

SENATE
COMMITTEE SCHEDULE
For the week of February 09, 2026

Tuesday, February 10

Energy, 10:00 AM, Finance Hearing Room

Chair: Chavez

SB 294 Lang/Romanchuk, 3rd Hearing, Opponent/Interested Party

Declare the state's energy siting policy

Workforce Development, 11:00 AM, North Hearing Room

Chair: Koehler

SB 143 Craig/Blessing, 4th Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party

Prohibit employment application question re: criminal background

Ways and Means, 11:00 AM, South Hearing Room

Chair: Blessing

HB 148 Ray/Grim, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Establish tax refund designation for spaying, neutering pets

SB 307 Timken, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Allow tax increment financing for police, firefighting facilities

SB 284 Schaffer, 2nd Hearing, Proponent

Waive penalty for not filing certain tax returns if no tax is due

SB 285 Schaffer, 2nd Hearing, Proponent

Exempt certain conservation land from recoupment charges

General Government, 2:00 PM, North Hearing Room

Chair: Roegner

SJR 7 Blessing, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

CA: Authorize land value taxes

SB 262 Blessing, 3rd Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party

Require construction contracts note variation from standard form

SJR 8 Huffman, 3rd Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party

CA: Establish constitutional right to hunt and fish

Finance, 2:00 PM, Finance Hearing Room

Chair: Cirino

SB 13 Reynolds, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Establish the Foster-to-College Scholarship Program

SB 120 Hicks-Hudson, 2nd Hearing, Proponent

Establish the Urban Farmer Youth Initiative Pilot Program

SB 195 Schaffer, 2nd Hearing, Proponent

Revise volunteer fire department and volunteer firefighter law

SB 300 Roegner, 1st Hearing, Sponsor/Proponent

Regards the Treasurer of State

***Possible Vote**

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Education, 3:00 PM, South Hearing Room

Chair: Brenner

SB 310 Johnson, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Require public schools to include fetal development instruction

SB 326 Cirino/Ingram, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Require students complete a high school computer science course

SB 311 Brenner, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Regards the operation of public and chartered nonpublic schools

SB 318 Cutrona, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Allow law enforcement to provide certain school resource services

SB 328 Koehler, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Regards Education and Workforce Return on Investment Initiative

Presentation:

Greater Springfield Partnership

Agriculture and Natural Resources, 3:30 PM, North Hearing Room

Chair: Schaffer

SB 329 Hicks-Hudson/Smith, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Prohibit road surface application of brine from oil, gas wells

Financial Institutions, Insurance and Technology, 4:00 PM, Finance Hearing Room

Chair: Wilson

HB 21 King, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Enact the Health Care Sharing Ministries Freedom to Share Act

HB 229 Deeter, 4th Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party

Establish licensing process, contract requirements for PBMs

SB 263 Roegner, 2nd Hearing, Opponent/Interested Party

Regards professional employer organizations and Unemployment Law

SB 306 Lang, 3rd Hearing, Opponent/Interested Party

Regards insurance transactions, plans, and policies

Local Government, 4:00 PM, Grant Hearing Room

Chair: O'Brien

SB 323 Blessing, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Provide for the natural organic reduction of remains

SB 281 Roegner, 2nd Hearing, Opponent/Interested Party

Allow county comm to award a franchise for public transit system

SB 278 Johnson, 3rd Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party

Permit monetary damages against municipal corps with gun controls

Wednesday, February 11

Public Utilities, 9:00 AM, Finance Hearing Room

Chair: Wilkin

HB 227 Robb Blasdel/Johnson, 3rd Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party

Modify excavation requirements

SB 106 Reineke, 5th Hearing, Opponent

Regulate the ownership of electric vehicle charging stations

Judiciary, 9:45 AM, North Hearing Room

Chair: Manning

SB 75 Hicks-Hudson/Ingram, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Increase penalty for failure to report a lost or stolen firearm

HB 55 Stewart, 4th Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party*

Revise fees for the administration of a probate estate

SB 242 Johnson, 2nd Hearing, Proponent

Regards the sale of used catalytic converters

HB 210 Roemer/Plummer, 2nd Hearing, Proponent

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SB 87 Johnson, 2nd Hearing, Proponent

Define antisemitism; expand the offense of ethnic intimidation

Transportation, 10:00 AM, Finance Hearing Room

Chair: Patton

SB 228 Craig, 3rd Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party*

Create the Lifetown license plate

SB 97 Craig/Wilson, 4th Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party*

Double fines for failing to yield to a funeral procession

SB 216 Cutrona, 2nd Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party*

Designate Clarence "Sonny" Smith, Jr. Memorial Highway.

SB 302 Johnson, 2nd Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party

Create the Land of U.S. Grant license plate

SB 180 Johnson, 4th Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party

Prohibit purchase of drones made by a covered foreign entity

Health, 10:30 AM, South Hearing Room

Chair: Huffman

HB 52 Deeter, 5th Hearing, No Testimony*

Revise the practice of certified registered nurse anesthetists

SB 320 Roegner, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Enter into the Athletic Trainer Compact

SB 324 Huffman, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Revise X-ray machine operator and radiation technician law

SB 249 Lang/Johnson, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Authorize dispensing of ivermectin without a prescription

SB 309 Koehler, 2nd Hearing, Proponent

Enact the Abortion Pill Provider Liability Education (APPLE) Act

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Wednesday, February 11

Rules and Reference, 11:30 AM, Senate Chamber

Chair: McColley

Armed Services, Veterans Affairs and Public Safety, 2:30 PM (Or after session), South Hearing Room

Chair: Johnson

SB 218 Roegner, 3rd Hearing, Proponent/Opponent/Interested Party

Exempt armed forces-certified child care provider from licensure

SB 236 Craig/Hicks-Hudson, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Enact the Suicide Self-Defense Act

SB 321 Schaffer, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Regards carrying of firearms by certain special police officers

HB 3 Willis/Thomas, C., 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Enact the School Bus Safety Act

HB 311 White, E./Hoops, 1st Hearing, Sponsor

Designate EMS week in Ohio

Thursday, February 12

Ohio Retirement Study Council, 9:30 AM, Room 116

Chair: Romanchuk