

Law and Justice Interim Committee  
 Work Plan Meeting Chart  
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	Sept. 21, 2017	Nov. 15-16, 2017	Jan. 29-30, 2018	March 19-20, 2018	May 21, 2018	July 16, 2018	Sept. 11, 2018
Specific Statutory Duties		MEETING CANCELED		Held in Billings			
Monitor agency operations and liaise with Judicial Branch	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Continue agency introductions from Judicial Branch, OPD, BOPP, and POST</li> <li>* Update from DOJ and LSD staff on Real ID</li> <li>* Meet new Corrections director and update from DOC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Updates from agencies as requested by LJIC</li> <li>* Presentation from Access to Justice Commission (Supreme Court)</li> <li>* Update from BOCC, including data</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Updates from agencies as requested by LJIC</li> <li>* District Court workload update and child abuse diversion pilot project update</li> <li>* Items from canceled Nov. meeting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Updates from agencies as requested by LJIC</li> <li>* DOC update</li> <li>* Tour state corrections facilities, local detention facilities, court hearings as possible</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Updates from agencies as requested by LJIC</li> <li>* <i>Data presentation from Crime Control</i></li> <li>* <i>Meet new director of OPD(?)</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Updates from agencies as requested by LJIC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Updates from agencies as requested by LJIC</li> </ul>
Administrative rule review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Rule review duties, report from legal staff</li> <li>* Report from BOPP on required rule review</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Rules report from legal staff</li> <li>* Update from BOPP as requested by LJIC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Rules report from legal staff</li> <li>* Update from BOPP as requested by LJIC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Rules report from legal staff</li> <li>* Update from BOPP as requested by LJIC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Rules report from legal staff</li> <li>* Update from BOPP as requested by LJIC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Rules report from legal staff</li> <li>* Update from BOPP as requested by LJIC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Final rules report from legal staff</li> <li>* Update from BOPP as requested by LJIC</li> </ul>

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Review/request agency legislative proposals						* Review of agency legislative proposals; determine whether to request drafts on behalf of agencies	* Final opportunity for agencies to submit proposals for early drafting
Receive/review required reports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Public Safety Communication System report (DOJ)</li> <li>* Commission update; holistic defense reports (OPD)</li> <li>* Child abuse diversion court report (OCA)</li> <li>* BOCC transition and Crim. Just. Oversight Council (DOC)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Domestic Vio. Fatality Review Commission report (DOJ)</li> <li>* BOCC restorative justice report</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* BOCC transition to DOC report (DOC)</li> <li>* Justice reinvestment impacts report (DOC)</li> <li>* Items from canceled Nov. meeting</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* <i>Reentry Task Force report (DOC)</i></li> <li>* <i>Child abuse diversion court report; Youth out-of-home placements report (OCA)</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* <i>Public Safety Communication System report; False Claims Act (DOJ)</i></li> <li>* <i>Justice reinvestment impacts report (or Sept.); BOCC transition; MIIG report (DOC)</i></li> </ul>	

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Advisory councils, commissions	* Receive initial report on councils, commissions, and reports  * Further review if requested by an LJIC member	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member	* Further review if requested by an LJIC member
Interim Study Assignments							
HJ 6: study meth/opioid abuse	* Update from AG's staff  * Revise/adopt study outline	* Update from AG's staff  * Update from LJIC members or staff attending AID Montana Summit	* Update from AG's staff  * Option for panels	* Update from AG's staff  * Option for panels  * Develop recommendations as needed	* Update from AG's staff  * Option for panels  * Revise any recommendations	* Update from AG's staff  * Option for panels  * Revise any recommendations	* Update from AG's staff  * Adopt any recommendations  * Finalize any legislation and assign sponsors
SJ 25: study solitary confinement	* Receive background papers, hear initial speaker  * Revise/adopt study plan	* Continue background presentations  * Select additional topics for further information	* Items from canceled Nov. meeting  * Begin to narrow focus, as possible	* Continue to narrow options  * Begin to formulate recommendations, if any	* Continue to formulate recommendations  * Select initial topics for study report	* Revise any recommendations or legislation, as needed  * Review draft of study report	* Adopt any recommendations  * Finalize study report and assign bill sponsors, if any

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Member and Emerging Issues							
PREA updates		* Initial staff paper and DOC update	* Initial staff paper and DOC update				
Budget issues		* Agency staff updates as necessary	* Agency staff updates as necessary				
SJ 3 updates					* Staff and legislator updates		
Marsy's Law updates			* Staff paper on status		* Panel discussion of possible statutory changes(?)		
1855 treaty between tribes and the US obligation to provide law enforcement in Indian Country: does the state have an obligation and update on SB 310 from 2017		* Generate questions for presenters	* Panel on jurisdiction and PL 280  * Receive materials provided to State-Tribal Relations Committee and to LJIC in 2015-2016  * Receive copy of SB 310				

Acronyms:

BOPP = Board of Pardons and Parole

BOCC = Board of Crime Control

DOC = Department of Corrections

DOJ = Department of Justice

LJIC = Law and Justice Interim Committee

LSD = Legislative Services Division

OPD = Office of State Public Defender

POST = Public Safety Officers Standards and Training Council