

## **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

## APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH

REP. PHIL GREEN CHAIR

## **COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

Tuesday, June 3, 2025

9:00 AM

Room 327, House Office Building

The House Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Health was called to order by Chair Phil Green.

The Chair requested attendance to be called:

Present: Reps. Phil Green, Kuhn, Maddock, Slagh, Steele, Price, and O'Neal.

Absent: None. Excused: None.

Representative O'Neal moved to adopt the meeting minutes from May 20, 2025. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Sydney Brown, Fiscal Analyst, House Fiscal Agency gave a brief overview to the Subcommittee on the Tobacco Settlement and Tobacco Tax revenues. Ms. Brown provided handouts to the Subcommittee.

Ms. Brown received and answered questions from the Subcommittee and agreed to provide the following:

- 1. Information on how other states are using Tobacco Settlement dollars and if any other states use the funding for business attraction.
- 2. What year Healthy Michigan fund dollars were distributed to various lines across the public health budget.

Brittany Taylor, Internist & Pediatrician; Assistant Faculty at the Pediatric Public Health Initiative at MSU; E-Cigarette Champion for the Michigan Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics; Keep MI Kids Tobacco Free Alliance Co-Chair; Genesee County Prevention Coalition Marijuana/Nicotine/Vaping Workgroup Member gave a presentation to the Subcommittee on smoking cessation efforts in the State. Ms. Taylor was joined by Molly Medenblik, Government Relations Director, Michigan, American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network (ACS CAN) and Jodi Radke, Regional Director, Campaign for Tobacco Free Kids; Keep MI Kids Tobacco Free Alliance Co-Chair who was on Zoom. The speakers provided handouts to the Subcommittee.

The speakers received and answered questions from the Subcommittee.

There being no further business before the Subcommittee, Chair Phil Green adjourned the meeting at 9:47 AM.

