



AGENDA

NATURAL RESOURCES, AGRICULTURE AND ENVIRONMENT INTERIM COMMITTEE

Tuesday, August 18, 2020 | 8:30 A.M. | Electronic Meeting (Originating in House 30)

As authorized by Utah Code, Title 52, Chapter 4, Open and Public Meetings Act and in accordance with Joint Rule 1-4-402, this meeting will be conducted electronically to limit the spread of the novel coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19). The Utah State Capitol is temporarily closed to visitors and members of the public are not permitted to attend the meeting at the anchor location.

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1. Committee Business

- Call to order
- Approval of the June 16, 2020 meeting minutes

2. Impact of COVID-19 on Agriculture and the Food Supply Chain

The committee will receive and discuss recommendations addressing the impact of COVID-19 on agriculture and the food supply chain.

- Commissioner Logan Wilde, Department of Agriculture and Food
- Committee discussion/action

3. Access to Agriculture Grants and Loans

The committee will receive and discuss recommendations regarding access to federal CARES Act grants and state loans for the agriculture sector.

- Commissioner Logan Wilde, Department of Agriculture and Food
- Committee discussion/action

4. Impact of COVID-19 on Oil, Gas, and Mining

The committee will receive and discuss recommendations and legislative options addressing the impact of COVID-19 on the oil, gas, and mining industry in the state.

- Brian Steed, Executive Director, Department of Natural Resources
- John R. Baza, Director, Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining
- Committee discussion/action

5. Payments In Lieu of Taxes (PILT) Payments as Federal Stimulus

The committee will discuss a resolution seeking full PILT payments from the federal government as economic stimulus for the state.

- Representative Keven J. Stratton
- Committee discussion/action

6. Status on the Conversion to Tier III Fuels

The committee will discuss the status of the conversion process to Tier III fuels, how to facilitate the conversion to Tier III fuels, and community access to Tier III fuels.

- Bryce Bird, Director, Air Quality



- Josh Jemente, Holly Frontier Refinery
- Mike Swanson, Big West Refinery
- Representative Suzanne Harrison
- Committee discussion/action

7. Electric Vehicle Charging Stations

The committee will discuss recent legislation and programs aimed at increasing access to electric vehicle charging stations.

- Representative V. Lowry Snow
- James Campbell, Rocky Mountain Power
- Lyle McMillan, Director, Strategic Investments, Utah Department of Transportation
- Committee discussion/action

8. Utah Clean Air Caucus

The committee will receive an overview from the clean air caucus regarding issues that the group is studying this year.

- Representative Stephen G. Handy
- Committee discussion/action

9. Utah Roadmap

The committee will discuss the Utah Roadmap recommendations that were prepared by the Kem C. Gardner Institute regarding climate and air quality.

- Natalie Gochnour, Director, Kem C. Gardner Policy Institute
- Committee discussion/action

10. Sunset Review – Section 19-2a-102, Air Quality Policy Advisory Board

- Committee Staff
- Rep. Timothy D. Hawkes
- Todd Bingham, Manufacturers Association
- Committee discussion/action

11. Sunset Review – Section 4-17-104, State Weed Committee

- Committee Staff
- Ron Hougaard, Director, Plant Industry Division, Department of Agriculture and Food
- Committee discussion/action

12. Sunset Review – Subsection 63J-4-608(3) Federal Lands Application Advisory Committee

- Committee Staff
- Kathleen Clark, Coordinator, Public Lands Policy Coordinating Office
- Rep. Brady Brammer
- Committee discussion/action

13. Automatic Repeal – Subsections 19-2-109.2(2) through (10) creates the Compliance Advisory Panel



- Committee Staff
- Scott Baird, Executive Director, Department of Environmental Quality
- Committee discussion/action

14. Other Items/Adjourn