

AGENDA

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TASK FORCE UTAH LEGISLATURE

Thursday, December 6, 2012 • 8:00 a.m. • Room 445 State Capitol

Approximate
Time Frame

8:00 **1. Committee Business**

- Call to order and welcome
- Approval of the minutes from the November 15, 2012, task force meeting

8:10 **2. Utah Manufacturing and the Utah Economy**

Manufacturing is the process of building, assembling, or fabricating a product from raw materials through labor, machinery, and other means to make a product that can be used by a consumer. By adding value from start to finish, manufacturing fuels economic growth in many sectors of the economy including mining, transportation, warehousing, and retail. The task force will hear from representatives of the manufacturing industry on:

- *Utah's Manufacturing Initiative;*
 - *Workforce development needs in the manufacturing sector;*
 - *Tax incentives for the manufacturing industry; and*
 - *Expanding in Utah -- Procurement and supply chain needs.*
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- Todd Bingham, President, Utah Manufacturers Association
 - Matt Wardle, President, JD Machine
 - Steve Moore, Vice President of Operations, Barnes Aerospace
 - Susan Davis, Manufacturing Operations Management, L-3 Communications

10:30 **3. Other Task Force Business / Adjourn**