



MINUTES

Studies Committee

Monday, August 22, 2022

MEMBERS PRESENT

Senator Jack Whitver, Vice Chairperson
Senator Jake Chapman
Senator Amanda Ragan
Senator Zach Wahls

Representative Pat Grassley, Chair
Representative Eric Gjerde
Representative Lindsay James
Representative John H. Wills
Representative Matt W. Windschitl

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I. Procedural Business

Call to Order and Adjournment. The meeting of the Studies Committee was called to order by Chairperson Grassley at 10:14 a.m., Monday, August 22, 2022, in Room 22 of the State Capitol, Des Moines. The meeting was adjourned at 10:16 a.m. Senator Amanda Ragan and Representatives Eric Gjerde, Lindsay James, John H. Wills, and Matt Windschitl attended the meeting via a telecommunication connection.

Approval of Minutes. Vice Chairperson Whitver moved that the minutes from the July 14, 2021, Studies Committee meeting be approved. There being no additions or corrections, the motion was adopted by a voice vote.

II. Consideration of Proposed Interim Studies

Chairperson Grassley offered a Leadership Proposal for 2022 Legislative Interim Studies, a copy of which is on file with the Legislative Services Agency, that addressed two proposed interim study topics.

Vice Chairperson Whitver moved that the Leadership Proposal for 2022 Legislative Interim Studies be approved. The motion was adopted by a voice vote.

III. Report of the Studies Committee

The studies guidelines and study proposals recommended by the Studies Committee were compiled into a report to be presented to the Legislative Council for approval. A copy of the Report of the Studies Committee to the Legislative Council, containing the studies guidelines and study proposals, is attached to these minutes.

IV. Materials Filed with the Legislative Services Agency

1. Studies Compilation: 2022 Legislative Interim Study Information, prepared by the Legislative Services Agency (July 12, 2022).
2. Leadership Proposal for 2022 Legislative Interim Studies.
3. Minutes of the July 14, 2021, meeting of the Studies Committee.
4. Guidelines for Interim Study Committees — 2021-2022 Interims.
5. 2022 Report of the Studies Committee to the Legislative Council.

REPORT OF THE STUDIES COMMITTEE TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

August 22, 2022

The Studies Committee of the Legislative Council met on August 22, 2022, and makes the following report for approval by the Legislative Council:

2022 Studies. That the attached proposal for studies for the 2022 Interim be adopted by the Legislative Council.

Respectfully submitted,

Speaker Pat Grassley

Chairperson

2022 Legislative Interim Studies

Statutory Committees

1. **Fiscal Committee** (Iowa Code §§2.45(2) and 2.46)

Charge: The committee is a permanent legislative committee under the Legislative Council. Duties include examining budget and expenditure matters, directing the administration of performance audits and visitations, and studying the operation of state government and making recommendations regarding reorganization to the General Assembly.

Members: 5 Senate/5 House

Meeting Days: As approved by the Chair and Vice Chair of the Legislative Council.

2. **Health Policy Oversight Committee** (Iowa Code §2.45(6))

Charge: The committee is a permanent legislative committee under the Legislative Council. Duties include providing continuing oversight for Medicaid managed care, ensuring effective and efficient administration of the program, addressing stakeholder concerns, monitoring program costs and expenditures, and making recommendations to the General Assembly.

Members: 5 Senate/5 House

Meeting Days: As approved by the Chair and Vice Chair of the Legislative Council.*

*In accordance with applicable statutory requirements.