

Meeting Minutes

North Dakota Children's Cabinet Meeting

Monday, January 10, 2022 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Central Time APT Solutions, 2900 E. Broadway Ave., Bismarck Virtual Call through GoToMeeting

Members in attendance

| Russell Riehl, Parent/Private Service Provider | Kim Jacobson, Director, Agassiz Valley Human Service Zone |
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| Lt. Governor Brent Sanford, Governor's designee | Honorable Lisa Fair McEvers, ND Supreme Court Justice |
| Senator Larry Luick | Senator Joan Heckaman, Chair |
| Representative Kim Koppelman | Veronica Zietz, Director, Protection & Advocacy |
| Kirsten Baesler, Superintendent of Public Instruction | Vincent Roehr, Tribal Nations Representative |
| Paula Condol, Parent/Private Service Provider | Janell Regimbal, Parent/Private Service Provider |

Other attendees

| Alyssa Baumann | Bridget Dowling |
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| Emeline Burkett | Jim Vetter |
| Kelli Ulberg | Jill Denault |
| Kristen Hasbargen | Tamara Juneau |
| Cory Pederson | Nicole Delaplane |

| Lisa Bjergaard | Mandi Freije |
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| Senator Kathy Hogan | Brittany Fode |
| Seri Gerszewski | Brittany Hunt |

Call to Order - 11:05 a.m. - Senator Heckaman

Motion to Add Voting of New CHIN Members to Agenda— Motioned by Paula Condol Unanimous Approval

Motion to Pass Minutes from 10.14.2021 – Motioned by Vincent Roehr **Unanimous Approval**

Zones Foster Care Presentation – Kim Jacobson, Jill Denault, Seri Gerszewski, Mandi Freije, Alyssa Baumann, Nicole Delaplane, Brittany Hunt, Tamara Juneau

- Stories of Foster Children regarding a lack of resources and services in North Dakota.
- List of possible solutions to fix these issues Here

Children's Cabinet Discussion on Presentation – Senator Heckaman

- Members of the cabinet discussed possible solutions to this problem, early childhood development help for parents, possible new legislation for the next session.

Motion to Add New CHIN Members- Motioned by Vincent Roehr, seconded by Representative Koppelman

- Laural Feldman
- Steven Quinlan
- Stacy Kilwein

Unanimous Approval

Cabinet Discussion: Next meeting - Sen. Heckaman

- Next meeting is set for February 14, 2022.

12:34 p.m. **Adjourn**