



COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & AGRICULTURE

AGENDA

Monday, July 14, 2025 – 10:00 AM

Frits E. Lawaetz Legislative Conference Room
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BLOCK I – 10:00 AM

The Committee on Economic Development and Agriculture will receive updates from RT Park on current tenant activity, including the number of active companies, industry sectors, and new tenants. The briefing will also cover RT Park's economic impact through job creation, workforce development, and contributions to territorial revenues. Additional updates will include partnerships with UVI, infrastructure and capital development projects, community engagement efforts, and policy or legislative recommendations to support RT Park's continued growth and impact.

Invited Testifier:

- Mr. Eric Sonnier, Executive Director,
UVI Research and Technology Park

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BLOCK II

The Committee on Economic Development and Agriculture will receive updates from the VI Casino Control Commission on its operations, regulatory activities, financial oversight, and community impacts. The Commission is expected to provide testimony and supporting documentation on current licensing, compliance, and enforcement actions; revenue collections and employment data; responsible gaming initiatives; financial audits and regulatory compliance; community benefit programs; and any legislative recommendations to enhance its operations.

Invited Testifiers:

- Mr. Marvin Pickering, CEO/Chairman
VI Casino Control Commission
- **Gordon C. Rhea, Esquire, Attorney General
VI Department of Justice,**