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Legislative Schedule Set for First Half of 2012

Senate President Tom Niehaus and Speaker of the House William Batchelder announced the schedules for their respective chambers for the first half of 2012. The following combines those two schedules. Unless otherwise notified, Senate sessions start at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Wednesdays and 11 a.m. on Thursdays while the House meets at 11 a.m. on Tuesdays; 1:30 p.m. on Wednesdays; and 1 p.m. on Thursdays. Dates are subject to change.

January

Monday, January 2 - **New Year's Day (observed)**
(State Offices closed)

Tuesday, January 10 - Senate Session/House Committee Hearings

Wednesday, January 11 - Senate Session/House Committee Hearings

Thursday, January 12 - Committee Hearings

Monday, January 16 - **Martin Luther King Day** (State Offices closed)

Wednesday, January 18 - Senate Session/House Committee Hearings

Thursday, January 19 - Committee Hearings

Tuesday, January 24 - Sessions

Wednesday, January 25 - Sessions

Thursday, January 26 - Committee Hearings

Tuesday, January 31 - Sessions

February

Wednesday, February 1 - Senate Session/House Committee Hearings

Thursday, February 2 - Committee Hearings

Tuesday, February 7 - Sessions

Wednesday, February 8 - Sessions

Thursday, February 9 - House Committee Hearings

Tuesday, February 14 - Sessions

Wednesday, February 15 - Sessions

Thursday, February 16 - House Committee Hearings

Monday, February 20 - **Presidents' Day** (State Offices closed)

March

Tuesday, March 6 - **U.S. Senate/General Assembly/Local Offices Primary Election**

Tuesday, March 13 - Sessions

Wednesday, March 14 - Sessions

Thursday, March 15 - Committee Hearings

Tuesday, March 20 - Sessions

Wednesday, March 21 - Sessions

Thursday, March 22 - Committee Hearings

Tuesday, March 27 - Sessions

Wednesday, March 28 - Sessions

Thursday, March 29 - Committee Hearings

April

April 2 - April 13 - **Spring Break**

Tuesday, April 17 - Senate Session

Wednesday, April 18 - Sessions

Thursday, April 19 - Committee Hearings

Tuesday, April 24 - Sessions

Wednesday, April 25 - Sessions

Thursday, April 26 - Committee Hearings

May

Tuesday, May 1 - Senate Session/House Committee Hearings

Wednesday, May 2 - Senate Session/House Committee Hearings

Thursday, May 3 - Committee Hearings

Tuesday, May 8 - Sessions

Wednesday, May 9 - Sessions

Thursday, May 10 - Committee Hearings

Tuesday, May 15 - Sessions

Wednesday, May 16 - Sessions

Thursday, May 17 - Senate Session (if needed)/House Committee Hearings

Tuesday, May 22 - Sessions

Wednesday, May 23 - Sessions

Thursday, May 24 - Sessions (if needed)

Monday, May 28 - **Memorial Day** (State Offices closed)

Tuesday, May 29 - Sessions (if needed)

Wednesday, May 30 - Sessions (if needed)

June

Tuesday, June 5 - Sessions (if needed)

Wednesday, June 6 - Sessions (if needed)

Tuesday, June 12 - Sessions (if needed)

Presidential/U.S. House Primary Election

Wednesday, June 13 - Sessions (if needed)

July

Wednesday, July 4 - **Independence Day** (State Offices closed)