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Interim Panel on Technology

To Meet Throughout the State

JEFFERSON CITY— As chairman of the Senate Interim Committee on 21st Century Choice in Technology, Sen. Kevin Engler, R-Farmington, will be holding public hearings at various locations throughout the state in the next two months.

The following is a list of meeting schedules and topics for the committee, which is responsible for taking a look at new technologies and how they affect various aspects of Missouri life.

Friday, August 4th – 1:00 PM

Long Memorial Hall - 110 W. Columbia - Farmington, MO

Topic: The technological and economic impact of deregulation and increasing competition in energy production, distribution and sale on residents, businesses, and other stakeholders.

Monday, August 21st – 1:00 PM

Edward Jones Corporate Offices - Peter Drucker Auditorium – 12555 Manchester Road – Des Peres, MO

Topics: The recent changes by Congress and the Federal Communications Commission and how these changes affect the state. The assistive technology for disabled, aged, and blind individuals, specifically as it relates to Relay Missouri.

Tuesday, August 29th – 8:00 AM

Belton Community Center – 16400 North Mullen Road – Belton, MO

Topic: Using technology to improve education and rural medical care and the implications of improved technology on competition and consumer choice.

Wednesday, September 13th – 9:00 AM

Senate Committee Room #2 – State Capitol Building – Jefferson City, MO

Topic: The financial, legal, social, taxation, environmental, and technological issues of 21st century telecommunications, cable television, and all Internet services.

To make arrangements to testify before the committee, please contact Sen. Kevin Engler's district office at 573-756-5572.