

**JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS**  
**SUBCOMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY**

September 28, 2023  
2:30 PM

Hearing Room H-170

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Sen. Janeen Sollman, Co-Chair  
Sen. Chris Gorsek  
Sen. David Brock Smith

Rep. Paul Evans, Co-Chair  
Rep. Dacia Grayber  
Rep. Jeffrey Helfrich  
Rep. Rick Lewis  
Rep. Daniel Nguyen

**STAFF PRESENT:**

John Borden, Legislative Fiscal Office  
Wendy Gibson, Legislative Fiscal Office  
John Terpening, Legislative Fiscal Office  
Vivian Stair, Committee Assistant

**EXHIBITS:**

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

**00:00:23**      [Meeting Called to Order](#)  
**00:00:24**      Senator Sollman, Presiding Co-Chair  
**00:01:07**      Wendy Gibson, Legislative Fiscal Office

**00:01:51**      [Orientation](#)  
**00:02:03**      John Borden, Legislative Fiscal Office  
**00:06:48**      Sen. Gorsek  
**00:07:05**      Mr. Borden  
**00:07:59**      Co-Chair Sollman

**00:08:45**      [1. Judicial Department - Compensation Plan Changes](#)  
**00:08:46**      Co-Chair Sollman  
**00:09:49**      John Borden, Legislative Fiscal Office  
**00:10:18**      David Moon, Director, Business and Fiscal Services Division, Judicial Department  
**00:12:58**      Mr. Borden  
**00:13:08**      MOTION: Co-Chair Evans moves the report to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to acknowledge receipt  
**00:13:20**      VOTE: 8-0-0  
Ayes: Sens. Gorsek, Smith, Sollman; Reps. Evans, Grayber, Helfrich, Lewis, Nguyen

MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Rep. Lewis

**00:13:39**      **2. Commission on Judicial Fitness and Disability - Compensation Plan Changes**

**00:13:48**      John Borden, Legislative Fiscal Office

**00:14:02**      Rachel Mortimer, Executive Director, Commission on Judicial Fitness and Disability

**00:15:02**      Mr. Borden

**00:15:13**      MOTION: Co-Chair Evans moves the report to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to acknowledge receipt

**00:15:26**      VOTE: 8-0-0

Ayes: Sens. Gorsek, Smith, Sollman; Reps. Evans, Grayber, Helfrich, Lewis, Nguyen

MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Rep. Evans

**00:15:40**      **3. Public Defense Services Commission - Comprehensive Remediation Plan**

**00:15:48**      John Borden, Legislative Fiscal Office

**00:18:12**      Jennifer Nash, Chair, Public Defense Services Commission

**00:19:01**      Jessica Kampfe, Executive Director, Public Defense Services Commission

**00:24:17**      Rep. Lewis

**00:24:32**      Ms. Kampfe

**00:25:09**      Co-Chair Sollman

**00:27:32**      Ms. Kampfe

**00:28:00**      Co-Chair Sollman

**00:29:51**      Ms. Nash

**00:31:07**      Co-Chair Evans

**00:33:00**      Co-Chair Sollman

**00:34:31**      Mr. Borden

**00:35:17**      Co-Chair Sollman

**00:36:29**      MOTION: Co-Chair Evans moves the report to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to acknowledge receipt

**00:36:44**      VOTE: 7-0-1

Ayes: Sens. Gorsek, Smith, Sollman; Reps. Evans, Helfrich, Lewis, Nguyen  
Exc: Rep. Grayber

MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Sen. Sollman

**00:37:02**      **4. Public Defense Services Commission - Unrepresented Defendant/Persons Crisis**

**00:37:09**      John Borden, Legislative Fiscal Office

**00:37:45**      Jessica Kampfe, Executive Director, Public Defense Services Commission

**00:42:50**      Co-Chair Evans

**00:43:03**      Ms. Kampfe

00:43:29 Co-Chair Evans  
00:43:38 Ms. Kampfe  
00:44:27 Sen. Gorsek  
00:44:48 Rep. Lewis  
00:45:28 Ms. Kampfe  
00:48:29 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:49:57 Ms. Kampfe  
00:53:17 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:53:43 Jennifer Nash, Chair, Public Defense Services Commission  
00:54:59 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:56:09 Ms. Nash  
00:58:01 Co-Chair Evans  
00:59:41 Ms. Nash  
01:00:15 Co-Chair Sollman  
01:00:46 Rep. Lewis  
01:01:15 Ms. Kampfe  
01:02:08 Rep. Lewis  
01:02:19 Ms. Kampfe  
01:02:51 Sen. Gorsek  
01:03:08 Ms. Nash  
01:03:18 Sen. Gorsek  
01:03:39 Ms. Nash  
01:03:56 Co-Chair Evans  
01:04:17 Ms. Kampfe  
01:04:58 Co-Chair Evans  
01:05:09 Co-Chair Sollman  
01:05:14 Co-Chair Evans  
01:05:22 Ms. Kampfe  
01:06:01 Co-Chair Evans  
01:06:43 Co-Chair Sollman  
01:07:11 Ms. Kampfe  
01:07:22 Co-Chair Sollman  
01:07:47 Ms. Kampfe  
01:08:47 Mr. Borden  
01:08:59 MOTION: Co-Chair Evans moves the report to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to acknowledge receipt  
01:09:14 VOTE: 8-0-0  
Ayes: Sens. Gorsek, Smith, Sollman; Reps. Evans, Grayber, Lewis, Nguyen  
Exc: Rep. Helfrich  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Sen. Sollman  
01:09:40 **15. Department of Public Safety Standards and Training - Basic Police Course Pilot Program**

01:09:51 John Terpening, Legislative Fiscal Office  
01:10:42 Phil Castle, Executive Director, Department of Public Safety Standards and Training  
01:19:38 Co-Chair Sollman  
01:20:13 Mr. Castle  
01:20:50 Rep. Grayber  
01:21:06 Mr. Castle  
01:22:25 Co-Chair Evans  
01:23:04 Mr. Castle  
01:23:49 Rep. Lewis  
01:24:03 Mr. Castle  
01:25:11 Lisa Fox, Chief Financial Office, Department of Administrative Services  
01:25:22 Mr. Terpening  
01:25:33 MOTION: Co-Chair Evans moves the report to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to acknowledge receipt  
01:25:43 VOTE: 6-0-2  
Ayes: Sens. Gorsek, Sollman; Reps. Evans, Grayber, Lewis, Nguyen  
Exc: Sen. Smith; Rep. Helfrich  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Rep. Evans

01:26:04 **Department of Corrections - Community Corrections**  
01:26:18 John Terpening, Legislative Fiscal Office  
01:26:53 Jeremiah Stromberg, Assistant Director, Department of Corrections  
01:34:34 Rep. Lewis  
01:34:45 Mr. Stromberg  
01:34:57 Rep. Lewis  
01:35:06 Mr. Stromberg  
01:35:54 Rep. Lewis  
01:36:11 Mr. Stromberg  
01:37:15 Rep. Lewis  
01:37:29 Mr. Stromberg  
01:38:11 Rep. Lewis  
01:38:45 Co-Chair Sollman  
01:39:26 Sen. Gorsek  
01:39:36 Mr. Stromberg  
01:39:42 Sen. Gorsek  
01:39:59 Mr. Stromberg  
01:40:19 Sen. Gorsek  
01:40:34 Co-Chair Evans  
01:40:42 Mr. Stromberg  
01:41:40 Co-Chair Evans  
01:42:04 Mr. Stromberg  
01:42:08 Co-Chair Evans

01:42:47 Co-Chair Sollman  
01:44:37 Mr. Stromberg  
01:46:22 Co-Chair Sollman  
01:48:27 Mr. Stromberg  
01:48:34 Rep. Lewis  
01:48:50 Mr. Stromberg  
01:49:41 Rep. Lewis  
01:49:55 Mr. Stromberg  
01:50:16 Co-Chair Sollman  
  
01:51:47 Meeting Adjourned