
Wisconsin Legislative Council

AGENDA



STUDY COMMITTEE ON INCREASING OFFENDER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Senator Mary Felzkowski, Chair, and Representative Michael Schraa, Vice Chair

August 30, 2022

10:00 a.m.

**411 South, State Capitol
Madison, WI**

- 10:00 a.m.* Call to Order and Roll Call.
- 10:05 a.m. Opening Remarks From Anne Sappenfield, Director, Legislative Council.
- 10:10 a.m. Introduction of Committee Members.
- 10:20 a.m. Discussion of Materials Distributed by Legislative Council Staff.
- 10:30 a.m. Presentation by the Department of Corrections:
- Paulina Gutierrez, Legislative Advisor.
 - Dr. Silvia Jackson, Reentry Director.
 - Lisa Reible, Deputy Warden, Wisconsin Women’s Correction System (WWCS).
 - Quala Champagne, Warden, Wisconsin Correctional Center System (WCCS).
- 11:45 p.m. Lunch.
- 12:45 p.m. Presentation by the Wisconsin Technical College System:
- Lenard Simpson, Education Director, Justice-Involved Populations, Office of Student Success.
 - Brandon Trujillo, Policy Advisor, Policy and Government Relations Office.
- 1:45 p.m. Presentation by the Department of Workforce Development:
- Jenifer Cole, Legislative Liaison.
 - Michele Carter, Division Administrator, Division of Employment and Training (DET).
 - Steve Laesch, Deputy Division Administrator, DET.
 - Rebecca Kikkert, Director, DET Office of Special Initiatives.

*All of the times listed in the agenda are approximations.

2:45 p.m. Discussion of Committee Assignment.

3:45 p.m. Plans for Future Meetings:

- Thursday, September 29th.
- Friday, October 21st.
- Thursday, November 10th.
- Tuesday, December 6th.

4:00 p.m. Adjournment.

Other committee members: Sen. Taylor; Reps. Goyke, Petryk, and Stubbs; and Public Members Allman, Isahaku, Rivera, Roddy, and Wahlin.