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Memorandum

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TO Members, Management Council

FROM Senator Crago, Co-Chairman
Representative Williams, Co-Chairman

SUBJECT 2026 Interim Topics for the Select Natural Resource Funding Committee

This memorandum represents the list of priorities for the Select Natural Resource Funding Committee (Committee) for the 2026 interim. The Committee intends to study these topics over two meetings - one two-day meeting and one single-day meeting - prior to the 2027 General Session.

2026 INTERIM TOPICS

Priority #1 – Large Project Funding Legislation (Est. Time Required: 4-6 hours)

The Committee will review grant applications for large projects recommended by the Wyoming Wildlife and Natural Resource Trust Account Board and the Outdoor Recreation and Tourism Trust Account Board and sponsor legislation to fund projects based on available funds. This topic represents the Committee's responsibilities under W.S. 28-11-401(b) to review and sponsor legislation for Board-recommended large projects.

Priority #2 – Review of Ongoing Projects (Est. Time Required: 4-6 hours)

The Committee will tour ongoing large projects funded in previous years to ensure funds are being expended properly and to monitor project progress. The Committee will also receive updates from stakeholders and the public on the impact of these projects.

Priority #3 – Review of the Outdoor Recreation and Tourism Trust Fund (Est. Time Required: 1-2 hours)

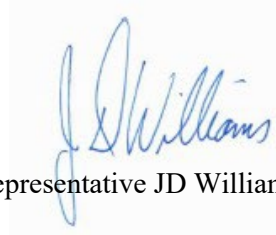
The Committee will receive an update on the Wyoming outdoor recreation and tourism trust fund account created by W.S. 36-4-203(a) and the Wyoming outdoor recreation and tourism trust income account created by W.S. 36-4-203(b).

Meeting Schedule and Budget

The Committee requests the standard budget to accomplish this work and hold a one two-day meeting and a one single-day meeting.



Senator Barry Crago, Co-Chairman



Representative JD Williams, Co-Chairman