

Senate Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for JUDICIARY

Date: *March 1, 2022*

Location: *RM 116*

Convened: *11:00 AM*

Adjourned: *11:15 AM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Zaun-CH, Garrett-VC, Kinney-RM, Bisignano, Bolkcom, Boulton, Dawson, Johnson, Petersen, Reichman, Rowley, Schultz, Shipley, Sinclair, Taylor, J.

Absent:

Excused:

Chairman Zaun called the meeting to order. The Republican senators went to caucus. The Democrat senators went to caucus.

Chairman Zaun called the meeting back to order at 11:05 p.m. The secretary took roll silently. Those not present were excused until they arrived. A quorum was present. Senator Sinclair moved the minutes from the previous meeting be approved. The minutes were approved on voice vote. Subcommittee assignments were distributed.

Governor Appointments:

With unanimous consent, the following appointees were recommended for confirmation on the En Bloc Confirmation Calendar:

William (Bill) Anderson II, Judicial Nominating Commission, State
Carolyn Schulte, Parole – Alternate, Board of
Meredith Lamberti, Parole, Board of
Maria Valdez Guerrero, Justice Advisory Board
Stanley Thompson, Civil Rights Commission, Director of the Iowa State
Andrew Boettger, Parole, Chairperson of the Board of
Patrick Coughlin, Drug Policy Advisory Council

Senator Zaun turned the meeting over to Vice Chairman Garrett. Senator Zaun was recognized for presentation of consideration of the Governor's appointment of Brenna Bird, Drug Policy Advisory Council. With unanimous consent, Brenna Bird was recommended for confirmation on the Individual Confirmation Calendar.

Senator Garrett turned the meeting back over to Senator Zaun. Senator Reichman was recognized for [HF 2123](#). Senator Reichman presented the subcommittee report. The bill passed on short form vote.

The meeting adjourned at 11:15 a.m.

Senator Brad Zaun

Dede Zaun, Committee Secretary