

NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT

Tentative Agenda

HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

Tuesday, August 2, 2011
Roughrider Room, State Capitol
Bismarck, North Dakota

10:00 a.m. Call to order
Roll call
Review of the *Supplementary Rules of Operation and Procedure of the North Dakota Legislative Management*

10:05 a.m. Comments by the chairman regarding the responsibilities of the committee

STUDY OF THE AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER

10:15 a.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a background memorandum regarding the committee's study of the current system for the diagnosis, early treatment, care, and education of individuals with autism spectrum disorder

10:30 a.m. Comments by representatives of the Department of Human Services regarding the committee's study of the autism spectrum disorder

10:45 a.m. Comments by representatives of the Department of Public Instruction regarding the committee's study of the autism spectrum disorder

11:00 a.m. Comments by other interested persons regarding the committee's study of the autism spectrum disorder

11:15 a.m. Committee discussion regarding the committee's study of the autism spectrum disorder

STUDY OF GUARDIANSHIP SERVICES

11:30 a.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a background memorandum regarding the committee's study of guardianship services

11:45 a.m. Comments by representatives of the Department of Human Services regarding the committee's study of guardianship services

12:00 noon Comments by other interested persons regarding the committee's study of guardianship services

12:15 p.m. Committee discussion regarding the committee's study of guardianship services

12:30 p.m. Luncheon recess

**STUDY OF DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES'
CASELOADS AND PROGRAM UTILIZATION**

1:15 p.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a background memorandum regarding the committee's study of causes of the increases in Department of Human Services' caseloads and program utilization

1:30 p.m. Comments by representatives of the Department of Human Services regarding the committee's study of causes of the increases in Department of Human Services' caseloads and program utilization

1:45 p.m. Comments by other interested persons regarding the committee's study of Department of Human Services' caseloads and program utilization

2:00 p.m. Committee discussion regarding the committee's study of Department of Human Services' caseloads and program utilization

STUDY OF THE STATE'S QUALIFIED SERVICE PROVIDER SYSTEM

- 2:15 p.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a background memorandum regarding the committee's study of the state's qualified service provider system
- 2:30 p.m. Comments by representatives of the Department of Human Services regarding the committee's study of the state's qualified service provider system
- 2:45 p.m. Comments by other interested persons regarding the committee's study of the state's qualified service provider system
- 3:00 p.m. Committee discussion regarding the committee's study of the state's qualified service provider system

OTHER COMMITTEE RESPONSIBILITIES

- 3:15 p.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a background memorandum regarding other committee responsibilities
- 3:30 p.m. Comments by other interested persons regarding the committee's other responsibilities
- 3:45 p.m. Committee discussion regarding its other responsibilities
- 4:00 p.m. Committee discussion and staff directives
- 4:30 p.m. Adjourn

Committee Members

Representatives Alon Wieland (Chairman), Dick Anderson, Roger Brabandt, Donald L. Clark, Tom Conklin, Curt Hofstad, Kathy Hogan, Richard Holman, Robert Kilichowski, Vonnie Pietsch, Chet Pollert, Jim Schmidt

Senators Dick Dever, Robert Erbele, Tim Mathern, Joe Miller, Gerald Uglem

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