

JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
SUBCOMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY

March 15, 2023
03:00 PM

Hearing Room H-170

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Janeen Sollman, Co-Chair
Sen. David Brock Smith

Rep. Paul Evans, Co-Chair
Rep. Dacia Grayber
Rep. Jeffrey Helfrich
Rep. Rick Lewis
Rep. Daniel Nguyen

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:

Sen. Chris Gorsek

STAFF PRESENT:

John Terpening, Legislative Fiscal Office
Joan Green, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS:

Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

00:00:28 [Meeting Called to Order](#)
00:00:30 Representative Evans, Presiding Co-Chair
00:00:51 John Terpening, Legislative Fiscal Office

00:01:17 [SB 5504 - Department of Corrections](#)
00:01:40 Heidi Steward, Acting Director, Department of Corrections
00:02:42 Co-Chair Evans
00:04:23 Director Steward
00:04:28 Larry Bennett, Department of Corrections
00:06:23 Co-Chair Evans
00:07:07 Mr. Bennett
00:07:45 Co-Chair Sollman
00:08:11 Director Steward
00:08:51 Mr. Bennett
00:09:54 Director Steward
00:10:45 Thom Martin, Department of Corrections
00:16:22 Co-Chair Evans
00:16:40 Mr. Martin
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00:19:13 Mr. Martin
00:22:20 Co-Chair Evans
00:22:34 Mr. Martin
00:29:17 Rep. Grayber
00:29:31 Mr. Martin
00:30:54 Co-Chair Evans
00:31:26 Mr. Martin
00:32:19 Director Steward
00:32:52 Mr. Martin
00:33:34 Co-Chair Evans
00:33:42 Director Steward
00:35:57 Jeremiah Stromberg, Department of Corrections
00:47:42 Rep. Lewis
00:47:51 Mr. Stromberg
00:52:49 Rep. Grayber
00:53:04 Mr. Stromberg
00:53:16 Director Steward
00:54:09 Mr. Stromberg
00:55:53 Co-Chair Sollman
00:56:23 Mr. Stromberg
01:03:23 Rep. Lewis
01:03:33 Mr. Stromberg
01:06:39 Co-Chair Evans
01:06:47 Mr. Stromberg
01:07:19 Director Steward
01:08:09 Mr. Stromberg
01:09:34 Co-Chair Sollman
01:10:07 Mr. Stromberg
01:10:55 Co-Chair Evans
01:11:06 Mr. Stromberg
01:12:59 Director Steward
01:13:20 Co-Chair Evans
01:14:14 Director Steward
01:14:34 Co-Chair Evans
01:15:18 Lisa Fox, Department of Administrative Services.
01:20:07 Rep. Lewis
01:20:15 Ms. Fox
01:20:46 Co-Chair Evans
01:21:34 Director Steward
01:22:27 Co-Chair Evans closes Informational Hearing
01:22:33 John Terpening, Legislative Fiscal Office
01:22:58 Co-Chair Evans

01:23:34 Meeting Adjourned