House Democrats Caucus Meeting

Thursday, April 4, 2024 at 12:00pm

Location: First Baptist Church, 1373 Grant Street, Denver CO 80203

Attendees: Members of the House Democratic caucus and House Majority Staff

Minutes

- 12:17 PM: Caucus Chair Lindsay brought the meeting to order.
- 12:18 PM: ML Duran reviewed the anticipated special orders calendar for 4/5 and reminded members to work on their Floor amendments early.
- 12:26 PM: Rep. Sirota reviewed the prioritization process, which opens on 4/5.
 - o AML Bacon asked for a specific dollar amount for fiscal notes.
 - o Rep. Parenti asked if sunset and department bills are included.
 - o Rep. Lieder asked whether cash funded bills are included.
 - o Rep. Garcia expressed frustration with delays for updated fiscal analysis.
 - Rep. Hernandez asked for clarification on the de minimus amount below which bills are excluded from prioritization.
- 12:38 PM: Majority Leader Duran reviewed the anticipated calendar for 4/5 for members again.
- 12:43 PM: Feliz Sanchez Garcia, Legislative Aide Program Manager, shared an overview of the bill signing process and how members can submit priorities.
- 12:45 PM: Rep. Garcia shared an update on new immigrant arrivals.
- Discussion of legislation:
 - Rep. Parenti shared information on HB24-1158, Homeowners'
 Association Foreclosure Sales Requirements
 - Rep. Story shared information on HB24-1357, Pipeline Safety.
 - Rep. Boesenecker shared information on HB24-1175, Local Governments Rights to Property for Affordable Housing.
 - Rep. Marshall shared information on HB24-1287, Access to State Grant Opportunities.
- 12:53 PM: Speaker McCluskie informed the caucus of upcoming resolutions.
- 12:55 PM: Assistant Majority Leader Bacon reminded members of COW Chair opportunities and thanked members for their participation.
- 12:56 PM: Speaker McCluskie celebrated the work of JBC.
- 12:57 PM: Meeting adjourned.