

MINUTES

HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

DATE: Monday, February 27, 2017

Call to Order

Representative Edward Canfield, Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

Attendance

Members Present: Representatives Canfield, Allor, Bizon, Inman, Whiteford, LaSata, Yaroch, Faris, Kosowski, Yanez, and Santana. No members were absent.

Approval of Minutes

Representative Allor made a motion to approve the February 22, 2017 Subcommittee minutes. There being no objection, the minutes were adopted.

Public Testimony

Chair Canfield opened the meeting up for public testimony and the following individuals provided oral and/or written testimony to the Subcommittee:

1. Robert White, parent advocate
2. Bob Stein and Carol Kaczander, Michigan Assisted Living Association
3. Elizabeth W. Bauer, self
4. Lori Phillips, self
5. Felicia M. Johnson, parent
6. Alan Bolter, Michigan Association of CMH Boards
7. Dominick Pallone, Michigan Association of Health Plans
8. Zaynab Chaudhry, self
9. Lindsay Brieschke, Alzheimer's Association
10. Kristy Sutherland and Amy Fuller, Senior Volunteer Programs
11. Katie Cahill, Karla Fales, and Christine Vanlandingham, Silver Key Coalition
12. Melissa Seifert, AARP
13. Former Representative Bob Brown, Region VII Area Agency on Aging
14. Keith Malec, parent
15. Kelly Arndt and Cherie Wisdom, Michigan Association of Senior Centers
16. David Carroll, JARC
17. Former Representative Nick Ciaramitaro, Michigan AFSCME
18. Mark McWilliams, Michigan Protection & Advocacy Service
19. Mary Ablan, Area Agency on Aging Association

The Subcommittee recessed at 11:49 a.m.
The Subcommittee reconvened at 1:00 p.m.

The following individuals provided oral and/or written testimony to the Subcommittee:

20. Tina Reynolds, Michigan Alliance for Lead Safe Homes
21. Linda Smith Wheelock, National Kidney Foundation of Michigan
22. Ron Tatro, Elder Law of Michigan
23. Brooke Van Prooyen, Adoptive Family Support Network

The follow individuals provided written testimony, but did not wish to speak:

24. Barbara Fowkes, Spectrum Community Services
25. Karlene Ketola, Michigan Oral Health Coalition

Adjournment

There being no further business before the Subcommittee, the meeting was adjourned by Chair Canfield at 1:33 p.m.