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Wednesday

February 13, 2019

Thirtieth Day

Pursuant to adjournment the Senate was called to order by President Giessel at 11:03 a.m.

The roll showed seventeen members present. Senator Hoffman was excused from a call of the Senate. Senators Coghill, Shower were absent.

Senator Costello moved and asked unanimous consent Senators Coghill, Shower be excused from a call of the Senate today. Without objection, Senators Coghill, Shower were excused.

The prayer was offered by the Chaplain, The Reverend Gordon Blue, Church of the Holy Trinity. Senator Olson moved and asked unanimous consent the prayer be spread. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Lord, hear our prayer, and let our cry come to You.

Guide this body of your people, the Alaska Senate, lead them into ways of peace and light. O Lord, how manifold are your works! In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures. All of them look to you to give them their food in due season. You give it to them; they gather it; you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.

You hide your face, and they are terrified; you take away their breath, and they die and return to their dust. You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; and so you renew the face of the earth.

Lord, Renew the wisdom of the ancestors so this body shall raise up the foundations of many generations; Guide their hands and give them wisdom in the use of your abundance, which you have given so that all your creation may flourish. Let them be called the repairers of the breach, and the restorers of streets to live in. Amen.

Senator Stedman led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Certification

Senator Costello moved and asked unanimous consent the journals for the twenty-eighth and twenty-ninth legislative days be approved as certified by the Secretary. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Messages from the Governor

Letter dated February 12 was read stating in accordance with art. III, secs. 26 and 27 of the Alaska Constitution, and AS 39.05.080, I submit the following list of appointees for confirmation:

Professional Teaching Practices Commission

Kalesha Dolan – Eagle River

Appointed: 3/1/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2022

Janine Todd – Delta Junction

Appointed: 3/1/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2022

The appointments were referred to the Education Committee.

On January 29, in accordance with art III, secs. 26 and 27 of the Alaska Constitution, and AS 39.05.080, I submitted a list of appointees for confirmation.

The following appointee has withdrawn his name from consideration, effective immediately:

Bob Shefchik – Fairbanks

In his place, please consider the following appointee for confirmation:

Alaska Labor Relations Agency

Dennis Moen – Eagle River

Appointed: 3/1/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2022

The appointment was referred to the Labor and Commerce Committee.

On January 29, in accordance with art. III, secs. 26 and 27 of the Alaska Constitution and AS 39.05.080, I submitted a list of appointees for confirmation.

The following appointee is withdrawn from consideration, effective immediately:

Alaska Workers' Compensation Board

Christopher Twiford – Kodiak

Appointed: 3/1/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2022

The following appointees are resubmitted with corrections for typographical errors:

Alaska Workers' Compensation Board

Charles "Chuck" Collins Jr. – Juneau

Appointed: 6/1/2010

Term Expired: 3/1/2012

Reappointed: 3/1/2012

Term Expired: 3/1/2015

Reappointed: 3/1/2015

Term Expired: 3/1/2018

Reappointed: 5/14/2018

Term Expires: 3/1/2021

Board of Dental Examiners

Dr. Jonathan P. Woller – Fairbanks

Appointed: 3/1/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2023

Board of Governors of the Alaska Bar

Jedediah Cox – Anchorage

Appointed: 3/1/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2022

Board of Nursing

Marisha Dieters – Eagle River

Appointed: 1/25/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2022

Professional Teaching Practices Commission

Todd Smoldon – Willow

Appointed: 1/23/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2019

Reappointed: 3/1/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2022

Tamara Van Wyhe – Glennallen

Appointed: 1/8/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2019

Reappointed: 3/1/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2022

Real Estate Commission

Jaime Matthews – Glennallen

Appointed: 3/1/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2023

In accordance with AS 44.64.010(c), I submit the following individual for appointment:

Chief Administrative Law Judge

Kathleen Frederick

Appointed: 3/1/2014

Term Expires: 3/1/2019

Reappointed: 3/1/2019

Term Expires: 3/1/2024

The appointment was referred to the State Affairs Committee.

The resumes for these appointments have been submitted to the Offices of the Senate Secretary and the Chief Clerk.

Standing Committee Reports

Report dated February 12 was read stating:

In accordance with AS 39.05.080, the State Affairs Committee reviewed the following and recommends the appointment be forwarded to a joint session for consideration:

Lieutenant Governor Successor

Michael Johnson

This does not reflect an intent by any of the members to vote for or against the confirmation of the individual during any further sessions.

Signing the report: Senator Coghill, Vice Chair; Senators Kawasaki, Micciche, Reinbold.

Report dated February 12 was read stating:

In accordance with AS 39.05.080, the Labor and Commerce Committee reviewed the following and recommends the appointment be forwarded to a joint session for consideration:

Marijuana Control Board

Vivian Stiver – Fairbanks

This does not reflect an intent by any of the members to vote for or against the confirmation of the individual during any further sessions.

Signing the report: Senator Reinbold, Chair; Senators Bishop, Gray-Jackson.

Report dated February 12 was read stating:

In accordance with AS 39.05.080, the Transportation Committee reviewed the following and recommends the appointment be forwarded to a joint session for consideration:

Board of Marine Pilots

Edward Sinclair – Juneau

This does not reflect an intent by any of the members to vote for or against the confirmation of the individual during any further sessions.

Signing the report: Senator Hughes, Chair; Senators Micciche, Wilson, Kiehl.

Reports dated February 13 were read stating:

In accordance with AS 39.05.080, the Finance Committee reviewed the following and recommends the appointments be forwarded to a joint session for consideration:

Alaska Mental Health Trust Authority Board of Trustees

Ken McCarty – Eagle River

John Sturgeon – Anchorage

Regulatory Commission of Alaska

Dan Sullivan – Anchorage

This does not reflect an intent by any of the members to vote for or against the confirmation of the individuals during any further sessions.

Signing the report: Senators Stedman, von Imhof, Cochairs; Senators Micciche, Wielechowski, Olson, Wilson, Bishop.

SB 22

The Resources Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 22 "An Act relating to management of enhanced stocks of shellfish; authorizing certain nonprofit organizations to engage in shellfish enhancement projects; relating to application fees for salmon hatchery permits; and providing for an effective date" and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 22(RES) "An Act relating to mariculture; relating to the Board of Fisheries; relating to the commissioner of fish and game; relating to management of enhanced stocks of shellfish; authorizing certain nonprofit organizations to engage in shellfish enhancement projects; and providing for an effective date."

Signing do pass: Senator Birch, Chair; Senators Kiehl, Reinbold, Bishop, Coghill. Signing no recommendation: Senator Giessel. Signing amend: Senator Kawasaki.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 1, Department of Revenue

Fiscal Note No. 2, zero, Department of Fish and Game

Fiscal Note No. 3, indeterminate, Department of Fish and Game

The bill was referred to the Finance Committee.

Introduction and Reference of Senate Bills

SB 12

SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 12 BY SENATORS MICCICHE, Hughes, entitled:

"An Act relating to crime and criminal procedure; relating to assault and sexual assault; relating to harassment; relating to credit toward a sentence of imprisonment for time spent in a treatment program or under electronic monitoring; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Judiciary and Finance Committees.

SB 19

SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 19 BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR, entitled:

"An Act making appropriations, including capital appropriations, supplemental appropriations, reappropriations, and other appropriations; making appropriations to capitalize funds; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Finance Committee.

Governor's transmittal letter dated February 12:

Dear President Giessel:

Under the authority of Article III, Section 18, of the Alaska Constitution, and in accordance with Alaska Statute 37.07.070(2), I am transmitting a sponsor substitute for SB 19: Approp: Capital Budget for consideration by the 31st Alaska State Legislature.

This budget funds village safe water, required state match for federal highway dollars, and needed deferred maintenance for public facilities and the Alaska Court system. These are investments necessary to protect Alaska's assets and basic public safety and infrastructure needs.

Past capital budgets have resulted in growth in infrastructure that create ongoing operating obligations for the state. In evaluating what projects to move forward, care was taken to ensure that project proposals included a path to self-sufficiency. Development of the South Denali Visitor's Center will not only provide a steady funding stream for the Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation, but will provide new opportunity for the tourism industry and increase access to one of Alaska's most magnificent landmarks.

The Governor's proposed amended capital budget includes \$143.4 million in general funds and leverages over \$1 billion in federal dollars. My administration and I look forward to working with the Legislature to pass a sustainable capital budget for FY 2020.

Sincerely,

/s/

Michael J. Dunleavy

Governor

SB 20

SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 20 BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR, entitled:

"An Act making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government and for certain programs; capitalizing funds; amending appropriations; making supplemental appropriations; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Finance Committee.

Governor's transmittal letter dated February 12:

Dear President Giessel:

Under the authority of Article III, Section 18, of the Alaska Constitution, and in accordance with Alaska Statute 37.07.070(2), I am transmitting a sponsor substitute for SB 20: Approp: Operating Budget/Loans/Funds for consideration by the 31st Alaska State Legislature.

My administration and I look forward to working with the Legislature to pass a sustainable operating budget for FY 2020.

Sincerely,

/s/

Michael J. Dunleavy

Governor

SB 21

SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 21 BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR, entitled:

"An Act making appropriations for the operating and capital expenses of the state's integrated comprehensive mental health program; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Finance Committee.

Governor's transmittal letter dated February 12:

Dear President Giessel:

Under the authority of Article III, Section 18, of the Alaska Constitution, and in accordance with Alaska Statute 37.07.070(2), I am transmitting a sponsor substitute for SB 21: Approp: Mental Health Budget for consideration by the 31st Alaska State Legislature.

The purpose of this legislation is to improve the care of disabled youth, provide training for court staff to improve coordination with community behavioral health services, and addresses access to mental health and substance abuse services. The Mental Health Trust (MHT) recommendations for expenditure of MHT funds are largely unchanged in this sponsor substitute. The MHT put forward a job center liaison for correctional facilities in the Department of Labor and Workforce Development (DOLWD). This position was not included due to duplication of services already offered by DOLWD.

It has become common practice that the MHT also puts forward recommendations for general fund appropriations for capital projects that are not proposed to be funded in whole by MHT dollars. These recommendations were received and evaluated alongside the Department-identified capital needs for the relevant agencies, and the MHT budget includes only MHT funds.

Alaska Statute 37.07.020(a)(1) requires the mental health bill to include both operating and capital appropriations. The sponsor substitute for the mental health budget includes \$2.1 million of MHT capital expenditures, \$17.1 million MHT and \$201.2 million General Fund operating. I look forward to engaging with the Legislature to pass the FY 2020 mental health budget.

Sincerely,

/s/

Michael J. Dunleavy

Governor

SB 54

SENATE BILL NO. 54 BY SENATOR COGHILL, entitled:

"An Act approving the transfer of certain Alaska Railroad Corporation land; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Transportation and Finance Committees.

SB 55

SENATE BILL NO. 55 BY SENATOR WILSON, entitled:

"An Act relating to judges of the court of appeals; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

SB 56

SENATE BILL NO. 56 BY SENATOR COSTELLO, entitled:

"An Act relating to health education and physical activity requirements for students in grades kindergarten through eight; and establishing the Thursday in February immediately following Presidents' Day as PLAAAY Day."

was read the first time and referred to the Education Committee.

SB 57

SENATE BILL NO. 57 BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR, entitled:

"An Act repealing the credit for municipal payments against the state levy of tax on oil and gas exploration, production, and pipeline transportation property; repealing the levy of tax by a municipality on oil and gas exploration, production, and pipeline transportation property; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Community and Regional Affairs and Finance Committees.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development

Fiscal Note No. 2, zero, Department of Education and Early Development

Fiscal Note No. 3, Department of Revenue

Fiscal Note No. 4, Department of Education and Early Development

Governor's transmittal letter dated February 12:

Dear President Giessel:

Under the authority of Article III, Section 18, of the Alaska Constitution, I am transmitting a bill relating to repealing the credit for municipal payment against the state levy of tax on oil and gas exploration, production, and pipeline transportation property and the levy of tax by a municipality on oil and gas exploration, production, and pipeline transportation property.

Under current law, the state assesses the value of oil and gas exploration, production, and pipeline transportation property. Municipalities with this property in their jurisdiction can then levy a property tax based on the state's assessment. Taxpayers are then required to pay a tax to two taxing jurisdictions – the municipality and the state. This system is inefficient for both taxpayers and the state. Taxpayers are allowed to credit payments made to a municipality against the tax due to the state. Due to the credit allowed against the state tax levy for municipal tax payments, the state general fund receives only a fraction of the revenues generated by this tax. This results in lower general fund revenues, from vital properties of statewide economic importance, to be appropriated to municipalities around the state and support of vital state programs.

This bill would repeal the ability of municipalities to levy tax on these properties of vital statewide importance. Therefore, the bill would also repeal the credit for a payment made to a municipality against the state tax. Instead, the state would assess and collect all of the tax on these properties. As a result of the exclusion of these properties from a municipality's tax base, the required local contribution for public school funding would be reduced.

The bill would also implement efficiencies in administration of the tax. Taxpayers would only have one taxing jurisdiction to report to on these properties. The bill would streamline the appeals process to be consistent with other administrative appeals by eliminating automatic trial de novo at the superior court level. Taxpayers could still appeal to the specialized State Assessment Review Board for a hearing.

I urge your favorable action on this measure.

Sincerely,

/s/

Michael J. Dunleavy

Governor

SB 58

SENATE BILL NO. 58 BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE
BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR, entitled:

"An Act repealing the senior benefits payment
program; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Health and Social Services
and Finance Committees.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 1, Department of Health and Social Services

Fiscal Note No. 2, Department of Health and Social Services

Governor's transmittal letter dated February 12:

Dear Senate President Giessel:

Under the authority of Article III, Section 18, of the Alaska
Constitution, I am transmitting a bill relating to the Senior Benefits
Payment Program.

This bill would repeal the Senior Benefits Payment Program. The
program provides three payment levels based on the senior's gross
annual income and income limits are tied to the Federal Poverty
Guidelines for Alaska and change each year and eligibility and
enrollment increases each year as the guidelines change. There is no
asset test to determine eligibility. Currently, the program is set to
expire on June 30, 2024. This bill sets the repeal date to June 30, 2019.

I urge your favorable action on this measure.

Sincerely,

/s/

Michael J. Dunleavy

Governor

SB 59

SENATE BILL NO. 59 BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE
BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR, entitled:

"An Act repealing statutes providing for reimbursement for costs of University of Alaska capital projects, municipal capital projects, and power projects; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Finance Committee.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Department of Commerce, Community,
and Economic Development

Fiscal Note No. 2, zero, Department of Revenue

Fiscal Note No. 3, zero, Department of Transportation and Public
Facilities

Governor's transmittal letter dated February 12:

Dear President Giessel:

Under the authority of Article III, Section 18 of the Alaska Constitution, I am transmitting a bill that repeals three statutes which provide for annual reimbursement by the state for debt and financing costs associated with certain capital construction projects.

The statutes I propose for repeal are AS 14.40.257 Reimbursement of Capital Costs for University of Alaska Projects; AS 29.60.700 Reimbursement of Capital Costs for Municipal Projects; and AS 42.45.065 Reimbursement of Capital Costs for Costs of Power Projects.

To bring forth a budget that builds on core functions that impact a majority of Alaskans, each program offered by the state was examined for its value in building a sustainable, predictable, and affordable budget. Each statute that is proposed for repeal in this bill provided for reimbursement "subject to appropriations," and it is apparent that continued appropriations for these projects are not sustainable by the state. For transparency and budget planning by municipalities, and the University of Alaska, the better course is to repeal these statutes effective July 1, 2019.

I urge your prompt and favorable action on this measure.

Sincerely,

/s/

Michael J. Dunleavy
Governor

Consideration of the Calendar

Citations

In Memoriam - Jason Dean Roberts

Representative(s) Wilson

Senator(s) Giessel, Begich, Birch, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Gray-Jackson, Hoffman, Hughes, Kawasaki, Kiehl, Micciche, Olson, Reinbold, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

In Memoriam - Rena Annabelle Sumner

Representative(s) Wilson

Senator(s) Giessel, Begich, Birch, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Gray-Jackson, Hoffman, Hughes, Kawasaki, Kiehl, Micciche, Olson, Reinbold, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

In Memoriam - Jeff and Charlene Esley

Representative(s) Wilson

Senator(s) Giessel, Begich, Birch, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Gray-Jackson, Hoffman, Hughes, Kawasaki, Kiehl, Micciche, Olson, Reinbold, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

In Memoriam - Ruth Eleanor Louise Niemann

Representative(s) Wilson

Senator(s) Giessel, Begich, Birch, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Gray-Jackson, Hoffman, Hughes, Kawasaki, Kiehl, Micciche, Olson, Reinbold, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

In Memoriam - Jody Lynn Ramos

Representative(s) Wilson

Senator(s) Giessel, Begich, Birch, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Gray-Jackson, Hoffman, Hughes, Kawasaki, Kiehl, Micciche, Olson, Reinbold, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

In Memoriam - Preston Louis Davis

Representative(s) Wilson

Senator(s) Giessel, Begich, Birch, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Gray-Jackson, Hoffman, Hughes, Kawasaki, Kiehl, Micciche, Olson, Reinbold, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

In Memoriam - John Hajdukovich

Representative(s) Wilson

Senator(s) Giessel, Begich, Birch, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Gray-Jackson, Hoffman, Hughes, Kawasaki, Kiehl, Micciche, Olson, Reinbold, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

In Memoriam - Julie Lynn Farrer-Fogarty

Representative(s) Wilson

Senator(s) Giessel, Begich, Birch, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Gray-Jackson, Hoffman, Hughes, Kawasaki, Kiehl, Micciche, Olson, Reinbold, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

Senator Costello moved and asked unanimous consent the citations be adopted. Without objection, the citations were adopted and referred to the Secretary for transmittal.

Unfinished Business

SB 56

Senator Gray-Jackson moved and asked unanimous consent to be shown as a cosponsor on SENATE BILL NO. 56 "An Act relating to health education and physical activity requirements for students in grades kindergarten through eight; and establishing the Thursday in February immediately following Presidents' Day as PLAAY Day." Without objection, it was so ordered.

Senator Stedman moved and asked unanimous consent to be excused from a call of the Senate on February 17, to plane time. Without objection, Senator Stedman was excused.

Senator Birch moved and asked unanimous consent to be excused from a call of the Senate from evening plane time, February 22 through morning plane time, February 25. Without objection, Senator Birch was excused.

President Giessel made the following appointments:

Council of State Governments West

Energy Committee

Senator Birch

Economic Development Committee

Senator Birch

Alaska Aerospace Corporation

Senator Stevens

Energy Council Executive Committee

Senator Stedman

Senator Giessel

National Conference of State Legislatures

Natural Resources and Infrastructure Committee

Senator Birch

Labor and Economic Development Committee

Senator Birch

Renewable Energy Fund Advisory Committee

Senator Wilson

Senator von Imhof

Announcements

Announcements are at the end of the journal.

Adjournment

Senator Costello moved and asked unanimous consent the Senate stand in adjournment until 10:30 a.m., February 15, 2019. Without objection, the Senate adjourned at 11:22 a.m.

Liz Clark
Secretary of the Senate

Announcements

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STANDING COMMITTEES

+ indicates teleconference

= indicates bill previously heard/scheduled

COMMUNITY & REGIONAL AFFAIRS

Feb 14 Thursday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 3:30 PM
 No Meeting Scheduled

EDUCATION

Feb 14 Thursday Butrovich 205 9:00 AM
 + Presentation:
 AK's New School Accountability System & School Designations by AK Department of Education & Early Development
 -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --
 Streamed live on AKL.tv
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

FINANCE

Feb 13 Wednesday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM
 + SB 37 RENEWAL OF VACCINE ASSESSMENT PROGRAM
 + Consideration of Governor's Appointees:
 Mental Health Board of Trustees
 - Ken McCarty
 - John Sturgeon
 - Joe Riggs - Removed from Agenda
 Regulatory Commission of Alaska
 - Dan Sullivan

FINANCE (continued)

Feb 14 Thursday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM
 += SB 20 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS
 OMB Director Arduin
 Departmental Review:
 - Public Safety
 - Law
 - Corrections
 - Military & Veterans Affairs
 - Judiciary
 - Governor
 - Legislature

Feb 15 Friday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM
 += SB 20 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS
 Departmental Review Continued:
 - Natural Resources
 - Environmental Conservation
 - Fish & Game
 - Labor & Workforce Development
 - Commerce, Community & Economic Development
 - Administration
 - Revenue
 - Education & Early Development
 - University

HEALTH & SOCIAL SERVICES

Feb 13 Wednesday Butrovich 205 1:30 PM
 -- Uniform Rule 23 Waived --
 Overview: Alaska Psychiatric Institute
 DHSS Division of Behavioral Health
 -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --

Feb 15 Friday Butrovich 205 1:30 PM
 + SB 7 MED. ASSISTANCE WORK REQUIREMENT
 -Invited Testimony Followed by Public Testimony--
 -- Teleconference Listen Only --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

JUDICIARY

- Feb 13 Wednesday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM**
- + SB 12 ASSAULT; SEX OFFENSES; SENTENCING CREDIT
-- Testimony <Invitation Only> --
 - + SB 35 CRIMES;SEX CRIMES;SENTENCING; PAROLE
-- Testimony <Invitation Only> --
 - + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
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- Feb 15 Friday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM**
- Please Note Time Change --
 - + SB 12 ASSAULT; SEX OFFENSES; SENTENCING CREDIT
-- Testimony <Invitation Only> --
 - + SB 35 CRIMES;SEX CRIMES;SENTENCING; PAROLE
-- Testimony <Invitation Only> --
 - + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

LABOR & COMMERCE

- Feb 14 Thursday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM**
- + Presentation:
Where Alaska Leads the Nation & Other Emerging Sectors - Alaska is #1 in the Nation in the Percentage of Women-Owned Employer Firms by Nolan Klouda, Executive Director, UAA Center for Economic Development
-- Testimony <Invitation Only> --
 - + Consideration of Governor's Appointees:
- Alcoholic Beverage Control Board
Charlie Cross - Rescheduled from 2/12/19
- Marijuana Control Board
Christopher Jaime - Rescheduled from 2/12/19
 - + SB 16 ALCOHOL LIC:FAIRS,THEATRES,CONCERTS;BONDS
-- Public Testimony <Time Limit May Be Set> --
 - + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

RESOURCES

Feb 13 Wednesday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 + Presentation:
 Ambler Access Project Overview & Update by:
 - Mark Davis, AIDEA Chief Infrastructure
 Development Officer
 - Jeff San Juan, AIDEA Infrastructure Development
 Senior Finance Officer
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Feb 15 Friday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 + Presentation:
 Timber Industry Update by:
 - Chris Maisch, State Forester, Alaska Division
 of Forestry
 - David Schmid, Regional Forester, US Forest
 Service - Alaska Region
 - Jaeleen Kookesh, Vice President, Sealaska
 Corporation
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

STATE AFFAIRS

Feb 14 Thursday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 += SB 34 PROBATION; PAROLE; SENTENCES; CREDITS
 -- Public Testimony <Time Limit May Be Set> --
 += SB 33 ARREST;RELEASE;SENTENCING;PROBATION

TRANSPORTATION

Feb 14 Thursday Butrovich 205 1:30 PM
 No Meeting Scheduled

FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEES

CORRECTIONS

Feb 20 **Wednesday** **Beltz 105 (tsbldg)** **5:15 PM**
 + Fiscal Situation, FY2020 Budget Overview

EDUCATION & EARLY DEVELOPMENT

Feb 19 **Tuesday** **Senate Finance 532** **1:00 PM**
 + FY20 DEED Budget

Feb 26 **Tuesday** **Senate Finance 532** **1:00 PM**
 + FY20 DEED Budget

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

Feb 21 **Thursday** **Beltz 105 (tsbldg)** **4:00 PM**
 Agenda to be Announced

Feb 28 **Thursday** **Beltz 105 (tsbldg)** **4:00 PM**
 Agenda to be Announced

Mar 07 **Thursday** **Beltz 105 (tsbldg)** **4:00 PM**
 Agenda to be Announced

HEALTH & SOCIAL SERVICES

Feb 18 **Monday** **Senate Finance 532** **7:45 AM**
 -- Meeting Rescheduled to 2/25/19 --
 + FY20 Budget Proposal Overview
 -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --

Feb 25 **Monday** **Senate Finance 532** **7:45 AM**
 -- Meeting Rescheduled from 2/18/19 --
 + FY20 Budget Proposal Overview
 -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --

LABOR & WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Feb 21	Thursday Agenda to be Announced	Beltz 105 (tsbldg)	3:30 PM
Feb 28	Thursday Agenda to be Announced	Beltz 105 (tsbldg)	3:30 PM
Mar 07	Thursday Agenda to be Announced	Beltz 105 (tsbldg)	3:30 PM

LAW

Feb 14	Thursday -- MEETING CANCELED -- FY 2020 Budget -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --	Butrovich 205	8:00 AM
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Feb 15	Friday -- Rescheduled from 02/14/19 -- FY 2020 Budget -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --	Butrovich 205	8:00 AM
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Mar 06	Wednesday Continuation of FY 2020 Budget -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --	Butrovich 205	8:00 AM
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Mar 13	Wednesday Continuation of FY 2020 Budget -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --	Butrovich 205	8:00 AM
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MILITARY & VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Feb 19	Tuesday Fiscal Situation, FY2020 Budget Overview	Butrovich 205	5:15 PM
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NATURAL RESOURCES

Feb 21	Thursday Agenda to be Announced	Beltz 105 (tsbldg)	4:30 PM
Feb 28	Thursday Agenda to be Announced	Beltz 105 (tsbldg)	4:30 PM
Mar 07	Thursday Agenda to be Announced	Beltz 105 (tsbldg)	4:30 PM

TRANSPORTATION & PUBLIC FACILITIES

Feb 21	Thursday Agenda TBA	Senate Finance 532	7:45 AM
Feb 28	Thursday Agenda TBA	Senate Finance 532	7:45 AM
Mar 07	Thursday Agenda TBA	Senate Finance 532	7:45 AM

UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA

Feb 19 +	Tuesday FY20 University Budget	Senate Finance 532	2:00 PM
Feb 26 +	Tuesday FY20 University Budget	Senate Finance 532	2:00 PM

OTHER MEETINGS

JOINT SESSION

Feb 19	Tuesday Annual Address by the Honorable Lisa Murkowski, U.S. Senator	House Chamber	11:00 AM
Feb 20	Wednesday State of the Judiciary Address by the Honorable Joel H. Bolger, Chief Justice	House Chamber	11:00 AM
Feb 21	Thursday Annual Address by the Honorable Dan Sullivan, U.S. Senator	House Chamber	11:00 AM