

Senator Tim Mathern, Chairman, has called a meeting of the BUDGET COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES.

DATE, Monday, September 22, 1997, 9:00 a.m., Southeast Human Service Center,

TIME, AND 2624 Ninth Avenue SW, Fargo

PLACE: Tuesday, September 23, 1997, 9:00 a.m., Cass County Social Services,

1010 Second Avenue South, Fargo

AGENDA:

Budget tour and presentations by representatives of the Southeast Human Service Center of an overview of the center's programs, implementation of the 1997-99 block grant appropriation, major program changes and needs, and comments regarding the committee's studies, proposals from consultants for consulting services relating to the study of the Department of Human Services; presentation by representatives of the Department of Human Services of information regarding federal funding and state matching requirements, departmental programs that interact with the State Department of Health programs, areas in which the Dawes recommendations have not been fully implemented and a status report of the task force reviewing state and county responsibilities for children and family services; presentation by representatives of Cass County Social Services regarding programs and services provided; and testimony by interested persons regarding the committee's studies

SPECIAL NOTE: Anyone who plans to attend the meeting and needs assistance because of a disability should contact the Legislative Council staff as soon as possible.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Senators Tim Mathern, Bill L. Bowman, Tom Fischer, Jerome Kelsh, Judy Lee, Rod St. Aubyn, Russell T. Thane; Representatives Leonard J. Jacobs, Roxanne Jensen, Connie Johnsen, James A. Kerzman, Clara Sue Price, Wanda Rose, Ken Svedjan, Gerald O. Sveen, Janet Wentz

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Any member who is unable to attend this meeting is asked to please notify this office as soon as possible.

Sincerely

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Director

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