

HUMAN SERVICES FINANCE AND POLICY COMMITTEE

MINUTES

Representative Jennifer Schultz, Chair of the Committee, called the meeting to order at 10:30 am on February 8, 2022, remotely via Zoom and broadcast via House Public Information Services.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

SCHULTZ, Jennifer (Chair)
BAHNER, Kristin (Vice-Chair)
ALBRIGHT, Tony (Lead)
BOLDON, Liz
BURKEL, John
FISCHER, Peter
FREDERICK, Luke
HANSON, Jessica
KIEL, Debra
LIEBLING, Tina
MOLLER, Kelly
NOOR, Mohamud
NOVOTNY, Paul
PIERSON, Nels
PINTO, Dave
RASMUSSEN, Jordan
ROBBINS, Kristin
SANDELL, Steve
SCHOMACKER, Joe

A quorum was present.

Rep. Bahner moved that the minutes from February 3, 2021, be adopted. **THE MOTION PREVAILED.**

Presentation: Minnesota's Aging Population and Disability Community

- Susan Brower, State Demographer

Presentation: Tackling Deep Poverty, Department of Human Services

- Jodi Harpstead, Commissioner, MN Dept. of Human Services
- Deborah Schlick, Economic Assistance and Employment Supports Division, MN Dept. of Human Services

Testifiers:

- Jessica Webster, Legal Aid
- Debra Fitzpatrick, Children's Defense Fund

The meeting was adjourned at 11:47 am.

Representative Jennifer Schultz, Chair

Lyndsey Hanson,
Committee Legislative Assistant