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as of Aug. 22, 2011

Economic Affairs Interim Committee August 23, 2011, Room 137, State Capitol

Agenda

*All times are tentative. An issue may be discussed earlier or later than listed.
Questions from the Committee are included in the timeframes provided.*

- 9:00 a.m. Call to order. Roll Call. **Committee Action** on Minutes from June 2011 meeting
- 9:10 a.m. Panel Discussion: Medicaid, Indian Health Service Interface with Health Insurance Exchange
-Linda Snedigar, Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services
-Kevin Howlett, Tribal Health Director, Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes
- 10:00 a.m. Health Insurance Exchange Updates: Federal Exchange and Montana Options
--Marguerite Salazar, Department of Health and Human Services Regional Director, plus
- Joel Ario, Director of the Office of Health Insurance Exchanges with the Centers for
Consumer Information and Insurance
Questions
- 11:00 a.m. Public Comment
- 11:15 a.m. Department of Livestock Update, including New Brucellosis Review Area
Christian Mackay, Executive Officer
- 12:15 p.m. Lunch
- 1:30 p.m. HB525 Review of the Board of Pharmacy
Board Representative: Mike Bertagnolli, RPh
- 2:00 p.m. Public Comment on Board of Pharmacy, followed by **Committee action** on board necessity
- 2:30 p.m. HB525 Review of the Board of Dentistry
Board Representatives: Dale Chamberlain, DDS, George Johnston, DDS, and Cliff
Christenot, LD
- 3:00 p.m. Public Comment on Board of Dentistry, followed by **Committee action** on board necessity
Colleen Grass, Montana Dental Hygienists' Association
Dr. Rob Neill, Montana Dental Association
Allen Casteel, Denturist Association of Montana
Others
- 3:30 p.m. Overview of State Agricultural Prospects Post-Floods, Post-Oil Spill plus Department Update
Ron de Yong, Director, Montana Department of Agriculture
- 4:15 p.m. Rule Review -- Bart Campbell, EAIC staff attorney
- 4:30 p.m. Public comment on any issue not on the agenda but under the committee's purview.
Recess until Aug. 24 (agenda opposite page).



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- 8:30 a.m. Panel Discussion of SJR 15 Study on Agricultural Bonding
Greg Thayer, Montana Grain Elevator Association
Jeff Van Pevenage, Columbia Grain Inc. (grain trading organization)
Lochiel Edwards, Montana Grain Growers Association, Big Sandy grain grower
Chris Christiaens, Montana Farmers' Union
John Youngberg, Montana Farm Bureau Services
Cort Jensen, Montana Department of Agriculture
- Public Comment on SJR 15
- 9:45 a.m. Work Plan Discussion.
The committee discussion may include reviews of:
*HB 142 scope regarding advisory council and report reviews - Pat Murdo, staff
*Eminent Domain - Sonja Nowakowski, Legislative Services
*Budget options (Governors' Conference on Workers' Compensation) - Pat Murdo, staff
- Committee action** to adopt remainder of work plan.
- 11:45 a.m. Report of legislative liaisons regarding Montana State Fund Board meeting of June 17th
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch
- 1:15 p.m. HB525 Review of Board of Chiropractors, followed by **Committee action** on board necessity
Board Representative: John Sando, DC
- 1:45 p.m. Public Comment on Board of Chiropractors
- 2:15 p.m. HB525 Review of Board of Veterinary Medicine
Board Representatives: Barbara Calm, DVM, Board President
Kim Baker, Board Vice President and public member
Jean Lindley, DVM, Board Secretary
- 2:45 p.m. Public Comment on Board of Veterinary Medicine, followed by **Committee action** on board necessity
- 3:15 p.m. Public comment on any other issue under the committee's purview
- 3:30 p.m. Directions to staff. Adjourn.

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