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House Legislative Oversight

All,

I wanted to let everyone know that RSIC is scheduled for a regular study by the House Legislative Oversight Committee this Spring. Both the House and the Senate are charged by the recent Restructuring Act with conducting legislative oversight studies and investigations of all state agencies at least once every seven years. RSIC is in this round of agency reviews for the House. The study's purpose is to determine if agency laws and programs are being implemented and carried out in accordance with the intent of the General Assembly.

I have met with the House Committee staff about the study of RSIC and shared with them our prior reviews (i.e. IG, Funston, LAC) to aid in this process. See below for a few things they advise us to expect and not to expect with this review.

What to Expect:

- Oversight Studies by your elected Representatives
- Ability for the public to be involved in the process
- Identification of areas for improvement and recommendations for agencies under study
- Central source of information about agencies under study

What Not to Expect:

- Finding every issue or potential area of improvement at agencies
- Solving every issue at agencies
- Recommendations that satisfy everyone

I will keep everyone informed as we enter this review process. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Have a great weekend!

Mike