

**2022 PROPOSED
WORK PLAN AND MEETING SCHEDULE
for the
TOBACCO SETTLEMENT REVENUE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE**

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Tobacco Settlement Revenue Oversight Committee (TSROC)

The TSROC was established pursuant to Section 2-19-1 NMSA 1978. The committee will continue its statutory oversight duties for the programs that request and receive funding through the Tobacco Settlement Program Fund. The committee will also receive testimony regarding the balances in and projected revenues for both the Tobacco Settlement Program Fund and the Tobacco Settlement Permanent Fund.

Work Plan

During the 2022 interim, the TSROC will:

- (1) review the status of the revenue for current and future fiscal years and reserves for the Tobacco Settlement Permanent Fund from the Office of the Attorney General;
- (2) receive testimony regarding tobacco settlement-related litigation and legislation;
- (3) receive testimony regarding tobacco settlement-related issues, including:
 - (A) the relationship between tobacco use and mental illness, including abuse of other substances;
 - (B) prevention methods, including curtailing use of vape or e-cigarette products through increased taxation and point-of-sale deterrents;
 - (C) cessation methods and the efficacy of those methods; and
 - (D) other topics within the scope of the committee's oversight duties;
- (4) receive reports from state agencies regarding the use of all appropriations from the Tobacco Settlement Program Fund as recommended by the committee and funded by the legislature in prior years and cessation and prevention outcomes associated with those uses;

(5) prepare recommendations to the Legislative Finance Committee for program funding levels for fiscal year 2024 based on the committee's program evaluation process; and

(6) make findings and recommendations, including proposed legislation, available to the legislature as part of the TSROC's final report.

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2022 Proposed Meeting Schedule**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
June 21	Santa Fe
August 15-16	Albuquerque
September 21	Las Cruces