



# State Administration and Veterans' Affairs Interim Committee

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## MEETING AGENDA

*As of 10/11/2022*

### SAVA Meeting #8 – Wednesday, October 26, 2022

Room 102, Capitol Building, Helena

*Please note, all times are approximate. Some agenda items may take more or less time than scheduled.*

- Noon**      **Call to Order | Roll Call | Overview of Agenda [TAB 1]**
- Senator Janet Ellis, Presiding Officer
- 12:05 p.m.**      **MACo Elections Workgroup Update [TAB 2]**
- Update – Regina Plettenberg, Montana Association of Clerk & Records/Election Administrators (MACR); Eric Bryson, Montana Association of Counties (MACo)
  - Committee Questions & Discussion
- 12:25 p.m.**      **Signature Verification Overview & Training**
- Overview & Training – Stuart Fuller, Elections and Voter Services Manager, Office of the Secretary of State; Monica Eisenzimer, Flathead County Clerk & Recorder and Election Office Manager
  - Committee Questions & Discussion
- 12:45 p.m.**      **SJ 35: Interim Study of DPHHS Procurement Procedures [TAB 3]**
- SJ 35 Final Report – Rebecca Power, Research Analyst
  - Committee Questions & Discussion
  - Public Comment\* on SJ 35 Final Report
  - Additional Committee Discussion, Potential Committee Action, & Instructions to Staff
- 1:05 p.m.**      **Public Comment\* on Any Topic under the Committee's Jurisdiction**
- 1:10 p.m.**      **BREAK**
- 1:20 p.m.**      **2022 Actuarial Valuation Presentations & FY22 Green Sheets [TAB 4]**
- TRS Valuation Results – Shawn Graham, TRS Executive Director
  - MPERA Valuation Results – Dore Schwinden, MPERA Executive Director; William Holahan, MPERA Deputy Director

- FY22 Green Sheets – Rebecca Power, Research Analyst
- Committee Questions & Discussion (*after each presentation*)
- Public Comment\* on 2022 Actuarial Valuation Results & Green Sheets
- Additional Committee Discussion, Potential Committee Action, & Instructions to Staff

**3:10 p.m.      BREAK**

**3:20 p.m.      Committee Bill Drafts – Pensions [TAB 5]**

- Committee Bill Drafts – Rebecca Power, Research Analyst
  - PD002 – Public Safety Systems
  - PD003 – Pension Benefit Policy Statement
  - PD004 – Study Resolution
    - Working Group Amendment
- Committee Questions & Discussion (*after each bill draft presentation*)
- Public Comment\* on Committee Bill Drafts
- Additional Committee Discussion, Potential Committee Action, & Instructions to Staff

**4:25 p.m.      HJ 8: Interim Study of MT's Public Pension Systems [TAB 6]**

- HJ 8 Final Report/Legislator's Guide to Montana's Public Retirement Systems – Rebecca Power, Research Analyst
- Committee Questions & Discussion
- Public Comment\* on HJ 8 Final Report
- Additional Committee Discussion, Potential Committee Action, & Instructions to Staff

**4:55 p.m.      Meeting Wrap Up & Adjournment**

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