

AGENDA

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE OF THE JO DAVIESS COUNTY BOARD

Thursday, January 12, 2023 at 2:30 p.m.
Jo Daviess County Courthouse, Galena
County Board Room

Meeting is Accessible via Audio Call-in

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3rd Floor Evacuation Policy

1. The Chairman at all public meetings held in the third floor County Board room shall instruct the public how to exit in case of emergency.
2. Exit down hall in either direction.
3. After 4:00 p.m. the door at the end of the hall opposite the elevator is locked.
 - a) **To open pull Fire Alarm.**
4. A sign shall be placed at the locked door, instructing how to open the door by pulling the fire alarm.
5. On the second floor you may exit using the doors on the Meeker Street side, **or** continue to the first floor to exit building.
6. Do not use elevator in case of fire.

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call and Establishment of a Quorum
3. Approval of Minutes
 - a) Minutes of the November 10, 2022 Legislative Committee meeting.
4. Citizens' Comments
5. Unfinished Business
 - a) Vote on Advisory Referendum 64% Yes
 - b) Meeting with Senator Chesney on introducing the legislation
6. New Business
 - a) Discussion and possible action on establishing meeting dates and start time from the FY2023 Legislative Committee meetings
 - b) Political make up of General Assembly – Democratic control House – 66%, Senate 67%
 - c) Legislation to come out of Lame Duck session
 - i. HB5855 became SB2226 and HB5471
 - ii. HB4664
 - iii. Salary increases for Legislators from \$71,800 to \$85,000 – 18.4% increase
 - iv. HB5188
 - v. HB4412
 - vi. Other bills
 - d) Possible new legislation
 - i. Reinstatement of no cash bail
 - ii. Funding for asylum seekers – Mayor Lightfoot want 54 million - State to date has spent \$120 million
 - iii. Public colleges tuition free for low income
 - iv. Expand child care, mental health and substance abuse funding
7. Legislation Board members or County officials want the committee to be aware of and take action on

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8. Citizens' Comments
9. Board Member Concerns
10. Next regular meeting – February 9, 2023
11. Adjourn

This meeting will be held virtually. The public may attend in person; however we encourage you to attend via Zoom audio as follows:

<https://zoom.us/j/98965937092?pwd=U1NNVzhPa1p3dUVtQ2RtZW94bzAzQT09>

Call in number: 1(312)626-6799 US
Meeting ID: 989 6593 7092
Password: 660091

Call-in information is also available on the JDC website at www.jodaviesscountyl.gov