# **MINUTES**

# HUMAN SERVICES SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

DATE: December 1, 2015

The Subcommittee meeting was called to order by Representative Poleski at 12:00 pm.

Roll was taken: Present - Representatives Poleski, McCready, Kelly, Banks,

and Yanez

Excused - Representative VerHeulen

### I. Motion to Approve Minutes

Representative Yanez made a motion to approve minutes of the previous meeting held on November 10, 2015. Motion passed.

### II. Motion to Excuse Absent Members

Representative Kelly made a motion to excuse absent members. Motion passed.

### III. DHHS and DTMB Presentation: MiSACWIS Update

Karen Parker, Deputy Director, Information Technology and Project Management, DHHS, and Linda Pung, General Manager, Customer Service, DTMB, appeared before the Subcommittee. Ms. Parker presented an overview and update on the MiSACWIS program.

Members and others in attendance were provided with a 12-page presentation which provided detailed information concerning the MiSACWIS project and recent improvements. Highlights of the presentation include:

- MiSACWIS overview
- Number and type of caseworkers using program (8,000)
- Improvements made for staff
- On-site visit information
- Private agency engagement and training
- Payment improvements through system
- Juvenile Justice and Budget management of County Child Care Fund
- Future Improvements for MiSACWIS

Members and others in attendance were provided by the Chairman's office with the 4-page boilerplate report which is required in Section 534 of PA 84 of 2015 concerning the implementation of MiSACWIS.

Discussion ensued (questions and answers).

### IV. Public Testimony

Ray Holman, UAW Local 6000, appeared before the Subcommittee and gave testimony concerning MiSACWIS.

Discussion ensued (questions and answers).

## V. Adjourn

Representative Poleski adjourned the Subcommittee meeting at 12:35 p.m.