

**COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC AFFAIRS**

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3. State Relations Update ..... Drew Moretz

**Situation:** Staff will provide an update on the current state of legislative activity.

**Background:** The legislature returned to Raleigh on January 28<sup>th</sup> for the legislative long session. The House and Senate have passed their respective budgets, but passed a Continuing Resolution to keep government operations running through August 14<sup>th</sup>. The legislature will be debating a budget, then move to wrap up the legislative session shortly thereafter.

**Assessment:** The legislature should be nearing the end of their session, so we may have a good sense of likely outcome of session. This meeting provides an opportunity to provide an update on where things stand and what remains active for the rest of session.

**Action:** This item is for discussion only.