STATE SENATE OF MINNESOTA

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES BUDGET DIVISION

MINUTES

Senator Linda Berglin, Chair of the Health and Human Services Budget Division, called the eleventh meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 22, 2005, in Room 15 of the State Capitol, St. Paul Minnesota.

The secretary noted the roll.

Members Present:

Berglin, Chair Solon, Vice Chair Foley Higgins Koering LeClair Lourey Rosen

A quorum was present.

This meeting was a continuation of public testimony on the Governor's Budget Recommendations. The following persons gave a presentation:

- 1. Jeff Conrod, Dental Health, 2223 Grand St. N.E., Minneapolis, MN.
- 2. Jill Naylor, Mental Health Association of MN, 2021 E. Hennepin Ave., Suite 314, Minneapolis, MN 55413.
- 3. Anne Halvorson, 33 6th Ave. N., Hopkins, MN 55343.
- 4. James Paist, Executive Director, Hemophilia Foundation of MN/Dakotas (HFMD).
- 5. Barbara Dickie, Executive Director, St. Mary's Health Clinics.
- 6. Mark McAfee, AFSCME Council #5, Hardman Ave., South St. Paul, MN 55075.
- 7. Danita Martinez, Children's Dental Services, 636 Broadway St. N.E., Minneapolis MN.
- 8. Peter Bartling, Executive Director, MN Oncology/Hematology and MN Medical Group Management Association (MMGMA).
- 9. Dave Ulstrom, Greater MN Health Care Coalition, Mora, MN.
- 10. Sheryl McCuskey, M.S. Society, 7050 Saginaw, Saginaw, MN 55779.
- 11. Dr. Vincent LaPorte, 2687 270th St., Marshall, MN 56258.
- 12. Rhonda Degalau, MN Association of Community Health Centers, 1113 E. Franklin Ave., Minneapolis, MN 55404.

- 13. Steve Larson, ARC of MN, CDCF, 770 Transfer Road, St. Paul, MN.
- 14. Shirley Hokanson, REM, Inc.
- 15. Anne L. Henry, MN Disability Law Center, 430 First Ave. N., Suite 300, Minneapolis, MN 55401.
- 16. Lona deCarlo, MnCARE Client, St. Paul, MN.
- 17. Rachel Callanan, MN Coalition for the Homeless, 122 West Franklin Ave., Minneapolis, MN 55404.

Senator Solon assumed the chair at 11:00 a.m.

- Andy McMahon, Corporation for Supportive Housing, 2801 21st Ave. S., Suite 220, Minneapolis, MN 55407.
- 19. Madeline Gardiner, 2501 10th Ave. S., Minneapolis, MN 55404.
- 20. Gregory Schmidt, President, MN Natural Health Legal Reform Project.
- 21. Leo Cashman, MN Natural Health Coalition, Minneapolis, MN.

Written Testimony:

- 22. Erin Sperling, Parental Fees, 5904 Pintail Lane, White Bear Township, MN 55110.
- 23. Kimberly Howard, 171 North McKnight Road, Apt. 208, St. Paul, MN 55119.
- 24. Lisa Jo Bergen Salinas, 4255 Dunrovin Lane, Eagan, MN 55123.

The meeting adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

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Chair

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Health and Human Services Budget Division

Senator Linda Berglin, Chair

Tuesday, February 22, 2005 - 9:00 a.m.

Room 15 State Capitol

AGENDA

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- I. Call to Order.
- II. Public Testimony on Governor's Budget for Health and Human Services:
 - 1. Reggie Wagner, MFIP Families, Legal Services Advocacy Project.
 - 2. Anne Halverson, 33 6th Ave. N., Hopkins, MN 55343.
 - 3. Jill Naylor, Mental Health Association of MN, 2021 E. Hennepin Ave., Suite 314, Minneapolis, MN 55413.
 - 4. James Paist, Executive Director, Hemophilia Foundation of MN/Dakotas (HFMD).
 - 5. Jeffrey Kallberg, HFMD.
 - 6. Lona de Carlo, MnCARE, St. Paul, MN.
 - 7. Randy Morris, Plasma Protein Therapeutics Association.
 - 8. Barbara Dickie, Executive Director, St. Mary's Health Clinics.
 - 9. Dr. Patrick Foy, President, MN Dental Association, 2236 Marshall Ave., St. Paul, MN.
 - 10. Jeff Conrod, Dental Health, 2223 Grand St. N.E., Minneapolis, MN.
 - 11. Mark McAfee, AFSCME Council #5.
 - 12. Sarah Wovcha, Children's Dental Services, 636 Broadway St. N.E., Minneapolis, MN.
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 - 14. Scott Bartell, Physical Therapist, 3204 18th Ave. S., Minneapolis, MN.
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- 27. Gregory Schmidt, President, MN Natural Health Legal Reform Project.
- 28. Leo Cashman, Alternative Health Care.
- III. Adjournment.

NEXT MEETING:

Health and Human Services Budget Division Wednesday, February 23, 2005 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. Room 15 Capitol.

Agenda: Public Testimony regarding the Governor's Budget for Health and Human Services.