

AGENDA FOR SESSION 6: MINNESOTA'S LEGISLATIVE PROCESS

Sunday, March 18, 2018

11:00 – 11:30 AM Registration (*Humphrey*)

11:30 AM – 12:15 PM Lunch (*Lindbergh*)

12:15 – 12:30 PM Welcome and Introductions (*Humphrey*)
Brenton Rice, Weekend Facilitator
The Odyssey Group

12:30 – 2:00 PM What You Need to Know about the Legislature: Process, People, and Power
Sheila Kiscaden, County Commissioner

2:00 – 2:15 PM Refreshment Break

2:15 – 3:50 PM Your Toolbox of Strategies, Skills and Resources
Sheila Kiscaden, County Commissioner

3:50 – 4:30 PM Announcement, Mock Room Assignment & Hotel Check-in
Brenton Rice

4:30 – 6:40 PM Mock Hearing Preparation
(Runway 1-4: 2nd floor)
NOTE: Dinner buffet will be served at 5:30 p.m. Take your plate to the breakout rooms to eat.
Coaches: **Katie Engler, Becky Lourey, Peg Larsen, Lynne Osterman**

6:40 – 6:50 PM Short Break Before Hearings

6:00 – 6:50 PM Dinner and Mock Hearing Instructions for Legislators (Earhart)

6:50 – 8:25 PM Mock Hearings (Runway 1-4: 2nd floor)

8:25 – 8:50 PM Brief Feedback from Legislators (Runway 1-4: 2nd floor)

8:50 – 9:00 PM Closing Remarks, Evaluation Forms, and Announcements
(Runway 1-4: 2nd floor)
Brenton Rice

9:00 PM Day Adjourns

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Monday, March 19, 2018

7:00 – 8:00 AM Overnight Guest Room Check-Out & Continental Breakfast

8:00 – 8:15 AM Board busses and travel to State Capitol – Meet in Conference Room 316

9:00 – 10:00 AM Legislative Update (*Conference Room 316*)
Bud Rosenfield, Minnesota Disability Law Center

10:00 – 10:45 AM Effective Communication with Elected Officials
Sheila Kiscaden

10:45 – 11:30 AM Governor's Appointment Process
Madelyn Nelson, Office of Governor Mark Dayton

11:30 AM – 12:00 PM Lunch

1:00 – 1:30 PM State Capitol Tour (optional)

12:30 – 2:45 PM Meet with Legislators and/or Sit-in on Committee & Subcommittee Meetings

2:45 – 3:00 PM Class Photo (Capitol Rotunda)

3:00 – 3:15 PM Board buses and travel back to Crowne Plaza Aire

4:00 PM Weekend Adjourns