

REVISED AGENDA--REVENUE AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE
Thursday, September 9, 2004, 8:00 a.m.
Room 137, State Capitol

Agenda times are approximate. Some items may take more or less time than is indicated.

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| 8:00 | 1. Call meeting to order, roll call, approval of July 9 Committee meeting minutes--
Sen. Bob Story, chair |
| 8:05 a.m. | 2. Montana corporation license tax
a. corporation tax analysis-- Terry Johnson, Legislative Fiscal Division
b. interstate comparisons of corporation tax rates, reporting requirements, apportionment factors, minimum tax, net operating loss periods-- Jeff Martin, Committee staff |
| 9:15 | 3. Trends in the value of personal property by industry type-- Randy Wilke, Department of Revenue |
| 9:35 | 4. Preliminary calculation of class eight trigger-- Terry Johnson, LFD |
| 9:45 | 5. Taxation of agricultural land
a. Department of Revenue proposal to revise valuation of agricultural land (bill draft request)-- Randy Wilke, Department of Revenue

b. Ownership criteria for classification as agricultural land-- Dolores Cooney, Montana Department of Revenue |
| 10:45 | 6. Liquor Store Owners Association legislative proposals-- Chris Byrd |
| 11:15 | 7. Rules related to dependents for medical savings account-- Shona McHugh, Department of Revenue |
| 11:30 | 8. Integrated Revenue Information System update-- Don Hoffman, Acting Director, Department of Revenue |
| 11:45 | 9. Public comment |
| | 10. Instructions to staff |
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| 1:15 | 11. Use of recycled glass in road base and in other local markets-- Brian Spangler, Department of Environmental Quality |

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- 1:45 12. Discussion of Montana Department of Transportation legislation--**Dave Galt, Director, Montana Department of Transportation**
a. signs on secondary roads (Committee bill); and
b. prohibition of open containers in motor vehicles
- 2:15 13. Safety report--**Dave Galt, MDT**
- 2:30 14. Highway special revenue account--**Jim Currie, MDT**
- 3:00 15. Status of federal funding for highways--**Sandy Straehl, MDT**
- 3:15 16. Design-build contracting program--**Dave Galt, MDT**
- 3:45 17. Test results of using biodiesel fuel in state vehicle fleet--**Chris Strong, Western Transportation Institute**
- 4:15 18. Update on Highway 2 environmental impact statement--**Dave Galt, MDT**
- 4:45 19. Public comment
20. Other business--instructions to staff--adjourn

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