

Senate Interim Calendar

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Updated Thursday, October 13, 2005
(Changes are underlined and italicized.)

SENATE SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 17, 2005				
(This is a schedule of times and places set by the Committee on Rules and Calendar and is subject to change.)				
MONDAY OCTOBER 17, 2005	TUESDAY OCTOBER 18, 2005	WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 19, 2005	THURSDAY OCTOBER 20, 2005	FRIDAY OCTOBER 21, 2005
	9:00-11:00 a.m. Group II Communications & Public Utilities Rm. 301 (SB) Community Affairs Rm. 401 (SB) Education Rm. 110 (SB) Ethics & Elections (NM)*	8:00 a.m.-until completion of agenda <u>Democratic Caucus</u> Rm. 228 (SB) 9:00-11:00 a.m. Group IV Agriculture Rm. 37 (SB) Banking & Insurance Rm. 412 (KB) Commerce & Consumer Services Rm. 401 (SB) Domestic Security Rm. 301 (SB)	9:00-11:00 a.m. Group VI Education Approp. Rm. 412 (KB) General Government Approp. Rm. 301 (SB) Government Efficiency Approp. Rm. 110 (SB) Health & Human Services Approp. Rm. 401 (SB) Justice Approp. Rm. 37 (SB) Transportation & Economic Development Approp. Rm. 309 (CB)	
Lunch and District Office	Lunch and District Office	Lunch and District Office	Lunch and District Office	
1:00-3:00 p.m. Legislative Commission on Migrant & Seasonal Labor Rm. 401 (SB) 2:30-4:30 p.m. Manufactured Housing Regulatory Study Commission Rm. 404 (HB) 3:15-5:00 p.m. Administrative Procedures (NM)* Legislative Auditing Rm. 309 (CB) Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations Rm. 110 (SB)	2:00-4:00 p.m. Group III Children & Families Rm. 301 (SB) Environmental Preservation Rm. 401 (SB) Regulated Industries Rm. 110 (SB) Transportation Rm. 37 (SB)	2:00-4:00 p.m. Group V Criminal Justice Rm. 37 (SB) Governmental Oversight & Productivity Rm. 110 (SB) Health Care Rm. 412 (KB) Judiciary Rm. 401 (SB)	1:30-3:30 p.m. <u>Legislative Budget Commission</u> Rm. 212 (KB)	
				(NM)* = Not Meeting

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Committee Meetings for October 17 - 20, 2005

MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2005

1:00—3:00 p.m.

**Legislative Commission on Migrant and Seasonal Labor
(Group I):** 1:00—3:00 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senators Alexander, Aronberg and Peadar)

Presentation by staff of the duties and authority of the commission

2:30—4:30 p.m.

Manufactured Housing Regulatory Study Commission:
2:30—4:30 p.m., Room 404, House Office Building:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senators Lawson and Sebesta)

Commission members will review information provided in response to members' requests from the September 12, 2005 commission meeting, and conduct other business as authorized by section 21 of chapter 2005-147, Laws of Florida

3:15—5:00 p.m.

Legislative Auditing Committee (Group I): 3:15—5:00 p.m.,
Verle A. Pope Committee Room, 309 Capitol:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senator Wise, Alternating Chair; Senators Aronberg, Crist, Hill and Posey)

Request from Senator Jeff Atwater, Representative Carl Domino and Representative Priscilla Taylor for an audit of the City of Riviera Beach and the City of Riviera Beach's Community Redevelopment Agency

Certified petition request to have the Committee direct the Auditor General to conduct an audit of the City of Cedar Grove

Update by Dr. Castell Bryant, Interim President, Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University, to the Auditor General's audits of the University, Report Nos. 2004-175 and 2005-032

Presentation and discussion of the Auditor General's audit of the Department of Management Services' MYFLORIDAMARKETPLACE System Information Technology Audit, Report No. 2006-015

Other committee business

**Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations
(Group I):** 3:15—5:00 p.m., Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senator Jones, Alternating Chair; Senators Constantine, Klein and Lynn)

Update on the activities of the Florida Impact Fee Review Task Force

Presentation of Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations' Report on Compensation of School Superintendents

Presentation of Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations' Report on Natural Disaster Preparedness, Response and Recovery

Other business

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2005

9:00—11:00 a.m.

Communications and Public Utilities (Group II): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Constantine, Chair; Senator Aronberg, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Atwater, Diaz de la Portilla, Dockery, Garcia, Margolis, Miller and Smith)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-106 (Review of Access by Communications Companies to Customers in Multitenant Environments)

Presentation of Interim Monitor Project 2006-328 (Implementation of the Tele-Competitive Innovation and Infrastructure Enhancement Act of 2003)

Presentation of Interim Monitor Project 2006-325 (Implementation of the Electric Utility Storm Infrastructure Recovery Statute)

Presentation of Interim Monitor Project 2006-326 (Implementation of the Revised Statutes on Lifeline Assistance)

Presentation of Interim Monitor Project 2006-327 (Implementation of the Revised Statutes on Public Service Commission Ethics and Selection of Commissioners)

Community Affairs (Group II): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Bennett, Chair; Senator Haridopolos, Vice-Chair; Senators Clary, Geller, Hill, Lawson, Pruitt and Villalobos)
Presentations by the Departments of Community Affairs, Transportation, Education, Environmental Protection, and the Executive Director of the Century Commission on the implementation of Florida's new growth management law, chapter 2005-290, Laws of Florida

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-208 (Open Government Sunset relating to Code Enforcement Officers) and consideration of proposed committee bill:

SPB 7000 —Code Enforcement Officers/OGSR

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-207 (Open Government Sunset relating to Human Resource Directors) and consideration of proposed committee bill:

SPB 7002 —Human Resource Directors/OGSR

The amendment deadline for this meeting, including proposed committee substitutes and delete everything amendments, is Monday, October 17, 2005 at 9:00 a.m. All amendments must be in final form and barcoded when filed.

Education (Group II): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Lynn, Chair; Senator Baker, Vice-Chair; Senators Bullard, King, Klein, Webster, Wilson and Wise)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-116 (Middle School Reform)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-115 (High School Reform)

Margaret A. Smith, D.Ed., Superintendent of Schools, Volusia County School District, presentation on High School Reform

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-117 (Private Schools Participating in Educational Scholarship Programs and Criminal Background Checks of Personnel with Direct Student Contact)

2:00—4:00 p.m.

Children and Families (Group III): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Campbell, Chair; Senator Webster, Vice-Chair; Senators Fasano, Lynn, Peadar and Rich)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-104 (Comparison of Florida's Permanency Provisions for Foster Children to Federal Requirements)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-204 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 61.1827, F.S., Child Support Services)

The Agency for Persons with Disabilities: Status and Direction

Ross Fabricant, Chief Legislative Analyst, Senate Health and Human Services Appropriations Committee
Tom Roth, Staff Director, Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability (OPPAGA)
Nila Benito, Chair, Blue Ribbon Task Force
Shelly Brantley, Director, Agency for Persons with Disabilities

Environmental Preservation (Group III): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Dockery, Chair; Senator Siplin, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Argenziano, Baker, Constantine, Lawson and Smith)

Presentation by the five water management districts on their 2006 budget proposals and an update on the implementation of CS/CS/CS/SB 444 (2005) on the state's water resource development efforts

Update by the Department of Environmental Protection and the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission on the Florida Oceans and Coastal Council organizational meeting

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-121 (Review of the Solid Waste Management Act)

Regulated Industries (Group III): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Jones, Chair; Senator Hill, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Dawson, Geller, Haridopolos, King, Posey, Saunders and Wise)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-224 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 569.215, F.S., Tobacco Settlement)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-146 (Direct Shipment of Wine to Florida Consumers)

Presentation by Mr. Richard M. Blau, Chairman, ABA Committee on Beverage Practice, relating to the "Three Tier System" of alcoholic beverage distribution and how Florida's distribution system may be affected by recent federal court decisions concerning the direct shipment of wine by out-of-state shippers to Florida consumers

Presentation by Michael Martinez, Special Counsel, Department of Business and Professional Regulation

Presentations by industry representatives

Transportation (Group III): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Sebesta, Chair; Senator Klein, Vice-Chair; Senators Bennett, Bullard, Clary, Crist, Diaz de la Portilla and Margolis)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-147 (Examination of the Need for a Statewide Organization to Plan and Develop Passenger and Freight Rail Transportation)

Presentation by Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles on REAL-ID Act

Presentation by Florida Department of Transportation on SAFETEA-LU

Presentation by Florida Department of Transportation on Implementation of the transportation elements of chapter 2005-290, Laws of Florida

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2005

8:00 a.m.—until completion of agenda

CAUCUS NOTICE: *The Democratic Caucus will meet at 8:00 a.m., in Room 228, Senate Office Building.*

9:00—11:00 a.m.

Agriculture (Group IV): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Smith, Chair; Senator Bullard, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Bennett, Haridopolos and Peadar)

Presentation regarding damage done to agriculture production by Hurricane Katrina

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-201 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 403.067(7)(d)2., F.S. (2004), Agricultural Records)

Discussion of subjects for potential consideration by the committee:

Citrus Canker Eradication
Assessment of agricultural lands for property tax purposes

Banking and Insurance (Group IV): 9:00—11:00 a.m., *Pat Thomas Committee Room*, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Garcia, Chair; Senator Geller, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Atwater, Baker, Campbell, Fasano, Lawson, Miller and Posey)

Discussion and presentations on the following issues related to Citizens Property Insurance Corporation:

Standards of conduct for officers and employees of Citizens in light of allegations of kickbacks and bribery involving company personnel
Hiring practices and background screening of prospective employees
Compensation paid to employees and consultants
Potential restrictions on Citizens in entering into contracts or paying take-out bonuses to companies hiring former employees of Citizens

Staff presentation of the following reports:

Open Government Sunset Review of s. 560.4041, F.S., Deferred Presentment Providers (2006-202)
Open Government Sunset Review of s. 626.921, F.S., Surplus Lines (2006-203)

Commerce and Consumer Services (Group IV): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator King, Chair; Senator Pruitt, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Crist, Klein, Lynn, Margolis and Saunders)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-205 (Open Government Sunset Review of the Public Records Exemption for Business Records Provided to Economic Development Agencies)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-206 (Open Government Sunset Review of the Public Records and Meetings Exemptions Related to Records Regarding Temporary Cash Assistance)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-105 (Review of the Florida Black Business Investment Boards and Black Business Investment Corporations)

Domestic Security (Group IV): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Diaz de la Portilla, Chair; Senator Wilson, Vice-Chair; Senators Constantine, Dockery, Hill, Sebesta, Siplin and Wise)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-210 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 119.071, F.S., Security Systems Plans)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-211 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 286.0113, F.S., Security Systems Plans)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-212 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 381.95, F.S., Terrorism Response and Medical Facilities)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-213 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 395.1056(1),(2),(3), F.S., Emergency Management Plans)

Presentation on Florida's response to 2005 Hurricane Season:

Representatives from response agencies will discuss deployments

2:00—4:00 p.m.

Criminal Justice (Group V): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Wise, Chair; Senator Smith, Vice-Chair; Senators Crist, Haridopolos, King, Klein, Lynn and Wilson)

Presentation by the Department of Children and Families on the delivery of psychiatric care in the community to inmates recently discharged from the Department of Corrections

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-209 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 406.135, F.S., Autopsy Records)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-110 (Dart-Firing Stun Guns)

Update by committee staff on developments arising from the school background check provision in the Jessica Lunsford Act (section 21 of enrolled HB 1877 from 2005 Session)

Governmental Oversight and Productivity (Group V):

2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Argenziano, Chair; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Garcia, Margolis and Sebesta)

Progress Report on Interim Activities Affecting Purchasing Oversight, Center for Efficient Government, and Technology Legislation passed by the 2005 Legislature (Monitor Projects 2006-355 and 2006-356)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-129 (Review of Joint Legislative Committees and Operations)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-130 (Reorganization of chapter 121, F.S., the Florida Retirement System)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-131 (Employer Payroll Contribution Rates for the Florida Retirement System)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-132 (The Supplemental Retirement Program of the Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences at the University of Florida)

Presentation of Mandatory Review 2006-217 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 119.084, F.S., Data Processing Software)

Presentation of Mandatory Review 2006-218 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 267.135, F.S., Division of Historical Resources)

Health Care (Group V): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Peadar, Chair; Senator Dawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Atwater, Fasano, Jones, Miller, Pruitt, Rich, Saunders and Siplin)

Introduction of M. Rony Francois, M.D., M.S.P.H., Ph.D., Secretary of Health and State Health Officer

Update on Medicaid Reform

Status report on Medicaid nonemergency transportation contract changes

Presentation on the development of a payer-based electronic health record

Presentation on the prevention and treatment of obesity in adults

Update on enrollment in the Florida HealthyKids Program

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-219 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 409.91196, F.S., AHCA/Trade Secrets) and consideration of proposed committee bill:

SPB 7008 —Public Records & Meetings/AHCA

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-220 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 400.119, F.S., Long-Term Care Facilities) and consideration of proposed committee bill:

SPB 7004 —Long-Term Care Facilities/OGSR

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-221 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 119.07(6)(cc), F.S., Personal Health Information) and consideration of proposed committee bill:

SPB 7006 —Personal ID Information/DOH/OGSR

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-222 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 430.105, F.S., Elder Care/Long-Term Care) and consideration of proposed committee bill:

SPB 7010 —Public Records/Elderly Affairs Dept.

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-138 (Review the Moratorium on Certificates of Need for Nursing Homes)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-223 (Pharmacy Licensure by Endorsement Requirements, s. 465.0075, F.S.)

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Judiciary (Group V): 2:00—4:00 p.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Webster, Chair; Senator Villalobos, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Baker, Campbell, Clary, Geller and Posey)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-142 (Review of Application of Defense in Interference with Custody Cases, s. 787.03, F.S., and associated Open Government Sunset Review)

Staff status reports on, and member discussion of, the following interim projects:

2006-139, Legal Issues and Policy Considerations Raised by the Challenge to the Opportunity Scholarship Program
2006-141, Options for Streamlining the State Constitution
2006-151, Eminent Domain

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2005

9:00—11:00 a.m.

Education Appropriations (Group VI): 9:00—11:00 a.m., *Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building:*

(MEMBERS: Senator Alexander, Chair; Senator King, Vice-Chair; Senators Bullard, Constantine, Klein, Lynn, Miller and Wise)

Presentation and discussion on Teacher Supply and Demand

General Government Appropriations (Group VI):

9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 301, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Clary, Chair; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Baker, Garcia and Siplin)

Monitor Project 2006-350: Condominium Complaints, Department of Business and Professional Regulation

Monitor Project 2006-351: Department of Citrus, Box Tax Litigation

Monitor Project 2006-352: Financial Review of the Florida Facilities Pool, Department of Management Services

Update on Department of Management Services' Interim Budget Issues:

Capital Circle Office Complex
Shared Resource Data Center

Government Efficiency Appropriations (Group VI):

9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 110, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Atwater, Chair; Senator Campbell, Vice-Chair; Senators Diaz de la Portilla, Geller, Haridopolos and Posey)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-126 (Assessment of Homestead Property Damaged or Destroyed by Misfortune or Calamity)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-128 (Rewrite of section 212.20(6)(d), F.S., Sales Tax Distributions)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-216 (Open Government Sunset Review of s. 213.053, F.S., Communications Services Tax Simplification Law)

Health and Human Services Appropriations (Group VI):

9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 401, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Saunders, Chair; Senator Pruitt, Vice-Chair; Senators Bennett, Dawson, Jones, Peaden, Rich and Wilson)

Monitoring Updates:

Agency for Persons with Disabilities, presented by Mr. Ross Fabricant, Chief Legislative Analyst
Florida KidCare Continuous Enrollment, presented by Mr. Matt Dull, Legislative Analyst
Medicare Part D Implementation, presented by Mr. Matt Dull, Legislative Analyst
Department of Legal Affairs/Medicaid Fraud, presented by Mr. Matt Dull, Legislative Analyst

Medicaid Reform, presented by Mr. Tom Arnold, Deputy Secretary for Medicaid, Agency for Health Care Administration

Medicaid Preferred Drug List, presented by Ms. Sybil Richard, Assistant Deputy Secretary for Medicaid, Agency for Health Care Administration

HomeSafeNet, presented by Ms. Lucy Hadi, Secretary for Department of Children and Families

Comprehensive - Child Assessment Program (C-CAP), presented by Dr. Elizabeth Blake, Ph.D., Alliance for Behavioral Care, Inc.

Justice Appropriations (Group VI): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Room 37, Senate Office Building:

(MEMBERS: Senator Crist, Chair; Senator Smith, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Aronberg and Villalobos)

Update on the implementation of the Jessica Lunsford Act

Update on the Department of Corrections' Region IV Health Services Contract

Update on the implementation of s. 794.0235, F.S., Sexual Predators

Update on Interim Project:

2006-144 Sheriff Costs - Service of Process

Update on Monitoring Projects:

2006-366 Comprehensive Reviews of the Florida Department of Law Enforcement and Parole Commission
2006-367 Article V Technology Board Implementation
2006-368 Florida Department of Law Enforcement Integrated Criminal History System (FALCON)
2006-369 Monitor Case Proposal Development Comparing the Operation Cost of State vs. Privately Operated Prison Beds
2006-370 Review of Due Process Services Costs
2006-371 Review of the FL Clerk of Court Operations Corporation

Transportation and Economic Development

Appropriations (Group VI): 9:00—11:00 a.m., Verle A. Pope
Committee Room, 309 Capitol:

(MEMBERS: Senator Fasano, Chair; Senator Margolis, Vice-Chair;
Senators Dockery, Hill, Sebesta and Webster)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-148 (Community Contribution
Tax Credit Program Review)

Presentation of Interim Project 2006-149 (State Law Enforcement
Radio System Enhancements)

Update on Transportation Funding in the Growth Management
Legislation, ch. 2005-290, L.O.F.: Presented by Bob Romig, Director,
Office of Policy and Planning, Department of Transportation

Update on SAFETEA-LU Federal Transportation Act: presented by
Lowell Clary, Assistant Secretary for Finance and Administration,
Department of Transportation

Presentation on Florida Youth Conservation Corps:

Overview by the Department of Transportation
Presentation by Florida Youth Conservation Corps
Testimony from other interested parties

1:30—3:30 p.m.

Legislative Budget Commission: 1:30—3:30 p.m., Room 212,
Knott Building:

(SENATE MEMBERS: Senator Carlton, Alternating Chair; Senators
Alexander, Atwater, Fasano, Miller, Saunders, and Smith)

Consideration of the following budget amendments for Fiscal Year
2005-2006:

ENVIRONMENTAL:

Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (EOG#0204)

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

Department of Financial Services (EOG#0205)

Department of Revenue (EOG#0207)

Department of Revenue (EOG#0208)

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES:

Agency for Health Care Administration (EOG#0200)

Department of Children and Families (EOG#0194)

Department of Children and Families (EOG#0220)

Department of Children and Families (EOG#0240)

Department of Children and Families (EOG#0225)

Department of Children and Families (EOG#0241)

PUBLIC SAFETY:

Department of Corrections (EOG#0201)

Department of Corrections (EOG#0202)

TRANSPORTATION & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT:

Agency for Workforce Innovation (EOG#0219)

Department of Community Affairs (EOG#0148)

Department of State (EOG#P-0029)

Department of Transportation (EOG#W-0030)

Other business

SENATE COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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STANDING COMMITTEES

Agriculture

Senator Smith, Chair; Senator Bullard, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Bennett, Haridopolos, and Peaden

Banking and Insurance

Senator Garcia, Chair; Senator Geller, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Atwater, Baker, Campbell, Fasano, Lawson, Miller, and Posey

Children and Families

Senator Campbell, Chair; Senator Webster, Vice-Chair; Senators Fasano, Lynn, Peaden, and Rich

Commerce and Consumer Services

Senator King, Chair; Senator Pruitt, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Crist, Klein, Lynn, Margolis, and Saunders

Communications and Public Utilities

Senator Constantine, Chair; Senator Aronberg, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Atwater, Diaz de la Portilla, Dockery, Garcia, Margolis, Miller, and Smith

Community Affairs

Senator Bennett, Chair; Senator Haridopolos, Vice-Chair; Senators Clary, Geller, Hill, Lawson, Pruitt, and Villalobos

Criminal Justice

Senator Wise, Chair; Senator Smith, Vice-Chair; Senators Crist, Haridopolos, King, Klein, Lynn, and Wilson

Domestic Security

Senator Diaz de la Portilla, Chair; Senator Wilson, Vice-Chair; Senators Constantine, Dockery, Hill, Sebesta, Siplin, and Wise

Education

Senator Lynn, Chair; Senator Baker, Vice-Chair; Senators Bullard, King, Klein, Webster, Wilson, and Wise

Education Appropriations

Senator Alexander, Chair; Senator King, Vice-Chair; Senators Bullard, Constantine, Klein, Lynn, Miller, and Wise

Environmental Preservation

Senator Dockery, Chair; Senator Siplin, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Argenziano, Baker, Constantine, Lawson, and Smith

Ethics and Elections

Senator Posey, Chair; Senator Rich, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Jones, and Sebesta

General Government Appropriations

Senator Clary, Chair; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Baker, Garcia, and Siplin

Government Efficiency Appropriations

Senator Atwater, Chair; Senator Campbell, Vice-Chair; Senators Diaz de la Portilla, Geller, Haridopolos, and Posey

Governmental Oversight and Productivity

Senator Argenziano, Chair; Senator Lawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Garcia, Margolis, and Sebesta

Health and Human Services Appropriations

Senator Saunders, Chair; Senator Pruitt, Vice-Chair; Senators Bennett, Dawson, Jones, Peaden, Rich, and Wilson

Health Care

Senator Peaden, Chair; Senator Dawson, Vice-Chair; Senators Atwater, Fasano, Jones, Miller, Pruitt, Rich, Saunders, and Siplin

Judiciary

Senator Webster, Chair; Senator Villalobos, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Baker, Campbell, Clary, Geller, and Posey

Justice Appropriations

Senator Crist, Chair; Senator Smith, Vice-Chair; Senators Argenziano, Aronberg, and Villalobos

Regulated Industries

Senator Jones, Chair; Senator Hill, Vice-Chair; Senators Aronberg, Dawson, Geller, Haridopolos, King, Posey, Saunders, and Wise

Rules and Calendar

Senator Pruitt, Chair; Senator Argenziano, Vice-Chair; Senators Campbell, Carlton, Clary, Constantine, Diaz de la Portilla, Dockery, Garcia, Geller, Klein, Margolis, Miller, Smith, and Villalobos

Transportation

Senator Sebesta, Chair; Senator Klein, Vice-Chair; Senators Bennett, Bullard, Clary, Crist, Diaz de la Portilla, and Margolis

Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations

Senator Fasano, Chair; Senator Margolis, Vice-Chair; Senators Dockery, Hill, Sebesta, and Webster

Ways and Means

Senator Carlton, Chair; Senator Miller, Vice-Chair; Senators Alexander, Atwater, Campbell, Clary, Crist, Fasano, King, Lawson, Margolis, Pruitt, Saunders, Smith, Villalobos

JOINT COMMITTEES

Administrative Procedures Committee

Senator Bennett, Alternating Chair; Senators Argenziano and Bullard

Committee on Public Service Commission Oversight

Senator Constantine, Alternating Chair; Senators Argenziano, Aronberg, Clary, Dockery, and Margolis

Legislative Auditing Committee

Senator Wise, Alternating Chair; Senators Aronberg, Crist, Hill, and Posey

Legislative Budget Commission

Senator Carlton, Alternating Chair; Senators Alexander, Atwater, Fasano, Miller, Saunders, and Smith

Legislative Commission on Migrant and Seasonal Labor

Senators Alexander, Aronberg, and Peadar

Legislative Committee on Intergovernmental Relations

Senator Jones, Alternating Chair; Senators Constantine, Klein, and Lynn

SELECT COMMITTEE

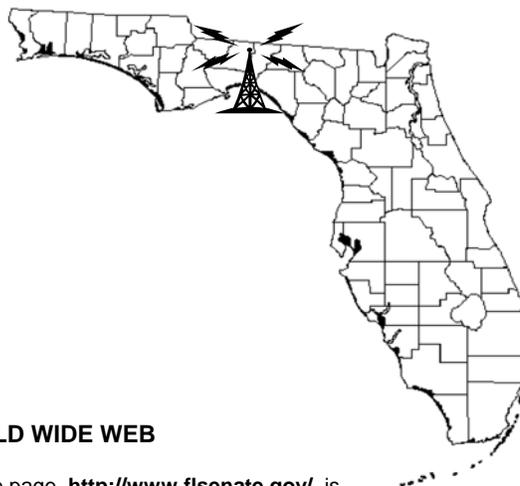
Select Committee on Medicaid Reform

Senator Carlton, Chair; Senator Atwater, Vice-Chair; Senators Campbell, Dawson, Haridopolos, Peadar, Rich, Saunders, and Villalobos

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A SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION REQUEST FOR A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY SHOULD BE MADE 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THE SCHEDULED TIME OF THE MEETING (PLEASE CONTACT THE SENATE SERGEANT'S OFFICE AT 850-487-5224 OR SUNCOM 277-5224 FOR ASSISTANCE).

2005 - 2006 INTERIM COMMITTEE MEETING SCHEDULE

October 2005 - Week of the 17th
November 2005 - Week of the 7th
December 2005 - Week of the 5th

2006 SESSION DATES

August	1, 2005	Deadline for filing claim bills (Rule 4.81)
January	27, 2006	5:00 p.m., deadline for filing requests for drafts of general bills, <u>including requests for companion bills</u>
March	3, 2006	5:00 p.m., deadline for submitting final drafts
March	7, 2006	Regular Session convenes (Article III, section 3(b), Constitution)
March	7, 2006	12:00 noon, deadline for filing bills for introduction (Rule 3.7)
April	25, 2006	50th day—last day for regularly scheduled committee meetings (Rule 2.9)
May	1, 2006	All bills are immediately certified (Rule 6.8) Conference Committee Reports require only one reading (Rule 4.5)
May	5, 2006	60th day—last day of Regular Session (Article III, section 3(d), Constitution)