

AGENDA
HOUSE ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY & TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE
1:30 P.M.
Room EW41
Wednesday, January 14, 2026

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SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
	Organizational Meeting	

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COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chairman Barbieri
Vice Chairman Furniss
Rep Vander Woude
Rep Scott
Rep Wisniewski
Rep Raybould

Rep Redman
Rep Bruce
Rep Burgoyne
Rep Fuhrman
Rep Tanner (13)
Rep Thompson

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MINUTES

HOUSE ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY & TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE

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PLACE: Room EW41

MEMBERS: Chairman Barbieri, Vice Chairman Furniss, Representatives Vander Woude, Scott, Wisniewski, Raybould, Redman, Bruce, Burgoyne, Fuhriman, Tanner(13), Thompson, Bingham, Rubel, Egbert, Galaviz

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** Vice Chairman Furniss, Rep. Vander Woude, Rep. Wisniewski, Rep. Redman

GUESTS: The sign-in sheet will be retained in the committee secretary's office; following the end of session the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Library.

Chairman Barbieri called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

Chairman Barbieri welcomed the committee and requested committee member introductions; he also introduced **Gabrielle Hill**, committee page; **Michele Coburn**, committee secretary; and new committee member **Rep. Erin Bingham**.

Chairman Barbieri responded to committee question from **Rep. Scott** regarding AI and if the committee will be addressing it this session. He said as the workload increases and representatives are approached with AI issues, bring it to the table for further review and implementation.

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 1:41 p.m.

Representative Barbieri
Chair

Michele Coburn
Secretary

AGENDA
HOUSE ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY & TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE
1:30 P.M.
Room EW41
Wednesday, January 28, 2026

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SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
	Pending & Temporary Rules - Discussion	Rep. Barbieri

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PLACE: Room EW41

MEMBERS: Chairman Barbieri, Vice Chairman Furniss, Representatives Vander Woude, Scott, Wisniewski, Raybould, Redman, Bruce, Burgoyne, Fuhriman, Tanner(13), Thompson, Bingham, Rubel, Egbert (Sarriera), Galaviz

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** Representatives Raybould, Redman, Rubel, Galaviz

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Chairman Barbieri called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

Chairman Barbieri addressed the committee and requested rules review to be completed the week of February 2, 2026; and a future committee meeting on Spent Fuel will be scheduled.

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 1:33 p.m.

Representative Barbieri
Chair

Michele Coburn
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AGENDA
HOUSE ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY & TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE
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Room EW41
Wednesday, February 04, 2026

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SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
RS 32904	Code Cleanup, DEQ	Rep. Scott
	Enabling Energy Dominance and Security through Research, Development and Demonstration	Dr. John Wagner, Director, Idaho National Laboratory

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COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chairman Barbieri	Rep Redman	Rep Bingham
Vice Chairman Furniss	Rep Bruce	Rep Rubel
Rep Vander Woude	Rep Burgoyne	Rep Egbert
Rep Scott	Rep Fuhriman	Rep Galaviz
Rep Wisniewski	Rep Tanner (13)	
Rep Raybould	Rep Thompson	

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DATE: Wednesday, February 04, 2026

TIME: 1:30 P.M.

PLACE: Room EW41

MEMBERS: Chairman Barbieri, Vice Chairman Furniss, Representatives Vander Woude, Scott, Wisniewski, Raybould, Redman, Bruce, Burgoyne, Fuhriman, Tanner(13), Thompson, Bingham, Rubel, Egbert, Galaviz

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** Rep. Thompson

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Chairman Barbieri called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

MOTION: **Rep. Egbert** made a motion to approve minutes from January 14, 2026 and January 28, 2026. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

RS 32904: **Rep. Scott** introduced **RS 32904** and explained proposed changes from the DOGE task force to review and remove obsolete pieces of code. She encouraged the committee to print and review the changes relating to the possibility of a shift of power, the elimination of public testimony, and to consider unintended consequences in committee member districts.

Rep. Fuhriman raised a question if the DEQ was involved in these code changes. **Rep. Scott** responded to this question with no.

MOTION: **Rep. Raybould** made a motion to introduce **RS 32904**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

Dr. John Wagner from Idaho National Laboratory presented to the committee Enabling Energy Dominance and Security through Research, Development and Demonstration. His presentation focused on nuclear energy technologies, cyber security, power generation and distribution and economic impact. He also pointed to the urgency of the current administration directed by the U.S. Secretary of Energy; including rule-making to deploy nuclear energy with a constant power level target date of July 4, 2026. Other discussion points included military base power plans and partnership with large corporations such as Google, Amazon, Microsoft; and the power of AI accelerating the ability to make nuclear power with almost all testing going through INL.

Committee questions included what potential Idaho has for used fuel storage and the direction it is headed; how the state can take advantage of the opportunity and billions of dollars in revenue; have discussions taken place regarding power and transmission; suggestions for policy makers to make this attractive to commercial businesses in Idaho; the area required for a plant and how far away from population they should be placed. Additional questions addressed the issue of time for development and how long will it really take to be active; if data and AI centers are on this same time line or sooner; the amount of time it takes to build gas generation plants; regulatory messaging; the borrowing and debt load for continuing construction; nuclear's constant draw on power and keeping up with pace; lastly, the role of the legislature if the program stays on a fast-track.

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:38 p.m.

Representative Barbieri
Chair

Michele Coburn
Secretary

AGENDA
HOUSE ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY & TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE
1:30 P.M.
Room EW41
Tuesday, February 10, 2026

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SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
<u>58-0105-2501</u>	Rules & Standards for Hazardous Waste- Pending Rule	Michael McCurdy, Waste Management & Remediation Division Administrator, DEQ
<u>58-0101-2501</u>	Rules for Air Pollution in Idaho- Pending Rule	Michael Simon, Air Quality Division Administration, DEQ
<u>58-0108-2501</u>	Rules for Public Drinking Water- Pending Rule	Jerri Henry, Drinking Water Protection & Finance Division Administrator, DEQ
<u>58-0108-2502</u>	Rules for Public Drinking Water- Pending Rule	Jerri Henry
<u>58-0102-2501</u>	Water Quality Standards- Pending Rule	Mary Anne Nelson, Surface & Wastewater Division Administrator, DEQ
<u>58-0113-2501</u>	Rules for Ore Processing by Cyanidation- Temporary and Pending Rule	Michael McCurdy
<u>58-0106-2501</u>	Solid Waste Management Rules- Pending Rule	Michael McCurdy
<u>58-0116-2501</u>	Wastewater Rules- Pending Rule	Mary Anne Nelson
<u>58-0112-2501</u>	Rules for Administration of Wastewater & Drinking Water Loan Funds- Pending Rule	Jerri Henry
<u>58-0111-2501</u>	Ground Water Quality Rule- Pending Rule	Jerri Henry

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Rep Scott	Rep Fuhrman
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MEMBERS: Chairman Barbieri, Vice Chairman Furniss, Representatives Vander Woude, Scott, Wisniewski, Raybould, Redman, Bruce, Burgoyne, Fuhriman, Tanner(13), Thompson, Bingham, Rubel, Egbert, Galaviz

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** Representative Vander Woude

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Chairman Barbieri called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

DOCKET NO. 58-0105-2501: **Michael McCurdy**, Waste Management and Remediation Division Administrator for DEQ explained the overview of program primacy which allows DEQ to implement programs in lieu of the EPA; further noting the Docket requires a date change to July 1, 2025 and the addition of part 271.

Chairman Barbieri opened for committee questions and he asked about the mechanism for notices of rule making and regulation; he followed up with mandatory rules taking longer than one year and if still approved by the legislature. Members questioned publishing of the rules and changes.

MOTION: **Rep. Furniss** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 58-0105-2501. Motion carried by voice vote.**

DOCKET NO. 58-0101-2501: **Michael Simon**, Air Quality Division Administrator for DEQ presented changes as of July 1, 2025 for consistency with federal regulations. Mr. Simon also noted a public hearing was held with no comments received.

Chairman Barbieri raised a question relative to frequency of EPA rule changes.

MOTION: **Rep. Bruce** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 58-0101-2501. Motion carried by voice vote.**

DOCKET NO. 58-0108-2501: **Jerri Henry**, Drinking Water Protection and Finance Division for DEQ presented rules for public drinking water systems, noting this is a primacy rule. This rule change updates incorporation by reference of the federal Consumer Confidence Report Rule and the Lead and Copper rule; it includes non-substantive changes for clarity and deletes outdated and obsolete language.

Chairman Barbieri asked how many lead service lines are in the state; and when the systems were put in place.

MOTION: **Rep. Furniss** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 58-0108-2501. Motion carried by voice vote.**

DOCKET NO. 58-0108-2502: **Jerri Henry, DEQ** presented this narrowly tailored rule change to make a technical correction regarding PWS static pressure with an early effective date of Sine Die to provide timely regulatory relief.

MOTION: **Rep. Bingham** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 58-0108-2502** with the effective date of Sine Die. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

DOCKET NO. 58-0102-2501: **Mary Anne Nelson**, Surface and Wastewater Division Administrator for DEQ introduced this rule change initiated to make administrative revisions for consistency with final actions taken by EPA under the Clean Water Act.

MOTION: **Rep. Furniss** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 58-0102-2501. Motion carried by voice vote.**

DOCKET NO. 58-0113-2501: **Michael McCurdy, DEQ** explained updates to DEQ temporary and pending rules for Ore Processing by Cyanidation for consistency with Idaho Code 39-118A which was revised under S1170 (2025). The revisions removed rule text now in statute and revise the remaining rule for consistency.

Chairman Barbieri asked a question to clarify the temporary rule being revised in response to letters from participants, but not all aspects due to complexity and timeline. He also noted to the committee this extends the temporary rule to fill the gap between Sine Die and July 1.

MOTION: **Rep. Furniss** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 58-0113-2501. Motion carried by voice vote.**

DOCKET NO. 58-0106-2501: **Michael McCurdy, DEQ** presented the rulemaking for compliance with Executive Order No. 2020-01, Zero-Based Regulation (EO 2020-01), removing outdated language, to streamline provisions and increase clarity and ease of use.

Rep. Scott phrased a question on Zero-Based Regulation and asked for clarification.

MOTION: **Rep. Furniss** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 58-0106-2501. Motion carried by voice vote.**

DOCKET NO. 58-0116-2501: **Mary Anne Nelson, DEQ** presented updates to wastewater rules to comply with Executive order 2020-01, Zero-Based Regulation (EO 2020-01). Rule changes include updates to improve clarity, streamline compliance and definitions, and align wastewater rules with best practices in public health and environmental protection. Committee questions and comments were directed toward terminology changes.

MOTION: **Rep. Bruce** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 58-0116-2501. Motion carried by voice vote.**

DOCKET NO. 58-0112-2501: **Jerri Henry, DEQ** explained rules for administration of wastewater and drinking water Zero-Based Regulation low-interest loan funds; significant changes include definitions changes and affordability indicators.

Committee questions addressed bond usage; fund amounts and percentage of utilization in Idaho; and qualification timeframe.

MOTION: **Rep. Furniss** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 58-0112-2501. Motion carried by voice vote.**

DOCKET NO. 58-0111-2501: **Jerri Henry, DEQ** presented rule changes relating to groundwater quality. Changes are administrative and technical in nature to mirror the federal drinking water standards for uranium, arsenic, and PFAS. Ms. Henry concluded with DEQ requests approval of pending rule docket, with the exception of Section 003 and Section 200, Subsection 01a.

Committee questions included groundwater regulation; terminology and binding words; testing of private wells; and data centers using well water relative to usage and impact.

MOTION: **Rep. Bruce** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 58-0111-2501** with the exception of Section 003 and Section 200, subsection 01.a. with justification that incorporation of unresolved federal standards into Idaho's groundwater standards may establish and enforce groundwater contamination thresholds before the underlying federal standards are final, the Legislature concludes that these provisions do not meet the legislative intent expressed in Idaho Code 39-102 and 39-120 at this time. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

Rep. Scott introduced **John Groth** and gave a brief statement regarding his wastewater treatment and college pilot project.

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:53 p.m.

Representative Barbieri
Chair

Michele Coburn
Secretary

AMENDED AGENDA #1
HOUSE ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY & TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE
1:30 P.M.
Room EW41
Monday, February 16, 2026

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SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
RS 33323	Hazardous waste facilities	Rep. Vander Woude
RS 33167C1	Weather modification	Rep. Hostetler

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DATE: Monday, February 16, 2026

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PLACE: Room EW41

MEMBERS: Chairman Barbieri, Vice Chairman Furniss, Representatives Vander Woude, Scott, Wisniewski, Raybould, Redman, Bruce, Burgoyne, Fuhriman, Tanner(13), Thompson, Bingham, Rubel, Egbert, Galaviz

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** Representatives Galaviz, Tanner (13)

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Chairman Barbieri called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

MOTION: **Rep. Egbert** made a motion to approve minutes from February 4, 2026. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

RS 33323: **Rep. Vander Woude** introduced **RS 33323** explaining this legislation consolidates statutory provisions related to hazardous waste management and retains regulatory provisions to ensure facilities are appropriately sited for the protection of human health and the environment.

MOTION: **Rep. Redman** made a motion to introduce **RS 33323**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

RS 33167C1: **Rep. Hostetler** presented **RS 33167C1**, a joint memorial urging United States Congress to prohibit unauthorized geoenvironmental and atmospheric modification activities conducted over the State of Idaho without state approval, public disclosure, or transparency.

Committee questions revolved around the effect on farmers and irrigation; and clarification of weather modification versus cloud seeding.

MOTION: **Rep. Scott** made a motion to introduce **RS 33167C1**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 1:44 p.m.

Representative Barbieri
Chair

Michele Coburn
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AGENDA
HOUSE ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY & TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE
1:30 P.M.
Room EW41
Tuesday, February 24, 2026

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SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
24-0501-2501	Rules of the Board of Drinking Water and Wastewater Professionals (Fee Rule)- Pending Rule	Jessica Spoja, Executive Officer, State of Idaho, Division of Occupational and Professional Licenses
H 593	Code cleanup, dept enviro quality	Rep. Scott
H 687	State procurement, unbiased AI	Rep. Shirts
H 714	Hazardous waste facilities	Rep. Vander Woude

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HOUSE ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY & TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE

DATE: Tuesday, February 24, 2026

TIME: 1:30 P.M.

PLACE: Room EW41

MEMBERS: Chairman Barbieri, Vice Chairman Furniss, Representatives Vander Woude, Scott, Wisniewski, Raybould, Redman, Bruce, Burgoyne, Fuhriman, Tanner(13), Thompson, Bingham, Rubel, Egbert, Galaviz

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** None

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Chairman Barbieri called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

Chairman Barbieri introduced the committee's new page, **Leighton Parker**.

MOTION: **Rep. Egbert** made a motion to approve minutes from February 10, 2026 and February 16, 2026. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

**DOCKET NO.
24-0501-2501:** **Jessica Spoja**, Executive Officer, State of Idaho Division of Occupational and Professional Licenses (DOPL), explained fee rule changes for the Board of Drinking Water and Wastewater Professionals and requested rule approval consistent with the Senate.

Ms. Spoja addressed committee questions as to why the Senate did not approve Section 400; and DOPL location move costs.

MOTION: **Rep. Raybould** made a motion to approve **Docket No. 24-0501-2501** with the exception of Section 400. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

H 593: **Rep. Scott** presented **H 593**, regarding code language cleanup for the Department of Environmental Quality repealing or updating references to outdated definitions and plans, including the Big Payette Lake Water Quality Act.

Committee questions included money availability in the fund referred to; DEQ's involvement and approval of the changes; the need for committee formation or legislative changes; further comments were discussed regarding the code changes and potential conflict with **H 714**.

MOTION: **Rep. Redman** made a motion to send **H 593** to the floor with **DO PASS** recommendation.

**UNANIMOUS
CONSENT
REQUEST:** **Rep. Redman** made a unanimous consent request to withdraw the original motion. There being no objection the request was granted.

MOTION: **Rep. Vander Woude** made a motion to **HOLD H 593** in committee at the call of the chair for clarification of the bill language. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

Chairman Barbieri removed **H 714** from the agenda and held it in committee.

H 687: **Rep. Shirts** presented **H 687**, explaining this legislation ensures artificial intelligence (AI) systems used by state government operate as neutral, accurate and reliable tools that serve the public interest.

Questions from the committee included what length of time the State has been paying Recidiviz; what is the possibility of an agency buyout, legal terminology and contract language; monitoring and verification; guarantee of contract neutrality and industry standards; usage by public safety officers and IDOC support; and the review process of similar contracts.

MOTION: **Rep. Redman** made a motion to send **H 687** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Shirts** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:16 p.m.

Representative Barbieri
Chair

Michele Coburn
Secretary

AGENDA
HOUSE ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY & TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE
1:30 P.M.
Room EW41
Monday, March 02, 2026

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SUBJECT	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
H 593	Code cleanup, dept enviro quality	Rep. Scott
H 714	Hazardous waste facilities	Rep. Vander Woude
S 1265	Code cleanup, petrol clean water	Rep. Scott

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Rep Vander Woude	Rep Burgoyne	Rep Egbert
Rep Scott	Rep Fuhrman	Rep Galaviz
Rep Wisniewski	Rep Tanner (13)	
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DATE: Monday, March 02, 2026

TIME: 1:30 P.M.

PLACE: Room EW41

MEMBERS: Chairman Barbieri, Vice Chairman Furniss, Representatives Vander Woude, Scott, Wisniewski, Raybould, Redman, Bruce, Burgoyne, Fuhriman, Tanner(13), Thompson, Bingham, Rubel, Egbert, Galaviz

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** Vice Chairman Furniss, Representative(s) Galaviz, Raybould

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H 593: **Rep. Scott** presented **H 593**, legislation to clean up code language for the Department of Environmental Quality and repealing or updating references to outdated definitions and plans, including the Big Payette Lake Water Quality Act.

MOTION: **Rep. Redman** made a motion to send **H 593** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Scott** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

H 714: **Rep. Vander Woude** presented **H 714**, explaining this consolidates statutory provisions related to hazardous waste management, streamlines Idaho Code and retains necessary regulatory provisions to ensure facilities are appropriately sited for the protection of human health and the environment.

Roy Eiguren, Eiguren Merrill, testified in support of **H 714**, clarifying their firm worked closely with DEQ and stakeholders on this legislation.

MOTION: **Rep. Redman** made a motion to send **H 714** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Vander Woude** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

S 1265: **Rep. Scott** presented **S 1265**, the Petroleum Clean Water Trust Fund Act covering sections of Idaho Code submitted and reviewed for repeal by the DOGE Task Force, ensuring state laws are streamlined and updated for obsolete, outdated and unnecessary language.

MOTION: **Rep. Thompson** made a motion to send **S 1265** to the floor with a **DO PASS** recommendation. **Motion carried by voice vote.** **Rep. Scott** will sponsor the bill on the floor.

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 1:37 p.m.

Representative Barbieri
Chair

Michele Coburn
Secretary