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### AGENDA

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#### THURSDAY

**Date:** March 4, 2021  
**Time:** 8:00 A.M.  
**Room:** Remote E

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#### **Public Hearing**

HB 2018

(8:00 am) Instructs Water Resources Department to enter into agreement with United States Geological Survey to produce and publish ground water budgets for all major hydrologic basins in this state, contract for person to produce report on statewide consumptive water use, establish ground water level monitoring network and measure progress in estimating and monitoring ground water levels and ground water use.

HB 2257 \*\*

\*\*Subsequent Referral(s) to Ways and Means

(8:45 am) Appropriates moneys to Water Resources Department for purposes of facilitating enrollment of lands in Harney Basin in federal Conservation Reserve Program, funding hydrologist position and measuring ground water levels in Harney Basin.

#### **Public Testimony Options:**

You may provide written or oral testimony at this meeting.

## **AGENDA (cont.)**

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