

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES BUDGET DIVISION

MINUTES

Senator Linda Berglin, Chair of the Health and Human Services Budget Division, called the forty-ninth meeting to order at 9:30 a.m. on Monday, May 15, 2006, in Room 112 of the State Capitol, St. Paul Minnesota.

The secretary noted the roll.

Members Present:

Berglin, Chair
Solon, Vice-chair
Foley
Koering
LeClair

Members Absent:

Higgins
Lourey
Rosen

Other Member Present:

Rep. Ruth Johnson

A quorum was present.

This meeting was a follow-up regarding the safety and operational concerns at St. Peter's Regional Treatment Center. The following persons testified:

1. Jack Ersken, Acting Director, MN State Operated Services, Department of Human Services.
2. Wes Kooistra, Assistant Commissioner, Chemical and Mental Health Services, Department of Human Services.
3. Mike Tessneer, Chief Financial Officer, State Operated Services, Department of Human Services.

The meeting adjourned at 11:00 a.m.



Senator Linda Berglin
Chair



Rochelle M. Polansky
Legislative Assistant

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Senator Linda Berglin, Chair

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A G E N D A

- I. Call to Order.

- II. Safety and Operational Concerns at St. Peter's Regional Treatment Center:

**Wes Kooistra, Assistant Commissioner,
Chemical and Mental Health Services,
Department of Human Services.**

- III. Adjournment.