

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS
SUBCOMMITTEE**

Date: *January 31, 2023*

Location: *RM 22*

Convened: *9:40 AM*

Adjourned: *10:40 AM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Senators Lofgren-CH, Dickey-VC, Dotzler-RM, Gruenhagen,
Quirmbach

Absent:

Excused:

Chair Senator Lofgren called the meeting to order at 9:41. The clerk took the roll silently. The minutes from the last meeting were approved as distributed. Senator Lofgren welcomed everyone to the meeting and introduced the presenter, Director Townsend, from Iowa Workforce Development. She introduced her staff members that were present and presented both orally and using a slide presentation for the committee. Director Townsend shared accomplishments and goals and highlighted how the Governor's recommended realignments will play out for Iowa Workforce Development. Senator Lofgren asked a question. Senator Dotzler commented and asked questions. Senator Quirmbach commented and asked questions. Senator Dickey commented. Senator Dotzler thanked Senator Lofgren for scheduling presentations for the committee to become knowledgeable. With no other business to come before the committee, Senator Dickey moved to adjourn at 10:40.

Senator Mark S. Lofgren

Paula Lofgren, Committee Secretary