

SENATE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

January 13, 2020
02:00 PM

Hearing Room C

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Sara Gelser, Chair
Sen. Dallas Heard, Vice-Chair
Sen. Lee Beyer
Sen. Jeff Golden
Sen. Dennis Linthicum

STAFF PRESENT: Jamie Hinsz, LPRO Analyst
Maia Daniel, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS: Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

MEASURES/ISSUES: 2020 Legislative Concepts – Public Hearing
Informational Meeting
Good News: First ABLE Account for Foster Youth
Introduction of Committee Legislative Concepts – Work
Session
Informational Meeting
Department of Human Services Updates
Court Mandated Placements in Child Caring Agencies
Solutions Focus: Parrott Creek
Foster Youth Voice

00:00:06 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:07 Chair Gelser

00:01:00 [2020 Legislative Concepts - Public Hearing](#)
00:01:01 Chair Gelser
00:01:18 EXHIBIT 1-4: Jamie Hinsz, LPRO Analyst

00:03:33 [Good News: First ABLE Account for Foster Youth - Informational Meeting](#)
00:03:34 Chair Gelser
00:03:54 Tobias Read, Oregon State Treasurer
00:05:11 Kaellen Hessel, Achieving a Better Life Experience (ABLE) Advocacy and Outreach Manager, Oregon State Treasury

00:11:10 [2020 Legislative Concepts - Public Hearing](#)
00:11:11 EXHIBIT 5-6: Chair Gelser
00:11:12 EXHIBIT 7: witness registration

00:20:22 Sen. Linthicum

00:23:18 **Introduction of Committee Legislative Concepts - Work Session**
00:23:19 Chair Gelser
00:23:23 MOTION: VICE-CHAIR HEARD MOVES LC 172, LC 173, AND LC 179
BE INTRODUCED AS COMMITTEE MEASURES
00:24:12 Vice-Chair Heard
00:24:23 VOTE: 5-0-0
AYE: BEYER, GOLDEN, LINTHICUM, HEARD, GELSER

00:24:39 **Department of Human Services Updates - Informational Meeting**
00:24:40 Chair Gelser
00:24:53 Sen. Golden
00:26:24 EXHIBIT 8: Fariborz Pakseresht, Director, Oregon Department of Human
Services (DHS)
00:43:07 Sen. Linthicum
00:51:31 Vice-Chair Heard
01:13:54 EXHIBIT 9-10: Kim Fredlund, Eligibility Transformation Director, DHS
01:14:15 Tony Black, Director, Integrated Eligibility Project, DHS
01:21:55 Sen. Beyer
01:27:46 EXHIBIT 11-12: Lilia Teninty, Director, Office of Developmental Disabilities
Services, DHS
01:43:44 EXHIBIT 13: Dan Haun, Director, Self-Sufficiency Programs, DHS
02:04:28 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 14: Soren Metzger, Senior Legislative Policy Analyst, DHS

02:04:33 **Court Mandated Placements in Child Caring Agencies - Informational
Meeting**
02:04:34 Chair Gelser
02:05:09 Jessie Eagan, Senior Vice President, Residential Operations, Trillium
Family Services
02:05:33 Wendy Walsh, Licensed Professional Counselor; Clinical Manager,
Intensive Outpatient Program, Restorative Services, Trillium Family
Services
02:17:56 Sen. Linthicum

02:19:55 **Solutions Focus: Parrot Creek - Informational Meeting**
02:19:56 Chair Gelser
02:20:35 EXHIBIT 15: Simon Fulford, Executive Director, Parrott Creek Child and
Family Services

02:39:38 **Foster Youth Voice - Informational Meeting**
02:39:39 EXHIBIT 16: witness registration
02:40:08 Meeting Adjourned