

Revised: November 5, 2025

**TENTATIVE AGENDA
for the
SEVENTH MEETING
of the
COURTS, CORRECTIONS AND JUSTICE COMMITTEE**

**November 6-7, 2025
State Capitol, Room 322
Santa Fe**

Thursday, November 6

- 9:00 a.m. **Call to Order and Introductions**
—Senator Joseph Cervantes, Chair
—Representative Christine Chandler, Vice Chair
- 9:05 a.m. (1) **Serious Youthful Offender 30-Year Review Procedure and Senate Bill 64 (2023)**
—Senator Antoinette Sedillo Lopez
—Stephen Taylor, Executive Director, (De)Serving Life
—Denali Wilson, Mitigation Coordinator, (De)Serving Life
—James Grayson, Chief Deputy Attorney General, State Department of Justice
—Aletheia Allen, Solicitor General, State Department of Justice
—Kim Chavez-Cook, Appellate Defender, Public Defender Department
—Alisha Tafoya Lucero, Secretary, Corrections Department (invited)
—Roberta Cohen, Director, Parole Board (invited)
—Abram Anaya, Chair, Parole Board (invited)
- 10:05 a.m. (2) **The Zorro Files: Tracing Epstein's Footprint in New Mexico**
—Representative Andrea Romero
—Representative Marianna Anaya
- 10:30 a.m. (3) **No Kings — Attorney Fees and the American Rule vs. the English Rule**
—Ashley Sepulveda, Student, University of New Mexico School of Law
—Isabel de Katona, Student, University of New Mexico School of Law
—Benjamin Allbright, Student, University of New Mexico School of Law
- 11:00 a.m. (4) **Hometown Advantage — The Right to a Fair and Impartial Jury**
—Ashley Sepulveda, Student, University of New Mexico School of Law
—Isabel de Katona, Student, University of New Mexico School of Law
—Benjamin Allbright, Student, University of New Mexico School of Law

- 11:30 a.m. (5) [Legislative Finance Committee \(LFC\) Update on Juvenile Justice](#)
—Clayton Lobaugh, Program Evaluator, LFC
—Guillermo Caraveo, Program Evaluator, LFC
—Rachel Mercer-Garcia, Deputy Director for Program Evaluation, LFC
- 12:00 noon **Lunch**
- 1:00 p.m. (6) [Medical Practice Insurance and the Patient's Compensation Fund](#)
—Alice T. Kane, Superintendent, Office of Superintendent of Insurance
—David Jaramillo, Attorney
—Theresa Hacsí, Attorney
- 2:00 p.m. (7) [Collaborating for Youth and Public Safety Initiative](#)
—Christina Gilbert, Project Manager, Corrections and Reentry, The Council of State Governments Justice Center
—Nina Salomon, Deputy Division Director, Corrections and Reentry, The Council of State Governments Justice Center
- 3:30 p.m. (8) [Consideration of Legislation for Endorsement](#)
—232611.1 – Creating a Permanent Interim Courts and Justice Committee
—232173.1 – Changing the Defined Term "Domestic Abuse" to "Abuse" in the Family Violence Protection Act
—232174.2 – Defining "Credible Threat" in the Family Violence Protection Act
—232175.2 – Requiring Treatment for Domestic Violence Offenders
—232438.1 – Enacting the U Visa Certification Act
- 4:30 p.m. **Committee Discussion**
- 5:00 p.m. **Recess**

Friday, November 7

- 9:00 a.m. (9) [Proposed Changes to Malpractice Law: Caps, Limits and Fairness](#)
—Fred Nathan, Jr., Founder and Executive Director, Think New Mexico
- 10:30 a.m. (10) [Patient Protection](#)
—Cid D. Lopez, Attorney
—David Jaramillo, Attorney
—Zackeree S. Kélin, Attorney
- 11:30 a.m. **Working Lunch**

- 12:00 noon (11) [Access to Practice — New Mexico Rules on Medical Licensure](#)
—Marschall S. Smith, Executive Director, Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Commission
—Karen Carson, Chair, New Mexico Medical Board
—Senator Katy Duhigg
—Senator Linda M. Trujillo
—Representative Marian Matthews
- 2:00 p.m. (12) [Social Work Licensure Interstate Compact](#)
—Senator Linda M. Trujillo
- 2:45 p.m. (13) [Consideration of Legislation for Endorsement](#)
—232526.1 – Social Work Licensure Interstate Compact
—232589.1 – Constitutional Amendment – Denial of Bail
—232570.1 – Delinquency Act Changes
- 3:45 p.m. **Adjourn**