mandating that such systems maintain an auditable record; excepting certification of law enforcement officers from such electronic credential requirements and other provisions; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 48-3406 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development
(Commerce, Labor and Economic Development)
(Be Passed as Amended)
(Appropriations)
(Commerce, Labor and Economic Development)
(Be Passed as Amended)

2313–

HB 2313, AN ACT concerning health and healthcare; creating the born-alive infants protection act; providing legal protections for infants born alive;

requiring certain standards of care by healthcare providers for infants who are born alive; providing criminal penalties and civil liability for violations of the act; amending K.S.A. 65-445 and repealing the existing section.

Representatives Sanders, Awerkamp, Barth, Bergkamp, Bergquist, Blex, Bloom, Bryce, Buehler, Butler, W. Carpenter, Clifford, Collins, Delperdang, Ellis, Eplee, Essex, Estes, Fairchild, Garber, Goddard, Goetz, Hill, Hoffman, Howe, Howell, Howerton, Humphries, Lewis, Mason, Maughan, Moser, Murphy, Neelly, Owens, Penn, Pickert, Proctor, Resman, Rhiley, Schmoe, A. Smith, C. Smith, E. Smith, Sutton, Tarwater, Thomas, Thompson, Turk,

Waggoner, Wasinger, White, K. Williams

(Health and Human Services)

(Taxation)

(Health and Human Services)

(Be Passed)

2429-

HB 2429, AN ACT concerning abortion; establishing the alternatives to abortion program and the alternatives to abortion public awareness program; providing services that promote childbirth to women facing unplanned pregnancies; establishing requirements and penalties for failure to fulfill program contract requirements; promoting public awareness of such services.

Committee on Appropriations

(Health and Human Services)

(Be Passed as Amended)

14-

SB 14, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to risk-based capital requirements; updating the version of instructions in effect; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 40-2c01 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance

(Insurance)

(Be Passed as Amended)

15-

SB 15, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to penalties; failure of agents or brokers to pay premiums; removing the requirement of a documented written demand for premiums as part of a prima facie case; amending K.S.A. 40-247 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance

(Insurance)

(Be Passed as Amended)

17-

SB 17, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to prepaid service plans; certificates of registration; discontinuing annual registration fees for such plans; modifying the requirement to report individuals who solicit memberships on behalf of such plans from semi-annually to annually and upon application for registration; amending K.S.A. 40-4209 and repealing the existing section; also repealing K.S.A. 40-4203.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance

(Insurance)

(Be Passed as Amended)

18–

SB 18, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to insurance laws and enforcement thereof; adding certain legal entities to the definition of "person"; amending K.S.A. 40-2,125 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance
(Insurance)

(Be Passed as Amended)

19–

SB 19, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to premium tax; adjusting the basis upon which certain premium tax calculations are made; requiring such premium taxes to be paid 90 days after each calendar year and basing such premium taxes upon the gross premiums collected for the previous calendar year; amending K.S.A. 12-2624 and 44-588 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance
(Insurance)

(Be Passed as Amended)

26–

SB 26, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to health maintenance organizations and medicare provider organizations; applications for certificates of authority; specifying certain requirements necessary to demonstrate fiscal soundness; amending K.S.A. 40-3203 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance
(Insurance)

(Be Passed as Amended)

27–

SB 27, AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to the uniform insurance agents licensure act; public adjusters licensing act; authorizing the commissioner of insurance to set the amount of certain fees; requiring information obtained from background checks, fingerprinting and criminal history records checks be used solely for the purpose of verifying the identification of an applicant and the fitness of an applicant to be issued a license as an insurance agent; amending K.S.A. 40-4905, 40-4906 and 40-5505 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Financial Institutions and Insurance
(Insurance)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2140–

HB 2140, AN ACT concerning food assistance; increasing the age range of able-bodied adults without dependents required to complete an employment and training program to receive food assistance; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 39-709 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Welfare Reform

(Welfare Reform)

(Be Passed as Amended)

(Appropriations)

(Welfare Reform)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2225–

HB 2225, AN ACT concerning utilities; relating to electric utilities; including cost recovery of transmission-related costs for transmission facilities constructed as a result of a directive from the regional transmission organization; authorizing cost recovery for transmission facilities constructed as a result of internal or local planning under certain circumstances; requiring the commission to adjust the authorized return on equity for such internal or local transmission projects recovered through a transmission delivery charge; requiring public utilities to evaluate the regional rate competitiveness and impact to economic development in rate proceedings; amending K.S.A. 66-117 and 66-1237 and repealing the existing sections.

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

(Be Passed)

(Appropriations)

(Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2232–

HB 2232, AN ACT concerning county appraisers; relating to qualifications for designation as a registered mass appraiser; granting authority to the director of property valuation to develop qualifying courses; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 19-430 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)

(Be Passed)

2317–

HB 2317, AN ACT concerning property taxation; relating to the collection of taxes; providing that certain tax notices and statements may be transmitted by electronic means by the county treasurer and county appraiser if consented to by the taxpayer; amending K.S.A. 79-2001 and 79-2017 and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-1460 and repealing the existing sections.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)

(Be Passed as Amended)

2414–

Sub HB 2414, AN ACT concerning private and public postsecondary educational institutions; relating to the development of postsecondary engineering programs and the provision of scholarships for engineering students at certain private and public institutions of higher education; creating a matching grant program to be administered by the secretary of commerce; creating the engineering graduate incentive fund.

Committee on Commerce, Labor and Economic Development
(Commerce, Labor and Economic Development)

(Substitute Be Passed)

2416–

HB 2416, AN ACT concerning taxation; relating to sales and compensating use

tax; providing for a sales tax exemption for area agencies on aging and purchases made by Kansas suicide prevention HQ, inc.; amending K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 79-3606 and repealing the existing section.

Committee on Taxation

(Taxation)

(Be Passed as Amended)

229–

H Sub for SB 229, AN ACT concerning the legislature; relating to compensation, salary and retirement benefits of members thereof; creating the legislative compensation commission; prescribing powers and duties of the commission; authorizing the commission to set rates of compensation and salary for members of the legislature; establishing procedures for review and possible rejection of such rates of compensation and salary by the legislature; eliminating the previously established compensation commission; repealing K.S.A. 46-3101.

Committee on Legislative Modernization

(Transportation)

(Legislative Modernization)

(Substitute Be Passed)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Bills Adversely Reported

Status of Bills and Resolutions

House bills passed and sent to Senate: Nos. 2002, 2010, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2023, 2024, 2026, 2027, 2033, 2034, 2039, 2042, 2047, 2053, 2056, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2065, 2069, 2070, 2077, 2080, 2082, 2083, 2086, 2087, 2089, 2090, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2100, 2106, 2114, 2121, 2124, 2125, 2127, 2130, 2131, 2133, 2138, 2141, 2144, 2147, 2149, 2160, 2170, 2172, 2173, 2176, 2184, 2191, 2196, 2197, 2198, 2201, 2214, 2216, 2226, 2229, 2234, 2236, 2238, 2240, 2260, 2262, 2263, 2264, 2269, 2279, 2284, 2285, 2288, 2290, 2291, 2292, 2293, 2298, 2302, 2304, 2314, 2322, 2323, 2325, 2326, 2332, 2335, 2336, 2338, 2340, 2344, 2346, 2350, 2375, 2376, 2378, 2387, 2390, 2392, 2395, 2398, 2408

House bills killed by House: Nos. 2028, 2029, 2031, 2068, 2071, 2073, 2081, 2088, 2102, 2113, 2143, 2146, 2153, 2159, 2166, 2167, 2195, 2210, 2215, 2230, 2237, 2246, 2253, 2267, 2272, 2278, 2305, 2329, 2351, 2373, 2386

House bills passed by the Senate: Nos. 2184, 2238

House bills in conference:

House bills killed by Senate:

House bills signed by the Governor:

House bills awaiting the signature of the governor: No. 2238

House bills vetoed by Governor:

House bills becoming law without Governor's signature:

House resolutions killed:

House resolutions adopted: Nos. 6001, 6002, 6003, 6004, 6005, 6006, 6007, 6008, 6009, 6010, 6011, 6012, 6014

House concurrent resolutions killed:

House concurrent resolutions adopted and sent to Senate: Nos. 5001, 5002, 5003, 5004, 5012

House concurrent resolutions adopted by Senate: Nos. 5001, 5002, 5003, 5012

House concurrent resolutions in conference:

House concurrent resolutions killed by House:

House concurrent resolutions killed by Senate:

Senate bills in conference:

Senate bills passed in House: Nos. 11, 39

Senate bills killed by House:

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

Senate concurrent resolutions in conference:

House and Senate Bills in House Committees

Agriculture and Natural Resources–

House Bills: Nos. 2006, 2091, 2168, 2308, 2331, 2342, 2372, 2397, 2437

Senate Bills: No. 120

Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget–

House Bills: No. 2079

Senate Bills:

Appropriations–

House Bills: Nos. 2078, 2235, 2273, 2274, 2277, 2362, 2415, 2418, 2449

Senate Bills: Nos. 42, 195

Calendar and Printing–

House Bills:

Senate Bills:

Child Welfare and Foster Care–

House Bills: Nos. 2076, 2112, 2189, 2194, 2299, 2361, 2369, 2371, 2377, 2407, 2443

Senate Bills: Nos. 115, 232

Commerce, Labor and Economic Development–

House Bills: Nos. 2063, 2064, 2123, 2333, 2334, 2348, 2368, 2374, 2389, 2399, 2401, 2447, 2450

Senate Bills:

Corrections and Juvenile Justice–

House Bills: Nos. 2005, 2012, 2022, 2067, 2072, 2104, 2115, 2128, 2151, 2180, 2186, 2187, 2212, 2213, 2217, 2280, 2286, 2295, 2328, 2349, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2363, 2370, 2380, 2385

Senate Bills: Nos. 73, 174, 217, 228

Education–

House Bills: Nos. 2003, 2142, 2152, 2157, 2158, 2163, 2223, 2224, 2248, 2251, 2315, 2427

Senate Bills: Nos. 13, 66, 123

Elections–

House Bills: Nos. 2013, 2035, 2037, 2038, 2052, 2054, 2055, 2057, 2075, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2122, 2164, 2165, 2190, 2206, 2207, 2270,

2289, 2297, 2312, 2391

Senate Bills: Nos. 208, 209, 221

Energy, Utilities and Telecommunications–

House Bills: Nos. 2154, 2155, 2156, 2227, 2228, 2309, 2310, 2327, 2440

Senate Bills: Nos. 49, 144

Senate Concurrent Resolutions: No. 1603

Federal and State Affairs–

House Bills: Nos. 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2051, 2177, 2178, 2188, 2208, 2244, 2245, 2301, 2303, 2311, 2339, 2358, 2367, 2402, 2403, 2404, 2405, 2412, 2413, 2417, 2431, 2438, 2441, 2442, 2446, 2451, 2456

House Concurrent Resolutions: No. 5006

Senate Bills: Nos. 3, 116

Financial Institutions and Pensions–

House Bills: Nos. 2008, 2025, 2085, 2101, 2103, 2105, 2193, 2241, 2242, 2243, 2247, 2252, 2320, 2321, 2365, 2428, 2436

Senate Bills: Nos. 34, 37, 44

General Government Budget–

House Bills:

Senate Bills:

Government Efficiency–

House Bills:

Senate Bills:

Health and Human Services–

House Bills: Nos. 2007, 2049, 2050, 2126, 2161, 2171, 2181, 2257, 2258, 2259, 2265, 2276, 2337, 2347, 2439, 2452, 2453

House Concurrent Resolutions: No. 5011

Senate Bills: Nos. 5, 6, 96, 98, 131, 180, 219, 233

Higher Education Budget–

House Bills:

Senate Bills:

Insurance–

House Bills: Nos. 2095, 2099, 2266, 2283, 2287

Senate Bills: Nos. 24, 25, 28, 85, 119

Interstate Cooperation–

House Bills: No. 2426

Senate Bills:

Judiciary–

House Bills: Nos. 2001, 2074, 2129, 2139, 2169, 2183, 2185, 2222, 2250, 2294, 2300, 2345, 2352, 2356, 2357, 2379, 2381, 2383, 2396, 2409, 2423, 2455

Senate Bills: Nos. 75, 189, 243, 244

K-12 Education Budget–

House Bills: Nos. 2030, 2040, 2048, 2218, 2261, 2271, 2359, 2382, 2432, 2444

House Concurrent Resolutions: No. 5010

Senate Bills: No. 113

Legislative Budget (House)–

House Bills:

Senate Bills:

Legislative Modernization–

House Bills: No. 2448

House Concurrent Resolutions: No. 5007

Senate Bills: No. 59

Local Government–

House Bills: Nos. 2145, 2150, 2174, 2268, 2324, 2341, 2343

Senate Bills: No. 194

Rules and Journal–

House Bills:

Senate Bills:

Social Services Budget–

House Bills: No. 2330

Senate Bills:

Taxation–

House Bills: Nos. 2009, 2011, 2061, 2062, 2107, 2108, 2110, 2111, 2134, 2136, 2137, 2162, 2175, 2182, 2192, 2199, 2200, 2202, 2203, 2204, 2205, 2209, 2219, 2220, 2221, 2231, 2233, 2254, 2256, 2281, 2282, 2306, 2307, 2316, 2318, 2319, 2364, 2366, 2384, 2410, 2411, 2419, 2420, 2424, 2425, 2433, 2434, 2435, 2445, 2454

House Concurrent Resolutions: No. 5009

Senate Bills: Nos. 8, 33, 91, 169, 248

Transportation–

House Bills: Nos. 2004, 2148, 2296, 2360

Senate Bills: Nos. 106, 130, 132, 143

Transportation and Public Safety Budget–

House Bills:

Senate Bills:

Veterans and Military–

House Bills: Nos. 2211, 2249

Senate Bills:

Water–

House Bills:

Senate Bills: No. 205

Welfare Reform–

House Bills: Nos. 2032, 2179, 2239, 2255, 2393, 2394, 2430

Senate Bills:

House Committee Agenda March 14, 2023

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.

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.

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

Week of March 13 - 17, 2023

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
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Tuesday, March 14

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2277 — Concerning state agencies; relating to the employee award and recognition program; authorizing hiring, recruitment and retention bonuses; increasing the limitation on such award or bonus to \$10,000; eliminating the secretary of administration's authority to adopt rules and regulations; and requiring such secretary to submit an annual report to certain legislative committees concerning such awards and bonuses.

HB2449 — Providing that all members of statutory boards or commissions who are authorized by statute to receive compensation shall receive the amount of per diem compensation paid to legislators.

Informational hearing:

Wichita State University and Kansas University

Budget report out:

Post-secondary Education System - Chairperson Howe, Higher Education Budget

Possible action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, March 15

Request for bill introductions

Informational hearing:

Infrastructure Hub

Discussion on:

Social Services Enhancements for Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 16

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2418 — Abolishing the study commission for the consolidation of Kansas City, Kansas, and Wyandotte county, consolidation commission of Topeka, Kansas, and Shawnee county, study commission for the consolidation in Greeley county, podiatry review committee, state board of healing arts review committee for each branch of the healing arts, contact lens advisory council, state emergency response commission, naturopathic advisory council, transportation vision task force, special education funding task force, Persian Gulf war veterans health initiative act, Kansas export finance act, community strategic planning assistance act, natural and scientific areas advisory board, public finance transparency board, Kansas film services commission, Kansas bioscience authority, KAN-ED act and department of health and environment advisory committees.

Briefing on:

2022 Interim Committee - Special Committee on State Employee and Board Member Compensation

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, March 17

Meeting on call of the chair

Federal and State Affairs

Connie Bahner, Committee Assistant—785-368-7166

9:00 a.m.

346-S

Tuesday, March 14

No meeting scheduled

Wednesday, March 15

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HB2446 — Prohibiting cities and counties from regulating plastic and other containers designed for the consumption, transportation or protection of merchandise, food or beverages.

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 16

Request for bill introductions
Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, March 17

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

Wednesday, March 15

Final action on:

HB2436 — *Enacting the Kansas public investments and contracts protection act concerning environmental, social and governance (ESG) criteria, prohibiting the state and political subdivisions from giving preferential treatment to or discriminating against companies based on such ESG criteria in procuring or letting contracts, requiring KPERS fiduciaries to act solely in the financial interest of the participants and beneficiaries of the system, restricting state agencies from adopting ESG criteria or requiring any person or business to operate in accordance with such criteria and providing for enforcement of such act by the attorney general.*

Hearing on:

SB34 — Expanding the use and availability of rural housing incentive districts.

SB37 — Expanding the transferability of income, privilege and premium tax credits issued under the Kansas housing investor tax credit act.

Possible Final action on bills previously heard

Legislative Modernization

Dana Frey, Committee Assistant–785-296-8430

9:00 a.m.

218-N

Wednesday, March 15

Meeting on call of the chair

Local Government

Debra Heideman, Committee Assistant–785-296-7681

9:00 a.m.

281-N

Wednesday, March 15

Meeting on call of the chair

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, March 14 **NOTE ROOM CHANGED TO 346-S**

Informational briefing:

TC Energy - Update on the Milepost 14 Incident, Gary Salsman, Vice President -
Field Operations, LiquidsThursday, March 16

Informational briefing:

Atmos Energy, Bart Armstrong, President

Hearing on:

SB49 — Requiring new wind energy conversion systems to be constructed with
light-mitigating technology systems.**SCR1603** — Urging the President of the United States to restore energy
independence in the United States.

Final action on:

SB144 — Exempting satellite service and video programming services accessed
over the internet from the video competition act.**Veterans and Military**

Betty Boaz, Committee Assistant—785-296-5623

9:00 a.m.

281-N

Tuesday, March 14

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, March 16

No meeting scheduled

Water

Tony Prohaska, Committee Assistant—785-296-7384

9:00 a.m.

218-N

Tuesday, March 14 **NOTE ROOM CHANGED TO 346-S**

Informational briefing:

Gary Salsman, Vice President Field Operations, TC Energy.

Thursday, March 16

Informational briefing:

Toby Dougherty, Hays City Manager, City of Hays water supply
Andrew Lyon, Kansas Department of Agriculture, Water Conservation.
Dan Meyerhoff, Executive Director, Kansas Conservation District, Water
Conservation

Final action on bills previously heard

1:30 p.m.**Daily****Agriculture and Natural Resources Budget
Commerce, Labor and Economic Development****118-N
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
 Josh Gosser, Committee Assistant–785-296-7679

1:30 p.m. 118-N

Tuesday, March 14
 No meeting scheduled

Wednesday, March 15
 No meeting scheduled

Thursday, March 16
 No meeting scheduled

Friday, March 17
 No meeting scheduled

Commerce, Labor and Economic Development
 Cindy Harris, Committee Assistant–785-296-7685

1:30 p.m. 346-S

Tuesday, March 14
 Hearing on:

HB2401 — Defining "benefit year" and "temporary unemployment" in the employment security law, requiring electronic filing of reports for employers with 25 or more employees, permitting discretion in the number of appointments and length of terms for the temporary employment security board of review and extending the time required for establishment of a new account due to a business acquisition.

HB2450 — Providing a sales tax exemption for the construction or remodeling of a qualified data center in Kansas, and the purchase of data center equipment, eligible data center costs, electricity and certain labor costs to qualified firms that commit to a minimum investment of at least \$600,000,000 and meet new Kansas jobs and other requirements.

Final action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, March 15
 Final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 16
 Final action on bills previously heard

Friday, March 17
 No meeting scheduled

Corrections and Juvenile Justice

Colette Niehues, Committee Assistant—785-296-7500

1:30 p.m.

546-S

Tuesday, March 14

No meeting scheduled

Wednesday, March 15

Meeting on call of the chair

Thursday, March 16

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, March 17

No meeting scheduled

Education

Deborah Bremer, Committee Assistant—785-296-3113

1:30 p.m.

218-N

Tuesday, March 14

Hearing on:

SB123 — Deeming military veterans and spouses or dependents of such veterans who were stationed in Kansas for at least 11 months as residents for purposes of tuition and fees at postsecondary educational institutions.

Guest speakers: Master Teachers (Emporia State College)

Wednesday, March 15

Final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 16

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, March 17

No meeting scheduled

Health and Human Services

David Long, Committee Assistant—785-296-7488

1:30 p.m.

112-N

Tuesday, March 14

Meeting on call of the chair

Wednesday, March 15*Informational briefing:*

HB2453 — *Enacting the dentist and dental hygienist compact to provide interstate practice privileges for dentists and dental hygienists.*

Thursday, March 16

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, March 17

No meeting scheduled

Higher Education Budget

Phyllis Fast, Committee Assistant—785-296-7642

1:30 p.m.

281-N

Tuesday, March 14

Meeting on call of the chair

Wednesday, March 15

Meeting on call of the chair

Thursday, March 16

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, March 17

No meeting scheduled

Transportation

Jennifer Forrester, Committee Assistant—785-296-7466

1:30 p.m.

582-N

Tuesday, March 14

No Meeting Scheduled

Wednesday, March 15

No Meeting Scheduled

Thursday, March 16

No Meeting Scheduled

Friday, March 17

No Meeting Schedule

1:30 p.m.

Mon/Wed

Child Welfare and Foster Care

152-S

Child Welfare and Foster Care

Carol Robertson, Committee Assistant—785-296-7644

1:30 p.m.

152-S

Wednesday, March 15

Hearing on:

SB115 — Changing the lists of persons who are required to be given notice of the hearing on a petition for an independent or stepparent, private agency or public agency adoption.

Final action on:

HB2299 — Directing the secretary for children and families to consider foster parents as prospective adoptive parents under certain circumstances.

HB2194 — Enacting the Representative Gail Finney memorial foster care bill of rights.

HB2443 — Establishing the office of the child advocate.

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

Welfare Reform

Gary Deeter, Committee Assistant—785-296-6989

1:30 p.m. **152-S**

Tuesday, March 14

Hearing on:

HB2179 — Removing non-cooperation with child support from disqualifications for child care assistance.

Briefing by KDHE:

Medicaid 101 Presentation and Recent Changes in Medicaid Funding

Thursday, March 16

Briefing by KDHE:

Medicaid Eligibility Redetermination Process

Discussion & action on:

HB2179 — Removing non-cooperation with child support from disqualifications for child care assistance.

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**
Taxation **346-S**
Transportation and Public Safety Budget **118-N**

Agriculture and Natural Resources

Terry Bernatis, Committee Assistant—785-296-7463

3:30 p.m. **112-N**

Tuesday, March 14

Informational briefing:

Industrial Hemp by Melissa Nelson-Baldwin

Wednesday, March 15

Hearing on:

HB2168 — Allowing hemp fiber, grain and seeds to be used as food for livestock, poultry and pets; adding hemp grain to the definition of grain; authorizing the secretary to utilize performance-based sampling when inspecting industrial hemp; lowering license and registration fees; extending license and registration periods to two years; and exempting certain hemp processors from fingerprinting and background check requirements.

Final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 16

Informational briefing:
Dairy Study by Aimpoint

Friday, March 17

No meeting scheduled

General Government Budget

Susan Tindall, Committee Assistant—785-296-7643

3:30 p.m.

281-N

Tuesday, March 14

Meeting on call of the chair

Wednesday, March 15

Meeting on call of the chair

Thursday, March 16

Meeting on call of the chair

Friday, March 17

No meeting scheduled

Judiciary

Kathi Rakestraw, Committee Assistant—785-296-5805

3:30 p.m.

582-N

Tuesday, March 14

Hearing on:

SB75 — Changing the legal rate of interest from a fixed rate to a variable rate based on the statutory rate provided for interest on judgments.

HB2455 — Updating the Kansas general corporation code, the business entity transactions act, the business entity standard treatment act, the Kansas revised uniform limited partnership act and the Kansas uniform partnership act.

Final action on bills previously heard

Wednesday, March 15

Meeting scheduled - Agenda to be announced
Final action on bills previously heard

Thursday, March 16

Meeting scheduled - Agenda to be announced
Final action on bills previously heard

Friday, March 17

No meeting scheduled

K-12 Education Budget

Garret Belknap, Committee Assistant—785-296-3971

3:30 p.m.

546-S

Tuesday, March 14

Meeting on call of the chair

Wednesday, March 15

Meeting on call of the chair

Thursday, March 16

No meeting scheduled

Friday, March 17

No meeting scheduled

Social Services Budget

Francisca Hernandez, Committee Assistant—785-296-7640

3:30 p.m.

152-S

Tuesday, March 14

No meeting scheduled

Wednesday, March 15

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, March 16

No meeting scheduled

Friday, March 17

No meeting scheduled

Taxation

Lea Gerard, Committee Assistant—785-296-4830

3:30 p.m.

346-S

Tuesday, March 14

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB33 — Exempting all social security benefits from Kansas income tax.*Final action on:***HB2254** — *Amending the definition of land devoted to agricultural use for property tax purposes to include properties used as part of registered agritourism activities.*Wednesday, March 15

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

SB8 — Reducing penalties for the late filing of and the failure to file personal property renditions and the discovery of escaped personal property.

SB91 — Enacting the Kansas film and digital media industry production development act, providing a tax credit, sales tax exemption and loans and grants to incentivize film, video and digital media production in Kansas and establishing a program to be administered by the secretary of commerce for the purpose of developing such production in Kansas.

Final action on:

SB248 — *Providing sales tax exemptions for certain food and food ingredients and for the construction or repair of buildings used for human habitation by the Kansas state school for the blind and the Kansas state school for the deaf and repealing the state rate reduction for sales of certain food and food ingredients.*

Thursday, March 16

Request for bill introductions

Hearing on:

HCR5009 — Proposing to amend the constitution of the state of Kansas to decrease the assessed value for real property used for residential purposes to 9%.

Final action on:

SB91 — *Enacting the Kansas film and digital media industry production development act, providing a tax credit, sales tax exemption and loans and grants to incentivize film, video and digital media production in Kansas and establishing a program to be administered by the secretary of commerce for the purpose of developing such production in Kansas.*

Friday, March 17

No meeting scheduled

Transportation and Public Safety Budget

Diane Brian, Committee Assistant—785-296-2361

3:30 p.m.

118-N

Tuesday, March 14

No meeting scheduled

Wednesday, March 15

No meeting scheduled

Thursday, March 16

No meeting scheduled

Friday, March 17

No meeting scheduled

3:30 p.m.

Mon/Wed

Insurance

218-N

Insurance

Pam Maxwell, Committee Assistant—785-296-7676

3:30 p.m.

218-N

Wednesday, March 15

Final action on:

SB85 — Enacting the Kansas travel insurance act.

Elections	3:30 p.m.	Tue/Thu	218-N
	Elections		
	Dana Rooney, Committee Assistant—785-296-7357		
3:30 p.m.			218-N

Tuesday, March 14

Final action on:

SB209 — Requiring all advance voting ballots be returned by 7 p.m. on election day.

SB221 — Requiring affidavits of write-in candidacy for certain locally elected offices and providing requirements for counting write-in votes on ballots.

HB2391 — *Amending the act establishing the governmental ethics commission, relating to campaign finance, establishing a five-year statute of limitations for bringing actions before the commission, limiting the commission's subpoena power, allowing respondents to transfer a hearing before the commission to a hearing officer under the office of administrative hearings and making other changes.*

Thursday, March 16

Hearing continuation on:

HB2312 — Exempting certain political party committee treasurers from liability for certain violations under the campaign finance act.

ON CALL

Joint Committee on Information Technology **118-N**

Joint Committee on Information Technology
Gary Deeter, Committee Assistant—785-296-7451

12:00 p.m. 118-N

Wednesday, March 15

Election of officers for Calendar Year 2023

Review of Agency Quarterly Reports

Doctor of the Day

Room 480-W

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Tuesday, March 14

Doctor Lynn Fisher

Wichita

Wednesday, March 15

No volunteer scheduled

Thursday, March 16

Doctor Bethany Enoch

Pittsburg

Friday, March 17

No volunteer scheduled

SUSAN KANNARR, Chief Clerk
Connie J. Russell, Calendar Clerk