

# Minnesota State Senate

Human Services Committee  
Wednesday, January 15, 2025  
3:00 PM, 1200 Minnesota Senate Bldg.

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## Minutes

**Present:** Senator John A. Hoffman - Chair, Senator Omar Fateh, Senator Glenn H. Gruenhagen, Senator Erin K. Maye Quade, Senator Zaynab Mohamed, Senator Jordan Rasmusson, Senator Paul J. Utke, Senator Melissa H. Wiklund

**Absent:** Senator Jim Abeler - Vice Chair, Senator Julia E. Coleman

Senator John A. Hoffman called the meeting to order at 3:06pm. Senator Erin Maye Quade took the gavel at 3:22pm. Senator John Hoffman took the gavel at 3:26pm. Senator Rassmuson took the gavel at 4:31pm. Senator John Hoffman took the gavel at 4:38pm.

Call to Order

New Member Introductions

Budget Overview with Counsel

Budget Overview and Updates with DHS

The following individuals testified on Budget Overview and Updates with DHS:  
Elyse Bailey, Budget Director; Minnesota Department of Human Services

Member Priorities

The meeting was adjourned at 4:55pm.

  
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Senator John A. Hoffman, Chair

  
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Cassie Sohr, Legislative Assistant