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Committee: Joint Committee On Ways and Means Subcommittee On Human Services

Measure: HB5026

STOP THREATENING THIS MOST VULNERABLE POPULATION YEAR AFTER YEAR!!!!

That's all we hear from the case managers that the legislature wants to cut the budget !!

Save \$\$\$ on the backs of the most vulnerable in this state!!!!

So what does the state do,
they develop yet another needs assessment which you never even had prior to the K plan

coming in in 2013, to cut more \$\$\$\$!!!!

I then witnessed yesterday people begging you guys not to cut but to fund these crucial bills!!!!

Thats all I've seen for the last 30 years,
people begging this state to step up!!!!

Step up and value this population with a competent workforce!!!!!!

A competent workforce from the state personnel the county personnel and the direct support workers including personal support workers!!!!!!!!!!

Family members are left high and dry with a union that cares more about itself than the most vulnerable members of this community!!!! Why does this state believe direct support workers are more important and deserve wage guarantees and yet family members are left to be devoured by this union it's shameful!!!!

For god sake this legislature needs step up and show this population you're competent and you care!!!!

FUND THESE BILLS FOR OUR MOST VULNERABLE!!!!!!!!!!