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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 56th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Call to Order: By **CHAIRMAN BETTY LOU KASTEN**, on February 12, 1999 at 8:07 A.M., in Room 325 Capitol.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Betty Lou Kasten, Chairman (R)
Sen. Chuck Swysgood, Vice Chairman (R)
Rep. Beverly Barnhart (D)
Rep. John Cobb (R)
Sen. Bob Keenan (R)
Sen. Mignon Waterman (D)

Members Excused: None.

Members Absent: None.

Staff Present: Delila Croucher, Committee Secretary
Lorene Thorson, Legislative Branch
Connie Welsh, OBPP

Please Note: These are summary minutes. Testimony and discussion are paraphrased and condensed.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing(s): Public Testimony,
Developmental Disabilities

Executive Action: none

PUBLIC TESTIMONY ON DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

The Committee received public testimony from the following individual in support of DD issues.

Wally Melcher

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Bob Lawson

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Lowell Britals

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Paula Holdeman

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Colleen Nichols

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Dr. Joel Maze

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Margarete Thomas

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Dough Potter

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Elsie Efta **EXHIBIT(jhh35a01)**

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Scott Knight

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Melody Ann Sawyer

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Vance Carlson

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Mark Hulslander **EXHIBIT(jhh35a02)**

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Sandra Standly

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Gordon and Diane Vandiviere **EXHIBIT(jhh35a03)**

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Rob Tallon **EXHIBIT(jhh35a04)**

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Dennis Nygren **EXHIBIT(jhh35a05)**

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Cindy Moller **EXHIBIT**(jhh35a06)

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Jill Nelson **EXHIBIT**(jhh35a07)

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Cindy Brady and Karen Little **EXHIBIT**(jhh35a08)

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Jerry Matilla **EXHIBIT**(jhh35a09) **EXHIBIT**(jhh35a10)

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Dr. Marian Guggenheim

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P.J. Rismon-Beckly

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John Rouser

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Susan and Greg Niave

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Stuart Brownlow **EXHIBIT**(jhh35a11)

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Linda Tagen

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Dr. Wilder

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Ande and Paul Odegard **EXHIBIT**(jhh35a12)

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LaDonna Ramsey

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Greg Mills

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Judy Wilcox **EXHIBIT**(jhh35a13)

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Susan Bets

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Darla Hoff **EXHIBIT**(jhh35a14)

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Cindy Rooley **EXHIBIT**(jhh35a15)

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Twyla Kannegiesser

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Jay Bailly

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Neil Trout

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Broady Maul

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Phyllis Braton

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Deedra Meyer

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Nancy Myers **EXHIBIT**(jhh35a16)

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Alan Lions ?

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Davis Hulton ?

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Darren Holden

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Susan Dowell

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Gail Peterson **EXHIBIT**(jhh35a17)

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Jenny Boyd

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Ann Hathoway

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Tom Price

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Janet Luciano

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Tammy Regent

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Lisa Hadock

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Senethra Anderson

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Tim Plaska

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Rita Schilling

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Bernadette Franks-Ongory

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Tom Dell

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The following testimony was entered into the record.

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ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 11:46 A.M.

REP. BETTY LOU KASTEN, Chairman

DELILA CROUCHER, Secretary

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