

MINUTES
SELECT COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES
May 1, 2018

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1. **Call to Order:** The Select Committee on Human Services was called to order at 9:35 a.m. by Chair Ladenburg.

2. **Roll Call:** The Clerk called the roll.

Committee Members present: Connie Ladenburg, Chair; Rick Talbert, Vice Chair; and Douglas G. Richardson, Member

Other Councilmember present: Derek Young

Council Staff present: Tom Swanson, Legislative Analyst; Jason Escareno, Senior Legislative Analyst; LJ Rohrer, Mark Williams, and Alice McDaniel, Councilmember Assistants

3. **Approval of Agenda:** Without objection, the Agenda was approved as presented.

4. **Approval of Minutes:** Talbert moved the April 3 and 17, 2018, Select Committee on Human Services Committee meetings.

5. **Public Comment:** none

6. **2019 Behavioral Health Mid-Adopter Report**

Escareno introduced Steve O'Ban, Senior Counsel for Behavioral Health, Human Services Department, presenter on the reports listed as items 6 and 7 on the Agenda. O'Ban provided an update and overview on the 2019 Behavioral Health Mid-Adopter Report, and Behavioral Health Diversion Center Report. He answered questions of Committee Members. Discussion ensued on funding. Carol Mitchell, Executive's Office, provided clarifying remarks.

7. **Behavioral Health Diversion Center Report**

Steve O'Ban, Senior Counsel for Behavioral Health, Human Services Department, presented on this item in conjunction with item 6 above.

8. **Presentation on Committees within Human Services**

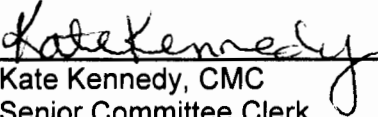
Escareno introduced Peter Ansara, Director of Human Services, Human Services Department. Ansara presented an updated handout and reviewed, "Human Services Boards and Committees." (A copy is contained in the meeting file.)

9. **Other Business**

- Chair's Topics – The Chair provided an update on the ride along that herself and staff did last week on the MCIRT van.
- Good of the Order – Escareno stated at a future date there will be a discussion of the City of Tacoma stability site.

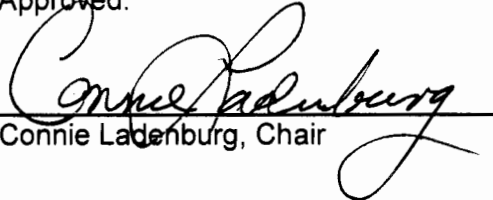
10. **Adjournment:** There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 10:49 a.m.

Attest:



Kate Kennedy, CMC
Senior Committee Clerk

Approved:



Connie Ladenburg, Chair

5-22-18
Date