



Committee Minutes

COMMITTEE: Public Health Policy
CHAIRPERSON: Adam Mathews
DATE: June 18, 2024
TIME: **10:00 AM**
ROOM: Room 121

Chairman Matthews called the meeting of the House Public Health Policy Committee to order at 10:08 AM on June 18th, 2024.

The roll was called; a quorum was present; the committee proceeded as a full committee.

The minutes from the Public Health Policy Committee hearing on June 12th, 2024, were read and approved without objection.

House Bill 356 was called for its 2nd hearing.

Chairman Matthews gave a brief summary of AM_135_195-2. With no questions, Chairman Matthews moved to accept the amendments to the bill. With no objection, AM_135_192-2 was accepted.

- Proponent Testimony: Peter Aziz
- Proponent Testimony: Milind Desai
- Proponent Testimony: Lisa Salberg
- Proponent Testimony: Judith Reid

After questions, the 2nd hearing on HB 356 was concluded.

House Bill 397 was called for its 4th hearing.

The Chairman recognized Representative Stewart. Representative Stewart moved to favorably report House Bill 397 to the House Rules and Reference Committee. With a vote of 10-0, House Bill 397 was favorably reported.

House Bill 538 was called for its 1st hearing.

- Sponsor Testimony: Representative Brown
- Sponsor Testimony: Representative Upchurch

After questions, the 1st hearing on HB 538 was concluded.

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With no further business before the Committee, the House Public Health Policy Committee adjourned at 11:03 AM.

Adam Mathews, Chair

Committee Secretary

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