

AGENDA

2010-11 NEW LEGISLATOR ORIENTATION PHASE II

NOVEMBER 16-18, 2010
STATE CAPITOL
DENVER, COLORADO

Tuesday, November 16

8:00 a.m. Breakfast Buffet

House Committee Rooms Lobby

8:45 a.m. Introductions and an Overview of the Program's Agenda

*Mike Mauer, Director, Colorado Legislative Council Staff
House Committee Room 0112*

Overview of the Legislative Service Agencies

Legislative Council Staff

*Mike Mauer, Director
Cathy Eslinger, Policy and Research
Susan Liddle, Constituent Services
Chris Ward, Fiscal Notes
Natalie Mullis, Chief Economist*

Office of Legislative Legal Services

*Sharon Eubanks, Deputy Director
Bart Miller, Assistant Director*

Break

Joint Budget Committee Staff

John Ziegler, Director

Office of the State Auditor

Sally Symanski, State Auditor

12:00 p.m. Welcoming Luncheon

*Sheraton Hotel, Director's Row H
Hosted by Legislative Leadership*

2:00 p.m. Members will now break out into concurrent sessions:

Group A: House Committee Room 0109 (Green)

Group B: House Committee Room 0111 (Blue)

Group C: Senate Committee Room 352 (Red)

Step 1: Office of Legislative Legal Services

Bill Drafting and Fiscal Notes Process: From Idea to Bill to Law

*Group A: Michael Dohr, Office of Legislative Legal Services
Clare Pramuk, Legislative Council Staff*

*Group B: Ed DeCecco, Office of Legislative Legal Services
Chris Ward, Legislative Council Staff*

*Group C: Christy Chase, Office of Legislative Legal Services
Josh Abram, Legislative Council Staff*

3:15 p.m. Break

3:30 p.m. Continuation of Step 1: Office of Legislative Legal Services

Bill Drafting and Fiscal Notes Process: From Idea to Bill to Law

4:30 p.m. Open House for New Members and Spouses

House Chambers - light refreshments will be served

Wednesday, November 17

7:45 a.m. Breakfast Buffet with Legislative Staff Buddies

State Capitol Cafeteria

8:30 a.m. Step 2: Mock Committee Sessions

Group A: House Committee Room 0109 (Green)

Group B: House Committee Room 0111 (Blue)

Group C: Senate Committee Room 352 (Red)

10:00 a.m. Break

10:15 a.m. Continuation of Mock Committee Sessions

12:00 p.m. Luncheon: Box Lunch with Your Colleagues

House Committee Rooms

1:30 p.m. Step 3: Appropriations/Long Bill Process and Fiscal Implications of Proposed Bills

Legislative Services Building, Room A

John Ziegler, Director, Joint Budget Committee Staff

- 2:45 p.m. Break**
- 3:00 p.m. Appropriations Mock Committee Sessions**
House Members will meet in Legislative Services Building, Room A
Senate Members will meet in Senate Committee Room 356
- 4:30 p.m. Adjourn for the Day**

Thursday, November 18

- 8:00 a.m. Breakfast Buffet**
House Committee Rooms Lobby
- 8:30 a.m. Step 4: Mock Floor Sessions**
House and Senate Chambers
- 11:30 a.m. Class of '10 Photo**
Rotunda Steps, 1st Floor
- 12:00 p.m. Luncheon and Presentation**
- Panel Discussion: What it Means to be a State Policy Maker**
University Club, 1673 Sherman Street
- Panel: John A. Straayer, Ph.D., Professor, Colorado State University, **Moderator***
Hank Brown, President Emeritus, University of Colorado
David Skaggs, Former State Representative and U.S. Congressman
- 2:00 p.m. Computers/Orientation**
House Committee Room 0112
Legislative Information Services Staff and Office of Legislative Legal Services
- The Technology Mousetrap: Don't Get Caught**
Overview of technology and electronic communication: public records, e-ethics, and safe computing (spam, viruses, worms, adware, spyware, phishing, etc.)
- Distribution of state-owned laptops**
- 4:30 p.m. Adjourn for the Day**