

HOUSE CALENDAR

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**House Committee Agenda  
January 19, 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 January 18 - 22, 2010**

(Not in session Monday, January 18)

<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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Tuesday, January 19

Introduction of proposed legislation

Agency presentations by:

Joan Wagnon, Secretary, Department of Revenue

Major General Tod Bunting, Adjutant General

Jim Garner, Secretary, Department of Labor

Ed Van Petten, Executive Director, Kansas Lottery

Possible action on bills previously heard

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Wednesday, January 20

Introduction of proposed legislation

Agency presentation by:

Roger Werholtz, Secretary, Department of Corrections

Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, January 21

Introduction of proposed legislation

Agency presentation by:

Steve Kelly, Deputy Secretary, Department of Commerce

Presentation by:

Kansas Policy Institute

Hearing and possible action on:

**SCR 1614** - A proposition to amend article 11 of the constitution of the State of Kansas by adding a new section thereto, concerning a budget stabilization fund in the state treasury

Possible action on bills previously heard

Friday, January 22

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Commerce and Labor**

Steve Bainum, Assistant - Ph 6-7645

9:00 a.m.

Docking Room 784

Tuesday, January 19

Meeting on call of the Chair

Wednesday, January 20

Briefing on:

Department of Labor by Secretary Jim Garner

Discussion on unemployment insurance

Bill introductions

Thursday, January 21

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Friday, January 22

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Education**

Janet Henning, Assistant - Ph 6 -7672

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9:00 a.m. Docking Room 711  
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Tuesday, January 19

Introduction by Dale Dennis, Deputy Commissioner, Kansas State Department of Education

Kansas Teacher of the Year Team

Wednesday, January 20

Presentation of Kansas Academy of Math & Science (KAMS):

Dr. Edward Hammond, President, Ft Hays State University

Leo Budy, KAMS student, Basehor, Kansas

Tyler Clark, KAMS student, St. John, Kansas

Alexis Greb-Bonham, KAMS student, Wellington, Kansas

Kathryn Schmidt, KAMS student, Atchison, Kansas

Hearing on:

**HB 2433** - State educational institutions; exemption from state purchasing law

**HB 2415** - State surplus property act; state educational institutions

Thursday, January 21

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Energy and Utilities**

Renaë Hansen, Assistant - Ph 6-7670

9:15 a.m.

Docking Room 785

Tuesday, January 19

**Room 783 Docking This Day Only**

**9:00 a.m. this day only**

Hearing on:

**HB 2423** - Concerning Kansas 911 and the collection and distribution of fees

Introduction of bills

Wednesday, January 20

Presentation on:

Smart Grid and Smart Metering

Introduction of bills

Thursday, January 21

Possible action on bills previously heard

Introduction of bills

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**Taxation**

Marla Morris, Assistant - Ph 6-4830

9:00 a.m. Docking Room 783

Wednesday, January 20

*Hearing on:*

*HB 2464 - Delinquent tax installment payment plans*

*HB 2465 - Technical adjustment of income tax credit limitations*

Thursday, January 21

*Discussion on:*

*Governor's proposal for 1% sales tax increase*

<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

**Corrections and Juvenile Justice**

Jackie Lunn, Assistant - Ph 6-7631

1:30 p.m. Room 144-S

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Tuesday, January 19

Hearing on:

**HB 2411** - Criminalizing certain synthetic cannabinoids, adding to schedule I controlled substances list

Report and recommendations of the Parole Board Oversight Interim Committee given by:

Jerry Donaldson, Legislative Research Department  
Patti Biggs, Kansas Parole Board

Wednesday, January 20

Hearing on:

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

Thursday, January 21

Hearing on:

**HB 2440** - Requiring the secretary of corrections to receive and give victim notification upon certain events while inmate is in the custody of the secretary of social and rehabilitation services

**Federal and State Affairs**

Nikki Feuerborn, Assistant - Ph 368-7166

1:30 p.m.

Room 346-S

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Tuesday January 19

Introduction of proposed legislation

Presentations by:

Dennis Johnson, regional Director of the U.S. Census Bureau  
Secretary of State, Ron Thornburg

Wednesday, January 20

Introduction of proposed legislation

Presentation by:

Thomas Groneman, Director, Alcohol and Beverage Commission

**General Government Budget**

Ellen Martinez, Assistant - Ph 6-7680

1:30 p.m.

Room 159-S

Tuesday, January 19

Meeting on call of the Chair

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Friday, January 22

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Health and Human Services**

Debbie Bartuccio, Assistant - Ph 6-7683

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

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Meeting on call of the Chair

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**Transportation**

Betty Boaz, Assistant - Ph 6-7640

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 783

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Tuesday, January 19

Introduction of bills

Hearing on:

**HB 2439** - Prohibiting sending, reading or writing text messages

Wednesday, January 20

Introduction of bills

Presentation:

Bonnie Sharp, "InsureNet - Paperless Verification of Uninsured Motorists"

Presentation:

Secretary of Transportation, Deb Miller - "Status of Transportation in Kansas"

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Possible action on bills previously heard

Thursday, January 21

Meeting on call of the Chair

**1:30 p.m.** **Monday and Wednesday**  
**Vision 2020** **Docking Room 785**

**Vision 2020**

Mary Koles, Assistant - Ph 6-7654

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 785

Wednesday, January 20

Briefings on 2009 Hearing Topics

Hearing on:

**HB 2428** - Creating the Kansas reservoir sustainability fund

Possible action on bills previously heard

**1:30 p.m.** **Tuesday and Thursday**  
**Veterans, Military, and Homeland Security** **Docking Room 785**

**Veterans, Military and Homeland Security**

Barbara Lewerenz, Assistant - Ph 6-7695

1:30 p.m.

Docking Room 785

Tuesday, January 19

Introductions and announcements

Bill introductions

Briefing:

Jack Fowler, Executive Director, Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs

Legislative update:

Corey Carnahan, Legislative Research Department

Thursday, January 21

Bill introductions

Hearing:

**SB 201** - Display of U.S. flag at half-staff for veterans killed

**3:30 p.m.** **Monday through Friday**  
**Agriculture and Natural Resources** **Docking Room 783**  
**Education Budget** **Room 159-S**

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<b>Government Efficiency and Fiscal Oversight</b>	<b>Room 546-S</b>
<b>Judiciary</b>	<b>Room 346-S</b>
<b>Social Services Budget</b>	<b>Docking Room 785</b>
<b>Transportation and Public Safety Budget</b>	<b>Room 142-S</b>

**Agriculture and Natural Resources**

Pat Matzek, Assistant - Ph 6-7694

3:30 p.m. Docking Room 783

Tuesday, January 19

Carole Jordan, Kansas Department of Commerce, Annual Report on Agriculture  
Products Development Division

Possible bill introductions

Wednesday, January 20

Greg Dennis, Kansas Veterinary Medical Association General Counsel, Presentation  
on Animal Rights and Animal Welfare Issues

Possible bill introductions

Thursday, January 21

Acting Secretary of Agriculture Joshua Svaty, Annual Presentation on the State of  
Kansas Agriculture

Possible bill introductions

**Education Budget**

Dee Heideman, Assistant - Ph 6-7681

3:30 p.m. Room 159-S

Tuesday, January 19

*No meeting scheduled*

Wednesday, January 20

*Hearing on:*

***HB 2414*** - *Authorization for Fort Hays State University to sell land*

*Presentations by:*

*Scott Frank, Audit Manager:*

*K-12 Efficiency Audits; K-12 Standardized Accounting; Special  
Education Catastrophic Funding*

*Dan Bryan, Senior Auditor:*

*Issues Related to KSHAA*

*Joe Lawhon, Principal Auditor:*

*State Universities Efficiency Audit*

Thursday, January 21

*No meeting scheduled*



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**Government Efficiency and Fiscal Oversight**

Gary Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7676

3:30 p.m.

Room 546-S

Tuesday, January 19

Bill introductions and committee discussion

Wednesday, January 20

Meeting on call of the Chair

Thursday, January 21

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Judiciary**

Sue VonFeldt, Assistant - Ph 6-5805

3:30 p.m.

Room 346-S

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Tuesday, January 19

Bill introductions

Staff briefing on DUI Commission Report

Staff briefing on:

**HB 2109** - Kansas uniform health care decisions act

Wednesday, January 20

Bill introductions

Hearings on:

**SB 310** - SRS prohibited from placing more than eight sexually violent predators in one county on transitional release or conditional release; annual report

**HB 2293** - Miki Alert: Requiring law enforcement to request local media venues to broadcast information about registered offenders

**HB 2418** - Carbon dioxide reduction act; limiting liability of the state of Kansas

Thursday, January 21

Bill introductions

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Hearings on:

**SB 223** - Emergency medical services board, authority to issue subpoenas

**SB 224** - Emergency medical services board authorized to assess civil fines

Possible action on bills previously heard

**Social Services Budget Committee**

Cyndie Rexer, Assistant - Ph 6-7685

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 785

Tuesday, January 19

*Introduction of proposed legislation*

Roundtable discussion regarding substantive policy changes to save funds and better business strategies-

Conferees to include:

Cathy Harding - safety net clinics

Connie Hubbell - safety net clinics

Cindy Luxem - for-profit nursing homes

Stuart Little - substance abuse and community corrections

*Bill Persinger- mental health*

Matt Fletcher - developmental disabilities

Rick Cagan - mental health advocacy

Jane Adams - child and family advocacy

Elaine Schwartz - public health

*Shannon Jones - independent living*

*Robin Clements - public solutions*

*Mary Ellen Conlee - Via Christi*

*Craig Kaberline - aging*

*Rocky Nichols - disability rights*

*Paul Johnson - Catholic Services*

*Maury Thompson - developmental support*

*Richard Shank - disabled*

*Debra Zehr - long term care*

Wednesday, January 20

*No meeting Scheduled*

Thursday, January 21

*Introduction of proposed legislation*

*Briefing by:*

*Doug Farmer, Deputy Director, Kansas Health Policy Authority on impact from the 10 percent Medicaid cut*

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**Transportation and Public Safety Budget**

Gina Bowes, Assistant - Ph 6-7639

3:30 p.m.

Room 142-S

**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, January 20

Meeting on call of the Chair

**Elections**

Florence Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-1754

3:30 p.m.

Room 144-S

Wednesday, January 20

Legislative Research Staff - update on bills in committee

**Financial Institutions**

Joyce Bishop, Assistant - Ph 6-7679

3:30 p.m.

Docking Room 784

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Wednesday, January 20

Presentations by:

Thomas Thull, Commissioner, State Banking Commission  
Doug Wareham, Sr. Vice President, Kansas Bankers Association  
Matthew Goddard, Vice President, Heartland Community Bankers Association  
John P. Smith, Administrator, Department of Credit Unions  
Haley Davee, Director, State Legislative & Public Affairs, Kansas Credit Union Association

Possible introduction of bills

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**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

Tuesday, January 19

Continuation of discussions on impact of Governor's November allotments on Medicaid programs

Thursday, January 21

Discussion of national report concerning services to those with cerebral palsy

**Insurance**

Sue Fowler, Assistant - Ph 6-7684

3:30 p.m.

Room 152-S

Tuesday, January 19

Committee member and staff introductions

Introduction of Bills

Presentation by Kansas Department of Insurance Commissioner Sandy Praeger

Thursday, January 21

Joint meeting with Senate Financial Institutions and Insurance Committee

Overview on the use of Credit Scoring information by insurance companies

**Local Government**

Carol Bertram, Assistant - Ph 6-7637

3:30 p.m.

Room 144-S

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Meeting on call of the Chair

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Meeting on call of the Chair

**Select, On Call and Joint Committees**

**Joint Committee on State Building Construction**  
**Noon Gary Deeter, Assistant - Ph 6-7676 Room 144-S**

Wednesday, January 20

Election of officers

Leases and Change Orders

Review of proposed sale of property at Fort Hays State University

Regents Deferred Maintenance Quarterly Report

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**Doctor of the Day**  
Phone 296-7397 Pager 231-3434 Room540-E

Tuesday, January 19

Doctor Jennifer Brull, Plainville, Kansas

Wednesday, January 20

Doctor Sheryl Beard, Andover, Kansas

Thursday, January 21

Doctor Ron Brown, Wichita, Kansas

Friday, January 22

Doctor Joe Davison, Wichita, Kansas

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