

JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
SUBCOMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT

February 4, 2026
01:00 PM

Hearing Room G

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Chris Gorsek, Co-Chair
Sen. Dick Anderson
Sen. Mark Meek

Rep. Gregory Smith, Co-Chair
Rep. Farrah Chaichi
Rep. David Gomberg
Rep. E. Werner Reschke
Rep. Thuy Tran

STAFF PRESENT:

Emily Coates, Legislative Fiscal Office
Ron Nalley, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS:

Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

00:00:26 [Meeting Called to Order](#)
00:00:27 Representative Smith, Presiding Co-Chair

00:00:41 [Department of Revenue Report - Cost Allocation](#)
00:00:50 Emily Coates, Legislative Fiscal Office
00:01:03 Co-Chair Smith
00:01:26 David Gerstenfeld, Director, Department of Revenue
00:18:42 Co-Chair Smith
00:18:46 Rep. Reschke
00:19:22 David Gerstenfeld
00:24:32 Sen. Meek
00:24:48 David Gerstenfeld
00:25:13 Sen. Meek
00:25:50 David Gerstenfeld
00:27:34 Rep. Reschke
00:28:06 David Gerstenfeld
00:28:33 Sen. Anderson
00:29:19 David Gerstenfeld

00:30:42 Sen. Anderson
00:30:51 Co-Chair Smith
00:31:16 David Gerstenfeld
00:32:13 Co-Chair Smith
00:33:08 David Gerstenfeld
00:33:12 Co-Chair Smith
00:33:24 David Gerstenfeld
00:33:32 Co-Chair Smith
00:34:01 Russ Casler, Analyst, Department of Administrative Services
00:34:09 Co-Chair Smith
00:34:14 Emily Coates
00:34:36 MOTION: Co-Chair Gorsek moves the report to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to acknowledge receipt

00:34:44 Co-Chair Smith
00:35:02 VOTE: 8-0-0
Ayes: Sens. Anderson, Gorsek, Meek; Reps. Chaichi, Gomberg, Reschke, Smith, Tran
MOTION CARRIES
Carrier: Rep. Smith
00:35:24 Co-Chair Smith

00:35:36 Meeting Adjourned