Board of the Legislative Information System (LIS) Regular Meeting | Capitol Building, Room 100

Wednesday, July 30, 2025

Call to Order:

Brad Bolin called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m. With all members present, a quorum was established.

Board Members Present:

Brad Bolin, Assistant Clerk of the House (Chair) John Hollman, Clerk of the House Tim Anderson, Secretary of the Senate Scott Kaiser, Assistant Secretary of the Senate

Others Present:

Jarred Sampson, Executive Director, LIS

Minutes:

The minutes of the December 11, 2024 meeting were approved.

Executive Director's Report:

Updates from Previous Meeting

- LIS continues to work on the rewrite of Grant Tracking.
- The Committee Votes application has been rewritten and is now in production.
 This is the background application that publishes the PDF reports for vote details on legislation in committees.
- The new <u>ILGA.gov</u> has replaced the previous website. LIS continues to monitor performance and on a weekly basis and implement improvements, as well as repairs for any errors or flaws that are discovered.
- The new inventory scanning devices and procedures are now in use.
- LIS is working with parking garage project vendors to implement necessary technology for parking traffic.

New Items

- Programming staff is moving the codebase to a new platform that will allow for enhanced collaboration, faster code deployments and increased security.
- LIS is starting the process to replace House chamber equipment to match newly-implemented voting system in the Senate Chamber.

- LIS is creating an application for House meeting notes to log actions on legislation during committee meetings with timestamps to audio recordings.
- LIS continues to provide staff training for various needs:
 - New appropriations application
 - House Enrolling & Engrossing application
 - House Journal application
 - Property control application
 - New ILGA website (in-person and Zoom)
 - New ILGA website (district employee conference in Springfield)
 - LIS has finalized a new drafting manual for rewritten bill drafting process.
 - LIS is testing and utilizing new intranet management website, which allows changes to the new ILGA.gov, including live changes to:
 - attachments
 - links
 - audio/video broadcasts
 - traffic analytics
 - LIS has installed new datacenter switches.
 - LIS has upgraded various desktop and member laptops to Windows 11 and implemented two-factor badge authentication to LIS/Legislative Printing Unit (LPU) desktops.
 - LIS is in the process of replacing servers for the following:
 - bill publishing
 - code repository
 - desktop PC updates/imaging
 - ongoing LPU website conversion/implementation project to replace current LPU ordering website
 - LIS is upgrading firewall software.
 - LIS is configuring and updating House and Senate iPads.
 - LIS is installing video wall in remodeled LIS training facility.
 - LIS is working to improve programing and planning distribution of the new realtime audio/video system.

Adjournment:

The meeting adjourned at 4:22 p.m.