

2019-2020 Session

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House Committee on Appropriations

(Room 42)

The House Committee on Appropriations considers matters relating to appropriating money from the state treasury.

Previous Meetings - Full Report

Wednesday, January 9, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

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| 10:00 AM | House Convenes
<i>2019 Biennial Session Begins
Roll Call of Members, Speaker & Clerk Elections, Oath of Office Administered</i> |
| 1:30 PM | House Reconvenes
<i>New Member Seating, Election of Canvassing Committee</i> |
| 3:00 PM | Committee Organization
<i>Introductions, Chairs Welcome, Election of Clerk, Budget Assignments.</i> |
| 4:15 PM | Committee Discussion
<i>Review of Reports and Next Day's Agenda</i> |
| 4:30 PM | Adjourn |

Thursday, January 10, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:30 AM** **House Convenes**
- 10:00 AM** **Joint Assembly**
Results from Canvassing Committee
- 11:00 AM** **Sexual Harassment Prevention Training**
Immediately following the Joint Assembly
- 1:30 PM** **Joint Assembly**
Oath of Office for Statewide Office Holders and the Governor's Inaugural Address
- 3:00 PM** **Fiscal Update**
Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
- 4:00 PM** **Committee Discussion**
Updates: Reports, Agenda, Members Questions
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Friday, January 11, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **Governor's Proposed Budget Adjustment**
FY 2019 - Overview
Richard Donahey, Director of Budget and Management Operations, Department of Finance & Management
Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management
Matt Riven, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management
- 9:30 AM** **House Convenes**

- 10:00 AM Security Training**
House Chamber
- 11:00 AM Governor's Proposed Budget Adjustment**
FY 2019 - Human Services Overview
Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services
Al Gobeille, Secretary, Agency of Human Services
- 12:15 PM Recess for Lunch**
- 1:15 PM General Economic Cycle Discussion and the Impact of the Federal Shutdown**
Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
- 2:30 PM Committee Discussion**
Updates: Reports, Agenda, Member Questions, Other
- 3:00 PM Adjourn**

Monday, January 14, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 10:00 AM Informational Meeting**
Substance Use and CHINS Package
Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services
- 11:00 AM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**
Human Services - DVHA
Michael Costa, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)
Cory Gustafson, Commissioner, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

12:00 PM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**

Human Services - DCF

Sean Brown, Deputy Commissioner, Economic Services Division, Department for Children and Families

Brian Evans, Financial Director, Department for Children and Families

Kenneth Schatz, Commissioner, Department for Children and Families

Karen Shea, Deputy Commissioner, Family Services Division, Department for Children and Families

2:30 PM **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**

Human Services - DMH

Mourning Fox, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Mental Health

Selina Hickman, Director of Policy and Planning, Department of Mental Health

Sarah Squirrel, Commissioner, Department of Mental Health

Shannon Thompson, Financial Director, Department of Mental Health

3:30 PM **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**

Human Services - Health Department

Paul Daley, Financial Director, Vermont Department of Health

Mark Levine, Commissioner, Vermont Department of Health

Anna Swenson, Financial Manager, Vermont Department of Health

4:25 PM **Committee Discussion**

Updates and Questions

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Tuesday, January 15, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Human Services - Corrections

Matt D'Agostino, Financial Officer, Department of Corrections

Michael Touchette, Commissioner, Department of Corrections

9:45 AM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Review of Language

Richard Donahey, Director of Budget and Management Operations, Department of
Finance & Management

Matt Riven, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

**Upon floor
adjournment** **Caucuses & Lunch**

1:00 PM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Committee Discussion - Structuring Testimony

2:00 PM OPEB Internal Loan

Beth Pearce, State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer

2:30 PM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

General Education

Emily Byrne, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Education

Daniel French, Secretary, Agency of Education

3:00 PM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

3:20 PM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Committee Discussion

4:00 PM Committee Discussion

Reports, Agenda, and Questions

4:30 PM Adjourn

Wednesday, January 16, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**
Human Services - DAIL
Monica Caserta Hutt, Commissioner, Department of Disabilities, Aging and Independent Living
- 9:30 AM** **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**
Protection to Persons & Property
Thomas D. Anderson, Commissioner, Department of Public Safety
- 10:15 AM** **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**
General Government - Tax Dept.
Doug Farnham, Senior Research Economist and the Director of Policy, Department of Taxes
- 11:00 AM** **TBA**
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **House Convenes**
Resolution honoring Rep. Condon
- 1:45 PM** **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**
Protection to Persons & Property - Judiciary
Patricia Gabel, State Court Administrator, Court Administrator's Office
- 2:45 PM** **Recess for Break**
Move to Room 11
- 3:00 PM** **Joint Meeting**
w/House Committee on Energy & Technology
A Review of the Integrated Eligibility Project -- ROOM 11

Thani Boskailo, Director of Eligibility and Enrollment, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

Sean Brown, Deputy Commissioner, Economic Services Division, Department for Children and Families

Mark Combs, Chief Technology Officer, Agency of Digital Services

Genevieve Gaudet, Program Manager, NAVA

Cassandra Madison, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Vermont Health Access

4:15 PM Committee Discussion

Reports, Agenda and Questions

4:30 PM Adjourn

Thursday, January 17, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM Informational Meeting

State Auditor's Reports and Concerns

Doug Hoffer, State Auditor, State Auditor's Office

10:00 AM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Spending Plan - Workforce for Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Mental Health Professionals

Patricia Prelock, Dean of the College of Nursing and Health Sciences, University of Vermont

10:45 AM Recess for Break

11:00 AM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Transportation

Joe Flynn, Secretary of Transportation, Agency of Transportation

Lenny Leblanc, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Transportation

11:45 AM Recess for Lunch

1:00 PM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Grants & Waiver Language

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Al Gobeille, Secretary, Agency of Human Services

After House Floor Decorum Training

House Floor

2:00 PM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Spending Plan - Workforce for Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Mental Health Professionals

Nolan Atkins, Provost, Northern Vermont University

2:45 PM Recess for Break

3:00 PM Informational Meeting

Classification and Compensation System Status Report

Beth Fastiggi, Commissioner, Department of Human Resources

Aimee Pope, Classification Manager, Department of Human Resources

4:15 PM Committee Discussion

Agenda, Reports and Questions

4:30 PM Adjourn

Friday, January 18, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM iPad Training

Brandon Dyer, User Support Specialist, Office of Legislative Counsel

9:00 AM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

9:30 AM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Committee Report - Military

Rep. Peter J. Fagan

Rep. Robert Helm

9:45 AM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Committee Discussion

11:45 AM Recess for Lunch

1:00 PM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

SCHRF

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

1:30 PM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Committee Discussion

2:45 PM Committee Discussion

Agenda, Reports, and Questions

3:00 PM Adjourn

Tuesday, January 22, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Public Hearing -- ROOM 10

10:00 AM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

House Ways & Means Committee Letter

Rep. Janet Ancel, Chair, House Committee on Ways and Means

10:10 AM iPad Training

Brandon Dyer, User Support Specialist, Office of Legislative Counsel

**After House Floor
Adjourns**

Caucuses and Lunch

1:00 PM Emergency Board Meeting

Governor's Ceremonial Office

2:30 PM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

Matt Riven, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

3:45 PM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Language

Jennifer Carbee, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

4:10 PM January 2019 Consensus Revenue Forecast Review

Tom Kavet, Legislature's Economist, Kavet, Rockler & Associates, LLC

4:45 PM Committee Discussion

Review Reports and Agenda

5:00 PM Adjourn

Wednesday, January 23, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:15 AM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Members' Comments

Rep. Peter Anthony, Barre City
Rep. Mary Sullivan, Burlington

- 10:00 AM** **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**
Beth Pearce, State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer
Susanne Young, Secretary of Administration, Agency of Administration
- 10:45 AM** **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**
School Safety and Security Grant Program
Erica Bornemann, Director, Emergency Management & Homeland Security
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**
Committee Discussion
- 4:00 PM** **Committee Discussion**
Review Reports and Agenda
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**

Thursday, January 24, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:30 AM** **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**
Committee Discussion
- 1:00 PM** **House Convenes**
- 2:00 PM** **Joint Assembly - Governor's Budget Address**
- After Jt Assembly adjourns** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Review of the Governor's Proposal

Richard Donahey, Director of Budget and Management Operations, Department of Finance & Management

Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

Matt Riven, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

Susanne Young, Secretary of Administration, Agency of Administration

4:05 PM Committee Discussion

Review Reports and Agenda

4:30 PM Adjourn

Friday, January 25, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM Committee Discussion

Outline Committee Testimony

9:30 AM Informational Meeting

Reviewing Budgets

Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

10:30 AM Committee Discussion

Federal Shutdown Letter

12:00 PM Adjourn

Monday, January 28, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 10:00 AM** **Committee Discussion**
Shutdown Letter; Budget Review Process; Other
- 11:15 AM** **iPad Training**
- 12:00 PM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
Richard Gauthier, Executive Director, VT Criminal Justice Training Council
- 2:15 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Budget Language Review
Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management
- 3:15 PM** **Committee Discussion**
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Tuesday, January 29, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Government
Doug Hoffer, State Auditor, State Auditor's Office
- 9:15 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Government
Tim Noonan, Executive Director, Labor Relations Board
- 10:15 AM** **Committee Discussion**

**After House
Adjourns**

Caucus of the Whole

*H.97 - FY19 Budget Adjustment Act
Well of the House*

1:00 PM

H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

\$8.6 million in Savings

Matt Riven, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

2:00 PM

H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property

Matthew Valerio, Defender General, Defender General's Office

3:00 PM

H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property?

Patrick Delaney, Commissioner, Department of Liquor and Lottery

4:15 PM

Committee Discussion

Reports, Agenda Updates, and Questions

4:30 PM

Adjourn

Wednesday, January 30, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM

H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Higher Education

Jeb Spaulding, Chancellor, Vermont State Colleges

10:15 AM

Committee Discussion

11:15 AM

H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

General Government

Carolyn Desche, Director, VOSHA Review Board

- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **House Convenes**
H.97- Budget Adjustment Act -- 2nd Reading
- 2:30 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
June Tierney, Commissioner, Department of Public Service
- 3:30 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
Michael Pieciak, Commissioner, Department of Financial Regulation
- 4:15 PM** **Committee Discussion**
Reports, Agenda Updates and Questions
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**

Thursday, January 31, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Human Services
Al Gobeille, Secretary, Agency of Human Services
- 11:00 AM** **Recess for Lunch and Budget Meetings**
- 1:00 PM** **House Convenes**
H.97 - FY19 Budget Adjustment Act - 3rd Reading

- 2:30 PM** **Committee Discussion**
- 4:15 PM** **Committee Discussion**
Reports, Agenda Updates and Questions
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Friday, February 1, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Government
John Quinn, Secretary, Agency of Digital Services
Kate Slocum, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Digital Services
- 10:00 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Government
Beth Fastiggi, Commissioner, Department of Human Resources
Dan Pouliot, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Human Resources
Harold Schwartz, Director of HR Operations, Department of Human Resources
- 11:00 AM** **Recess for Break**
- 11:15 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Government
David Zuckerman, Vermont Lieutenant Governor
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Government
Craig Bolio, Deputy Commissioner, VT Department of Taxes
Kaj Samsom, Commissioner, Department of Taxes

- 1:45 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Government - Agency of Administration
Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management
- 2:00 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Government
Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management
- 2:45 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Government - Executive Office (Governor)
Jason Gibbs, Chief of Staff, Office of the Governor
- 3:15 PM** **Committee Discussion**
Reports, Agenda Updates and Questions
- 3:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Monday, February 4, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
Brenda Chamberlain, Business Manager, Public Utility Commission
Anthony Roisman, Chair, Public Utility Commission
- 10:15 AM** **Committee Discussion**
- 10:45 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
Alyson Eastman, Deputy Secretary, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets
Marcey Hodgdon, Finance Director, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets

11:45 AM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Human Services

Sean Brown, Deputy Commissioner, Economic Services Division, Department for Children and Families

Brian Evans, Financial Director, Department for Children and Families

Reeva Sullivan Murphy, Deputy Commissioner, Division of Child Development, Department for Children and Families

Ken Schatz, Commissioner, Department for Children and Families

Karen Shea, Deputy Commissioner, Family Services Division, Department for Children and Families

3:00 PM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

General Government

Jason Broughton, Interim State Librarian, Department of Libraries

4:15 PM **Committee Discussion**

Reports, Agenda and Questions

4:00 PM **Adjourn**

Tuesday, February 5, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Human Services

Susan Barrett, Executive Director, Green Mountain Care Board

Kevin Mullin, Chair, Green Mountain Care Board

10:00 AM **Committee Discussion**

10:30 AM **Caucuses**

1:00 PM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Human Services

Michael Costa, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

Cory Gustafson, Commissioner, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

Lisa Schilling, Financial Director, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

4:15 PM **Committee Discussion**

Reports, Agenda & Questions

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Wednesday, February 6, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Protection to Persons & Property

Maj Gen Steven Cray, Adjutant General, Vermont National Guard

Ken Gragg, Deputy Adjutant General, Military Department

10:15 AM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Human Services

Camille George, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Disabilities, Aging & Independent Living

Monica Caserta Hutt, Commissioner, Department of Disabilities, Aging and Independent Living

Bill Kelly, Chief Financial Officer, Department of Disabilities, Aging & Independent Living

11:45 AM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **House Convenes**

Thursday, February 7, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property

Carol Brochu, Financial Manager, Center for Crime Victim Services

Chris Fenno, Executive Director, Center for Crime Victim Services

9:30 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Human Services

Paul Daley, Financial Director, Vermont Department of Health

Tracy Dolan, Deputy Commissioner, Vermont Department of Health

Mark Levine, Commissioner, Vermont Department of Health

11:00 AM Recess for Lunch and Budget Meetings

1:00 PM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property

Patricia Gabel, State Court Administrator, Court Administrator's Office

Gregg Mousley, Chief of Finance and Administration, Vermont Judiciary

2:30 PM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property

Bor Yang, Executive Director, VT Human Rights Commission

3:15 PM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property

James Condos, Vermont Secretary of State

Chris Winters, Deputy Secretary, Secretary of State's Office

4:15 PM Committee Discussion

Reports, Agenda & Questions

4:30 PM Adjourn

Friday, February 8, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
TBA
- 10:00 AM** **H.173 - An act relating to making clarifications to the State's grant acceptance process**
Dan Dickerson, Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
Matt Riven, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management
Rebecca Wasserman, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 11:00 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Human Services
Cary Brown, Executive Director, Vermont Commission on Women
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Higher Education
Scott Giles, President, Vermont Student Assistance Corporation
Tom Little, General Counsel, VSAC
- 1:45 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Natural Resources
Diane Snelling, Chair, Natural Resources Board
- 2:30 PM** **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**
Senate Proposal of Amendment
Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
- 3:15 PM** **Committee Discussion**
Reports, Agenda & Questions

Monday, February 11, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Human Services

Mourning Fox, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Mental Health
Sarah Squirrel, Commissioner, Department of Mental Health
Shannon Thompson, Financial Director, Department of Mental Health

11:45 AM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **Informational Meeting**

MCO Investments 101 including Medicaid & Out-year Pressures

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services
Al Gobeille, Secretary, Agency of Human Services

2:30 PM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Protection to Persons & Property

Barbara Bernardini, Fiscal Manager, Department of State's, Sheriff's and Special Investigative Units
John Campbell, Executive Director, Department of State's, Sheriff's and Special Investigative Units
Sarah George, Deputy State's Attorney, Chittenden County
Roger Marcoux, Sheriff, Lamoille County Sheriff's Department
Erica Marthage, State's Attorney, Bennington County
Marc Metayer, SIU Grants Program Manager, Department of State's, Sheriff's and Special Investigative Units
Annie Noonan, Labor Relations Manager, State's Attorneys and Sheriffs Association

4:00 PM **Committee Discussion**

Reports, Agenda & Members Questions

4:30 PM Adjourn

Tuesday, February 12, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
Barb Neal, Executive Director, Enhanced 9-1-1 Board
- 9:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Higher Education
Thomas Sullivan, President, University of Vermont
- 10:30 AM** **Caucuses**
- 1:00 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Human Services
Matt D'Agostino, Financial Officer, Department of Corrections
Michael Touchette, Commissioner, Department of Corrections
Monica Weeber, Director of Administrative Services, Department of Corrections
- 2:30 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Education
Heather Bouchey, Deputy Secretary, Agency of Education
Daniel French, Secretary, Agency of Education
- 4:00 PM** **Committee Discussion**
Reports, Agenda & Member Questions
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Wednesday, February 13, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Natural Resources

Steve Chadwick, Director of Management Services, Agency of Natural Resources

Julie Moore, Secretary, Agency of Natural Resources

9:45 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Natural Resources

Steve Gomez, Business Manager, Department of Fish and Wildlife

Louis Porter, Commissioner, Department of Fish and Wildlife

10:25 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Natural Resources

Emily Boedecker, Commissioner, Department of Environmental Conservation

Tracy LaFrance, Financial Administrator, Department of Environmental Conservation

11:05 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Natural Resources

Kristin Freeman, Business Manager, Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation

Michael Snyder, Commissioner, Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation

Peter Walke, Deputy Secretary, Agency of Natural Resources

11:45 AM Recess for Lunch

1:00 PM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property

Thomas D. Anderson, Commissioner, Department of Public Safety

Lt. Col. Matt Birmingham, Director, Vermont State Police

Joanne Chadwick, Director Of Administration, Department of Public Safety

Christopher Herrick, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Public Safety

2:30 PM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Commerce

Ted Brady, Deputy Commissioner, Agency of Commerce and Community Development
Joan Goldstein, Commissioner, Department of Economic Development, Agency of
Commerce and Community Development
Josh Hanford, Acting Commissioner, Department of Housing and Community
Development
Wendy Knight, Commissioner, Department of Tourism and Marketing, Agency of
Commerce and Community Development
Michael Schirling, Secretary, Agency of Commerce and Community Development
Kathy Thayer-Gosselin, Financial Director, Agency of Commerce and Community
Development

4:15 PM Committee Discussion

Reports, Agenda and Members Questions

4:30 PM Adjourn

Thursday, February 14, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Commerce

Gus Seelig, Executive Director, Vermont Housing & Conservation Board

9:30 AM H.85 - An act relating to increasing the personal needs allowance for certain nursing home residents

As Amended by House Committee on Human Services

Rep. Sandy Haas, Reporter, House Committee On Human Services

10:00 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

2018 Annual Report - Blueprint

Beth Tanzman, Executive Director, Blueprint for Health, Department of Vermont Health
Access

11:00 AM Recess for Lunch and Budget Meetings

- 1:00 PM** **House Floor Convenes**
- 1:30 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Government
Chris Cole, Commissioner, Buildings and General Services
Jennifer Fitch, Deputy Commissioner, Buildings & General Services
- 3:00 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Labor
Lindsay Kurrle, Commissioner, Department of Labor
Chad Warzyniak, Chief Financial Officer, Department of Labor
- 4:00 PM** **Committee Discussion**
Reports, Agenda and Members Questions
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Friday, February 15, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Commerce
Stephen Perkins, Executive Director, Vermont Historical Society
- 9:15 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Commerce
Karen Mittelman, Executive Director, Vermont Arts Council
- 10:00 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Commerce
Ben Cadwallader, Executive Director, Vermont Symphony Orchestra

- 10:45 AM** **Recess for Break**
- 11:00 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Commerce
Christopher Kaufman, Executive Director, Vermont Humanities Council
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Transportation
Joe Flynn, Secretary of Transportation, Agency of Transportation
Lenny Leblanc, Director of Finance and Administration, Agency of Transportation
- 2:00 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Transportation
Wanda Minoli, Commissioner, Department of Motor Vehicles
- 3:00 PM** **Committee Discussion**
Reports, Agenda and Members Questions
- 3:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Tuesday, February 19, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:25 AM** **Introduction**
Vermont Farm Bureau
- 9:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
T.J. Donovan, Vermont Attorney General, Attorney General's Office
Willia Farrell, Director, Court Diversion and Pre-Trial Services

- 10:30 AM** **Implicit Bias Training**
House Chamber
- 12:30 PM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:15 PM** **Caucuses**
- 2:00 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Human Services
Melissa Jackson, Chief Executive Officer, Vermont Veterans' Home
- 3:15 PM** **H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments**
Committee Discussion
- 4:00 PM** **Committee Discussion**
Reports, Agenda & Member Questions
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Wednesday, February 20, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
Joshua Diamond, Deputy Attorney General, Attorney General's Office
T.J. Donovan, Vermont Attorney General, Attorney General's Office
- 11:00 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Government
Bradley Kukenberger, Financial Manager, Agency of Administration
Madeline Motta, Chair, Vermont State Ethics Commission
Larry Novins, Executive Director, Vermont State Ethics Commission

11:45 AM Recess for Lunch

1:00 PM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Advocates Hearing - Human Services

ROOM 11 - confirmed

Susan Aronoff, Vermont Development Disabilities Council

Eric Avildson, Vermont Legal Aid

Paul Berman, Headstart

Josh Davis, Executive Director, GroundWorks Collaborative, Brattleboro

Jan Demers, Champlain Valley Office of Economic Opportunity

Patrick Donegan, Director, Good Samaritan Haven, Barre

Molly Dugan, Director, Support and Services at Home (SASH)

Michelle Fay, Executive Director, Voices for Vermont's Children

Joe Ferrada, Parent Child Centers

Janet Hunt, Executive Director, Vermont Association of the Area Agencies on Aging

Sarah Kinney, Let's Grow Kids

Karen Lafayette, Vermont Low Income Advocacy Council

Sarah Launderville, Vermont Coalition for Disability Rights

Rebeka Lawrence-Gomez, Deputy Director, Pathways Vermont

Faye Mack, Advocacy and Education Director, Hunger Free Vermont

Erhard Mahnke, Vermont Affordable Housing Coalition

Pam McCarthy, Vermont Family Network

David Mickenberg, Council on Vermont Elders

Sue Minter, Executive Director, Capstone Community Action

Jill Olson, VT Home and Community Care

Michael Redmond, Executive Director, Upper Valley Haven

Julie Tessler, Vermont Care Partners

Christophre Woods, Executive Director, Vermont Psychiatric Survivors

Paul Zabriskie, Director of Weatherization and Home Performance, Capstone Community Action

2:30 PM Adjourn Advocates Hearing

2:45 PM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Grants: JFO#2945, JFO#2946, JFO#2948, JFO#2949, JFO#2950, JFO#2951, JFO#2952

Laura Ginsburg, Agricultural Development Section Chief, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets

Ken Gragg, Deputy Adjutant General, Military Department

Christopher Herrick, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Public Safety

Marcey Hodgdon, Finance Director, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets

Joanna Pallito, Finance Director, Department of Environmental Conservation

Ryan Patch, Deputy Director, Water Quality Division, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets

Bryan Redmond, Director, Drinking Water and Groundwater Protection Division, Department of Environmental Conservation

Abbey Willard, Director, Agricultural Development Division, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets

4:15 PM Committee Discussion

Reports, Agenda and Members Questions

4:30 PM Adjourn

Thursday, February 21, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Non-Human Services Budget Sections

Room: 11

Jill Arace, Executive Director, Vermont Association of Conservation Districts

Daniel Barlow, Vermont Businesses for Social Responsibility

Olivia Campbell Andersen, Renewable Energy Vermont

Rob Chapman, Executive Director, ORCA Media

Jon Copans, Climate Economy Action Team, VT Council on Rural Development

Paul Costello, Executive Director, Vermont Council on Rural Development

Chris Donnelly, Director of Community Relations, Champlain Housing Trust

Alison Friedkin, Downstreet Housing and Community Development

Peter Gregory, Executive Director, Two Rivers-Ottawaquechee Regional Commission

Jon Groveman, Policy and Water Program Director, Vermont Natural Resources Council

Lauren Hierl, Executive Director, Vermont Conservation Voters

Phil Huffman, Director of Government Relations and Policy, The Nature Conservancy

Rebecca Mitchell, Hunger Free Vermont

Nancy Owens, Housing Vermont

Melanie Paskevitch, Heat Squad

Dan Quinlan, Chair, VT Climate and Health Alliance

Betsy Rosenbluth, Project Director, Vermont FEED

Deb Snell, President, AFT-VT

Patricia Tedesco, VT Home Access Program, VCIL

Ben Walsh, Climate and energy Program Director, Vermont Public Interest Research Group

Kate Wanner, Trust for Public Land

Anne Watson, The Mayor's Coalition

Rebekah Weber, Lake Champlain Lakekeeper, Conservation Law Foundation

Cassie Wilner, VT Afterschool Inc.

10:00 AM Adjourn Advocates Hearing

10:15 AM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Corrections Grant - JFO#2953

Monica Weeber, Director of Administrative Services, Department of Corrections

10:30 AM Joint Assembly

to provide for election of Sergeant at Arms, an Adjutant and Inspector General, and three Trustees of the University of Vermont and State Agricultural College.

1:00 PM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

General Government

Michael Clasen, Deputy State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer

Beth Pearce, State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer

2:15 PM H.193 - An act relating to creating a State funding match for Americorps members

Overview of the Bill -- Tentative

Rep. Daniel Noyes, Sponsor, Wolcott

2:45 PM H.97 - An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments

Committee Discussion

4:15 PM Committee Discussion

Reports, Agenda and Members Questions

4:30 PM Adjourn

Friday, February 22, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Members Budget Comments and Suggestions

Rep. Peter Anthony, Barre City
Rep. Daniel Noyes, Wolcott
Rep. Charles "Butch" Shaw, Pittsford
Rep. Harvey Smith, New Haven

9:00 AM Corrections Health Care Review – Consultants Report

Karl Becker, Senior Vice President, CGL

9:45 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Members Budget Comments and Suggestions -- continued

Rep. Timothy Briglin, Thetford Center
Rep. Seth Chase, Chittenden 9-1
Rep. Robin Chesnut-Tangerman, Middletown Springs
Rep. Kevin "Coach" Christie, Hartford
Rep. Brian Cina, Burlington
Rep. Carl Demrow, Corinth
Rep. Katherine "Kari" Dolan, Washington-7
Rep. Johannah Donovan, Burlington
Rep. William Notte, Rutland
Rep. Carol Ode, Burlington
Rep. Zachariah Ralph Watson, Hartland
Rep. Marybeth Redmond, Essex
Rep. Brian Smith, Derby
Rep. Thomas Stevens, Waterbury
Rep. Mary Sullivan, Burlington
Rep. George W. Till, Jericho
Rep. Rebecca White, Windsor 4-2
Rep. Theresa Wood, Washington-Chittenden

11:45 AM Recess for Lunch

1:00 PM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Committee Discussion

3:15 PM **Committee Discussion**
Reports, Agenda, Members Questions

3:30 PM **Adjourn**

Monday, February 25, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

6:00 PM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Community-Based Public Hearings are held from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Please refer to the link below for full site details. Springfield site starts at 5:30 p.m. and ends at 6:30 p.m.
<https://legislature.vermont.gov/Documents/2020/WorkGroups/House%20Appropriations/Highligh%20Community-Based%20Public%20Hearings.pdf>

Tuesday, February 26, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **Committee Discussion**

10:30 AM **Caucuses**

1:00 PM **Committee Discussion**

Wednesday, February 27, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Legislature's Budgets - includes Council, Fiscal Office and Sargent at Arms.

Dan Dickerson, Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

Duncan Goss, Systems Analyst/Business Manager, Office of Legislative Counsel

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Luke Martland, Director and Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Janet Miller, Sergeant-At-Arms, Vermont Legislature

Kevin Moore, Deputy Director for Information Technology, Legislative Council

Matthew Romei, Chief of Capitol Police, Vermont Legislature

11:00 AM Committee Discussion

11:45 AM Recess for Lunch

1:00 PM Committee Discussion

4:30 PM Adjourn

Thursday, February 28, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM Non-Pricing Approaches to Reducing Carbon Emissions in Vermont

Richard Cowart, Director, The Regulatory Assistance Project

David Farnsworth, Senior Associate, The Regulatory Assistance Project

Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office

Frederick Weston, Principal and Director, Policy, The Regulatory Assistance Project

9:30 AM Committee Discussion

10:00 AM Fiscal Update

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

11:00 AM Recess for Lunch and Budget Meetings

1:00 PM **Committee Discussion**

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Friday, March 1, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **Committee Discussion**

10:00 AM **Recess for Break**

1:00 PM **Adjourn**

Tuesday, March 12, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:15 AM **Committee Discussion**

10:00 AM **House Floor and Caucuses**

1:15 PM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion

4:15 PM **Review Next Day's Agenda**

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Wednesday, March 13, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:30 AM** H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government
Committee Discussion
- 11:45 AM** Recess for Lunch
- 1:15 PM** H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government
Committee Discussion
- 4:15 PM** Review Next Day's Agenda
- 4:30 PM** Adjourn
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Thursday, March 14, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government
Committee Discussion
- 8:45 AM** H.104 - An act relating to professions and occupations regulated by the Office of Professional Regulation
Rep. Robin Scheu, Reporter, House Committee on Ways and Means
- 11:00 AM** Recess for Lunch and Budget Meetings
- 4:15 PM** Review Next Day's Agenda
- 4:30 PM** Adjourn

Friday, March 15, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Choices for Care - 1% Savings
- Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services
Al Gobeille, Secretary, Agency of Human Services
Bill Kelly, Chief Financial Officer, Department of Disabilities, Aging & Independent Living
Rep. Theresa Wood, Washington-Chittenden
- 9:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 3:15 PM** **Review Next Day's Agenda**
- 3:30 PM** **Adjourn**

Monday, March 18, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion

- 11:45 AM** **Committee Discussion**
USS VT Commission
Bernie Juskiewicz, Former Representative
Albert Perry, Former Representative
- 12:00 PM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Fish Hatcheries - Language
Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 1:30 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 2:00 PM** **H.531 - An act relating to Vermont's child care and early learning system**
Overview
Katie McLinn, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 2:45 PM** **H.533 - An act relating to workforce development**
Overview
David Hall, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 3:30 AM** **H.524 - An act relating to health insurance and the individual mandate**
Overview
Jennifer Carbee, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**

Tuesday, March 19, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:30 AM** **H.513 - An act relating to broadband deployment throughout Vermont**
Overview
Rep. Timothy Briglin, Chair, House Committee on Energy and Technology
Rep. Laura Sibilila, Vice Chair, House Committee on Energy and Technology
- 10:30 AM** **House Floor and Caucuses**
- 1:00 PM** **Transportation Bill**
Overview
Rep. Timothy R. Corcoran, Member, House Committee on Transportation
Rep. Curt McCormack, Chair, House Committee on Transportation
- 3:15 PM** **H.533 - An act relating to workforce development**
Rep. Michael Marcotte, Chair, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Wednesday, March 20, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:00 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 9:30 AM** **H.530 - An act relating to the qualifications and election of the Adjutant and Inspector General**
Overview
Rep. Thomas Stevens, Chair, House Committee on General, Housing & Military Affairs
- 10:00 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Grant Language
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Rebecca Wasserman, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

- 11:00 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **H.531 - An act relating to Vermont's child care and early learning system**
Rep. Francis McFaun, Reporter, House Committee On Human Services
Rep. Theresa Wood, Reporter, House Committee On Human Services
- 1:45 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 2:30 PM** **H.334 - An act relating to temporary State employees**
Overview
Rep. Marcia Gardner, Reporter, House Committee On Government Operations
- 3:00 PM** **H.533 - An act relating to workforce development**
Proposed Amendment
Rep. Charles Kimbell, Member, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development
Rep. Michael Marcotte, Reporter, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development
Dan Pouliot, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Human Resources
- 4:00 PM** **H.249 - An act related to the Reach Up and Reach Ahead pilot program**
Overview
Rep. Marybeth Redmond, Reporter, House Committee On Human Services
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Thursday, March 21, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

10:30 AM **H.342 - An act relating to qualification for a public defender**

Overview

Rep. Nader Hashim, Reporter, House Committee on Judiciary

11:00 AM **H.205 - An act relating to the regulation of neonicotinoid pesticides**

Overview

Rep. Carolyn W. Partridge, Chair, House Committee on Agriculture and Forestry

11:45 AM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Friday, March 22, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

11:45 AM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Monday, March 25, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

Tuesday, March 26, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM **House Floor and Caucuses**

1:00 PM **TBA**

Wednesday, March 27, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.107 - An act relating to paid family and medical leave**

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office

Rep. Robin Scheu, Reporter, House Committee on Ways and Means

Rep. Thomas Stevens, Chair, House Committee on General, Housing & Military Affairs

9:30 AM **H.543 - An act relating to capital construction and State bonding**

Catherine Benham, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Rep. Alice M. Emmons, Chair, House Committee on Corrections and Institutions

Brad Ferland, Deputy Secretary, Agency of Administration

Erik Filkorn, Principal Assistant, Buildings and General Services

Rebecca Wasserman, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

10:30 AM **Joint Assembly- Judicial Retention**

1:00 PM **TBA**

Thursday, March 28, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Members Amendments

9:00 AM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

10:00 AM **House Convenes**

Friday, March 29, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Members Amendments

9:30 AM **House Convenes**

11:00 AM **H.107 - An act relating to paid family and medical leave**

Continued review

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office

Rep. Robin Scheu, Reporter, House Committee on Ways and Means

1:00 PM **H.101 - An act relating to creating an Event Marketing Fund**

Tuesday, April 2, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM H.107 - An act relating to paid family and medical leave

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office
Rep. Robin Scheu, Reporter, House Committee on Ways and Means

10:30 AM House Floor and Caucuses

11:00 AM H.107 - An act relating to paid family and medical leave

Committee Discussion

1:00 PM H.107 - An act relating to paid family and medical leave

John Booth, Director of Treasury Operations, Office of the State Treasurer

1:45 PM H.107 - An act relating to paid family and medical leave

Committee Discussion

Wednesday, April 3, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM NCSL Update

Erica MacKellar, Senior Policy Specialist, National Conference of State Legislatures

9:30 AM Committee Discussion

10:00 AM Informational Meeting

Vermont Employment Growth Incentive

Megan Sullivan, Executive Director, Vermont Economic Progress Council

11:00 AM **Committee Discussion**

11:45 AM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **Committee Discussion**

Thursday, April 4, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **TBA**

Friday, April 5, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **House Convenes**

11:30 AM **Informational Meeting**

Efficiency Vermont

Rebecca Foster, Director, Efficiency Vermont

David Westman, Director of Regulatory Affairs, Efficiency Vermont

Carol Weston, Director of Operations, Efficiency Vermont

Abbey White, Director of Communications and Public Affairs, Efficiency Vermont

12:15 PM **Environmental Conservation Fund**

Administrative Allowance for ECF - proposed changes

Emily Boedecker, Commissioner, Department of Environmental Conservation

Tuesday, April 9, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **Committee Discussion**

10:00 AM **House Floor and Caucuses**

1:00 PM **Informational Meeting**

Investments in State Retirement Obligations

Beth Pearce, State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer

2:00 PM **Informational Meeting**

Vermont's Labor Market

Mat Barewicz, Economic & Labor Market Information Chief, Department of Labor

Wednesday, April 10, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **Committee Discussion**

10:30 AM **Committee Discussion**

10:45 AM **Informational Meeting**

Evaluation of Service Delivery

Al Gobeille, Secretary, Agency of Human Services

11:45 AM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **House Convenes**

2:00 PM **Informational Meeting**
Doug Hoffer, State Auditor, State Auditor's Office

3:30 PM **Adjourn**

Thursday, April 11, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **Informational Meeting**
Vermont Economic Development Authority
Cassie Polhemus, Chief Executive Officer, Vermont Economic Development Authority

10:30 AM **Adjourn**

1:00 PM **House Convenes**

Friday, April 12, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **House Convenes**

Tuesday, April 16, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM **House Floor and Caucuses**

1:00 PM **Informational Meeting**

Tourism Benchmark Study

Ken Jones, Economic Research Analyst, Agency of Commerce and Community
Development

Wendy Knight, Commissioner, Department of Tourism and Marketing, Agency of
Commerce and Community Development

2:00 PM **Adjourn**

Wednesday, April 17, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

3:00 PM **House Convenes**

Thursday, April 18, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:30 AM **Informational Meeting**

Section 8 housing vouchers

Richard Williams, Executive Director, Vermont State Housing Authority

11:45 AM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **House Convenes**

Friday, April 19, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM House Convenes

10:30 AM Informational Meeting

Update on Special Education

Alena Berube, Special Education Finance Director, Agency of Education

11:30 AM Adjourn

Tuesday, April 23, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM House Floor and Caucus

1:00 PM **S.40 - An act relating to testing and remediation of lead in the drinking water of schools and child care facilities**

Rep. James Gregoire, Reporter, House Committee On Human Services

Shayla Livingston, Public Health Policy Advisor, Department of Health

Bryan Redmond, Director, Drinking Water and Groundwater Protection Division,
Department of Environmental Conservation

Rep. Kathryn Webb, Chair, House Committee on Education

Wednesday, April 24, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM Informational Meeting

Follow-up information on Labor Market

Mat Barewicz, Economic & Labor Market Information Chief, Department of Labor

10:30 AM S.40 - An act relating to testing and remediation of lead in the drinking water of schools and child care facilities

James DesMarais, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

David Englander, General Counsel, Vermont Department of Health

Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Bryan Redmond, Director, Drinking Water and Groundwater Protection Division,
Department of Environmental Conservation

11:45 AM Recess for Lunch

1:00 PM House Convenes

2:00 PM TBA

Thursday, April 25, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM S.40 - An act relating to testing and remediation of lead in the drinking water of schools and child care facilities

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

David Englander, General Counsel, Vermont Department of Health

Bryan Redmond, Director, Drinking Water and Groundwater Protection Division,
Department of Environmental Conservation

10:30 AM TBA

11:45 AM Recess for Lunch

1:00 PM House Convenes

3:45 PM **S.40 - An act relating to testing and remediation of lead in the drinking water of schools and child care facilities**

Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Friday, April 26, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:00 AM **S.40 - An act relating to testing and remediation of lead in the drinking water of schools and child care facilities**

David Englander, General Counsel, Vermont Department of Health

Jeff Francis, Executive Director, VT Superintendents Association

Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Bryan Redmond, Director, Drinking Water and Groundwater Protection Division,
Department of Environmental Conservation

Rep. Kathryn Webb, Chair, House Committee on Education

8:30 AM **Informational Meeting**

Service Delivery

Al Gobeille, Secretary, Agency of Human Services

9:30 AM **House Convenes**

10:30 AM **TBA**

12:00 PM **Recess for Lunch**

Tuesday, April 30, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM **House Floor and Caucuses**

1:00 PM **S.23 - An act relating to increasing the minimum wage**

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office

Rep. Thomas Stevens, Chair, House Committee on General, Housing & Military Affairs

Rep. Joseph "Chip" Troiano, Reporter, House Committee on General, Housing & Military Affairs

Wednesday, May 1, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H.334 - An act relating to temporary State employees**

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

9:30 AM **H.334 - An act relating to temporary State employees**

Matt D'Agostino, Financial Officer, Department of Corrections

10:00 AM **H.334 - An act relating to temporary State employees**

Dan Pouliot, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Human Resources

10:30 AM **Recess for Break**

10:45 AM **S.23 - An act relating to increasing the minimum wage**

Deb Brighton, Consultant, Joint Fiscal Office

Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office

11:45 AM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **House Convenes**

Thursday, May 2, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM Impact of Vermont Supreme Court Ruling

Developmental Services - standard error of measure

Monica Caserta Hutt, Commissioner, Department of Disabilities, Aging and Independent Living

10:00 AM S.23 - An act relating to increasing the minimum wage

Impact on Medicaid Cap Discussion

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

11:00 AM H.334 - An act relating to temporary State employees

Patricia Gabel, Vermont State Court Administrator, Vermont Judiciary

1:00 PM House Convenes

10 minutes after floor S.23 - An act relating to increasing the minimum wage

Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office

Friday, May 3, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM Vermont Supreme Court Ruling

Designated Services - standard error of measure

Katie McLinn, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

9:30 AM House Convenes

10 minutes after
floor

S.131 - An act relating to insurance and securities

Rep. Scott Beck, Reporter, House Committee on Ways and Means
Rep. Stephanie Jerome, Reporter, House Committee on Commerce and Economic
Development
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Maria Royle, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

11:00 AM

H.334 - An act relating to temporary State employees

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Tuesday, May 7, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM

S.58 - An act relating to the State hemp program

Dan Dickerson, Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Carolyn W. Partridge, Chair, House Committee on Agriculture and Forestry
Rep. Samuel Young, Reporter, House Committee on Ways and Means

9:30 AM

Informational Meeting

Legacy Lands

Gus Seelig, Executive Director, Vermont Housing and Conservation Board

10:00 AM

House Floor and Caucuses

1:00 PM

S.58 - An act relating to the State hemp program

Dan Dickerson, Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

1:30 PM

S.23 - An act relating to increasing the minimum wage

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office

2:00 PM

S.113 - An act relating to the management of single-use products

Dan Dickerson, Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

Rep. James McCullough, Reporter, House Committee on Natural Resources, Fish and
Wildlife

3:00 PM S.96 - An act relating to the provision of water quality services

Rep. Janet Ancel, Chair, House Committee on Ways and Means

Rep. Katherine "Kari" Dolan, Reporter, House Committee on Natural Resources, Fish and
Wildlife

Julie Moore, Secretary, Agency of Natural Resources

Mark Perrault, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

Wednesday, May 8, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM S.96 - An act relating to the provision of water quality services

Committee Discussion

Julie Moore, Secretary, Agency of Natural Resources

9:15 AM S.23 - An act relating to increasing the minimum wage

Committee Discussion

10:15 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Sec. E.335.2 COMMUNITY WORK CREW PROGRAM RESTRUCTURE

Matt D'Agostino, Financial Officer, Department of Corrections

10:30 AM House Convenes

1:15 PM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Senate Appropriations Proposal

Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

2:30 PM TBA

Thursday, May 9, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:00 AM S.54 - An act relating to the regulation of cannabis**
Michele Childs, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 10:00 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Sec. E.603.1 - College Retention Rates
Sec. B.1101(a)(19) - Housing of Academic Records
Tricia Coates, Director of External & Governmental Affairs, Vermont State Colleges
Jeb Spaulding, Chancellor, Vermont State Colleges System
- 11:00 AM TBA**
- 1:00 PM House Convenes**
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Friday, May 10, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:00 AM H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Sec. E.700 - Hardship Municipality
Catherine Benham, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Eric Blatt, Director Facilities Engineering Division, Department of Environmental Conservation
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Bryan Redmond, Director, Drinking Water and Groundwater Protection Division, Department of Environmental Conservation

- 9:30 AM** **House Convenes**
- 1:45 PM** **S.108 - An act relating to employee misclassification**
Rep. Emilie Kornheiser, Reporter, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development
Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 2:30 PM** **S.162 - An act relating to promoting economic development**
David Hall, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Jean O'Sullivan, Reporter, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development
- 3:00 PM** **S.163 - An act relating to housing safety and rehabilitation**
David Hall, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Jean O'Sullivan, Reporter, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development
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Monday, May 13, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 10:00 AM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Reach Up Program Impacts
Sean Brown, Deputy Commissioner, Economic Services Division, Department for Children and Families
- 10:45 AM** **Recess for Conference**
- 1:00 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Sec. E.100(a)(2)
Monica Caserta Hutt, Commissioner, Department of Disabilities, Aging and Independent Living
- 1:30 PM** **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Sec. E.306.1

Nissa James, Director of Communications and Legislative Affairs, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

2:00 PM **S.163 - An act relating to housing safety and rehabilitation**
David Hall, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

2:30 PM **S.105 - An act relating to miscellaneous judiciary procedures**

3:00 PM **S.23 - An act relating to increasing the minimum wage**
Committee Discussion

4:00 PM **S.146 - An act relating to substance misuse prevention**
Rep. Kelly Pajala, Reporter, House Committee On Human Services
Rep. Ann Pugh, Chair, House Committee On Human Services

5:00 PM **S.160 - An act relating to agricultural development**
Rep. Carolyn W. Partridge, Chair, House Committee on Agriculture and Forestry
Michael Snyder, Commissioner, Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation

Tuesday, May 14, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **S.105 - An act relating to miscellaneous judiciary procedures**
Committee Discussion

9:30 AM **S.160 - An act relating to agricultural development**
Rep. Carolyn W. Partridge, Reporter, House Committee on Agriculture and Forestry
Michael Snyder, Commissioner, Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation

9:45 AM **S.23 - An act relating to increasing the minimum wage**
Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office

10:00 AM **House Convenes**

Wednesday, May 15, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **S.23 - An act relating to increasing the minimum wage**

Proposed Amendment

Matthew Trieber, Reporter, House Committee on Appropriations

9:00 AM **TBA**

Thursday, May 16, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **TBA**

Friday, May 17, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H.518 - An act relating to fair and impartial policing**

Brynn Hare, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

10:00 AM **House Convenes**

Wednesday, May 22, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H.542 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

10:00 AM **House Convenes**

Monday, December 16, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**

Convene and Organize

10:15 AM **Demographics, migration, and state revenues**

Graham Campbell, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

Sean Sheehan, Staff Director, Tax Structure Commission, Joint Fiscal Office

11:15 AM **Medicaid Caseloads Update**

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

12:00 PM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**

Overview

Richard Donahey, Director of Budget and Management Operations, Department of Finance & Management

Candace Elmquist, Financial Officer, Department of Finance and Management

Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

Matt Riven, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

2:30 PM H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments

Agency of Human Services - Central Office

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services
Michael Smith, Secretary, Agency of Human Services

3:45 PM Next Day Review

4:00 PM Adjourn

Tuesday, December 17, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments

Human Services - DDAIL

Monica Caserta Hutt, Commissioner, Department of Disabilities, Aging and Independent Living
Bill Kelly, Chief Financial Officer, Department of Disabilities, Aging & Independent Living

10:00 AM H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments

Human Services - DMH

Sarah Squirrell, Commissioner, Department of Mental Health
Shannon Thompson, Financial Director, Department of Mental Health

11:00 AM H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments

Human Services - Corrections

Matt D'Agostino, Financial Officer, Department of Corrections

12:00 PM Recess for Lunch

1:00 PM Vermont Retirement Systems' Risk Assessment Study

John Booth, Director of Treasury Operations, Office of the State Treasurer
Beth Pearce, State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer

- 2:00 PM** **Revenues and Other Developments**
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
- 3:00 PM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Human Services - DCF
Jillian Niggel, Financial Director III, Department for Children and Families
Kenneth Schatz, Commissioner, Department for Children and Families
Sarah Truckle, Financial Director IV, Department for Children and Families
- 4:30 PM** **Next Day Review**
- 4:45 PM** **Adjourn**
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Wednesday, December 18, 2019

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:00 AM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Human Services - DVHA
Cory Gustafson, Commissioner, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)
Jenney Samuelson, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)
Lisa Schilling, Financial Director, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)
- 10:00 AM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Protection to Persons & Property - Judiciary
Patricia Gabel, Vermont State Court Administrator, Vermont Judiciary
Gregg Mousley, Chief of Finance and Administration, Vermont Judiciary
- 10:45 AM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Transportation
Lenny Leblanc, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Transportation
- 11:30 AM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**

Position

Doug Hoffer, State Auditor, State Auditor's Office

Andrew Stein, Deputy Auditor, State Auditor's Office

12:00 PM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**

Technical Amendment - Education 16 V.S.A. § 4025

Jennifer Carbee, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Emily Simmons, General Counsel, Agency of Education

1:20 PM **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**

Technical Amendment - UVM Children in Custody Report

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

1:40 PM **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**

Technical Amendment - Grant Statute Clarification --tentative

Dan Dickerson, Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

Rebecca Wasserman, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

2:00 PM **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**

Technical Amendment - SAA Fund Issue --tentative

Dan Dickerson, Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

Janet Miller, Sergeant-At-Arms, Vermont Legislature

2:15 PM **Adjourn**

Tuesday, January 7, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM **House Floor and Caucuses**

2020 Session Convenes

- 1:00 PM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Committee Discussion
- 2:15 PM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Human Services - language - Deputy Secretaries
Mike Smith, Secretary, Agency of Human Services
- 2:45 PM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Committee Discussion
- 4:15 PM** **Next Day Review**
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Wednesday, January 8, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:00 AM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Technical Amendments
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
- 10:00 AM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Committee Discussion
- 10:30 AM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Market-based sourcing - technical amendment
Craig Bolio, Commissioner, VT Department of Taxes
- 11:15 AM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Committee Discussion
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**

Committee Discussion

4:15 PM **Next Day Review**

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Thursday, January 9, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

1:00 PM **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**

Protection to Persons & Property

Michael Schirling, Commissioner, Department of Public Safety

2:00 PM **Joint Assembly**

The Governor's State-of-the-State Address

**after Joint
Assembly** **Information Session**

Childcare Program Update

Melissa Riegel-Garrett, Child Development Division Policy Director, Department for
Children and Families

Ken Schatz, Commissioner, Department for Children and Families

4:15 PM **Next Day Review**

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Friday, January 10, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM Update

Brattleboro Retreat

Alicia Cooper, Director of Payment Reform, Reimbursement and Rate Setting, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

Cory Gustafson, Commissioner, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

Sandi Hoffman, Director of Clinical Integrity and Quality Improvement, Department of Vermont Health Access

Sarah Squirrel, Commissioner, Department of Mental Health

9:30 AM H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments

Committee Discussion

10:30 AM H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments

Advocates Hearing -- Room 11

Susan Aranoff, Senior Planner and Policy Analyst, Vermont Developmental Disabilities Council

Sharon Halnon, Child Care Resource, Chittenden County CIS Child Care Coordinator

Judy Harvey, Early Childhood Program Coordinator, Lund Center

Rachel Kinney, Parent

Erhard Mahnke, Coordinator, Vermont Affordable Housing Coalition

12:00 PM Adjourn Advocates Hearing

Tuesday, January 14, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM Update

Integrated Eligibility & Enrollment System

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Lori Collins, Chief Operating Officer, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

Cory Gustafson, Commissioner, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

Darin Prail, Director of Digital Services, Agency of Digital Services

Daniel G. Smith, Consultant, Joint Fiscal Office

After floor	Caucuses
1:00 PM	Primer <i>ACO primer</i> Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
1:10 PM	Committee Discussion <i>2020 Reports Repeal Bill</i>
1:30 PM	H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments <i>Committee Discussion</i>
4:15 PM	Next Day Review
4:30 PM	Adjourn

Wednesday, January 15, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM	Informational Meeting <i>OneCare 101 and FY20 BAA Q&A</i> Ena Backus, Director of Health Care Reform, Agency of Human Services Victoria Loner, President and CEO, OneCare Vermont
10:00 AM	H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government <i>Annual Report and Budget Presentation</i> Suresh Garimella, President, University of Vermont
11:00 AM	H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments <i>Committee Discussion</i>
11:45 AM	Recess for Lunch

- 1:00 PM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Committee Discussion
- 3:30 PM** **Overview**
JLMC Recommendations
Rep. Mitzi Johnson, Chair, Joint Legislative Management Committee
- 4:15 PM** **Next Day Review**
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Thursday, January 16, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Committee Discussion
- 11:00 AM** **Emergency Board Meeting**
Governor's Ceremonial Office
- 1:00 PM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Committee Discussion/Vote
- 2:00 PM** **Consensus Revenue Forecast**
Overview
Tom Kavet, Legislative Economist, Kavet, Rockler & Associates, LLC
- 2:45 PM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Committee Discussion
- 3:00 PM** **Security and Evacuation Review**
Janet Miller, Sergeant-At-Arms, Vermont Legislature

3:30 PM **Committee Discussion**

4:15 PM **Next Day Review**

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Friday, January 17, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **House Convenes**

after floor **Update**

Report on Reports

Rep. Peter J. Fagan

Rep. Maida Townsend

Tuesday, January 21, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM **House Floor and Caucuses**

1:00 PM **Committee Discussion**

2:00 PM **Joint Assembly - Governor's Budget Address**

3:15 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Review of Budget

Richard Donahey, Director of Budget and Management Operations, Department of
Finance & Management

Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

Matt Riven, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

4:45 PM **Next Day Review**

5:00 PM **Adjourn**

Wednesday, January 22, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

General Government

Holly S. Anderson, Chief Financial Officer, Financial Services Division, Agency of
Administration

Shawn Benham, Financial Director II, Department of Human Resources

Brenda Berry, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Administration

Dan Pouliot, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Human Resources

Angela Rouelle, Director of Strategic Development and Operations, Department of
Human Resources

10:30 AM **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**

Members Amendments/Committee Discussion

11:45 AM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **House Floor Convenes**

FY20 BAA - 2nd Reading

3:00 PM **TBA**

4:15 PM **Next Day Review**

4:30 PM Adjourn

Thursday, January 23, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Protection to Persons & Property

John Booth, Director of Treasury Operations, Office of the State Treasurer

Michael Clasen, Deputy State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer

Beth Pearce, State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer

9:30 AM **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**

Members' amendments - 3rd reading

11:00 AM **Recess for Lunch and Budget Meetings**

1:00 PM **House Floor Convenes**

FY20 Budget Adjustment - 3rd reading

3:00 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

General Government

John Quinn, Secretary, Agency of Digital Services

Kate Slocum, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Digital Services

4:30 PM **Next Day Review**

4:45 PM **Adjourn**

Friday, January 24, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.742 - An act relating to Vermont's response to COVID-19**

Rep. James Harrison, Sponsor, Rutland-Windsor
Drew Hazleton, Rescue Inc.

9:30 AM **House Floor Convenes**

Monday, January 27, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

12:00 PM **Committee Discussion**

1:30 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Workers' Compensation Trends

Brad Ferland, Deputy Secretary, Agency of Administration

2:30 PM **Recess for Break**

2:35 PM **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**

Protection to Persons & Property

Diane Bothfeld, Director of Administrative Services & Dairy Policy, Agency of Agriculture,
Food and Markets

Amy Mercier, Financial Director, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets

Anson Tebbetts, Secretary, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets

4:00 PM **Review Next Day's Agenda**

4:15 PM **Adjourn**

Tuesday, January 28, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

General Government

Tim Noonan, Executive Director, Labor Relations Board

10:00 AM House Floor and Caucuses

1:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Human Services - AHS Central Office

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Michael K. Smith, Secretary, Agency of Human Services

3:00 PM Recess for Break

3:05 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

General Government

Holly S. Anderson, Chief Financial Officer, Financial Services Division, Agency of Administration

Brenda Berry, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Administration

Craig Bolio, Commissioner, VT Department of Taxes

4:15 PM Review Next Day's Agenda

4:30 PM Adjourn

Wednesday, January 29, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Human Services

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services
Mark Levine, Commissioner, Vermont Department of Health
Tracy O'Connell, Finance Director, Agency of Human Services
Anna Swenson, Financial Manager, Vermont Department of Health

- 10:25 AM** **Recess for Break**
- 10:30 AM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Review of Senate Actions
Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
Patricia Gabel, Vermont State Court Administrator, Vermont Judiciary
Gregg Mousley, Chief of Finance and Administration, Vermont Judiciary
- 2:55 PM** **Recess for Break**
- 3:00 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Unfunded Liabilities
Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management
- 4:15 PM** **Next Day Review**
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**

Thursday, January 30, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Human Services

Sean Brown, Deputy Commissioner, Economic Services Division, Department for Children and Families

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Pam Dalley, Director of Operations, Department for Children and Families

Christine Johnson, Deputy Commissioner, Family Services Division, Department for Children and Families

Tracy O'Connell, Finance Director, Agency of Human Services

Ken Schatz, Commissioner, Department for Children and Families

Sarah Truckle, Financial Director IV, Department for Children and Families

11:00 AM Recess for Lunch and Budget Meetings

1:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

General Government

Holly S. Anderson, Chief Financial Officer, Financial Services Division, Agency of Administration

Larry Novins, Executive Director, Vermont State Ethics Commission

1:30 PM TBA

2:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Human Services

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Monica Caserta Hutt, Commissioner, Department of Disabilities, Aging and Independent Living

Bill Kelly, Chief Financial Officer, Department of Disabilities, Aging & Independent Living

Tracy O'Connell, Finance Director, Agency of Human Services

Megan Tierney-Ward, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Disabilities, Aging & Independent Living

3:30 PM Recess for Break

3:35 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Higher Education

Marilyn Cargill, Vice President, Financial Aid Services, Marketing and Research, Vermont Student Assistance Corporation

Scott Giles, President, Vermont Student Assistance Corporation

4:30 PM Review Next Day's Agenda

Friday, January 31, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
David Cameron, Administrative Services Director, Department of Financial Regulation
Michael Pieciak, Commissioner, Department of Financial Regulation
- 9:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Commerce & Community Development
Ben Cadwallader, Executive Director, Vermont Symphony Orchestra
- 10:15 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
Chris Fenno, Executive Director, Center for Crime Victim Services
- 11:00 AM Recess for Break**
- 11:05 AM H.572 - An act relating to the Maternal Mortality Review Panel**
As amended by House Committee on Human Services
Rep. James Gregoire, Reporter, House Committee On Human Services
- 11:45 AM Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
Richard Gauthier, Executive Director, VT Criminal Justice Training Council
- 1:45 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property

Stacey Drinkwine, Financial Services Director, Department of Public Service
June Tierney, Commissioner, Department of Public Service

2:30 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Budget Proposal: Vermont State Teachers Retirement

Brad Ferland, Deputy Secretary, Agency of Administration
Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management
Beth Pearce, State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer

3:30 PM Adjourn

Monday, February 3, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

12:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property

Barbara Bernardini, Fiscal Manager, Department of State's, Sheriff's and Special Investigative Units
John Campbell, Executive Director, Mental Health Crisis Response Commission
Annie Noonan, Labor Relations Manager, State's Attorneys and Sheriffs Association

1:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Human Services

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services
Mourning Fox, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Mental Health
Tracy O'Connell, Finance Director, Agency of Human Services
Sarah Squirrel, Commissioner, Department of Mental Health
Shannon Thompson, Financial Director, Department of Mental Health

3:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property

James Condos, Vermont Secretary of State
Chris Winters, Deputy Secretary, Secretary of State's Office

3:45 PM **Committee Discussion**

4:15 PM **Review Next Day's Agenda**

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Tuesday, February 4, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Protection to Persons & Property

Lora Evans, Business Manager, Defender General's Office

Matthew Valerio, Defender General, Vermont Defender General's Office

10:30 AM **Caucuses**

1:00 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

General Government

Chris Cole, Commissioner, Department of Buildings and General Services

2:50 PM **Recess for Break**

3:00 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Human Services

Kevin Mullin, Chair, Green Mountain Care Board

Jean Stetter, Administrative Services Director, Green Mountain Care Board

4:15 PM **Review Next Day's Agenda**

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Wednesday, February 5, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Human Services

James Baker, Commissioner, Department of Corrections

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Tracy O'Connell, Finance Director, Agency of Human Services

Monica Weeber, Director of Administrative Services, Department of Corrections

10:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Human Services

Al Faxon, Chief Operating Officer, Vermont Veterans' Home

Melissa Jackson, Chief Executive Officer, Vermont Veterans' Home

Steve McClafferty, Finance Director, Vermont Veterans' Home

11:15 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

11:45 AM Recess for Lunch

2:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Commerce & Community Development

Ted Brady, Deputy Secretary, Agency of Commerce and Community Development

Joan Goldstein, Commissioner, Department of Economic Development, Agency of
Commerce and Community Development

Josh Hanford, Commissioner, Department of Housing and Community Development

Lindsay Kurrle, Secretary, Agency of Commerce and Community Development

Heather Pelham, Commissioner, Department of Tourism and Marketing, Agency of
Commerce and Community Development

Kathy Thayer-Gosselin, Financial Director, Agency of Commerce and Community
Development

4:15 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property

Kim Fedele, Financial Manager, Vermont National Guard

Ken Gragg, Deputy Adjutant General, Vermont National Guard
Gregory C. Knight, Adjutant General, Vermont National Guard

4:35 PM **Review Next Day's Agenda**

4:45 PM **Adjourn**

Thursday, February 6, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Human Services

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Cory Gustafson, Commissioner, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

Tracy O'Connell, Finance Director, Agency of Human Services

Lisa Schilling, Financial Director, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)

10:40 AM **H.568 - An act relating to human trafficking and prostitution**

Rep. William Notte, Reporter, House Committee On Human Services

11:00 AM **Recess for Lunch and Budget Meetings**

1:00 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Protection to Persons & Property

Joshua Diamond, Deputy Attorney General, Attorney General's Office

T.J. Donovan, Vermont Attorney General

Marcey Hodgdon, Finance Director, Attorney General's Office

Sarah London, Financial Director, Attorney General's Office

2:30 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Protection to Person & Property

Willa Farrell, Director, Court Diversion and Pre-Trial Services

3:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property

Patrick Delaney, Commissioner, Department of Liquor and Lottery
Brian Evans, Financial Director, Department of Liquor and Lottery

3:30 PM H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments

Senate Proposal of Amendment

4:15 PM Review Next Day's Agenda

4:30 PM Adjourn

Friday, February 7, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property

Matthew Birmingham, Vermont State Police, Department of Public Safety
Richard Hallenbeck, Director of Administration, Department of Public Safety
Christopher Herrick, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Public Safety
Megan Klinefelter, Deputy Director of Administration, Department of Public Safety
Michael Schirling, Commissioner, Department of Public Safety

10:00 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Protection to Persons & Property

Barbara M. Neal, Executive Director, Enhanced 9-1-1 Board

10:30 AM Adjourn

Monday, February 10, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

6:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Joint House and Senate Community-Based Public Hearings:

6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.: Barre City, Morrisville, Rutland City, St. Johnsbury, St. Albans City, and Winooski

5:30 - 6:30 p.m.: Bennington and Springfield

Tuesday, February 11, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Review of Community-based Public Hearings

Committee Discussion

after House floor **Caucuses**

12:45 PM **Voluntary Introduction**

Our Voices Xposed (OVX) Youth

Nguyen Song, Prevention Specialist, Tobacco Control Program, Department of Health

1:00 PM **Committee Training**

iPad quick check-in

Delia Gillen, User Support/Trainer, Legislative Information Technology

1:30 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Natural Resources - ANR Central Office

Emily Byrne, Management Services Director, Agency of Natural Resources

Julie Moore, Secretary, Agency of Natural Resources

Peter Walke, Deputy Secretary, Agency of Natural Resources

2:00 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Natural Resources - Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation

Kristin Freeman, Financial Manager, Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation

Michael Snyder, Commissioner, Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation

2:30 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Natural Resources - Department of Fish & Wildlife

Steve Gomez, Financial Manager, Department of Fish and Wildlife

Louis Porter, Commissioner, Department of Fish and Wildlife

3:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Natural Resources - Department of Environmental Conservation

Emily Boedecker, Commissioner, Department of Environmental Conservation

Tracy LaFrance, Financial Manager, Department of Environmental Conservation

Joanna Pallito, Administrative Services Director, Department of Environmental Conservation

3:30 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

General Education

Bill Bates, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Education

Kathy Flanagan, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Education

Daniel French, Secretary, Agency of Education

4:15 PM Next Day Review

4:30 PM Adjourn

Wednesday, February 12, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Higher Education

Elaine Collins, President, Northern Vermont University

Joyce Judy, President, Community College of Vermont

Patricia Moulton, President, Vermont Technical College

Karen Scolforo, President, Castleton University
Jeb Spaulding, Chancellor, Vermont State Colleges System

10:00 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Labor

Sarah Buxton, Director, State Workforce Development, Department of Labor
Michael Harrington, Acting Commissioner, Department of Labor
Chad Warzyniak, Chief Financial Officer, Department of Labor

11:00 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Natural Resources

Diane Snelling, Chair, Natural Resources Board

11:45 AM Lunch

1:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Transportation

Joe Flynn, Secretary of Transportation, Agency of Transportation
Lenny Leblanc, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Transportation

2:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Transportation

Terri Blaisdell, Director of Finance, Department of Motor Vehicles
Wanda Minoli, Commissioner, Department of Motor Vehicles

3:00 PM Recess for Break

3:15 PM S.54 - An act relating to the regulation of cannabis

Review of Amendments

Rep. Janet Ancel, Chair, House Committee on Ways and Means
Rep. John Gannon, Reporter, House Committee On Government Operations

4:15 PM Next Day Review

4:30 PM Adjourn

Thursday, February 13, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Commerce
Gus Seelig, Executive Director, Vermont Housing and Conservation Board
- 9:30 AM** **S.54 - An act relating to the regulation of cannabis**
Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
- 10:00 AM** **S.54 - An act relating to the regulation of cannabis**
Michele Childs, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 11:00 AM** **Recess for Lunch and Budget Meetings**
- 1:00 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Mark-up
- 2:00 PM** **H.688 - An act relating to addressing climate change**
Rep. Timothy Briglin, Chair, House Committee on Energy and Technology
Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office
- 3:00 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Mark-up
- 4:15 PM** **Next Day Review**
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**

Friday, February 14, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **S.54 - An act relating to the regulation of cannabis**
Prevention
Kelly Dougherty, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Health
- 9:30 AM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Commerce
Karen Mittelman, Executive Director, Vermont Arts Council
- 10:15 AM** **S.54 - An act relating to the regulation of cannabis**
Revenue Assumptions
Graham Campbell, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
- 10:45 AM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Mark-up
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 12:00 PM** **Voluntary Introduction**
Vermont Youth Lobby Introductions - Climate
- 1:00 PM** **S.54 - An act relating to the regulation of cannabis**
Review of the bill
Michele Childs, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 1:30 PM** **H.688 - An act relating to addressing climate change**
Cause of Action
Robert McDougall, Chief Environmental Division, Attorney General's Office
- 1:45 PM** **S.54 - An act relating to the regulation of cannabis**
Continuation of the bill review
Michele Childs, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 3:00 PM** **Adjourn**
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Tuesday, February 18, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:30 AM** **H.760 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 budget adjustments**
Senate further Proposal to House further Proposal -- Discussion and VOTE
- 10:00 AM** **S.54 - An act relating to the regulation of cannabis**
Prevention
Rep. Kathryn Webb, Chair, House Committee on Education
- after floor** **Caucuses**
- 1:00 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Protection to Persons & Property
Brenda Chamberlin, Financial Director, Public Service Board
Anthony Roisman, Chair, Public Utility Commission
- 1:45 PM** **H.688 - An act relating to addressing climate change**
Funding
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office
- 2:15 PM** **H.688 - An act relating to addressing climate change**
Rep. Timothy Briglin, Chair, House Committee on Energy and Technology
- 2:45 PM** **H.688 - An act relating to addressing climate change**
VOTE
- 3:00 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 4:15 PM** **Next Day Review**
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**

Wednesday, February 19, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Committee Discussion

9:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Advocates Hearing - Human Services - Room 11

Susan Aranoff, Senior Planner and Policy Analyst, Vermont Developmental Disabilities Council

Margaret Atkinson, Winston Prouty Center for Child and Family Development

Eric Avildson, Executive Director, Vermont Legal Aid

Ruby Baker, Executive Director, Community of Vermont Elders (COVE)

Jennifer Boardman, Youth Development Program, Washington County Youth Services Bureau

Margaret Bozik, Director of Asset Management & Special Initiatives, Champlain Housing Trust

Amy Brady, Voices for Vermont's Children

Jan Demers, Executive Director, Champlain Valley Office of Economic Opportunity

Laurie Emerson, Executive Director, National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) of Vermont

Patrick Gallagher, Development Director, Pathways Vermont

Steve Howard, Executive Director, Vermont State Employees Association

Janet Hunt, Executive Director, Vermont Association of the Area Agencies on Aging

Amy Johnson, Parent Child Center Network

Karen Lafayette, Vermont Low Income Advocacy Council

Erhard Mahnke, Vermont Affordable Housing Coalition

MaryEllen Mendl, Vermont 2-1-1

Sue Minter, Executive Director, Capstone Community Action

Holly Morehouse, Executive Director, Vermont Afterschool, Inc.

Jill Mazza Olson, Executive Director, VNAs of Vermont

Steve Pouliot, Executive Director, Vermont Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired (VABVI)

Sonja Raymond, Executive Director, Vermont Association for the Education for Young Children

Michael Redmond, Upper Valley Haven

Virginia Renfrew, Vermont Association for Adult Days

Julie Tessler, Vermont Care Partners

Drake Turner, Let's Grow Kids
Nicole Whalen, VT Foodbank and Vermonters Feeding Vermonters
Richard Williams, Executive Director, Vermont State Housing Authority

11:00 AM **Adjourn Public Hearing**

11:15 AM **S.240 - An act relating to recruiting new remote workers and new relocating workers**

Rep. Jean O'Sullivan, Reporter, House Committee on Commerce and Economic
Development

11:45 AM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **S.240 - An act relating to recruiting new remote workers and new relocating workers**

VOTED

Rep. Michael Marcotte, Chair, House Committee on Commerce and Economic
Development

2:15 PM **Adjourn**

Thursday, February 20, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

8:45 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Members Budget Suggestions

Rep. Brian Cina, Burlington
Rep. James Harrison, Rutland-Windsor
Rep. Warren F. Kitzmiller, Montpelier
Rep. Carol Ode, Chittenden 6-1
Rep. Avram Patt, Lamoille-Washington
Rep. Charles "Butch" Shaw, Rutland District
Rep. Mary Sullivan, Burlington

- 10:30 AM Joint Assembly**
Election of College Trustees
- 11:45 AM Voluntary Introduction**
Vermont Fairs Association
- 1:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Advocates Hearing - NON- HS Sections in Room 11
- Jessica Barquist, Director of Policy and Organizing, Vermont Network Against Domestic & Sexual Violence
- Jonathan Bond, Executive Director, Housing Foundation, Inc.
- Olivia Campbell Andersen, Executive Director, Renewable Energy Vermont
- Sarah Carpenter, Chair, Rental Housing Advisory Board
- Tom Cheney, Director, Advance Vermont
- Paul Costello, Executive Director, Vermont Council on Rural Development
- Lauren-Glenn Davitian, PEG Television
- Molly Dugan, Director, Vermont Housing & Conservation Coalition
- Jordan Giaconia, Public Policy Director, Vermont Businesses for Social Responsibility
- Steve Howard, Executive Director, Vermont State Employees Association
- Sandrine Kibuey, Director, VT Tenants & Mobile Home Program/CVOEO
- David Mears, Forest Partnership
- Johanna Miller, Energy & Climate Program Director, Vermont Natural Resources Council
- Daniel Richardson, Vermont Access to Justice Coalition
- Betsy Rosenbluth, Vermont FEED Project Director, Vermont Farm to School Network
- Deb Snell, President, VFNHP, President, AFT Vermont
- Patricia Tedesco, VT Home Access Program, VCIL
- Steve Whitaker, Concerned Citizen
- Abbey White, Director of Communications and Public Affairs, Efficiency Vermont
- 2:00 PM Adjourn Advocates Hearing**
- 2:15 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 4:15 PM Next Day Review**
- 4:30 PM Adjourn**
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Friday, February 21, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Members Budget Suggestions

Rep. R. Scott Campbell, Calendonias-3

Rep. Carl Demrow, Orange-1

Rep. Philip Jay Hooper, Orange-Washington-Addison

Rep. John Killackey, Tourism Caucus, Chittenden 7-3

Rep. Paul Lefebvre, Essex-Caledonia-Orleans

Rep. Heidi E. Scheuermann, Tourism Caucus, Lamoille-1

Rep. Michael Yantachka, Chittenden 4-1

10:00 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

11:45 AM Recess for Lunch

1:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Committee Discussion

3:30 PM Adjourn

Monday, February 24, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

12:00 PM S.54 - An act relating to the regulation of cannabis

Possible Vote

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Michele Childs, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

- 1:00 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Review of Policy Committee Budget Recommendations
- 2:00 PM** **H.926 - An act relating to changes to Act 250**
Bill Review
- Greg Boulbol, General Counsel, Natural Resources Board
Ellen Czajkowski, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Katherine "Kari" Dolan, Reporter, House Committee on Natural Resources, Fish and
Wildlife
Louis Porter, Commissioner, Department of Fish and Wildlife
- 3:30 PM** **S.54 - An act relating to the regulation of cannabis**
Appropriations Committee Amendment
- Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Anthea Dexter-Cooper, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 4:15 PM** **Next Day Review**
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Tuesday, February 25, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.934 - An act relating to renter rebate reform**
Understanding of Bill - Review
- Craig Bolio, Commissioner, VT Department of Taxes
Doug Farnham, Senior Research Economist and the Director of Policy, Department of
Taxes
- 10:00 AM** **House Floor and Caucuses**
- 1:00 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion

- 2:30 PM** **H.926 - An act relating to changes to Act 250**
Appropriations Committee Proposed Amendment
Ellen Czajkowski, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 3:10 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Mark-Up of Language
- 4:15 PM** **Next Day Review**
- 4:00 PM** **Adjourn**
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Wednesday, February 26, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- after floor adjournment** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Thursday, February 27, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Impacts from S.23
Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office
- 9:15 AM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 10:30 AM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
General Assistance Housing
Sean Brown, Deputy Commissioner, Economic Services Division, Department for Children and Families
Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services
Ken Schatz, Commissioner, Department for Children and Families
- 11:00 AM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
One-time funding -- Joint Fiscal Office
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **House Convenes**

Friday, February 28, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.837 - An act relating to enhanced life estate deeds**
Erik FitzPatrick, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
- 9:30 AM** **House Convenes**
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Tuesday, March 10, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **Committee Discussion**

After floor **Caucuses and Lunch**

1:00 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion

2:30 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Specialized Child Care Transportation

Ken Schatz, Commissioner, Department for Children and Families

3:30 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
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Sean Brown, Deputy Commissioner, Economic Services Division, Department for Children and Families

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Wednesday, March 11, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.837 - An act relating to enhanced life estate deeds**
Committee Discussion and Vote

9:00 AM **H.742 - An act relating to Vermont's response to COVID-19**

Rep. Mari Cordes, Reporter, House Committee on Health Care

Rep. James Harrison, Sponsor, Rutland-Windsor

Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

- 9:30 AM** **H.775 - An act relating to creating the State Youth Council**
Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office
Rep. Michael Mrowicki, Reporter, House Committee On Government Operations
- 10:00 AM** **H.901 - An act relating to expanding access to adult technical education equipment funding**
Rep. Felisha Leffler, Reporter, House Committee on Corrections and Institutions
Rep. Charles "Butch" Shaw, Sponsor, Rutland District
- 11:00 AM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Commerce Committee Budget Recommendations
Rep. Charles Kimbell, Ranking Member, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development
Rep. Michael Marcotte, Chair, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Fish & Wildlife proposal - Boat Safety Federal \$
Michael E. Schirling, Commissioner, Department of Public Safety
- 1:15 PM** **H.692 - An act relating to providing mandatory cybersecurity awareness training to municipal employees**
Rep. Timothy Briglin, Chair, House Committee on Energy and Technology
Rep. Seth Chase, Reporter, House Committee on Energy and Technology
Karen Horn, Director, Public Policy & Advocacy, Vermont League of Cities and Towns
- 1:40 PM** **H.901 - An act relating to expanding access to adult technical education equipment funding**
Committee Discussion and Voted
- 1:45 AM** **H.742 - An act relating to Vermont's response to COVID-19**
Committee Discussion and Voted
- 2:00 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Retirement
Beth Pearce, State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer

3:30 PM **H.833 - An act relating to surface water diversions and financial surety requirements for holding tanks**

Voted

Rep. Amy Sheldon, Chair, House Committee on Natural Resources, Fish and Wildlife

4:00 PM **H.837 - An act relating to enhanced life estate deeds**

Committee Discussion and Voted

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Thursday, March 12, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

10:00 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

11:45 AM **Recess for Lunch**

1:00 PM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Friday, March 13, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Committee Discussion

11:45 AM Recess for Lunch

1:00 PM H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Committee Discussion

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Monday, March 16, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM Legislature on Break

No Meetings this week -- please check back frequently for changes

Tuesday, March 17, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM Legislature on Break

No Committee Meeting

Wednesday, March 18, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM **Legislature on Break**

No meetings today

Thursday, March 19, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM **Legislature on Break**

No Committee Meeting

Friday, March 20, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM **Legislature on Break**

No Committee Meeting

Tuesday, March 24, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Covid-19 tax implications; Education Fund

Graham Campbell, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

Mark Perrault, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

- 9:30 AM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Updates and Comments regarding Covid-19 costs incurred for FY20, including Medicaid
Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services
Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management
- 10:30 AM** **Adjourn Morning Meeting**
- 12:30 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Covid-19 Emergency - update on reserves, projected costs, other impacts or thoughts
Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
- 1:30 PM** **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion -- Next Steps
- 2:00 PM** **Adjourn**
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Wednesday, March 25, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:00 AM** **H.742 - An act relating to Vermont's response to COVID-19**
Review of the Senate Proposal
Jennifer Carbee, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Anthea Dexter-Cooper, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
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Thursday, March 26, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Congressional Stimulus Bill Review

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Friday, March 27, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Unemployment Insurance Questions

Michael Harrington, Acting Commissioner, Department of Labor

9:00 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

Monday, March 30, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

Tuesday, March 31, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

Wednesday, April 1, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Q & A on Covid-19

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Thursday, April 2, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H. - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

TBA

Friday, April 3, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **Joint Meeting with House Ways & Means**

Shared Challenges and Directions

Graham Campbell, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

Tuesday, April 7, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM No Meeting Scheduled

Wednesday, April 8, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

1:30 PM COVID-19

Unemployment Insurance

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office

2:00 PM COVID-19

Review of Fiscal Update - April 7, 2020

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

2:30 PM Adjourn

Thursday, April 9, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **No Meeting Scheduled**

Friday, April 10, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **No Meeting Scheduled**

Wednesday, April 15, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **COVID-19**

Unemployment Insurance

Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office

9:30 AM **Fiscal Update**

April 14, 2020 Fiscal Office Update

Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

9:45 AM **Committee Discussion**

Vermont State Colleges

10:15 AM **Commission Discussion**

Other

10:30 AM **Adjourn**

Wednesday, April 22, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM COVID 19 Response

- 1. JFC COVID-19 Acceptance of Grants*
- 2. Review of Joint Fiscal Office Update - as of April 21*

Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

9:30 AM COVID-19

Moody's Stress Testing of States - April 14, 2020

Dan White, Director, Moody's Analytics

10:00 AM Adjourn

Thursday, April 23, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

12:00 PM S.340 - An act relating to FY 2020 interfund borrowing authority

Committee Discussion and Vote

12:45 PM Adjourn

Wednesday, April 29, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM Revenue Update

*Joint Hearing with House Committee on Appropriations
streaming link: <https://legislature.vermont.gov/committee/streaming/house-ways-and-means>**

Tom Kavet, Legislative Economist, Kavet, Rockler & Associates, LLC
Mark Perrault, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

10:30 AM House Convenes

Thursday, April 30, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

3:00 PM COVID-19

*JFO Weekly Report
FY20 & FY21 Review
Budget Process/Time Line Discussion*

Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Monday, May 4, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

1:30 PM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Review

Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

2:30 PM H.945 - An act relating to creating a COVID-19 Manufacturing Grant Program

Rep. Charles Kimbell, Ranking Member, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development

3:00 PM **Adjourn**

Tuesday, May 5, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments**

Language - Committee Discussion

9:30 AM **H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments**

One-Time Funds - CHINS, SUD, MH

Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

10:00 AM **H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments**

Reserves

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

10:30 AM **Recess**

1:00 PM **H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments**

Human Services

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

2:00 PM **Commission Discussion**

2:30 PM **Adjourn**

Wednesday, May 6, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Committee Discussion

* *Boys and Girls State - Rep. Helm*

* *VT State Colleges Request*

9:00 AM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Human Services - DCF

Sean Brown, Deputy Commissioner, Economic Services Division, Department for Children and Families

Ken Schatz, Commissioner, Department for Children and Families

10:00 AM Adjourn

Thursday, May 7, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Clean Water

Emily Byrne, Management Services Director, Agency of Natural Resources

Julie Moore, Secretary, Agency of Natural Resources

9:30 AM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Committee Discussion

10:30 AM Recess

1:00 PM Updates/Proposals

1. *Bond Investment Earnings -- 10 minutes*

2. *FY 2020 Close-out -- 25 minutes*

3. *Municipal Borrowing -- 25 minutes*

Ashlynn Doyon, Executive Assistant and Policy Analyst, Office of the State Treasurer
Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management
Tom Huestis, Senior Managing Director, Public Resources Advisory Group
Beth Pearce, State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer

2:15 PM Municipal Borrowing

Karen Horn, Director, Public Policy & Advocacy, Vermont League of Cities and Towns
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Rebecca Wasserman, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

3:00 PM Adjourn

Friday, May 8, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Federal Funding to AHS

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

9:15 AM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Language - Sec. XX2

Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

9:30 AM S.343 - An act relating to delaying special education changes due to the COVID-19 state of emergency

Rep. Lawrence Cupoli, Reporter, House Committee on Education

9:50 AM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

10:00 AM Recess

11:25 AM S.343 - An act relating to delaying special education changes due to the COVID-19 state of emergency

11:35 PM Committee Discussion

11:55 AM Adjourn

Monday, May 11, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

3:00 PM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Transportation

Leonard LeBlanc, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Transportation

Neil Schickner, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

3:20 PM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

VSAC/Other

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

3:40 PM H.951 - An act relating to the municipal emergency statewide education property tax borrowing program

Proposed Amendment

Karen Horn, Director, Public Policy & Advocacy, Vermont League of Cities and Towns

Rebecca Wasserman, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

4:00 PM S.343 - An act relating to delaying special education changes due to the COVID-19 state of emergency

Committee Discussion

4:30 PM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Federal Guidance

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

5:00 PM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Committee Discussion

5:30 PM Adjourn

Tuesday, May 12, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:00 AM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Committee Discussion

10:45 AM Recess

2:00 PM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Review and Vote

3:00 PM Adjourn

Monday, May 18, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

11:00 AM H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year

Department budget instructions review

Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

11:45 AM COVID-19

Federal Funds Update

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

12:15 PM Committee Discussion

12:30 PM Adjourn

Tuesday, May 19, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H.607 - An act relating to increasing the supply of nurses and primary care providers in Vermont

Jennifer Carbee, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Annmarie Christensen, Reporter, House Committee on Health Care
Rep. Lori Houghton, House Committee on Health Care
Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
Rep. Peter Reed, House Committee on Health Care

9:30 AM H.955 - An act relating to capital construction and State bonding budget adjustment

Catherine Benham, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Rep. Alice M. Emmons, Chair, House Committee on Corrections and Institutions
Rep. Charles "Butch" Shaw, Vice Chair, House Committee on Corrections and Institutions
Rebecca Wasserman, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

10:30 AM Recess

11:00 AM H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

11:30 AM Recess

2:00 PM H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year

Review

Richard Donahey, Director of Budget and Management Operations, Department of Finance & Management

Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

Matt Riven, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

2:45 PM Adjourn

Wednesday, May 20, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM No Meeting Scheduled

Thursday, May 21, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

CARES Act funds for sanitation at public facilities

Emily Byrne, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Natural Resources

Julie Moore, Secretary, Agency of Natural Resources

9:00 AM H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year

Committee Members' Updates - Discussion

9:30 AM Recess

1:00 PM TBA

2:00 PM

H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year

Human Services

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

3:00 PM Adjourn

Friday, May 22, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H.611 - An act relating to the Older Vermonters Act

Jennifer Carbee, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

Rep. Daniel Noyes, Reporter, House Committee On Human Services

Rep. Theresa Wood, Reporter, House Committee On Human Services

9:30 AM Adjourn

Tuesday, May 26, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

9:30 AM Committee Discussion

1. *Gov.'s Economic Recovery Bill - Wed. at 9:00 a.m.*

2. *H.953 - Committee member updates*

3. *Other*

10:00 AM **Recess**

1:00 PM **H.611 - An act relating to the Older Vermonters Act**

Committee Discussion

Jennifer Carbee, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

2:00 PM **H.942 - An act relating to the Transportation Program and miscellaneous changes to laws related to transportation**

Proposed Amendment -- Tentative

Anthea Dexter-Cooper, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Rep. Curt McCormack, Chair, House Committee on Transportation

Neil Schickner, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

3:00 PM **Adjourn**

Wednesday, May 27, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.611 - An act relating to the Older Vermonters Act**

Committee Discussion

9:45 AM **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

10:30 AM **Adjourn**

Thursday, May 28, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.611 - An act relating to the Older Vermonters Act**
Committee Discussion
- 9:00 AM** **Recess**
- 1:45 PM** **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**
Committee Discussion
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
- 2:45 PM** **H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments**
Senate Proposal of Amendment
- 3:00 PM** **H.951 - An act relating to the municipal emergency statewide education property tax borrowing program**
Senate Proposal of Amendment
- 3:30 PM** **H.611 - An act relating to the Older Vermonters Act**
- 3:45 PM** **Adjourn**
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Friday, May 29, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.607 - An act relating to increasing the supply of nurses and primary care providers in Vermont**
Committee Discussion
Jennifer Carbee, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Annmarie Christensen, Reporter, House Committee on Health Care

Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

9:00 AM **H.953 - An act relating to fiscal year 2020 supplemental budget adjustments**

Committee Discussion

9:30 AM **Adjourn**

Monday, June 1, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:30 AM **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**

Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

11:30 AM **Recess**

2:00 PM **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

4:00 PM **Adjourn**

Tuesday, June 2, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **S.338 - An act relating to justice reinvestment**

Rep. Alice M. Emmons, Chair, House Committee on Corrections and Institutions

9:30 AM **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**

Committee Discussion

10:30 AM **Recess**

1:00 PM **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**

Committee Discussion

1:30 PM **Recess**

2:15 PM **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**

Committee Discussion

2:25 PM **Recess**

3:00 PM **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**

Committee Discussion

3:30 PM **Adjourn**

Wednesday, June 3, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM

H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year

**Town Highway Aid - House Trans. Committee Proposal*

**Pay Act*

Anthea Dexter-Cooper, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Rep. Curt McCormack, Chair, House Committee on Transportation

Neil Schickner, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

10:30 AM Adjourn

Thursday, June 4, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H.607 - An act relating to increasing the supply of nurses and primary care providers in Vermont

Committee Discussion

Jennifer Carbee, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Rep. Annmarie Christensen, House Committee on Health Care

Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

Rep. Peter Reed, House Committee on Health Care

9:20 AM Review Next Week's Agenda

Committee Discussion

9:30 AM S.338 - An act relating to justice reinvestment

Committee Discussion

Rep. Alice M. Emmons, Chair, House Committee on Corrections and Institutions

Brynn Hare, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Rep. Charles "Butch" Shaw, House Committee on Corrections and Institutions

10:30 AM Adjourn

Friday, June 5, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **S.338 - An act relating to justice reinvestment**
Committee Discussion
- 9:00 AM** **Higher Education**
James DesMarais, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Joyce Manchester, Senior Economist, Joint Fiscal Office
- 9:15 AM** **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**
Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
- 9:30 AM** **Adjourn**

Tuesday, June 9, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**
Proposed Amendments
Rep. Peter Conlon, House Committee on Education
Rep. Kathryn Webb, Chair, House Committee on Education
- 9:00 AM** **Adjourn**

Wednesday, June 10, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

1:00 PM **H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations**

Review of guidance and framework

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

1:30 PM **H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations**

Committee Discussion

2:00 PM **Recess for House Floor**

3:00 PM **S.350 - An act relating to creating emergency economic recovery grants**

David Hall, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Rep. Charles Kimbell, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development

Rep. Michael Marcotte, Chair, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development

Rep. Thomas Stevens, Chair, House Committee on General, Housing & Military Affairs

4:00 PM **H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations**

CRF policy committees' recommendations

5:00 PM **Adjourn**

Thursday, June 11, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM

H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations

House Committee on Energy & Technology

Rep. Timothy Briglin, Chair, House Committee on Energy and Technology
Maria Royle, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

9:30 AM H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations

House Committee on Education

James DesMarais, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Kathryn Webb, Chair, House Committee on Education

10:30 AM H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations

Recommendation from House Corrections & Institutions

Rep. Alice M. Emmons, Chair, House Committee on Corrections and Institutions
Rebecca Wasserman, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

11:30 AM Recess for Break

12:30 PM H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations

House Health Care Committee recommendations

Jennifer Carbee, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Anne B. Donahue, House Committee on Health Care
Rep. Lori Houghton, House Committee on Health Care
Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
Rep. William J. Lippert, Chair, House Committee on Health Care

1:30 PM H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations

House Judiciary Recommendations

Rep. Kevin "Coach" Christie, House Committee on Judiciary
Erik FitzPatrick, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Maxine Grad, Chair, House Committee on Judiciary

2:15 PM H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations

House Transportation recommendations

Rep. Mollie S. Burke, House Committee on Transportation
Anthea Dexter-Cooper, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Curt McCormack, Chair, House Committee on Transportation
Rep. Barbara Murphy, House Committee on Transportation
Neil Schickner, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

3:00 PM **Recess for Break**

3:30 PM **H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations**

House General Committee Recommendations

David Hall, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Thomas Stevens, Chair, House Committee on General, Housing & Military Affairs
Rep. Joseph "Chip" Troiano, House Committee on General, Housing & Military Affairs

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Friday, June 12, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations**

Review of CRF

Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

9:00 AM **H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations**

Committee Discussion

10:00 AM **Recess for House Floor**

3:15 PM **H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations**

House Human Service recommendations

Rep. Jessica Brumsted, House Committee On Human Services
Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
Rep. Francis McFaun, House Committee On Human Services
Katie McLinn, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Kelly Pajala, House Committee On Human Services
Rep. Ann Pugh, Chair, House Committee On Human Services
Rep. Theresa Wood, House Committee On Human Services

4:30 PM **Adjourn**

Monday, June 15, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

10:30 AM **H.964 - An act relating to compensation for certain State employees (Pay Act)**

Rep. John Gannon, House Committee On Government Operations
BetsyAnn Wrask, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

12:30 PM **Recess**

1:30 PM **H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations**

House Agriculture Committee recommendations

Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Carolyn W. Partridge, Chair, House Committee on Agriculture and Forestry

2:15 PM **H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations**

House Natural Resources recommendations

Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Rep. Amy Sheldon, Chair, House Committee on Natural Resources, Fish and Wildlife

3:30 PM **H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations**

Committee Discussion

4:30 PM Adjourn

Tuesday, June 16, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations

Committee Discussion

9:45 AM Recess

1:00 PM H. - An act relating to providing aid in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations

Committee Discussion

Wednesday, June 17, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM COVID-19 Recovery

Unemployment Insurance

Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

9:45 AM Recess

1:30 PM S.351 - An act relating to providing financial relief assistance to the agricultural community due to the COVID-19 public health emergency

Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

2:00 PM Adjourn

Thursday, June 18, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **Committee Discussion**

9:00 AM **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**

Senate Proposal

Stephanie Barrett, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Beth Pearce, State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer

9:45 AM **Recess**

1:00 PM **S.351 - An act relating to providing financial relief assistance to the agricultural community due to the COVID-19 public health emergency**

Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

2:00 PM **Housing**

DCF

Sean Brown, Deputy Commissioner, Economic Services Division, Department for Children and Families

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Sarah Truckle, Financial Director IV, Department for Children and Families

3:00 PM **Adjourn**

Friday, June 19, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.966 - An act relating to COVID-19 funding and assistance for broadband connectivity, housing, and economic relief**

Proposed amendment

Rep. Selene Colburn, Burlington

9:00 AM **S.349 - An act relating to emergency funding for local government**

Rep. John Gannon, House Committee On Government Operations

Rep. Marcia Gardner, House Committee On Government Operations

Rep. James Harrison, House Committee On Government Operations

Abby Shepard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

9:30 AM **CRF Recommendations**

Phase Two Economic Development COVID-19 Recovery

David Hall, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Rep. Charles Kimbell, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development

Rep. Michael Marcotte, Chair, House Committee on Commerce and Economic
Development

Rep. Jean O'Sullivan, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development

10:00 AM **Recess**

1:50 PM **S.349 - An act relating to emergency funding for local government**

Committee Discussion

After Floor **S.351 - An act relating to providing financial relief assistance to the agricultural community due to the COVID-19 public health emergency**

Committee Discussion

? **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**

Senate Proposal

Monday, June 22, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 1:00 PM** **Committee Discussion**
- 1:05 PM** **H.964 - An act relating to compensation for certain State employees (Pay Act)**
Rep. Cynthia Browning, Arlington
- 1:15 PM** **H.964 - An act relating to compensation for certain State employees (Pay Act)**
Committee Discussion
- 1:30 PM** **H.964 - An act relating to compensation for certain State employees (Pay Act)**
Beth Fastiggi, Commissioner, Department of Human Resources
Steve Howard, Executive Director, Vermont State Employees Association
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Tuesday, June 23, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 1:00 PM** **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**
Proposed Amendment
Rep. Cynthia Browning, Arlington
Rep. Diane Lanpher, House Committee on Appropriations
- 1:30 PM** **S.351 - An act relating to providing financial relief assistance to the agricultural community due to the COVID-19 public health emergency**
Proposed Amendment
Rep. James Gregoire, Franklin District
- 1:45 PM** **Adjourn**
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Wednesday, June 24, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **S.349 - An act relating to emergency funding for local government**
Proposed Amendment
Rep. Anne B. Donahue, Northfield
- 8:40 AM** **S.351 - An act relating to providing financial relief assistance to the agricultural community due to the COVID-19 public health emergency**
Committee Discussion
- 9:00 AM** **H.961 - An act relating to making first quarter fiscal year 2021 appropriations for the support of State government, federal Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) appropriations, pay act appropriations, and other fiscal requirements for the first part of the fiscal year**
Administrations comments on Senate proposal
Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management
- 9:30 AM** **Adjourn**
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Thursday, June 25, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:00 AM** **H.942 - An act relating to the Transportation Program and miscellaneous changes to laws related to transportation**
Committee Discussion
- 9:15 AM** **H.955 - An act relating to capital construction and State bonding budget adjustment**
Committee Discussion
- 9:25 AM** **S.301 - An act relating to miscellaneous telecommunications changes**
Committee Discussion
- 9:35 AM** **H.959 - An act relating to education property tax**

Committee Discussion

9:45 AM **Recess**

1:30 PM **S.351 - An act relating to providing financial relief assistance to the agricultural community due to the COVID-19 public health emergency**

proposed amendment

Rep. Carolyn W. Partridge, Chair, House Committee on Agriculture and Forestry

2:00 PM **Adjourn**

Friday, June 26, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

4:00 PM **H.965 - An act relating to health care- and human services-related appropriations from the Coronavirus Relief Fund**

Senate Proposal review

Jennifer Carbee, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Katie McLinn, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

6:00 PM **H.966 - An act relating to COVID-19 funding and assistance for broadband connectivity, housing, and economic relief**

Senate Proposal review

David Hall, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Maria Royle, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Wednesday, August 12, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

3:30 PM Emergency Board Consensus Forecast Discussion

Joint hearing with House Committee on Ways & Means

Tom Kavet, Legislative Economist, Kavet, Rockler & Associates, LLC

Tuesday, August 18, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

1:00 PM H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Budget Review - JT w/House Committee on Ways & Means

Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

Matt Riven, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

2:30 PM Joint Committee Discussion

2:45 PM H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Military - JT w/House General, Military & General Affairs

Ken Gragg, Deputy Adjutant General, Vermont National Guard

Gregory C. Knight, Adjutant General, Vermont National Guard

3:30 PM Joint Committee Discussion

3:45 AM H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Agency of Education - JT w/House Committee on Education

Kathy Flanagan, Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Education

Daniel French, Secretary, Agency of Education

Brad James, Education Finance Manager, Agency of Education

4:45 PM Joint Committee Discussion

5:00 PM Adjourn

Wednesday, August 19, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 9:00 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Agency of Human Services - Central Office - W/House Committee on Human Services
Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services
Michael K. Smith, Secretary, Agency of Human Services
- 10:00 AM** **Committee Discussion**
- 10:30 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Agency of Digital Services - JT w/House Committee on Energy & Technology
John Quinn, Secretary, Agency of Digital Services
Kate Slocum, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Digital Services
- 11:30 AM** **Joint Committee Discussion**
- 11:45 AM** **Recess for Break**
- 1:00 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Department of Buildings & General Services - JT w/House Committee on Corrections & Institutions
Chris Cole, Commissioner, Department of Buildings and General Services
Erik Filkorn, Principal Assistant, Buildings and General Services
Jennifer Fitch, Deputy Commissioner, Buildings & General Services
- 2:00 PM** **Joint Committee Discussion**
- 2:15 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Vermont State Colleges - JT w/House Committee on Education
Sharron Scott, Chief Financial Officer, Vermont State Colleges
Sophie Zdatny, Chancellor, Vermont State Colleges
- 3:15 PM** **Committee Discussion**

3:30 PM **Committee Discussion**

4:00 PM **Adjourn**

Thursday, August 20, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Department for Children & Families - JT w/House Committee on Human Services

Sean Brown, Commissioner, Department for Children and Families

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Sarah Truckle, Financial Director IV, Department for Children and Families

10:00 AM **Joint Committee Discussion**

10:15 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

VT Department of Health - JT W/House Committee on Human Services

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Paul Daley, Financial Director, Vermont Department of Health

Tracy Dolan, Deputy Commissioner, Vermont Department of Health

Mark Levine, Commissioner, Vermont Department of Health

11:15 AM **Joint Committee Discussion**

11:30 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Department of Mental Health - JT W/House Committee on Health Care

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Mourning Fox, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Mental Health

Sarah Squirrel, Commissioner, Department of Mental Health

12:30 PM **Joint Committee Discussion**

12:45 PM **Recess for Break**

- 2:30 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Department of Public Safety - JT w/House Committee on Government Operations
Matthew Birmingham, Vermont State Police, Department of Public Safety
Erica Bornemann, Director, Vermont Emergency Management & Homeland Security
Michael Derouchers, Director, Fire Safety Division, Public Safety Department
Richard Hallenbeck, Director of Administration, Department of Public Safety
Christopher Herrick, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Public Safety
Megan Klinefelter, Deputy Director of Administration, Department of Public Safety
Michael Schirling, Commissioner, Department of Public Safety
- 3:30 PM** **Joint Committee Discussion**
- 3:45 PM** **Recess for Break**
- 4:00 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Beth Pearce, State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Friday, August 21, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Department of Vermont Health Access - JT W/House Committee on Health Care
Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services
Cory Gustafson, Commissioner, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)
Lisa Schilling, Financial Director, Department of Vermont Health Access (DVHA)
- 9:30 AM** **Joint Committee Discussion**
- 10:00 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Department of Corrections- JT W/House Committee on Corrections & Institutions
James Baker, Commissioner, Department of Corrections

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services
Matt D'Agostino, Financial Officer, Department of Corrections

11:00 AM **Joint Committee Discussion**

11:15 AM **Recess for Break**

11:30 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

DDAIL - JT W/House Committee on Human Services

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Monica Caserta Hutt, Commissioner, Department of Disabilities, Aging and Independent Living

Bill Kelly, Chief Financial Officer, Department of Disabilities, Aging & Independent Living

12:00 PM **Joint Committee Discussion**

12:15 PM **Recess for Break**

1:30 PM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Department of Labor - JT w/House Committee on Commerce & Economic Development

Michael Harrington, Commissioner, Department of Labor

Chad Wawrzyniak, Chief Financial Officer, Department of Labor

2:30 PM **Joint Committee Discussion**

2:45 PM **Adjourn**

Monday, August 24, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

FY21 Base Budget

Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

- 10:00 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Review of Language
Matt Riven, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management
- 11:00 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 11:30 AM** **Adjourn**

Tuesday, August 25, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Agency of Agriculture - JT W/House Committee on Agriculture
Diane Bothfeld, Director of Administrative Services & Dairy Policy, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets
Amy Mercier, Financial Director, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets
Anson Tebbetts, Secretary, Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets
- 9:30 AM** **Committee Discussion**
- 9:45 AM** **Recess for House Floor**
- 10:00 AM** **House Convenes**
- 11:00 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Review of Language - Committee Discussion
- 1:30 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Agency of Commerce - JT W/House Commerce
Ted Brady, Deputy Secretary, Agency of Commerce and Community Development
Joan Goldstein, Commissioner, Department of Economic Development

Josh Hanford, Commissioner, Department of Housing and Community Development
Lindsay Kurrle, Secretary, Agency of Commerce and Community Development
Heather Pelham, Commissioner, Department of Tourism and Marketing, Agency of
Commerce and Community Development
Kathy Thayer-Gosselin, Financial Director, Agency of Commerce and Community
Development

3:00 PM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

3:15 PM **Recess for Break**

3:30 PM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

VHCB - JT W/House General, Housing & Military Affairs

Anne Duffy, Chief Financial Officer, Vermont Housing & Conservation Board
Jennifer Hollar, Director of Policy and Special Projects, Vermont Housing and
Conservation Board

Larry Mires, Administrative Officer, Vermont Housing and Conservation Board
Gus Seelig, Executive Director, Vermont Housing and Conservation Board

4:30 PM **Committee Discussion**

4:45 PM **Adjourn**

Wednesday, August 26, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

10:30 AM **Recess for Break**

10:45 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Mark-up - Discussion

- 1:00 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 2:15 PM** **Recess for Break**
- 2:30 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Mark-up - discussion
- 3:30 PM** **Recess for Break**
- 3:45 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Attorney General - Diversion
- T.J. Donovan, Vermont Attorney General, Attorney General's Office
Willa Farrell, Director, Court Diversion and Pre-Trial Services
Marcey Hodgdon, Finance Director, Attorney General's Office
Sarah London, Financial Director, Attorney General's Office
- 4:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Thursday, August 27, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 11:30 AM** **Recess**
- 2:00 PM** **House Convenes**
- 5:00 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Joint Public Hearing with Senate Committee on Appropriations
- Sage Barber, Brookfield
Mackenzie Budd, Strafford

Jose Luis Cordova, Migrant Justice
Olga Cruz, Migrant Justice
Tom Donahue, CEO, Bennington/Rutland Opportunity Council
Molly Dugan, Director, Cathedral Square
F.X. Flinn, Chair, ECFiber
Amanda Garces, Director of Policy, Education and Outreach, Vermont Human Rights
Commission
Jordan Giaconia, Public Policy Director, Vermont Businesses for Social Responsibility
Jessie Gustafson, Burlington
Bill Half, Harvest Hill Farm, Walden
Hannah Harrington, Richmond
Steve Howard, Executive Director, Vermont State Employees Association
Tim Hughes-Muse, Farmer, Pawlet
Janet Hunt, Executive Director, Vermont Association of the Area Agencies on Aging
Dana Kaplan, Executive Director, Outright Vermont
Sarah Kenney, Senior Director of Policy, Let's Grow Kids
Sarah Launderville, Executive Director, Vermont Center for Independent Living & Vermont
Coalition for Disability Rights
Abel Luna, Interpreter, Migrant Justice
Erhard Mahnke, Coordinator, Vermont Affordable Housing Coalition
Ann Manwaring, Chair, Deerfield Valley Communications Union District
David Mears, Executive Director, Audubon Vermont
Sue Minter, Executive Director, Capstone Community Action
Floyd Nease, Executive Director, Lamoille Family Center
Jill Olson, Director, Vermont Association for Home Health Agencies
Linda Olson, Vice President for Higher Education, Vermont State Colleges Faculty
Federation
Lori Pinsonneault, Bennington
Chirs Putnam-Pouliot, Hartford
Elizabeth Ramirez, Migrant Justice
Sonja Raymond, Executive Director, Vermont Association for the Education for Young
Children
Tammie Reilly, Manchester
Daniel Richardson, Vermont Access to Justice Coalition
Maggie Rubick, Preschool Teacher, Northshire Day School
Andrea Stander, Montpelier
Irv Thomae, Chair, ECFiber
Faour Wafic, Richmond
Beth Walsh, Cambridge
Kathleen Wanner, Chittenden
Tracy Zschau, Vice President for Conservation, Vermont Land Trust

Friday, August 28, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

11:00 AM **Recess**

1:00 PM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Public Hearing - JT w/Senate Committee on Appropriations

Courtney Anderson, Rutland

Molly Anderson, Middlebury

Susan Aranoff, Senior Planner and Policy Analyst, Vermont Developmental Disabilities Council

Ruby Baker, Executive Director, Community of Vermont Elders (COVE)

Carrie Becker, Pittsford

Uriel Calvo, Migrant Justice

David Carey, Chester

Paul Costello, Executive Director, Vermont Council on Rural Development

Jose Ignacio De La Cruz, Migrant Justice

Elizabeth Deutsch, Hinesburg

Chris Donnelly, Director of Community Relations, Champlain Housing Trust

Christine Hallquist, Manager/Consultant, NEK Broadband

Mark Hughes, Executive Director, Justice for All

Michael Kiey, Testimony Read into the record, Williston

Karen Lafayette, VT Coalition For Disability Rights

Davitian Lauren-Glenn, CCTV Center for Media & Democracy

Chloe Learey, Executive Director, Winston Prouty Center for Child and Family Development

Matt Levin, Executive Director, Early Childhood Advocacy Alliance

Abel Luna, Interpreter, Migrant Justice

Charles Martin, Government Affairs Director, VT Chamber of Commerce

Andrew Nuss, Clara Martin Center

Elilizabeth Sightler, Executive Director, Champlain Community Services

Julie Tessler, Executive Director, Vermont Care Partners

Graham Unangst-Rufehacht, Policy Director, Rural Vermont

Jane Van Buren, Executive Director, Child Care Resource, Inc.

Amy Wenger, Waterville

Linda Wichlac, President, Vermont Association for Adult Days

- 2:20 PM** **Adjourn**
- 2:30 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion - Mark-Up
- 3:30 PM** **Adjourn**
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Monday, August 31, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 10:00 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
B.1100a.3. - Language Review

Xusana Davis, Executive Director of Racial Equity, Agency of Administration; and Chair of the Governor's Task Force on Racial Equality
- 11:00 AM** **An act relating to the Coronavirus Relief Assistance for Immigrants**
Review of Fiscal Note

Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
- 12:00 PM** **Recess for Break**
- 1:15 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Mark-Up and Committee Discussion
- 3:00 PM** **Adjourn**
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Tuesday, September 1, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **Draft Legislation**
Coronavirus Relief Assistance for Immigrants
Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Legislative Council
- 10:10 AM** **Recess for Break**
- 10:30 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 1:15 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Mark-up and Discussion
- 1:30 PM** **An act relating to the Coronavirus Relief Assistance for Immigrants**
Xusana Davis, Executive Director of Racial Equity, Agency of Administration; and Chair of the Governor's Task Force on Racial Equality, Agency of Administration
- 2:30 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
DMV Technology Project Explanation/Cost
Anthony Falcos, Director of Enforcement & Safety, Department of Motor Vehicle
- 3:00 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
VT State Colleges Financial Construct
Stephen Klein, Chief Legislative Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
- 3:45 PM** **Adjourn**

Wednesday, September 2, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
CRF Spending Discussion

- 10:00 AM** **Economic Stimulus Equity**
Review of Draft Language
Rebecca Wasserman, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 11:30 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
VSEA language review
BetsyAnn Wrask, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 12:00 PM** **Recess for Break**
- 1:45 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Beth Pearce, State Treasurer, Office of the State Treasurer
- 1:15 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Discussion and Mark-Up
- 2:15 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Mark-up and Discussion
- 4:00 PM** **Adjourn**
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Thursday, September 3, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

- 8:30 AM** **State Tax and Spend Decisions in Economic Downturns**
Joint With House Committee on Ways & Means
Live Link - Ways Committee
Tom Kavet, Legislative Economist, Kavet, Rockler & Associates, LLC
Kim Rueben, Director State and Local Finance Initiative, Urban Institute
Dan White, Director, Moody's Analytics
- 10:30 AM** **Recess for Break**

- 10:45 AM** **H.968 - An act relating to the Vermont Coronavirus Economic Stimulus Equity Program**
Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 11:15 AM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Language: convening, organizing, and holding sessions in 21-22
BetsyAnn Wrask, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 12:00 PM** **Adjourn**
- 1:15 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 1:30 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
House Transportation Recommendations
Rep. Timothy R. Corcoran, House Committee on Transportation
Anthea Dexter-Cooper, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
Neil Schickner, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
- 2:00 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Language: Legislative Space
Catherine Benham, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office
Rebecca Wasserman, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel
- 2:30 PM** **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Committee Discussion
- 5:00 PM** **Adjourn**
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Friday, September 4, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Mark-Up and Discussion

10:30 AM **Recess for Break**

11:00 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Mark Up and Discussion

12:30 PM **Adjourn**

2:00 PM **House Floor**

4:00 PM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Mark-Up and Discussion

5:00 PM **Adjourn**

Tuesday, September 8, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.968 - An act relating to the Vermont Coronavirus Economic Stimulus Equity Program**

Review of Amendment

9:00 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Review of Draft Bill

10:00 AM **House Floor Convenes**

12:00 PM **Recess for Break**

1:00 PM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion - Vote

2:00 PM **S.220 - An act relating to professional regulation**

Bill Review

Rep. Harold "Hal" Colston, Reporter, House Committee On Government Operations
Dan Dickerson, Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
Rep. Michael Mrowicki, Reporter, House Committee On Government Operations
BetsyAnn Wrask, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

3:00 PM **Recess for Break**

3:30 PM **H.968 - An act relating to the Vermont Coronavirus Economic Stimulus Equity Program**

Michael O'Grady, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Wednesday, September 9, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.968 - An act relating to the Vermont Coronavirus Economic Stimulus Equity Program**

Amendment

Rep. Anne B. Donahue, Sponsor of amendment, Northfield

2:00 PM **Caucus of the Whole**

FY21 Budget Review

3:00 PM **House Floor Convenes**

Thursday, September 10, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

11:30 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Technical Amendments

2:00 PM **House Convenes**
2nd reading of FY21 Big Bill

Friday, September 11, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Members' Amendments - 3rd reading

Rep. Timothy Briglin, Thetford Center
Rep. James Harrison, Chittenden
Rep. Mark Higley, Lowell

10:00 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Policy Committee Memo

Rep. Anne B. Donahue, House Committee on Health Care

10:30 AM **Committee Discussion**

2:00 PM **House Convenes**
3rd Reading of FY21 Budget

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**
Administrations Policy Observations

Adam Greshin, Commissioner, Department of Finance & Management

10:00 AM House Convenes

Wednesday, September 16, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM TBA

2:00 PM House Convenes

Thursday, September 17, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **S.352 - An act relating to making certain amendments to the Front-Line Employees Hazard Pay Grant Program**

Review of the bill

Rep. Charles Kimbell, Reporter, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Chloe Wexler, Fiscal Data Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

9:45 AM **S.353 - An act relating to expanding the Front-Line Employees Hazard Pay Grant Program**

Review of the Bill

Rep. Stephanie Jerome, Reporter, House Committee on Commerce and Economic Development

Damien Leonard, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

Chloe Wexler, Fiscal Data Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

11:00 AM **Recess for Break**

11:15 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Review of CRF Senate Actions

Maria Belliveau, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

11:30 AM **S.124 - An act relating to governmental structures protecting the public health, safety and welfare**

Review of the Bill

Rep. Sarah Copeland Hanzas, Chair, House Committee On Government Operations

Nolan Langweil, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office

BetsyAnn Wrask, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

12:15 PM **Adjourn**

2:00 PM **House Convenes**

Friday, September 18, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **S.124 - An act relating to governmental structures protecting the public health, safety and welfare**

Vote

8:35 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Review of Senate Highlights

10:00 AM **House Floor**

Monday, September 21, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF)**

Human Services

Sean Brown, Commissioner, Department for Children and Families

Sarah Clark, Chief Financial Officer, Agency of Human Services

Sarah Truckle, Financial Director IV, Department for Children and Families

9:45 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Review of the Senate Proposal of Amendment

5:00 PM **Joint Assembly**

Judicial Retention

Tuesday, September 22, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Senate Proposal of Amendment

Jennifer Carbee, Deputy Chief Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

9:15 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Committee Discussion

10:00 AM **House Convenes**

Wednesday, September 23, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Senate Proposal

Catherine Benham, Associate Fiscal Officer, Joint Fiscal Office

Rebecca Wasserman, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Counsel

10:00 AM **House Convenes**

Thursday, September 24, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

8:30 AM **TBA**

10:00 AM **House Convenes**

Friday, September 25, 2020

Meeting Details

Hearing Type Standard

Meeting Record

9:00 AM **H.969 - An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government**

Conference Committee Report

10:00 AM **House Convenes**
