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**Arizona House of Representatives
Speaker-Elect Ben Toma (R-27)**

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Speaker-Elect Toma Announces Speaker Pro Tempore, Full House Committee Membership Appointments for Arizona's 56th Legislative Session

STATE CAPITOL, PHOENIX – House Speaker-elect Ben Toma today announced that Representative Travis Grantham will continue to serve as the House Speaker Pro Tempore in the upcoming 56th Legislature and released a complete roster of member appointments to standing and statutory committees. The new session opens on January 9, 2023.

Representative Grantham has honorably served as the Speaker Pro Tempore during the 55th Legislature and is a trusted member of majority leadership, fulfilling the role of presiding House officer when necessary.

Standing Committees

Appropriations *(Meets Wednesday PM)*

Rep. David Livingston (Chair)
Rep. Joseph Chaplik (Vice Chair)
Rep. Selina Bliss
Rep. Michael Carbone
Rep. Lupe Diaz
Rep. Tim Dunn
Rep. Matt Gress
Rep. Quang Nguyen
Rep. Barbara Parker

Rep. Athena Salman (Ranking)
Rep. Judy Schwiebert
Rep. Stephanie Stahl Hamilton
Rep. Marcelino Quiñonez
Rep. Lorena Austin
Rep. Amish Shah

Appropriations Subcommittee on Education

Rep. Matt Gress (Chair)
Rep. Quang Nguyen
Rep. David Livingston (ex officio)

Rep. Judy Schwiebert

Appropriations Subcommittee on Health & Welfare

Rep. Selina Bliss (Chair)
Rep. Tim Dunn
Rep. David Livingston (ex officio)

Rep. Amish Shah

Commerce *(Meets Tuesday PM)*

Rep. Justin Wilmeth (Chair)
Rep. Michael Carbone (Vice Chair)
Rep. Neal Carter
Rep. Matt Gress
Rep. Justin Heap
Rep. Laurin Hendrix

Rep. Cesar Aguilar (Ranking)
Rep. Leezah Sun
Rep. Analise Ortiz
Rep. Lorena Austin

Education *(Meets Tuesday PM)*

Rep. Beverly Pingerelli (Chair)
Rep. David Marshall (Vice Chair)
Rep. David Cook
Rep. Lupe Diaz
Rep. Liz Harris
Rep. Michele Pena

Rep. Jennifer Pawlik (Ranking)
Rep. Nancy Gutierrez
Rep. Judy Schwiebert
Rep. Laura Terech

Government *(Meets Wednesday AM)*

Rep. Tim Dunn (Chair)
Rep. John Gillette (Vice Chair)
Rep. Rachel Jones
Rep. Steve Montenegro
Rep. Kevin Payne

Rep. Jennifer Longdon (Ranking)
Rep. Mae Peshlakai
Rep. Lydia Hernandez
Rep. Flavio Bravo

Health & Human Services *(Meets Monday PM)*

Rep. Steve Montenegro (Chair)
Rep. Barbara Parker (Vice Chair)
Rep. Selina Bliss
Rep. Matt Gress
Rep. Beverly Pingerelli

Rep. Amish Shah (Ranking)
Rep. Alma Hernandez
Rep. Christopher Mathis
Rep. Patty Contreras

Judiciary *(Meets Wednesday AM)*

Rep. Quang Nguyen (Chair)
Rep. Selina Bliss (Vice Chair)
Rep. Alexander Kolodin
Rep. David Marshall
Rep. Cory McGarr

Rep. Analise Ortiz (Ranking)
Rep. Melody Hernandez
Rep. Lupe Contreras

Land, Agriculture & Rural Affairs *(Meets Monday PM)*

Rep. Lupe Diaz (Chair)
Rep. Michele Pena (Vice Chair)
Rep. Michael Carbone
Rep. David Cook
Rep. Gail Griffin

Rep. Lydia Hernandez (Ranking)
Rep. Keith Seaman
Rep. Consuelo Hernandez
Rep. Mariana Sandoval

Municipal Oversight & Elections *(Meets Wednesday PM)*

Rep. Jacqueline Parker (Chair)	<i>Rep. Melody Hernandez (Ranking)</i>
Rep. Alexander Kolodin (Vice Chair)	<i>Rep. Laura Terech</i>
Rep. Justin Heap	<i>Rep. Cesar Aguilar</i>
Rep. Rachel Jones	<i>Rep. Oscar De Los Santos</i>
Rep. Austin Smith	

Natural Resources, Energy & Water *(Meets Tuesday PM)*

Rep. Gail Griffin (Chair)	<i>Rep. Stephanie Stahl Hamilton (Ranking)</i>
Rep. Austin Smith (Vice Chair)	<i>Rep. Oscar De Los Santos</i>
Rep. Tim Dunn	<i>Rep. Christopher Mathis</i>
Rep. Alexander Kolodin	<i>Rep. Stacey Travers</i>
Rep. Cory McGarr	
Rep. Barbara Parker	

Military Affairs & Public Safety *(Meets Monday PM)*

Rep. Kevin Payne (Chair)	<i>Rep. Marcelino Quiñonez (Ranking)</i>
Rep. Rachel Jones (Vice Chair)	<i>Rep. Seth Blattman</i>
Rep. John Gillette	<i>Rep. Mae Peshlakai</i>
Rep. Liz Harris	<i>Rep. Leezah Sun</i>
Rep. Laurin Hendrix	<i>Rep. Jennifer Longdon</i>
Rep. David Marshall	<i>Rep. Stacey Travers</i>
Rep. Quang Nguyen	<i>Rep. Myron Tsosie</i>
Rep. Justin Wilmeth	

Regulatory Affairs *(Meets Wednesday PM)*

Rep. Laurin Hendrix (Chair)	<i>Rep. Nancy Gutierrez (Ranking)</i>
Rep. Cory McGarr (Vice Chair)	<i>Rep. Alma Hernandez</i>
Rep. Kevin Payne	<i>Rep. Flavio Bravo</i>
Rep. Michele Pena	

Rules *(Meets Monday PM)*

Rep. Travis Grantham (Chair)	<i>Rep. Christopher Mathis (Ranking)</i>
Rep. Gail Griffin (Vice Chair)	<i>Rep. Andrés Cano</i>
Rep. Leo Biasiucci	<i>Rep. Athena Salman</i>
Rep. Teresa Martinez	
Rep. Ben Toma	

Transportation & Infrastructure *(Meets Wednesday PM)*

Rep. David Cook (Chair)	<i>Rep. Myron Tsosie (Ranking)</i>
Rep. Liz Harris (Vice Chair)	<i>Rep. Leezah Sun</i>
Rep. Neal Carter	<i>Rep. Consuelo Hernandez</i>
Rep. John Gillette	<i>Rep. Patty Contreras</i>
Rep. Teresa Martinez	<i>Rep. Keith Seaman</i>
Rep. Steve Montenegro	
Rep. Justin Wilmeth	

Ways & Means *(Meets Wednesday AM)*

Rep. Neal Carter (Chair)
Rep. Justin Heap (Vice Chair)
Rep. Michael Carbone
Rep. Travis Grantham
Rep. David Livingston
Rep. Austin Smith

Rep. Andrés Cano (Ranking)
Rep. Jennifer Pawlik
Rep. Seth Blattman
Rep. Mariana Sandoval

Statutory Committees

Joint Legislative Budget Committee (JLBC)

Rep. David Livingston (Chair)
Rep. Leo Biasiucci
Rep. Neal Carter
Rep. Joseph Chaplik
Rep. Matt Gress

Rep. Judy Schwiebert
Rep. Stephanie Stahl Hamilton
Rep. Athena Salman

Joint Committee on Capital Review (JCCR)

Rep. David Livingston (Chair)
Rep. Leo Biasiucci
Rep. Joseph Chaplik
Rep. Matt Gress

Rep. Andrés Cano
Rep. Lorena Austin
Rep. Athena Salman

Legislative Council

Rep. Ben Toma (Chair)
Rep. Leo Biasiucci
Rep. Teresa Martinez
Rep. Travis Grantham

Rep. Oscar De Los Santos
Rep. Lupe Contreras

Joint Legislative Audit Committee (JLAC)

Rep. Matt Gress (Chair)
Rep. Tim Dunn
Rep. Beverly Pingerelli

Rep. Alma Hernandez
Rep. Marcelino Quiñonez

Ethics

Rep. Joseph Chaplik (Chair)
Rep. Travis Grantham (Vice Chair)
Rep. Gail Griffin

Rep. Christopher Mathis (Ranking)
Rep. Jennifer Longdon

Ben Toma is the Speaker-elect for the Arizona House of Representatives and serves Legislative District 27, which includes portions of Glendale, Peoria, and Phoenix. Follow him on Twitter at @RepBenToma.

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