ACIR

Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations

Agenda

November 1, 2024, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

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1. **Welcome and Call to Order** - *John Filchak, ACIR Chair*
   ✓overview of meeting procedures, agenda review/additions

2. **Consideration of Draft Minutes of 10/4/2024 meeting**

3. **2025 Meeting Schedule**
   ✓ Suggest monthly Regular Meetings change to the first Thursday of the month starting at 9:30 am as hybrid meetings at the Legislative Office Building.

4. **Membership Updates** - *Martin Heft*
   a. Vacancies (as of 10/28/2024):
      o Designee of the House Minority Leader
      o Nominated by COST: Municipal official: Town of 10,000 – 20,000

5. **119k Commission on At-risk and Disconnected Youth**
   ✓ Young People First report

6. **2024-25 Work Group Program** Updates
   - ✓ **Municipal Workforce Development**
     Ron Thomas and Matt Hart
     - o ACIR will explore and recommend actions regarding non-education public-sector hiring challenges, training, diversity, and retention that have put local government's ability to deliver services at risk.
     - o ACIR will examine (expand on the Governor's Bill on Regional Services - House Bill 5056) opportunities and barriers for shared and regional approaches to address the public sector workforce challenge.

   - ✓ **Special Education, Education Governance, & Workforce Development**
     Jan Perruccio and Lon Seidman
     - o ACIR will examine recent actions to address the varied needs of Special Education and make recommendations as warranted.
     - o ACIR will explore alternatives - including school governance, regionalization and shared services to ease the cost-capacity gap for education.
     - o ACIR will explore and recommend actions regarding public-education hiring challenges, training, diversity, and retention that have put local government's ability to deliver services at risk.

   - ✓ **Procedural Discussion:**
     - o   Interim Reports and Possible Commission Action

7. ACIR Regular Reports
- ✓ 2023-24 ACIR Annual Report (no due date)
- ✓ 2025 Mandate Compendium Supplement (due 1/22/2025)

8. ACIR Member Roundtable

9. Public Comment

10. Upcoming meetings and Related Events
- ✓ November 12, 2024, 9:00 am   ACIR education working group
- ✓ November 21, 2024, 9:00 am   ACIR municipal working group
- ✓ December 6, 2024, 10:30 am   Full ACIR

11. Adjournment