

## MINUTES

### MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

#### 68th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

#### COMMITTEE ON (H) JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

**Call to Order:** Chair Rep. Bob Keenan-R, on January 06, 2023 at 9:04 AM, in 102

#### ROLL CALL

**Members Present:** Rep. Bob Keenan, Chair (R)  
Sen. Carl Glimm, Vice Chair (R)  
Sen. Dennis Lenz (R)  
Sen. Christopher Pope (D)

**Members Excused:** Rep. Mary Caferro (D)  
Rep. Jane Gillette (R)

**Staff Present:** Katya Grover, Remote Meeting Coordinator  
Julia Hamilton, Legislative Fiscal Analyst  
Krista Kaarre, Secretary  
Joshua Poulette, Legislative Fiscal Analyst

**Audio Committees:** These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

#### **Committee Business Summary:**

Hearing & Date Posted:

Executive Action:

09:06:06

**Committee Discussion:**

09:06:42 Joshua Poulette

09:07:17 Rep. Bob Keenan

09:08:25 Charlie Brereton, DPHHS

09:09:01 Mike Randol, Medicaid and Health Services Executive Director,  
Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)

09:09:38 Rep. Bob Keenan

09:11:13 Joshua Poulette

09:11:43 Rep. Mary Caferro joined the meeting.

09:12:30 Rep. Bob Keenan

09:04:32 Rep. Bob Keenan

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**Committee Discussion:**

09:13:10 Rep. Bob Keenan

09:13:29 Charlie Brereton, DPHHS

09:13:47 Rep. Bob Keenan

09:14:08 Rep. Mary Caferro

09:15:45 Rep. Bob Keenan

09:16:53 Rep. Mary Caferro

09:17:19 Joshua Poulette

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09:23:30	Joshua Poulette
09:23:55	Rep. Mary Caferro
09:24:40	Joshua Poulette
09:25:52	Rep. Bob Keenan
09:26:16	Sen. Christopher Pope
09:27:44	Charlie Brereton, DPHHS
09:28:39	Sen. Christopher Pope
09:31:17	Rep. Bob Keenan
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09:34:05	Sen. Christopher Pope
09:34:59	Charlie Brereton, DPHHS
09:35:37	Will Evo, DPHHS
09:37:42	Rep. Bob Keenan
09:37:52	Sen. Carl Glimm
09:39:57	Brian Hannan, Office of Budget and Program Planning

09:42:27 Kim Aiken, DPHHS

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09:46:35 Charlie Brereton, DPHHS

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09:50:29 Kim Aiken, DPHHS

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09:51:03 Rep. Bob Keenan

09:51:14 Sen. Christopher Pope

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10:15:27 Kim Aiken, DPHHS  
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10:15:57 Rep. Bob Keenan  
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**Committee Discussion:**

10:16:52 Bernadette Franks-Ongoy, Disability Rights Montana  
10:19:13 Sam Telling, Montana Federation of Public Employees

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**Committee Discussion:**

10:21:05 Marco Uribe (House Sergeant at Arms)

10:24:20 Rep. Bob Keenan

10:25:23 Marco Uribe (House Sergeant at Arms)

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 10:26:59

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Krista Kaarre, Secretary

Additional Documents: [EXHIBIT\(230106JHHaad\)](#)