

Senate Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for HUMAN RESOURCES

Date: *March 23, 2016*

Location: *RM 22*

Convened: *3:00 PM*

Adjourned: *4:15 PM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Mathis-CH, Ragan-VC, Johnson-RM, Allen, Bolkcom, Costello, Dotzler, Garrett, Jochum, Segebart, Taylor

Absent:

Excused: Senators Chelgren, Wilhelm

Committee Chair, Mathis called the meeting to order at 3:00 p.m.

Governor Appointee Subcommittee Reports

Senator Mathis recognized Senator Taylor for the reports on Richard Motz to the Commission on Aging; Michelle Reuss to the Commission of Latino Affairs; and Brett McLain to the Mental Health and Disability Services Commission. Senator Taylor recommended the appointments to the Senate En Bloc Calendar for confirmation. Short form vote was requested. Voting for the Governor Appointees to the En bloc Confirmation Calendar: Senators Mathis, Ragan, Johnson, Allen, Bolkcom, Costello, Dotzler, Garrett, Jochum, Segebart, and Taylor. Senators Chelgren and Wilhelm absent.

Panel Presentation

Senator Mathis introduced Medicaid Director, Mikki Stier and MCO Representatives: Kim Foltz, Health Plan Chief Executive Officer from United Healthcare; Cheryl Harding, Market President-Iowa from AmeriHealth Caritas; and Cynthia MacDonald, Plan President from Amerigroup. Senators asked questions of the panel.

Senator Jochum moved that the meeting adjourn.

Meeting adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Senator Liz Mathis

Molly Clause, Committee Secretary