

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

February 8, 2024  
03:00 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. Charlie Conrad  
Rep. Dacia Grayber  
Rep. Rick Lewis  
Rep. Daniel Nguyen

**STAFF PRESENT:**

John Borden, Legislative Fiscal Office  
Lilah Walsh, Committee Assistant

**EXHIBITS:**

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

00:00:28 [Meeting Called to Order](#)  
00:00:29 Representative Evans, Presiding Co-Chair  
00:00:33 John Borden, Legislative Fiscal Office

00:01:00 [Judicial Department Grant - Domestic and Sexual Violence Training and Pretrial Release Program](#)  
00:01:17 John Borden, Legislative Fiscal Office  
00:02:30 Nanci Thaemert, Director of Juvenile and Family Courts Programs, Judicial Department  
00:06:18 Sen. Gorsek  
00:06:35 Ms. Thaemert  
00:06:42 Mr. Borden  
00:07:02 MOTION: Co-Chair Gorsek moves the federal grant application to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to approve the request  
00:07:22 VOTE: 8-0-0  
Ayes: Sens. Gorsek, Smith, Sollman; Reps. Conrad, Evans, Gorsek, Grayber, Lewis, Nguyen  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Rep. Lewis

**00:07:58**      **Public Defense Commission Report - Remediation Plan**  
**00:08:18**      John Borden, Legislative Fiscal Office  
**00:08:20**      Co-Chair Sollman  
**00:08:42**      Jessica Kampfe, Executive Director, Public Defense Commission  
**00:14:08**      Mr. Borden  
**00:14:27**      MOTION: Co-Chair Evans moves the report to the Full Committee with the LFO  
recommendation to acknowledge receipt  
**00:14:44**      Co-Chair Sollman  
**00:14:50**      VOTE: 8-0-0  
Ayes: Sens. Gorsek, Smith, Sollman; Reps. Conrad, Evans, Gorsek, Grayber, Lewis,  
Nguyen  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Rep. Evans

**00:15:10**      **Public Defense Commission Report - Quality Management Plan and Key  
Performance Measures**  
**00:15:18**      John Borden, Legislative Fiscal Office  
**00:15:52**      Jessica Kampfe, Executive Director, Public Defense Commission  
**00:23:38**      Mr. Borden  
**00:26:27**      Rep. Grayber  
**00:26:43**      Ms. Kampfe  
**00:27:20**      Sen. Gorsek  
**00:27:34**      Ms. Kampfe  
**00:28:57**      Rep. Lewis  
**00:29:14**      Ms. Kampfe  
**00:30:26**      Rep. Lewis  
**00:30:40**      Ms. Kampfe  
**00:31:02**      Rep. Conrad  
**00:31:49**      Ms. Kampfe  
**00:33:32**      Rep. Lewis  
**00:33:52**      Co-Chair Sollman  
**00:36:29**      MOTION: Co-Chair Evans moves the report to the Full Committee with the LFO  
recommendation to acknowledge receipt  
**00:36:40**      VOTE: 8-0-0  
Ayes: Sens. Gorsek, Smith, Sollman; Reps. Conrad, Evans, Gorsek, Grayber, Lewis,  
Nguyen  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Sen. Sollman

**00:36:54**      **Public Defense Commission Report - Internal Audit and Activities Report**  
**00:37:00**      John Borden, Legislative Fiscal Office  
**00:37:45**      Jessica Kampfe, Executive Director, Public Defense Commission  
**00:41:45**      Mr. Borden

**00:42:42** MOTION: Co-Chair Evans moves the report to the Full Committee with the LFO recommendation to acknowledge receipt

**00:42:52** Sen. Gorsek

**00:43:00** Ms. Kampfe

**00:43:55** Sen. Gorsek

**00:44:08** Ms. Kampfe

**00:44:22** Rep. Conrad

**00:45:20** Ms. Kampfe

**00:46:15** Sen. Gorsek

**00:46:29** Ms. Kampfe

**00:46:46** Co-Chair Sollman

**00:46:53** Ms. Kampfe

**00:47:20** Co-Chair Sollman

**00:49:17** Sen. Gorsek

**00:50:02** Ms. Kampfe

**00:50:36** VOTE: 8-0-0  
Ayes: Sens. Gorsek, Smith, Sollman; Reps. Conrad, Evans, Gorsek, Grayber, Lewis, Nguyen  
MOTION CARRIES  
Carrier: Rep. Evans

**00:51:16** Meeting Adjourned