



**Interim Joint Committee on Natural Resources and
Energy
Meeting 4 Agenda
Thursday, September 3, 2026
1:00 PM ET / 12:00 PM CT
Annex Room 154**



1. Call to Order and Roll Call

2. Approval of minutes for the meeting of August 6, 2026

3. Innovative strategies to control microplastic waste

Jian Shi, Ph.D., Professor, Biosystems and Agricultural Engineering,
Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment
University of Kentucky

4. Low-impact, small-scale hydroelectric power developments

David Kinloch, President
Appalachian Hydro Associates

5. Applications for power storage for data centers

Rodney Andrews, Ph.D., Director, Center for Applied Energy Research
University of Kentucky

6. Report Received

Telecommunications Access Program Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2026

7. Consideration of Referred Administrative Regulations

301 KAR 002:178 Proposed

Deer hunting on public properties.

301 KAR 001:201 Proposed

Taking of fish by traditional fishing methods.

8. Adjournment