

**Legislative/Nominating  
Committee Meeting - March 25,  
2025 Agenda**  
March 25, 2025



**MEMBERS**  
Mayor Mark Dion, Chair  
Councilor Benjamin Grant  
Councilor Kate Sykes

**REMOTE ACCESS INFORMATION:**

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**I. Call to Order**

**II. Approval of Meeting minutes**

- a. Legislative/Nominating Committee Meeting - March 11, 2025

**III. City Submitted Bills**

- a. LD 1017, An Act to Include Food Provided or Served at Emergency Shelters in General Assistance Reimbursement (Public hearing not yet scheduled)
- b. LD 1041, An Act to Preserve Affordability in Publicly Assisted Housing
- c. LD 639, An Act to Improve Training Opportunities for Law Enforcement Officers
- d. 70% to 90% reimbursement for General Assistance (not yet printed)

**IV. Legislative Update**

- a. General Session Update (Bernstein Shur)
- b. New Bills Report Review (Bernstein Shur)
- c. Upcoming Hearings to Plan For (Bernstein Shur)

**V. Staff Identified Bills**

- a. LD 1053, An Act to Ensure That Rebates from Prescription Drug Manufacturers Are Passed on to Patients at Pharmacies
- b. LD 609, An Act Making Certain Appropriations and Allocations and Changing Certain Provisions of Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government

**VI. Adjournment**