

COMMITTEE MINUTES for HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Date: **February 3, 2026**

Location: **RM 103**

Convened: **3:05 PM**

Adjourned: **3:25 PM**

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Harris-CH, Barker-VC, Wessel-Kroeschell-RM, Andrews, Baeth, Bergan, Bradley, Brown-Powers, Ehlert, Gehlbach, Ingels, Jeneary, Johnson, C., Meyer, A., Moore, T., Turek, Weldon, Wilburn, Wilz, H., Wood

Absent:

Excused: Representative Johnson, R.

Chairman Harris called the Health and Human Services committee meeting to order at 3:05 p.m.

Roll Call was taken and a quorum was present with Representative Johnson, R. excused.

The previous meeting minutes were approved.

Chairman Harris read electronically assigned bills:

[HSB 650](#): C. Johnson-CH, Wood, Baeth

[HSB 653](#): Ingels-CH, Gehlbach, Ehlert

[HSB 654](#): Bergan-CH, Wilz, Baeth

[HF 2220](#): A. Meyer-CH, C. Johnson, R. Johnson

[HF 2262](#): Harris-CH, A. Meyer, Brown-Powers

Chairman Harris recognized Representative Andrews for opening comments on [SF 304](#). Rep. Andrews indicated there was an amendment. Chairman Harris recognized Rep. Baeth for opening comments on Amendment 304.2321. There was discussion. With no further discussion, Rep. Baeth moved Amendment 304.2321 on a roll call vote of 6 ayes (Representatives Wessel-Kroeschell, Baeth, Brown-Powers, Ehlert, Turek, Wilburn), 14 nays (Representatives Harris, Barker, Andrews, Bergan, Bradley, Gehlbach, Ingels, Jeneary, Johnson, C., Meyer, A., Moore, T., Weldon, Wilz, H., Wood), and 1 excused (Representative Johnson, R.). There was further discussion on [SF 304](#). With no further discussion, Rep. Andrews moved [SF 304](#) with a roll call vote of 14 ayes (Representatives Harris, Barker, Andrews, Bergan, Bradley, Gehlbach, Ingels, Jeneary, Johnson, C., Meyer, A., Moore, T., Weldon, Wilz, H., Wood), 6 nays (Representatives Wessel-Kroeschell, Baeth, Brown-Powers, Ehlert, Turek, Wilburn), and 1 excused (Representative Johnson, R.).

Chairman Harris recognized Representative Andrews for opening comments on [HSB 605](#). There was discussion. With no further discussion, Rep. Andrews moved [HSB 605](#) with a roll call vote of 14 ayes (Representatives Harris, Barker, Andrews, Bergan, Bradley, Gehlbach, Ingels, Jeneary, Johnson, C., Meyer, A., Moore, T., Weldon, Wilz, H., Wood), 6 nays (Representatives Wessel-Kroeschell, Baeth, Brown-Powers, Ehlert, Turek, Wilburn), and 1 excused (Representative Johnson, R.).

Chairman Harris recognized Representative Bergan for opening comments on [HF 708](#). Rep. Bergan indicated there was an amendment. Chairman Harris recognized Rep. Bergan on Amendment 708.2293. There was discussion. With no further discussion, Rep. Bergan moved Amendment 708.2293 by short form, and it passed. There was further discussion on [HF 708](#), as amended. With no further discussion, Rep. Bergan moved [HF 708](#) with a roll call vote of 20 ayes (Representatives Harris, Barker, Wessel-Kroeschell, Andrews, Baeth, Bergan, Bradley, Brown-Powers, Ehlert, Gehlbach, Ingels, Jeneary, Johnson, C., Meyer, A., Moore, T., Turek, Weldon, Wilburn, Wilz, H., Wood), 0 nays, and 1 excused (Representative Johnson, R.).

As there was no additional business to come before the committee, Representative Moore moved we adjourn, seconded by Chairman Harris. The committee adjourned at 3:25 p.m.

William Keck, Committee Secretary