JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

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BIENNIAL BUDGET DELIBERATIONS

AFA Committee Deliberations and Piecemeal Voting

AFA will begin to take straw votes on the remainder of LD 210 An Act Making Unified Appropriations and Allocations from the General Fund and Other Funds for the Expenditures of State Government and Changing Certain Provisions of the Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 2025, June 30, 2026 and June 30, 2027. They are still on their first round of straw voting on this bill which means they will be referencing Policy Committee Report-backs. As is usually the case in the first round, we will do our best to create and update the detailed schedules to let you know the potential subject areas of the work sessions (usually by Policy Committee areas) and as is usually the case, not all listed areas are guaranteed to be covered in any given work session.

DRAFT AGENDA

PLEASE NOTE

The Committee may break for caucus during, or in lieu of, scheduled budget work sessions

Thursday, May 1, 2025

2:00 pm

Work Session LD 210 (The 2026-2027 Biennial Budget)

<u>Potential</u> Discussion and/or voting on selected initiatives from the recommendation reports of the following committees (not necessarily all the areas listed or in the order listed):

- o Agriculture, Conservation and Forestry
- o Inland Fisheries and Wildlife
- Education and Cultural Affairs
- Health and Human Services
- Marine Resources
- Veterans and Legal Affairs