

LFC Staff Review
Government Restructuring Task Force (GRFT)
Wednesday, November 10, 2010

The Government Restructuring Task Force (GRFT) requested staff to review the recommendations of the GRTF boards and commissions subcommittee. The recommendations reflected are those of the LFC staff. The LFC neither reviewed nor endorses recommendations made. The analysis was conducted in a limited amount of time.

LFC staff generally followed the guidelines listed in making recommendations.

- Eliminate duplication.
- Seek general fund savings
- Eliminate entities that do not produce meaningful results or that have been inactive or dormant for a period of time.
- Eliminate entities if duties can be absorbed by a larger agency.
- Retain agencies which allocate funds.†
- Retain constitutionally mandated entities.
- Retain if additional time or information is needed for analysis.
- Retain museum boards because they generate significant public support and participation.

Major differences between the GRTF Boards and Commissions Subcommittee and LFC staff were highlighted on the spreadsheet. Differences include:

- The elimination of the Tourism Commission.
- The elimination of the Intertribal Ceremonial Board.
- The elimination of the Public Education Commission.
- The elimination of the Land Grant Council.
- The retention of the Military Base Planning Commission.
- The retention of the New Mexico Athletic Commission