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<DRAFT> AGENDA Economic Affairs Interim Committee

July 18, 2008 8:00 a.m.

Student Union Building - Rm 275
Montana State University

(all agenda times are approximate)

- 8:00 a.m. Call to order and comments from presiding officers.
- 8:15 a.m. An analysis of issues relating to residential contractors and best practices.
--Ms. Joy Oocka, representing a group of homeowners, will discuss her organizational efforts at cataloguing residential projects in dispute.

--Practicing Attorney and Law Professor John (Buzz) Tarlow will discuss how current law plays out in court.

--Representative Ray Hawk will present his research on this issue and discuss state efforts at public service campaigns.
- 9:15 a.m. Questions from the Committee
- 9:45 a.m. Public Comment
- 10:15 a.m. Rule Review, Bart Campbell, Staff Attorney
- 10:25 a.m. Approval of Past Minutes
- 10:45 a.m. An Update of Workers Compensation Issues and Potential Legislation
--Briefing from Legislative Liaisons to Montana State Fund, Representatives Milburn and Thomas

--Jerry Keck, Division Administrator of the Employment Relations Division and Ex-Officio member of Labor-Management Advisory Council will discuss legislative options approved by the Council.

11:30 a.m.	Questions from Committee
12:00 p.m.	Public Comment
12:30 p.m.	Update from staff on statutory requirements for the remainder of the Interim, and State Affairs and Veterans Administration letter (SAVA), Andrew Geiger
12:45 p.m.	Committee decisions on considering potential bills sponsored by the Economic Affairs Interim Committee.
1:00 p.m.	Working Lunch - <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dr. Doug Steele, Vice Provost & Director of MSU Extension Service
2:00 p.m.	Adjourn