

CHILDREN & FAMILIES FINANCE & POLICY COMMITTEE

Chair Representative Dave Pinto

Tuesday, February 20, 2024

8:30 AM - 10:00 AM

State Office Building Room 200

AGENDA

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Approval of Minutes**
 - a. February 15, 2023
3. **Presentation on Impact of 2023 Funding to Address Food Insecurity**
 - a. Peter Voitock, Government Relations Specialist, Hunger Solutions
 - b. Sophie Wallerstedt, Public Affairs Manager, Second Harvest Heartland
 - c. Ashley DePover
 - d. Jason Viana, Executive Director, The Open Door Food Shelf
4. **HF3426 (Hicks) - Supplemental food assistance program established for persons with a disability.**
 - a. Maggie Griffitt
 - b. Virginia Witherspoon Merritt, Executive Director, Channel One Regional Food Bank
5. **HF3469 (Keeler) - SNAP established as medicine program, and money appropriated.**
 - a. Jessica Webster, Staff Attorney, Legal Aid
 - b. Lisa Lane, Director of Public Policy, Open Arms
 - c. Peter Voitock, Government Relations, Hunger Solutions Minnesota
 - d. Sophie Wallerstedt, Public Affairs Manager, Second Harvest Heartland
6. **HF3855 (Gomez) - Commissioner of human services directed to implement Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program restaurant meals program.**
 - a. Commissioner Rena Moran, Ramsey County, District 4
7. **Adjournment**