

Human Services Finance Committee

Chair: Rep. Mohamud Noor

Wednesday, May 3, 2023 - 9:00 AM

I. SF2934 - Public Testimony on the Human Services omnibus

○ Testifiers:

- i. **Commissioner Jodi Harpstead:** Department of Human Services
- ii. **Attorney General Keith Ellison**
- iii. **Commissioner Tarryl Clark:** Stearns County
- iv. **Sarah Kasner:** Parent
- v. **Karen D. Herman:** Executive Director, Udac, Inc
- vi. **Dr. Arti Prasad**
- vii. **Commissioner Jeff Lunde:** Hennepin County
- viii. **Alissa Dott:** Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota, Senior Director of Host Homes, Care Coordination and Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services
- ix. **Will Lycan:** Minnesota Association of Sober Homes, Executive Director
- x. **Patti Cullen:** CEO Care Providers of Minnesota
- xi. **Kari Thurlow:** CEO Leading Age Minnesota
- xii. **Phoebe Trepp:** Executive Director of Clare Housing
- xiii. **Jeremy Hanson Willis:** CEO of Rainbow Health
- xiv. **Matt Toburen:** Executive Director of the Aliveness Project
- xv. **Sherrie Pugh:** Chair of the Governor's Council on Age-Friendly MN
- xvi. **Brianna Lindell:** Minnesota Home Care Association
- xvii. **Fatima Molas:** Multicultural Autism Action Network
- xviii. **Cynthia Callais:** Public Policy Coordinator, MN Brain Injury Alliance
- xix. **Todd Hess, MD:** Pain Management Physician
- xx. **Darrin Prescott, DNP, MSN, MBA, RN:** Community Health & Social Service Director and Clinic CEO of Lower Sioux Indian Community, OERAC Member
- xxi. **Ellen Wiederhoeft:** Homecare Worker
- xxii. **Jeremy Drucker:** Director of the Office of Addiction and Recovery
- xxiii. **Musab Khalif:** Minnesota First Provider Alliance & Midwest Home Health Care
- xxiv. **Wendy Jones:** Executive Director, Minnesota Recovery Connection
- xxv. **Julie Johnson:** MSS
- xxvi. **Tom Weaver:** Achieve Services CEO
- xxvii. **Cammie LaValle**
- xxviii. **Laura Johnson**
- xxix. **AJ Awed:** Co-Executive Director for Programs & Policy, Cedar Riverside Community Council
- xxx. **Abdirahman Warsame:** Generation Hope
- xxxi. **Zev Radziwill:** Cedar Riverside Community Council
- xxxii. **Mary & Jean Hauff:** Advocates
- xxxiii. **Steve Sandell:** Former State Representative, Woodbury
- xxxiv. **Josh Berg:** Accessible Space, Inc
- xxxv. **Chikio Richmond:** Residential Providers Association of Minnesota
- xxxvi. **David Hancox:** Chief Administration Officer. ACCRA
- xxxvii. **Chris Johnson, MD:** Physician & Former Chair of the OPWG
- xxxviii. **April Sutor:** Family Service Rochester
- xxxix. **Jason Swanson:** President, Minnesota Area Agencies on Aging
- xl. **Amanda Vickstrom:** Executive Director at the Minnesota Elder Justice Center
- xli. **Michael Pagh:** CEO and President of The Glenn Senior Communities

- xlii. Daniel Larson:** CEO of Kyros
- xliii. Sam Kaplan:**
- xliv. Cheryl Hennen:** State Ombudsman for Long-Term Care
- xlv. Nikki Villavicencio**
- xlvi. Brian Zirbes, LADC, LPCC:** Executive Director, MARRCH
- xlvii. Tom Gillespie:** CEO of Living Well Disability Services
- xlviii. Sam Smith:** Manager, State Affairs, Alzheimer's Association
- xlix. Sara Grafstrom:** Director of State & Federal Policy, ARRM
 - i. Sam Weinberg:** Bay View Nursing and Rehabilitation Center
 - ii. Rob Wudlick:** Disability Advocate