Ohio Council of Retail Merchants Legislative Schedule
This agenda contains all scheduled committee hearings
Please note: the bills highlighted in red indicate legislation the Council is actively tracking.

Monday, March 31, 2014

HOUSE HIGHER EDUCATION SUBCOMMITTEE
Mon., Mar. 31, 2014, 9:00 AM, Hearing Room 311

HB484
MBR-HIGHER EDUCATION (ROSENBERGER C, BROWN T) With respect to the coordination and administration of higher education programs.
Second Hearing, All Testimony

SENATE REFERENCE
Mon., Mar. 31, 2014, 1:00 PM, Majority Conference Room
Sen. Jordan: 614-466-8086

SENATE FINANCE
Mon., Mar. 31, 2014, 1:30 PM, Senate Finance Hearing Room
Sen. Oelslager: 614-466-0626

HB497
CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS (AMSTUTZ R) To make capital appropriations and changes to the law governing capital projects and to make reappropriations for the biennium ending June 30, 2016.
Second Hearing, Proponent & Opponent Testimony

Tuesday, April 1, 2014

HOUSE HIGHER EDUCATION SUBCOMMITTEE
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 9:00 AM, Hearing Room 311

HB484
MBR-HIGHER EDUCATION (ROSENBERGER C, BROWN T) With respect to the coordination and administration of higher education programs.
Third Hearing, All Testimony
SENATE FINANCE
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 9:30 AM, Senate Finance Hearing Room
Sen. Oelslager: 614-466-0626

HB497
CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS (AMSTUTZ R) To make capital appropriations and changes to the law governing capital projects and to make reappropriations for the biennium ending June 30, 2016.
Third Hearing, All Testimony, POSSIBLE VOTE

HOUSE AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 10:00 AM, Hearing Room 116

HB490
MBR-AGRICULTURE-NATURAL RESOURCES-ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION LAWS (HALL D, THOMPSON A) To revise certain laws governing agriculture, natural resources, and environmental protection.
First Hearing, Sponsor Testimony

HOUSE INSURANCE
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 10:00 AM, Hearing Room 121

HB430
SELF-SERVICE STORAGE FACILITIES (KUNZE S, STINZIANO M) To regulate self-service storage facilities.
Second Hearing, Proponent & Opponent Testimony

HB493**
MBR-WORKERS’ COMPENSATION (SEARS B, HENNE M) To make changes to Ohio’s Workers’ Compensation Law and to make an appropriation.
Second Hearing, All Testimony
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, WORKERS’ & UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION -Gordon Gough

HB468**
SALVAGE-JUNK MOTOR VEHICLES (SEARS B, MCGREGOR R) Relative to salvage motor vehicles and junk motor vehicles.
Third Hearing, Opponent Testimony
Report(s): AUTOMOTIVE - Gordon Gough, My Tracked Bills

OHIO HOUSE
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 11:00 AM, House Chambers

CANCELLED

HOUSE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND REGULATORY REFORM
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 11:00 AM, Hearing Room 114

HB486
MBR-WORKFORCE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS (BAKER N, STEBELTON G) Regarding various workforce development and economic development programs.
Second Hearing, Proponent Testimony, AMENDMENTS
SENATE RULES
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 11:00 AM, Senate Majority Conference Room
Sen. Faber: 614-466-7584

SENATE REFERENCE
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 11:15 AM, Senate Majority Conference Room
Sen. Jordan: 614-466-8086

HOUSE STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 1:00 PM, Hearing Room 121

HCR14
STATE VOLUME CAP (ROMANCHUK M) To express the General Assembly’s support of federal legislation to remove the State Volume Cap for Private Activity Bonds for water and wastewater infrastructure projects.

Third Hearing, All Testimony, AMENDMENTS/POSSIBLE VOTE

HB227**
HEALTH CARE COMPACT (RETERFORD W, BOOSE T) To enter into the Health Care Compact.

Fourth Hearing, All Testimony, AMENDMENTS/POSSIBLE VOTE

Report(s): My Tracked Bills, TAXATION - Lora Miller

HB198**
TAX INCREMENT FINANCING (BUTLER, JR, J, BURKLEY T) To establish a procedure by which political subdivisions proposing a tax increment financing (TIF) incentive district are required to provide notice to the record owner of each parcel within the proposed incentive district before adopting the TIF resolution.

Sixth Hearing, All Testimony, AMENDMENTS/SUBSTITUTE BILL/POSSIBLE VOTE

Report(s): My Tracked Bills

HCR50
E-BOOK ACCESS-PUBLIC LIBRARIES (LUNDY M, BLAIR T) To urge Ohio members of the Congress of the United States to seek a solution to ensure public access to e-book materials through public libraries.

First Hearing, Sponsor Testimony

HB432
OHIO COMMUNITY-NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICE COMMISSION (BARNES, JR, J) To establish the Ohio Community and Neighborhood Service Commission.

First Hearing, Sponsor Testimony

HB435
DEPARTMENT OF GRANTS AND PHILANTHROPIC GESTURES (BARNES, JR, J) To create the Department of Grants and Philanthropic Gestures.

First Hearing, Sponsor Testimony

HB457
LEE STRAWN DAY (SLABY M) To designate March 14, 2014, as “Lee Strawn Day” in honor of Lee Strawn’s service to the state and to declare an emergency.

First Hearing, Sponsor Testimony

HB500
PUBLIC TRANSIT SYSTEM-FRANCHISE AWARD (YOUNG R) To permit a board of county commissioners, on behalf of a county transit board, to award a franchise for the operation of a public transit system.

First Hearing, Sponsor/Proponent Testimony

OHIO SENATE
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 1:30 PM, Senate Chambers
HOUSE FINANCE AND APPROPRIATIONS
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 1:30 PM, Hearing Room 313

HB369** MBR-MEDICAID-OPIOID ADDICTIONS (SPRAGUE R) To require the Medicaid program and health insurers to cover certain services for recipients with opioid addictions.

Second Hearing, No Testimony, AMENDMENTS/SUBSTITUTE BILL
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, PHARMACY - Lora Miller

HB483** MBR-OPERATION OF STATE PROGRAMS (AMSTUTZ R) To make operating and other appropriations and to provide authorization and conditions for the operation of state programs.

Fourth Hearing, All Testimony
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, PHARMACY - Lora Miller

HOUSE TRANSPORTATION, PUBLIC SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 1:30 PM, Hearing Room 122

HB409 COMMERCIAL AIRLINE-AIR FREIGHT COMMISSION (BARNES, JR. J, PATMON B) To create the Commercial Airline and Air Freight Commission.

First Hearing, Sponsor Testimony

HB475 MOTOR VEHICLE HEADLIGHTS (BECKER J) To permit the flashing on and off of headlights, and the alternate flashing of the lower and upper beams of headlights, by a motor vehicle operator to convey information to operators of oncoming vehicles, including information concerning the presence of dangers, hazards, or vehicles of interest.

First Hearing, Sponsor Testimony

HB474 OHIO BEEKEPERS ASSOCIATION LICENSE PLATE (DOVILLA M, PELANDA D) To create the "Ohio State Beekeepers Association" license plate.

Second Hearing, All Testimony

HB346 ENHANCED STATE-ISSUED IDS (DAMSCHRODER R) To authorize the issuance of an enhanced driver's license, enhanced commercial driver's license, and enhanced identification card to facilitate land and sea border crossings between the United States and Canada and Mexico, pursuant to an agreement with the United States Department of Homeland Security.

Fourth Hearing, All Testimony, AMENDMENTS/POSSIBLE VOTE

HOUSE POLICY AND LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 2:00 PM, Hearing Room 115

HB491** MBR-GAMING LAW (BUCHY J, BLESSING III L) To make various changes to the Gambling Law, Lottery Law, and Casino Law.

Second Hearing, Invited Testimony
Report(s): LOTTERY & GAMING - Gordon Gough, My Tracked Bills

HOUSE RULES AND REFERENCE
Tue., Apr. 1, 2014, 3:00 PM, Hearing Room 119
**Wednesday, April 2, 2014**

**HOUSE FINANCE AND APPROPRIATIONS**  
Wed., Apr. 2, 2014, 9:00 AM, Hearing Room 313  

**HB369**  
MBR-MEDICAID-OPIOID ADDICTIONS (SPRAGUE R) To require the Medicaid program and health insurers to cover certain services for recipients with opioid addictions.  
*Third Hearing, No Testimony, AMENDMENTS/POSSIBLE VOTE*  
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, PHARMACY - Lora Miller

**HB483**  
MBR-OPERATION OF STATE PROGRAMS (AMSTUTZ R) To make operating and other appropriations and to provide authorization and conditions for the operation of state programs.  
*Fifth Hearing, All Testimony*  
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, PHARMACY - Lora Miller

**HOUSE HEALTH AND AGING**  
Rep. Wachtmann: 614-466-3760

HB501 to be referred to subcommittee.

**HB412**  
PHYSICIANS ASSISTANTS LAW (GONZALES A) To revise the law governing the practice of physician assistants.  
*Fifth Hearing, All Testimony, SUBSTITUTE BILL/POSSIBLE VOTE*  
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, PHARMACY - Lora Miller

**HB265**  
DISABILITY PARKING SPACES (STINZIANO M, GROSSMAN C) To alter the designation of special parking locations for persons who have a disability that limits or impairs the ability to walk by designating such locations as “accessible parking spaces” or “disability parking spaces.”  
*Third Hearing, Opponent/Interested Party Testimony*  
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT - Lora Miller

**HB485**  
MBR-OFFICE OF HUMAN SERVICES INNOVATION (SMITH R, JOHNSON T) To establish the Office of Human Services Innovation in the Department of Job and Family Services.  
*Third Hearing, Opponent/Interested Party Testimony*

**SB99**  
ORAL CANCER MEDICATIONS (OEISLAGER S, TAVARES C) Regarding insurance coverage for orally administered cancer medications.  
*Second Hearing, Proponent Testimony*  
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, PHARMACY - Lora Miller

**SB230**  
NON-SELF-INJECTABLE CANCER DRUGS (MANNING G, OEISLAGER S) To establish standards for the delivery of non-self-injectable cancer drugs.  
*First Hearing, Proponent Testimony*  
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, PHARMACY - Lora Miller

**HB501**  
SCHEDULE I CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES (SMITH R, SPRAGUE R) To add the drug Zohydro to the list of Schedule I controlled substances.  
*First Hearing, Sponsor Testimony*  
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, PHARMACY - Lora Miller

**SCR23**  
NATIONAL FIBROMYALGIA AWARENESS DAY (BURKE D, CAFARO C) Declaring May 12, 2014 “National Fibromyalgia Awareness Day” in Ohio.  
*First Hearing, Sponsor Testimony*
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE DISTRIBUTORS (JONES S) To require a retail terminal distributor of dangerous drugs to verify the prospective purchaser's identity when dispensing a controlled substance or tramadol.

Second Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, PHARMACY - Lora Miller

USED TIRES SALES (PATTON T) To regulate the sale of used tires and provide notice to consumers of the age and history of purchased used tires.

Second Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Report(s): AUTOMOTIVE - Gordon Gough, My Tracked Bills

MOTOR VEHICLE SHOWS (ROEGNER K, O'BRIEN S) To permit a new motor vehicle dealer to display new motor vehicles at a location other than the dealer's licensed location, and to alter the statutory procedures governing motor vehicle shows, and to clarify the law governing the retail sale of utility and certain other trailers.

Second Hearing, Proponent Testimony
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, TRANSPORTATION - Gordon Gough

MOTOR VEHICLE REPAIR BOARD (UECKER J) To extend the jurisdiction of the Motor Vehicle Repair Board to persons who perform motor vehicle mechanical repairs, to require motor vehicle repair facilities to register with the Board, and to create the Motor Vehicle Repair Operator Vendor's License Suspension Fund.

Third Hearing, All Testimony
Report(s): AUTOMOTIVE - Gordon Gough, My Tracked Bills
HOUSE WAYS AND MEANS
Wed., Apr. 2, 2014, 3:00 PM, Hearing Room 116

HB492** MBR-TAXATION (SCHERER G) To provide authorization and conditions for the levy and administration of taxes in this state.
Third Hearing, All Testimony, AMENDMENTS/POSSIBLE VOTE
Report(s): My Tracked Bills, TAXATION - Lora Miller

HOUSE MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS
Wed., Apr. 2, 2014, 4:30 PM, Hearing Room 121

HB488 MBR-HIGHER EDUCATION-MILITARY VETERANS (DOVILLA M, LANDIS A) To require state institutions of higher education to award credit for military training, and to make other changes regarding state support and benefits for veterans and their spouses.
Second Hearing, All Testimony

HCR48 65TH INFANTRY REGIMENT-PUERTO RICO (PERALES R, RAMOS D) To recognize the outstanding service of the 65th Infantry Regiment from Puerto Rico and to urge the award of a Congressional Gold Medal to the Regiment
Second Hearing, All Testimony

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