



# Legislative Task Force on Child Protection

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MSB 1150

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## **Agenda**

1. Call to Order
2. Opening Remarks
3. Office of the Legislative Auditor 2022 Evaluation Report on Child Protection Removals and Reunifications
  - *Judy Randall, Legislative Auditor*
  - *David Kirchner, Report Manager*
4. Remarks from Commissioner of Department of Human Services
  - *Commissioner Jodi Harpstead, DHS*
5. Presentation from DHS on October 2023 updated Minnesota Child Maltreatment Intake, Screening and Response Path Guidelines
  - *Bharti Wahi, Deputy Assistant Commissioner of Children and Family Services*
  - *Rebecca Wilcox, Prevention and Safety manager for the Child Safety and Permanency Division*
6. Presentation on county-level overview of “dual track” process comprised of Family Assessment and Family Investigation
  - *Stacy Hennen, Director of Western Prairie and Traverse County*
7. Adjournment

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