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Topic

Attendance on Behalf of KHSAA

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**Meeting_Session
Attended**

KASS Legislative Session (Lexington September 9)

**Takeaways to help
Board and Staff**

The KASS announced their legislative priorities for the upcoming year and many of these priorities are not unexpected. More state funding is highlighted to included the full cost of transportation and other fiscal priorities. Home School also continues to be an item of concern. Their focus is more about the lack of curriculum and the potential for circumventing truancy laws.

General Commentary

Also in attendance were several members of the Kentucky General Assembly including both the House and Senate Chairs. They continue to emphasize the need for productive communication between the schools and the legislature. This meeting helps the KHSAA better understand these issues as well as the dynamics between these groups. No matter the group or who is in the majority, the KHSAA must position itself to effectively lead in the areas of education based athletics on behalf of its member schools.