

NEBRASKA UNICAMERAL LEGISLATURE  
ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION  
WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF INTERIM COMMITTEE HEARINGS  
July 21, 2017

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**Thursday, August 24, 2017**

**Urban Affairs Committee**

**1:30 p.m. - Mid Plains Community College - North Campus, W.W. Wood Building, 1101 Halligan Drive, North Platte, NE**

**LR160** (*Hughes*) Interim study to examine the ability of municipalities in Nebraska to offer relocation incentives to attract new residents

**LR60** (*Urban Affairs Committee*) Interim study to examine issues related to the use of tax-increment financing

**Friday, August 25, 2017**

**Appropriations Committee and Revenue Committee**

**10:00 a.m. - Room 1113, State Capitol, Lincoln, NE**

Joint hearing of the Appropriations Committee and the Revenue Committee.

Presentation of the 2016 Nebraska Tax Incentives Annual Report from the Nebraska Department of Revenue.

**Open to the public, invited testimony only.**

**Friday, September 8, 2017**

**Appropriations Committee**

**9:00 a.m. - Room 1003, State Capitol, Lincoln, NE**

**LR113** (*Bolz*) Interim study to examine the long-term fiscal sustainability of the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund to pay for health care and related services

**LR139** (*Bolz*) Interim study to analyze the best use of the state's child welfare resources in line with its goals

**LR238** (*Stinner*) Interim study to examine the feasibility of acquiring funding for behavioral and mental health internship programs at the doctoral level in rural Nebraska

**Appropriations Committee**

**1:00 p.m. - Room 1003, State Capitol, Lincoln, NE**

**LR164** (*Quick*) Interim study to examine the need for restoration, development, and capital improvement of sites that attract tourists to and within Nebraska

**LR225** (*Harr*) Interim study to assess the condition of property related to Willa Cather as described in section 82-129

**LR242** (*Kuehn*) Interim study to examine the feasibility of zero-based budgeting for state agencies

**Friday, September 15, 2017**

**Judiciary Committee**

**9:30 a.m. - Room 1113, State Capitol, Lincoln, NE**

**LR114** (*Judiciary Committee*) Interim study to examine Nebraska's statutes relating to geriatric or compassionate release laws for elderly inmates

**LR191** (*Ebke*) Interim study to examine possible legislative reforms to Nebraska's mandatory minimum sentencing laws

**LR198** (*Pansing Brooks*) Interim study to examine the impact of incarceration on children in Nebraska

**LR221** (*Hansen*) Interim study to examine possible reforms to Nebraska's sentencing laws to accommodate an option of deferred judgment probation

**Friday, September 22, 2017**

**Natural Resources Committee**

**1:30 p.m. - Room 1525, State Capitol, Lincoln, NE**

**LR125** (*Hughes*) Interim study to examine public power in Nebraska

**Friday, September 29, 2017**

**Urban Affairs Committee**

**1:30 p.m. - Hall County Extension Office, College Park, 3180 W. Highway 34, Grand Island, NE**

**LR138** (*Crawford*) Interim study to examine the tools, mechanisms, and funding sources available to municipalities to provide for condemnation or demolition of vacant and abandoned buildings

**LR60** (*Urban Affairs Committee*) Interim study to examine issues related to the use of tax-increment financing

Friday, October 6, 2017

**Urban Affairs Committee**

**1:30 p.m. - Room 1510, State Capitol, Lincoln, NE**

**LR81** (*Wayne*) Interim study to examine the adoption and enforcement of state fire codes

**LR60** (*Urban Affairs Committee*) Interim study to examine issues related to the use of tax-increment financing

Friday, October 20, 2017

**Judiciary Committee**

**9:30 a.m. - Room 1113, State Capitol, Lincoln, NE**

**LR172** (*Wishart*) Interim study to review recruitment and retention efforts that are currently or could potentially be undertaken by the Dept. of Correctional Services

**LR173** (*Wishart*) Interim study to review the work detail and work release efforts at the community corrections centers

**Judiciary Committee and Nebraska Justice System Special Oversight Committee**

**1:30 p.m. - Room 1113, State Capitol, Lincoln, NE**

**LR196** (*Ebke*) Interim study to track the progress of the Dept. of Correctional Services and to ensure the intentions set forth by the Legislature are being complied with and carried out

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