



Congressional Vacancies

A Prospective Plan

OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH AND GENERAL COUNSEL

Government Operations Interim committee

June 19, 2019



Overarching Policies - House

1) Maintain current schedule/policies



Signature Route to Ballot – Same Thresholds



Similar Timeframes



Exception: governor may shorten timeframes if necessary to hold election on a normally scheduled election

2) Use existing elections



Regular Primary/General Election



Municipal Primary/General Election



Presidential Primary



Exception: non-existing election date may be used if governor schedules and Legislature approves funding



Overarching Policies - Senate

Legislature submits three names to governor

- Legislative Management Committee submits three names to body
- Each name considered and voted upon separately
- Majority vote of both bodies required to submit each name to governor

Bill file needed for rules change



OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH AND GENERAL COUNSEL

Utah State Capitol Complex | W210 House Building | P.O. Box 145210 | Salt Lake City, Utah 84114 - 5210 | O: (801) 538-1032 | F: (801) 538-1712