



West Virginia Senate

Committee on Finance

Minutes for January 20, 2026, 3:00 PM

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Senate Committee on Finance met on January 20, 2026, 3:00 PM in Room 451M.

Members present: Senators Barrett, Roberts, Clements, Grady, Hamilton, Jeffries, Maynard, Morris, Oliverio, Phillips, Queen, Takubo, Woodrum, Woelfel

Members absent: Senators Martin, Thorne

A silent roll call being taken, the presence of a quorum was established.

On motion of Senator Roberts, the minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

Budget Presentation: West Virginia Department of Transportation

Harold Ward, Cabinet Secretary, was recognized to present the agency's budget. Questions and answers followed. Gary Rogers, Chief of Business Operations, Jason Harmon, Acting Chief of Staff, Office of Oil and Gas, and Jeremy Bandy, Director of Water and Waste Management, were also recognized to answer additional questions from the committee.

Budget Presentation: West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals

C. Haley Bunn, Chief Justice, was recognized to present the budget for the court. Questions and answers followed. Keith Hoover, Administrative Director of the Court, was also recognized for additional questions.

On Motion of Senator Queen the committee adjourned.



Jason Barrett
Chairman



Tammy Shamblin
Committee Clerk