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REVISED AGENDA

Wednesday & Thursday, July 16-17, 2014

Room 102, State Capitol

Wednesday, July 16, 2014

Agenda times are approximate. Public comment follows each agenda item.

- 1:00 1. Call to order -- roll call -- Rep. Nancy Ballance, Committee Vice Chair
- 1:05 2. Update on the Six-Year Reappraisal Cycle (Part 1) -- Mike Kadas, Director, Department of Revenue
- 2:15 3. Property tax simplification "wish list" (requested by committee) -- Mike Kadas
 - ▶ Past property tax studies -- Megan Moore, committee staff
- 2:45 4. Update of countries that may be considered tax havens -- Mike Kadas
 - a. Public comment
 - b. Committee recommendation on whether to retain or eliminate report
- 3:15 5. Break
- 3:30 6. Department of Revenue agency update -- Mike Kadas
 - a. Litigation Report
 - b. Emerging Issues
- 4:00 7. Entitlement Share Follow-up Request -- Emily Klungtvedt, Economist, Department of Revenue
- 4:30 8. Agency legislative proposals
 - a. Review of process for reviewing and authorizing agency legislation for drafting -- Megan Moore
 - b. Department of Revenue proposals -- Mike Kadas
 - c. Public comment
 - d. Committee action on agency requested legislative proposals
- 5:00 9. Public comment on any other topic within the committee's jurisdiction

Recess until July 17

Thursday, July 17, 2014

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- 8:00 1. Call to order -- roll call -- Rep. Nancy Ballance, Committee Vice Chair
- 8:05 2. SJR 23 Taxpayer Appeal Study
- a. Mediation and Dispute Resolution at Department of Revenue -- Dan Whyte, Acting Chief Legal Counsel, Department of Revenue
 - b. Additional information on mandatory mediation -- Megan Moore
 - c. Industrial property taxpayer bill draft (LC9902) -- Megan Moore
 - d. CPA representation bill draft (LC 9905)-- Jaret Coles, Staff attorney
 - e. Public comment
 - f. Work Session
- 9:15 3. SJR 26 Oversize Load Study
- a. Maps of common oversize routes and opportunities and challenges of oversize corridors -- Duane Williams, Administrator for Motor Carrier Division, Department of Transportation
 - b. Cost analysis for oversize routes -- Megan Moore
 - c. Public comment
 - d. Work Session
 - ▶ Decision tool
- 10:30 4. Break
- 10:45 5. Administrative Rule Review -- Jaret Coles
- 11:00 6. Staff suggested legislative cleanups -- Megan Moore
- 11:15 7. Agricultural Land Valuation Advisory Committee
- a. Overview of May meeting & June conference call -- Sen. Jergeson and Rep. Miller
 - b. Committee requested bill draft -- Megan Moore
 - c. Public comment
 - d. Committee action on draft and recommendation on advisory council
- 12:00 Lunch
- 1:00 8. Agency legislative proposals
- a. Department of Transportation proposals -- Pat Wise, Deputy Director, Department of Transportation
 - b. Public comment
 - c. Committee action on agency requested legislative proposals

- 1:30 9. Update on Federal Highway Trust Fund -- Pat Wise
- 1:45 10. Revenue estimate planning
- a. Overview of committee's duties and previous approaches -- Megan Moore
 - b. Assumptions included in revenue estimate -- Stephanie Morrison, Legislative Fiscal Division
 - c. Public comment
 - d. Committee direction to staff on revenue estimate agenda items for upcoming meetings
- 2:15 11. 2017 Outlook Report -- Amy Carlson, Legislative Fiscal Analyst, and Staff, Legislative Fiscal Division
- 2:45 12. Standard Error Report: Corporate Income Tax -- Sam Schaefer, Legislative Fiscal Division
- 3:15 13. Public comment on any other topic within the committee's jurisdiction
- Other business -- next meeting date: September 4-5 -- instructions to staff
- Adjourn

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