

65th LEGISLATIVE SESSION - 2017

**LONG-RANGE PLANNING SCHEDULE
(DRAFT-SUBJECT TO CHANGE)**

APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE

As of February 7, 2017

Representative Mike Cuffe (R) - Chairman
Representative Rae Peppers (D)
Representative Mike Hopkins (R)

Senator Cary Smith (R) - Vice-chairman
Senator Jon Sesso (D)
Senator Jeffrey Welborn (R)

Room: 317B

Usual Time: 8:30 AM – 12:00 Noon (except as noted)

Secretary:

Crystal Bridges (Ext. 7353)

LFD Staff:

Cathy Duncan (Ext. 4580)

OBPP Representative:

Christine Hultin-Brus (Ext. 3169)

Schedule items are approximate. Schedules for executive action are designated in **BOLD**.
Some items may take more or less time than allotted and the overall schedule is subject to change.
Check this schedule often for the latest updates.

Day	Weekday	Date	Tentative Schedule - Topic / Agency	Bill Sponsor
1	Mon	01/02	No Subcommittee	
2	Tues	01/03	No Subcommittee	
3	Wed	01/04	No Subcommittee	
4	Thur	01/05	No Subcommittee	
5	Fri	01/06	LRP Subcommittee Chair Discussion/ Rules / Schedule LRP Overview Bond Issue Primer	
6	Mon	01/9	No Subcommittee	
7	Tues	01/10	No Subcommittee	
8	Wed	01/11	No Subcommittee	
9	Thur	01/12	Hearing – HB 6, HB 8, HB 7 Renewable Resource Grants and Loans (RRGL) and Reclamation and Development Grants (RDGP) Open bills, program introductions and updates, projects, and appropriations	Rep. Jim Keane
10	Fri	01/13	Hearing – HB 11 Treasure State Endowment Program (TSEP) Open bill, program introduction, appropriations Close bill hearing Hearing HB 14 - Open bill Non-program specific testimony / Proponents / Opponents	Rep. Jim Keane
11	Mon	01/16	AIS- joint meeting with Sec C – 317B and 317C Hearing – HB 14 TSEP Bridge Projects / heard in ranked order	
12	Tues	01/17	Hearing – HB 14 TSEP Infrastructure Projects – all projects without RRGL / projects heard in ranked order / TSEP and RRGL combined funding projects	
13	Wed	01/18	Hearing – HB 14 TSEP and RRGL combined funding projects (continued) / RRGL projects – drinking water and waste water – hearings in ranked order	
14	Thur	01/19	Hearing – HB 14 RRGL projects / drinking water, waste water, water management – hearings in ranked order by project type	
15	Fri	01/20	Hearing – HB 14 RRGL projects / irrigation projects - hearings in raked order by project type	
16	Mon	01/23	Hearing – HB 14 RDGP projects – all projects heard in rank order	
17	Tues	01/24	Hearing – HB 14 Quality Schools Grants Program (quality schools) Program introductions, updates, projects, and appropriations / quality schools projects heard in rank order	
18	Wed	01/25	Hearing – HB 14 Quality Schools / any remaining projects heard in rank order *NEW* TSEP Regional Water Program Hearing	
19	Thur	01/26	Hearing – HB 14 Montana Community Grants and Loans (MCGL) Program introductions and rules	

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20	Fri	01/27	Hearing – HB 14 Long-Range Building Program (LRBP) bonded program Close HB 14 hearings	
21	Mon	01/30	Hearing – HB 5 LRBP – cash program Open bill, program introduction and updates, and cash funded project hearings	Rep. Jim Keane
22	Tues	01/31	Hearing – HB 5 FWP program introduction and updates, projects / State Building Energy Conservation Program (SBCEP) projects	
23	Wed	02/01	Hearing – HB 9 Cultural and Aesthetic Grants Program (C&A) Program introductions, rules, projects, and appropriations	Rep. Tom Woods
24	Thur	02/02	Discussions / Awareness Building of Related Legislation (not-hearings, only discussion as related to LRP budgets) SB 88 – Build Montana Trust SB 43 – State Building Inventory and Facility Assessment (Sen. Jon Sesso)	
25	Fri	02/03	Day off	
26	Mon	02/06	Day off	
27	Tues	02/07	LRP Work Day – as needed	
28	Wed	02/08	LRP Work Day	
29	Thur	02/09	Executive Action LRP bills – HB 5, HB 6, HB 7, HB 8, HB 9, HB 11, HB 14	
30	Fri	02/10	Executive Action LRP bills – (of those not completed) HB 5, HB 6, HB 7, HB 8, HB 9, HB 11, HB 14	
31	Mon	02/13		
32	Tues	02/14		
33	Wed	02/15		
34	Thur	02/16		
35	Fri	02/17	Section F tie-up as needed – to be determined	
37	Mon	02/20		
38	Tues	02/21		
39	Wed	02/22		

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