

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

COMMERCE AND TOURISM
Senator Gruters, Chair
Senator Torres, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, November 5, 2019
TIME: 10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon
PLACE: *Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Gruters, Chair; Senator Torres, Vice Chair; Senators Hutson, Stewart, and Wright

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 362 Hooper (Similar H 213)	Florida Tourism Marketing; Revising the scheduled repeal of the Florida Tourism Industry Marketing Corporation direct-support organization; abrogating the scheduled repeal of the Division of Tourism Marketing of Enterprise Florida, Inc., etc. CM 11/05/2019 Favorable ATD AP	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
2	SB 426 Montford	Regional Rural Development Grants Program; Defining the term “regional economic development organization”; specifying that the concept of building the professional capacity of a regional economic development organization includes the hiring of professional staff to perform specified services; increasing the maximum amount of annual grant funding that specified economic development organizations may receive; increasing the amount of funds the Department of Economic Opportunity may expend each fiscal year for certain purposes, etc. CM 11/05/2019 Favorable IT AP	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
Workshop - Discussion and testimony only on the following (no vote to be taken):			
3	SB 254 Rodriguez	Working Persons Tax Rebate Study; Requiring the Department of Revenue, in consultation with the Office of Economic and Demographic Research, to conduct a study and prepare a report examining the implementation of a tax rebate program for certain persons or households receiving the federal Earned Income Tax Credit, etc. CM 11/05/2019 Workshop-Discussed FT AP	Workshop-Discussed

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