

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for
JUSTICE SYSTEM APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE**

Date: *March 2, 2026*

Location: *RM 19*

Convened: *3:00 PM*

Adjourned: *3:50 PM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Lohse-CH, Thompson, M.-VC, Ramirez-RM, Dieken, Golding, Lawler, Vondran, Wessel-Kroeschell

Absent:

Excused: Representative Madison

The meeting commenced at 3:03 PM and was called to order by Chairman Lohse. Roll call was taken; Chairman Lohse, Vice Chair Thompson, Ranking Member Ramirez, Rep. Dieken, Rep. Golding, Rep. Lawler, Rep. Vondran, and Rep. Wessel-Kroeschell were present. Rep. Madison was excused. Chairman Lohse made a motion to approve the minutes from the previous meeting with no objection. Chairman Lohse made opening remarks and introduced Brady Carney, Director of the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy. Director Carney provided an overview of the Academy's current number of staff and locations around the state, as well as a breakdown of the Academy's current funding levels and the statutory requirements met by the Academy. Director Carney provided the Academy's projected operating costs for Fiscal Year 2027. Chairman Lohse, Vice Chairman Thompson, Ranking Member Ramirez, committee members Rep. Vondran, Rep. Dieken, and Rep. Wessel-Kroeschell made comments and/or asked questions regarding Director Carney's presentation. Director Carney and Chairman Lohse made closing remarks, and with no further business to come before the subcommittee, Rep. Dieken motioned to adjourn the meeting at 3:46 PM.

Representative Brian K. Lohse

Grace Lohse, Committee Secretary