



## SPECIAL REPORT

January 12, 2023

**SENATE POLICY AND APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEES ANNOUNCED** – Today, the *Senate* released a full list of official committee assignments.

Members of the *Democratic* majority are listed first, while *Republican* minority members are bolded and italicized.

- **Appropriations:** Chair Sarah Anthony, Majority Vice Chair Sean McCann, Kristen McDonald-Rivet, John Cherry, Rosemary Bayer, Sylvia Santana, Sue Shink, Jeff Irwin, Kevin Hertel, Darrin Camilleri, Veronica Klinefelt, Mallory McMorrow, Mary Cavanagh, ***Minority Vice Chair John Bumstead, Thomas Albert, John Damoose, Mark Huizenga, Rick Outman, Lana Theis.***
- **Civil Rights, Judiciary, and Public Safety:** Chair Stephanie Chang, Majority Vice Chair Shink, Paul Wojno, Irwin, Santana, ***Minority Vice Chair Jim Runestad, Ruth Johnson.***
- **Economic and Community Development:** Chair McMorrow, Majority Vice Chair Cavanagh, Dayna Polehanki, Cherry, McDonald-Rivet, Jeremy Moss, Erika Geiss, ***Minority Vice Chair Roger Victory, Jonathan Lindsey, Mike Webber.***
- **Education:** Chair Polehanki, Majority Vice Chair Geiss, Chang, Camilleri, McDonald-Rivet, ***Minority Vice Chair Damoose, Johnson.***
- **Elections and Ethics:** Chair Moss, Majority Vice Chair Wojno, Santana, McMorrow, Chang, Camilleri, ***Minority Vice Chair Johnson, Ed McBroom (R-Waucedah).***
- **Energy and Environment:** Chair McCann, Majority Vice Chair McDonald-Rivet, Sam Singh (D-East Lansing), Bayer, Shink, Hertel, Camilleri, Chang, Polehanki, ***Minority Vice Chair Dan Lauwers (R-Brockway Township), Joe Bellino (R-Monroe), Outman, Roger Hauck (R-Mt. Pleasant), Damoose.***
- **Finance, Insurance, and Consumer Protection:** Chair Cavanagh, Majority Vice Chair Moss, McCann, Bayer, Irwin, ***Minority Vice Chair Huizenga, Theis, Kevin Daley (R-Lapeer County).***
- **Government Operations:** Chair Winnie Brinks (D-Grand Rapids), Majority Vice Chair Singh, Moss, ***Minority Vice Chair Aric Nesbitt (R-Porter Township), Lauwers.***

- **Health Policy:** Chair Hertel, Majority Vice Chair Santana, Wojno, Cherry, Klinefelt, Geiss, *Minority Vice Chair Webber, Hauck, Huizenga, Runestad.*
- **Housing and Human Services:** Chair Irwin, Majority Vice Chair Santana, Cavanagh, Bayer, Shink, Chang, Cherry, Geiss, *Minority Vice Chair Lindsey, Michele Hoitenga (R-Manton), Damoose.*
- **JCAR:** Chair Wojno, Majority Vice Chair Bayer, McMorrow, *Minority Vice Chair Theis, Runestad.*
- **Labor:** Chair Cherry, Majority Vice Chair Camilleri, Cavanagh, *Minority Vice Chair Albert.*
- **Local Government:** Chair Klinefelt, Majority Vice Chair Wojno, Moss, Bayer, Shink, *Minority Vice Chair Hoitenga, Daley.*
- **Natural Resources and Agriculture:** Chair Shink, Majority Vice Chair Cherry, Singh, Polehanki, *Minority Vice Chair Daley, Victory, Hoitenga.*
- **Oversight:** Chair Singh, Majority Vice Chair McMorrow, Geiss, Polehanki, *Minority Vice Chair McBroom, Lindsey.*
- **Regulatory Affairs:** Chair Moss, Majority Vice Chair Polehanki, McCann, Wojno, Santana, Hertel, *Minority Vice Chair Hauck, Webber, Lauwers, Bellino.*
- **Transportation and Infrastructure:** Chair Geiss, Majority Vice Chair Klinefelt, Wojno, Hertel, Camilleri, Chang, McCann, *Minority Vice Chair Bellino, Victory, Bumstead, McBroom.*
- **Veterans and Emergency Services:** Chair Klinefelt, Majority Vice Chair Hertel, Santana, *Minority Vice Chair Outman.*

The Senate also released *Appropriations Subcommittees* assignments, which can be viewed [here](#).

**HOUSE POLICY AND APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEES ANNOUNCED** – Today, the *House* released a full list of official committee assignments.

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- **Agriculture:** Reggie Miller (Chair), Veronica Paiz (Vice-Chair), Emily Divendorf, Carrie Rheingans, Stephanie Young, Lori Stone, John Fitzgerald, Betsy Coffia, ***Jerry Neyer (Minority Vice-Chair), Curt VanderWall, Matthew Bierlein, John Roth, Rachelle Smit.***
- **Appropriations:** Angela Witwer (Chair), Amos O’Neal (Vice-Chair), Natalie Price, Alabas Farhat, Regina Weiss, Jason Morgan, Felicia Brabec, Rachel Hood, Julie Brixie, Jasper Martus, Phil Skaggs, Donovan McKinney, Ranjeev Puri, Christine Morse, Will Snyder, Samantha Steckloff, Jimmie Wilson, Denise Mentzer, ***Sarah Lightner (Minority Vice Chair), Ken Borton, Phil Green, Andrew Fink, Ann Bollin, Timothy Beson, Bradley Slagh, Thomas Kuhn, Nancy De Boer, Donni Steele, Bill Schuette, Cam Cavitt.***
- **Criminal Justice:** Kara Hope (Chair), Joey Andrews (Vice-Chair), Stephanie Young, Tyrone Carter, Kelly Breen, Penelope Tsernoglou, Noah Arbit, Emily Divendorf, ***Graham Filler (Minority Vice-Chair), Mike Mueller, Brian BeGole, Mike Harris, Bob Bezotte.***

- **Economic Development and Small Business:** Jason Hoskins (Chair), Kristian Grant (Vice-Chair), Tulio Liberati, Reggie Miller, Cynthia Neeley, Karen Whitsett, Betsy Coffia, Alabas Farhat, **Mark Tisdell (Minority Vice-Chair), John Roth, Greg VanWoerkom, David Martin, Alicia St. Germaine.**
- **Education:** Matt Koleszar (Chair), Jaime Churches (Vice-Chair), Dylan Wegela, Kimberly Edwards, Nate Shannon, Lori Stone, Carol Glanville, Regina Weiss, Jennifer Conlin, **Jaime Greene (Minority Vice-Chair), Pauline Wendzel, Gregory Markkanen, Gina Johnsen, Brad Paquette.**
- **Elections:** Penelope Tsernoglu (Chair), Dylan Wegela (Vice-Chair), Erin Byrnes, Matt Koleszar, Kara Hope, Jaime Churches, **Gregory Markkanen (Minority Vice-Chair), Rachelle Smit.**
- **Energy, Communications, and Technology:** Helena Scott (Chair), Joey Andrews (Vice-Chair), Cynthia Neeley, Jaime Churches, Karen Whitsett, Kevin Coleman, Jenn Hill, Mike McFall, Sharon MacDonnell, Erin Byrnes, **Pauline Wendzel (Minority Vice-Chair), Kathy Schmaltz, Brian BeGole, Joe Aragona, Jaime Greene, Pat Outman, Dave Prestin.**
- **Ethics and Oversight:** Erin Byrnes (Chair), Kara Hope (Vice-Chair), Jaime Churches, Dylan Wegela, Jason Hoskins, Kelly Breen, **Tom Kunse (Minority Vice-Chair), Mike Harris, Doug Wozniak.**
- **Families, Children, and Seniors:** Stephanie Young (Chair), Betsy Coffia (Vice-Chair), Carol Glanville, Sharon MacDonnell, Noah Arbit, Kimberly Edwards, **Doug Wozniak (Minority Vice-Chair), Gina Johnsen, Joseph Fox, Neil Friske.**
- **Government Operations:** Tulio Liberati (Chair), Laurie Pohutsky (Vice-Chair), Mike McFall, **Bryan Posthumus (Minority Vice-Chair), Jaime Greene.**
- **Health Policy:** Julie Rogers (Chair), Karen Whitsett (Vice-Chair), Carrie Rheingans, Reggie Miller, John Fitzgerald, Cynthia Neeley, Alabas Farhat, Jim Haadsma, Brenda Carter, Carol Glanville, Jennifer Conlin, Betsy Coffia, **Curt VanderWall (Minority Vice-Chair), Jamie Thompson, Mike Mueller, Graham Filler, John Roth, Kathy Schmaltz, Greg VanWoerkom.**
- **Higher Education:** Carol Glanville (Chair), Carrie Rheingans (Vice-Chair), Erin Byrnes, Betsy Coffia, Veronica Paiz, Sharon MacDonnell, Jenn Hill, Helena Scott, Matt Koleszar, **Curt VanderWall (Minority Vice-Chair), Tom Kunse Brad Paquette, Dale Zorn, James DeSana.**
- **Insurance and Financial Services:** Brenda Carter (Chair), Mike McFall (Vice-Chair), Lori Stone, John Fitzgerald, Kevin Coleman, Kristian Grant, Stephanie Young, Julie Rogers, Helena Scott, Kelly Breen, **Mike Harris (Minority Vice-Chair), Jerry Neyer, Bob Bezotte, Rachelle Smit, Joe Aragona, Gregory Markkanen, William Bruck.**
- **Judiciary:** Kelly Breen (Chair), Kimberly Edwards (Vice-Chair), Kara Hope, Jason Hoskins, Tyrone Carter, Penelope Tsernoglu, Noah Arbit, Emily Dievendorf, **Andrew Fink (Minority Vice-Chair), Pauline Wendzel, Pat Outman, Doug Wozniak, Gina Johnsen.**
- **Labor:** Jim Haadsma (Chair), Denise Mentzer (Vice-Chair), Joey Andrews, Jaime Churches, Amos O'Neal, Matt Koleszar, Dylan Wegela, **Doug Wozniak (Minority Vice-Chair), Mike Mueller, Tom Kunse.**
- **Local Government and Municipal Finance:** John Fitzgerald, (Chair), Erin Byrnes (Vice-Chair), Jenn Hill, Julie Rogers, Kelly Breen, Jason Hoskins, Veronica Paiz, Nate Shannon, **Dale Zorn (Minority-Vice Chair), Brad Paquette, Bob Bezotte, Mike Harris, Dave Prestin.**
- **Military, Veterans, and Homeland Security:** Jennifer Conlin, (Chair), Kevin Coleman (Vice-Chair), Lori Stone, Julie Rogers, Tyrone Carter, Dylan Wegela, **Gregory Markkanen (Minority Vice-Chair), Bob Bezotte, Steve Carra, Jay DeBoyer.**

- **Natural Resources, Environment, Tourism, & Outdoor Recreation:** Laurie Pohutsky (Chair), Jenn Hill (Vice-Chair), Veronica Paiz, Mike McFall, Nate Shannon, Noah Arbit, **David Martin (Minority Vice-Chair), Josh Schriver, Mark Tisdel.**
- **Regulatory Reform:** Tyrone Carter (Chair), Tulio Liberati (Vice-Chair), Mike McFall, Will Snyder, Stephanie Young, Kristian Grant, Helena Scott, Jimmie Wilson, Cynthia Neeley, **Mike Mueller (Minority Vice-Chair), Graham Filler, Matthew Bierlein, Jerry Neyer, Pauline Wendzel, Joe Aragona.**
- **Tax Policy:** Cynthia Neeley (Chair), Alabas Farhat (Vice-Chair), Kristian Grant, Karen Whitsett, Natalie Price, Brenda Carter, Julie Brixie, **Greg VanWoerkom (Minority Vice-Chair), Gregory Markkanen, Pat Outman, Mark Tisdel, Andrew Fink.**
- **Transportation, Mobility, and Infrastructure:** Nate Shannon (Chair), Sharon MacDonnell (Vice-Chair), John Fitzgerald, Jason Hoskins, Jennifer Conlin, Kevin Coleman, Alabas Farhat, Reggie Miller, **Pat Outman (Minority Vice-Chair), John Roth, Alicia St. Germaine, William Bruck, Tom Kunse.**
- **Joint Committee on Administrative Rules:** Jim Haadsma (Chair), Tulio Liberati (Vice-Chair), Brenda Carter, **Matthew Bierlein (Minority Vice-Chair), Andrew Beeler.**
- **House Fiscal Governing Committee:** Angela Witwer (Chair), Joe Tate (Vice-Chair), Abe Aiyash, **Sarah Lightner (Minority Vice-Chair), Bryan Posthumus, Matt Hall.**
- **Legislative Council:** Joe Tate (Chair), Angela Witwer (Vice-Chair), Laurie Pohutsky, Abe Aiyash, **Matt Hall (Minority Vice-Chair), Bryan Posthumus.**

**At the time of publication, a list of *House Appropriations Subcommittees* and their members have not been released. To view the chairs and majority vice chairs of the *House Appropriations Subcommittees*, please click [here](#).**

**CREC TOMORROW MORNING** – Tomorrow morning at 9 a.m. the January *Consensus Revenue Estimating Conference (CREC)* is going to be held in the *House Appropriations Committee* room.

*CREC* is used to reevaluate the consensus revenue estimates for Fiscal Years 2022-23, 2023-24, and 2024-25. Directors from the *Senate Fiscal Agency (SFA)* and *House Fiscal Agency (HFA)* participate in the conference, as does a representative from the *Governor’s Office* which is either the *State Budget Director* or *State Treasurer*, but often both. The professionals share and discuss their independent economic and revenue forecasts, and then reach consensus agreements on these forecasts to be used in preparing the state government budget.

To view the agenda for tomorrow, please click [here](#).

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