

AGENDA
Senate Committee on Children and Youth
House Committee on Aging, Children and Youth, Legislative and Military Affairs
Meeting Jointly

Friday, September 22, 2023

10:00 AM

Room A, MAC
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Bryan King, Chair
Sen. Alan Clark, Vice-Chair
Sen. Jane English
Sen. Bart Hester
Sen. Greg Leding
Sen. Dan Sullivan
Sen. Ben Gilmore
Sen. Matt McKee
Sen. Clint Penzo
Sen. Justin Boyd

Rep. Sonia Eubanks Barker, Chair
Rep. Julie Mayberry, Vice-Chair
Rep. Charlene Fite
Rep. Aaron Pilkington
Rep. Joy Springer
Rep. Rick McClure
Rep. Keith Brooks
Rep. Tony Furman
Rep. Matt Brown
Rep. Hope Duke

Rep. Joey Carr
Rep. Zack Gramlich
Rep. Stetson Painter
Rep. Matt Duffield
Rep. Steve Unger
Rep. Tara Shephard
Rep. Brit McKenzie
Rep. Jeremy Wooldridge
Rep. Trey Steimel
Rep. Shad Pearce

- A. Call to Order
- B. Consideration to Approve June 9, 2023, and July 24, 2023, Meeting Minutes **[Exhibits B1 – B2]**
- C. Appointment to the Child Maltreatment and Investigations Oversight Committee
- D. Adoption of ISP 2023-082 by Representative Mayberry – An act to create the universal newborn home nurse visitation program to provide home visitation services for a newborn infant and the parents of a newborn infant; and for other purposes. **[Exhibit D]**
- E. Discussion of the Child Welfare Program and VA Home in Northwest Arkansas
 - 1. General Kendall Penn, Secretary, Arkansas Department of Veterans Affairs (ADVA)
 - 2. Steven Veazey, Assistant Director of Veterans Services, ADVA
- F. Presentation by Fostering Change **[Exhibit F]**
 - Abby Rundell, Program Director
- G. Review of Arkansas State Police, Crimes Against Children Division (CACD), Quarterly Oversight Review, April – June, 2023 **[Exhibit G]**
 - Major Jeff Drew, Commander, CACD
- H. Other Business
- I. Adjournment

Note: All exhibits for this meeting are available by electronic means and are accessible on the General Assembly's website at www.arkleg.state.ar.us

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