# **Department of Health and Social Services**



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# Legislative Committee Meeting Agenda Thursday, December 21, 2021

2:00pm - 3:30pm

#### TO JOIN THE MEETING:

Zoom link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83736447707?pwd=RnFVUG05dFVzL05qRFd4TGlpY3l2Zz09

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Meeting ID: 837 3644 7707

Passcode: 295 587

#### **Call to Order:**

Art DeLaune, Legislative Committee Chair

# **Roll Call / Begin ZOOM Recording:**

<u>Committee Members</u>: Art DeLaune, Chair, Don Enoch, Jeanne Gerhardt-Cyrus, Corey Gilmore, Dir. Duane Mayes, Charles (Mack) McAnally, Sen. Peter Micciche, Shelly Vendetti-Vuckovich, Ric Nelson, Dean Paul.

(Quorum is defined as a majority of Committee Members = 6/10).

GCDSE Staff: Jamie Kokoszka, Lanny Mommsen, Myranda Walso.

## **Welcome from the Chair:**

Introductions, announcements, and/or good news.

• See last page of agenda for written resources.

Meeting Etiquette

#### **Conflict of Interest Declarations:**

This is an opportunity for committee members to declare if they have a conflict with any item on the agenda, financial or otherwise.

#### **Approval of the Previous Meeting Minutes and Agenda:**

Approval of Meeting Agenda

Sample Motion: I move to approve (or amend) the agenda for the meeting as presented.

Approval of Past Meeting Minutes

Sample Motion (must be made by a committee member who was present at the meeting): I move to approve the Minutes for the <Date>, Legislative Committee meeting as presented.

## **Reports:**

- Chair-Art Delaune
- GCDSE Staff

# **Business:**

- Discussion of legislative priorities
  - Executive Order (current)
  - Workforce (current)
  - Self-determined waiver (future)
  - Direct Service Workforce (future)—Update from Ric Nelson
- Discussion and preparation of 2022 Legislative Visits
- Update on Federal items

## Time and Date of Next Meeting:

#### Tuesdays, Wednesdays, or Thursdays from 2pm-3:30pm are proposed.

# **Good of the Order and Adjournment:**

• 3:30pm - Motion to Adjourn

#### **Legislative Visits:**

The next legislative session begins on January 18, 2022. In-person Legislative Visits: January 24-28; February 7<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> Virtual Legislative Visits: February 28<sup>th</sup>-March 4<sup>th</sup>

#### SMS Bill Tracking tool from BASIS

This tool allows you to keep up with proposed bills throughout the legislative process by sending you up-to-date text alerts as hearings are scheduled and posted in BASIS, and bill status changes.

**Text a bill number** (exp: HB62 or SB12) to **559-245-2529** to enroll in text alerts.

You will receive an enrollment confirmation and instructions on how to stop receiving the alerts.

Link to AK Legislature Page: <a href="http://w3.akleg.gov/index.php">http://w3.akleg.gov/index.php</a>

Link to BASIS email alert sign up page: <a href="https://www.akleg.gov/basis/btmf">https://www.akleg.gov/basis/btmf</a> login.asp