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AGENDA

Nov 13, 2025

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Capitol, Room 137 and Zoom

Note: All times are tentative

- 9:00 a.m. Call to Order: Roll Call**
Representative Ler, Chair
- 9:05 a.m. Administrative Rule Review**
Jameson Walker, Staff Attorney
- 9:20 a.m. Agency Oversight: Department of Labor and Industry**
Representative Ler, Chair
- a. Projects
 - b. Public Comment
 - c. Q&A
- 9:45 a.m. SHORT BREAK**
- 10:00 a.m. Member Topic: Robotics, AI, and the MT Workforce**
Matthew Weaver, Research Analyst
- a. American Computer and Robotics Museum
 - b. Montana Manufacturing Extension Center
 - c. Department of Labor and Industry
 - d. Public Comment
 - e. Q&A
- 11:00 a.m. SHORT BREAK**
- 11:10 a.m. HJ 61 – Property Insurance Market in MT**
Matthew Weaver, Research Analyst
- a. Commissioner for Securities and Insurance
 - b. Public Comment
 - c. Q&A
- 12:00 p.m. Emerging Issues: Auto-Insurance Right to Appraisal progress report**
Representative Ler, Chair
- 12:10 p.m. Public Comment*** on any topic under the Committee's jurisdiction but not on this agenda

- 12:25 p.m. Work Session: Committee Discussion and Meeting Wrap Up**
Representative Ler, Chair
a. Instructions to Staff
b. Next Meeting
- 1:00 p.m. Adjourn**

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