

Legislative Task Force on Child Protection

Co-Chairs: Representative Ron Kresha & Senator Michelle Fischbach

Meeting:

Tuesday, January 9, 2018

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Basement Hearing Room, State Office Building

Agenda:

- I. Call to Order**
- II. Approval of Minutes from 10/3/2017**
- III. Review Task Force Work Plan**
 - Jim Koppel, Assistant Commissioner, Children and Family Services, Minnesota Department of Human Services
- IV. Briefing on Child Welfare Training Proposal**
 - Traci LaLiberte, Ph.D., Center for Advanced Studies in Child Welfare, University of Minnesota
- V. Resume Testimony from Last Task Force Meeting**
 - Joanna Woolman, Director, Child Protection Program, Mitchell Hamline School of Law, St. Paul
 - Kelis Houston, Executive Director of Village Arms
 - Tiffini Forslund, NAACP Minneapolis Child Protection Committee
 - Marliyn Klug, NAACP Minneapolis Child Protection Committee
 - Starshema Jones, Parent
 - DeClara Tripp, Parent
 - Amanda Schwermer, Stand Up St. Paul
- VI. Public Testimony**
- VII. Adjournment**

Contact Laura Larson if you have questions or would like to testify, as the meeting is open to public discussion: laura.larson@house.mn or 651-296-5529.