

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Hearing Room Tapes - 3

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. John Meek, Chair Rep. Judith Uherbelau, Vice-Chair Rep. George Eighmey Rep. Bill Fisher Rep. Patti Milne Rep. Kitty Pi

STAFF PRESENT: Tom Mann, Committee Administrator Pamela Berger, Committee Assistant

SUBJECTS HEARD: Committee Rules OR Commission on Children & Families - overview

These minutes contain materials which paraphrase and/or summarize statements made during this session. Only text enclosed in quotation mark report a speaker's exact words. For complete contents of the proceedings, please refer to the tapes.

TAPE , SIDE A

010 CHAIR MEEK: Calls the meeting or order at 8:32 a.m.

Members introduce themselves

CHAIR MEEK: Introduces staff

Organizational Meeting

Staff submits and members review committee rules (EXHIBIT A)

Members review rules

HEARING NO OBJECTIONS, THE COMMITTEE RULES ARE ADOPTED

Informational Hearing - Children & Families Overview

040 JACK ROBERTS, LANE CO. COMMISSION ON CHILDREN & FAMILIES: Reads statement from Greenley report which led to the creation of Childre

Members thank Roberts

111 JONATHAN ATER, CHAIR, STATE COMMISSION ON CHILDREN & FAMILIES: Discusses implementation of 1993 HB 2004 -empowerment of people at t

TAPE 2, SIDE A

010 DIANE WALTON, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, STATE COMMISSION ON CHILDREN AND FAMILIES: In response to Uherbelau, the commission decided to c

061 TIAH SANDERSON, STUDENT: Involvement in Children and Families Commission -youth participation in process -involvement at local lev

145 Members thank Sanderson

170 LENNIE BJORNSON, CLACKAMAS COUNTY COMMISSION ON CHILDREN AND FAMILIES: Submits and reviews packet of materials (EXHIBIT C) -benchma

275 JANN LANE, GREAT START: References materials included in Exhibit C

345 Video: In your child's life there will be many influences, many teachers. The first teacher, the best teacher, is you!

TAPE 1, SIDE B

005 end of video

020 PAT GENTRY, CLACKAMAS COUNTY COMMISSION MEMBER: HB 3565 -references materials in Exhibit C -Level 7 Task Force 116 -in response

7 children -recreational opportunities offered at Clackamas Town Center

151 LANE: In response to Uherbelau, discusses benchmarks

GENTRY: School health centers -in response to Fisher, discusses work programs for youth

227 LANE: Business mentoring

250 PIERCY: Kids who do not have homes need to be taken care of

GENTRY: Agrees these kids can be better served; funding issues

310 TERI BELL, YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Describes membership, goals, grants, projects

380 BJORNSON: Grant monies

400 BELL: Application process

TAPE 2, SIDE B

010 DIANE WALTON, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, STATE COMMISSION ON CHILDREN AND FAMILIES: References materials included in Exhibit B -budgets

100 DR. DANIEL CLOSE, COMMISSION MEMBER: Discusses fundamental changes -bring resources to local level focusing on violence prevention

310 WALTON: In response to Fisher, discusses conservation corp

330 CLOSE: In response to Snodgrass, defines "discipline" as the process that parent uses to teach communication and social skills -imp

TAPE 3, SIDE A

005 EIGHMEY: Concerns about acceptable discipline
CLOSE: Conflicts, norms
066 EIGHMEY: Moral guidelines
FISHER: Comments about discipline
140 PIERCY: Comments about discipline
UHERBELAU: Comments about discipline
CLOSE: Epidemic child abuse -importance of positive early childhood programs
PIERCY: Parent's struggles with consistent discipline
181 UHERBELAU: Two-tier system
WALTON: Involvement and participation by CSD with Children and Families Commission
CLOSE: Positive aspects of collaboration with CSD and Children and Families Commission
220 CLAUDE DERR, CITIZEN: Discusses lack of guidelines for discipline -what constitutes abuse and what constitutes discipline
240 DOROTHY MEED, CITIZEN: Tells experiences raising six children as a single parent and experiences with CSD
310 TIMOTHY TRAVIS, JUVENILE RIGHTS PROJECT: Clarifies for Fisher, that there is no law that says you can't do background checks on peo
381 CHAIR MEEK: Closing remarks -adjourns the meeting at 10: 55 a.m.

Submitted by, Reviewed by,

Pamela Berger Tom Mann Committee Assistant Committee Administrator

EXHIBIT SUMMARY:

A - Committee Rules - staff - 2 pp B - Children and Family Commission information - Ater - 19 pp C - Children and Family Commission informat