

HEALTH CARE ACCESS COMMISSION

MINUTES

Senator Linda Berglin called the Health Care Access Commission to order at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 3, 2007, in Room 15 of the State Capitol, St. Paul Minnesota.

The secretary noted the roll.

Members Present:

Sen. Berglin, Co-Chair
Sen. Koering
Sen. Lourey
Sen. Marty
Sen. Rosen

Rep. Huntley, Co-Chair
Rep. Abeler
Rep. Gottwalt
Rep. Loeffler
Rep. Thissen

A quorum was present.

The first item on the agenda was a Medical Home presentation by:

Dr. Douglas L. Wood, Vice-chair, Department of Medicine, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, MN.

The next item was an overview of the Coverage Conference:

1. Representative Tom Huntley
Gave a presentation on payment reform and cost containment.
2. Senator Linda Berglin
Gave a presentation on insurance reform and the exchange.

The meeting adjourned at Noon.

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