

MASSACHUSETTS COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN

Legislative Committee Meeting Agenda Tuesday, January 7th, 2025, 5:30 pm-6:30 pm

Web Meeting: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88940239768

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Approval of December 2024 Meeting Minutes (Vote)
- 3. Policy Engage Meeting Recap (Goal: Review/add keywords for search)
- 4. Endorsed Bill & Coalition Updates
 - a. <u>Legislative Tracker</u> (Goal: Review bill status key, assess current priorities and assign commissioner leads)
 - b. Parity on Boards Coalition Leadership Update
- 5. Old Business
 - a. Hampshire-Franklin Hearing Summary
 - b. Virtual Health Hearing Debrief (Goal: Urge folks to take feedback survey)
 - c. Legislative Priority Survey (Goal: Review current results)
- 6. New Business
 - a. Upcoming Events
 - i. Virtual WOC Hearing Wednesday, Feb 26th
 - ii. Advocacy Day- Monday, March 24th
 - iii. Woods Hole Public Hearing- Tuesday, May 20th
- 7. Adjourn

The listing of items is those reasonably anticipated by the Chair, which may be discussed. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may also be addressed to the extent permitted by law. The order of items discussed may be varied by the Chair.

Committee Members:

Voting:

Guimel Decarvalho, Chair Sonia Shah, Vice Chair Sarah Glenn-Smith, Secretary

Associate:

Tanisha Arena Kimberly Shea Carol Campbell Audrey Hall Divya Chaturvedi Staff Liaison: Ellen Moorhouse

Attachments:

Legislative & Public Policy Committee Purpose Statement.docx

Robert's Rules of Order- FAQs.docx

Legislative Tracker

Legislative Matrix

One pagers for Coalitions & Bills
MA Legal Services Legislative Process

Commonwealth of MA Legislative Process- Longer Doc