

**CHILDREN AND FAMILIES FINANCE POLICY MEETING MINUTES**

Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn, Chair of the Children and Families Finance and Policy Committee, called the meeting to order at 5:15 PM on Tuesday, April 10, 2025, in Room 123 of the Capitol Building.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

KOTYZA-WITTHUHN, Carlie, Co-Chair  
WEST, Nolan, Co-Chair  
HANSON, Jessica, Co-Vice Chair  
NELSON, Nathan, Co-Vice Chair  
ALTENDORF, Pam  
COULTER, Nathan  
HEMMINGSEN-JAEGER, Amanda  
HICKS, Kim  
MCDONALD, Joe  
NADEAU, Danny  
OLSON, Bjorn  
PÉREZ-VEGA, María Isa  
SENCER-MURA, Samantha  
ZELEZNIKAR, Natalie

A quorum was present.

Representative Nelson moved the minutes of April 9, 2025. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 2436 (West) - Children and Families Budget Bill

Chair West moved that HF2436 be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Chair West moved the HF2436DE1.

Representative Nadeau moved the A9 amendment to the DE1.

Representative Nadeau requested a roll call.

Representative Nadeau renewed the motion to adopt the A9 amendment to the DE1.

Chair Kotyza-Witthuhn recessed the committee at 5:43 PM

Chair Kotyza-Witthuhn reconvened the committee at 5:43 PM

The committee legislative assistant noted the roll:

**AYES**

Vice Chair Nelson  
Representative Altendorf  
Representative McDonald  
Representative Nadeau  
Representative Olson  
Representative Zeleznikar

**NAYES**

Chair Kotyza-Witthuhn  
Vice Chair Hanson

Representative Coulter  
Representative Hemmingsen-Jaeger  
Representative Hicks  
Representative Perez-Vega  
Representative Sencer-Mura

**ABSTAIN**

Chair West

There being 6 ayes, 7 nays, and 1 abstention, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL.

Chair West moved the A25 Amendment to the DE1.

House Nonpartisan Staff provided an informational overview and walkthrough of the A25 amendment.

Chair West moved that the A25 amendment be adopted. THE MOTION PREVAILED, THE AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Chair West renewed his motion that the DE1 amendment as amended be adopted. THE MOTION PREVAILED, THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Chair Kotyza-Witthuhn moved that HF2436 as amended be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:18 PM.

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Representative Kotyza-Witthuhn, Chair

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Caleb Rohrer, Committee Legislative Assistant