



**Intergenerational Welfare Reform Commission /
IGP Advisory Committee Joint Meeting**
Wednesday August 13, 2019

Multi-Agency State Office Building
195 North 1950 West Salt Lake City
DHS_RM 1019 A & B 1:00 pm- 3:00 pm

Meeting Minutes

Commission: Lt. Governor Spencer Cox, Jon Pierpont, Bishop H. David Burton, Sydnee Dickson, Joe Miner, Neira Siaperas, Ann Williamson, Aaron Peterson, Dr. Ben Gibbs

Committee: William Duncan, Lincoln Nehring, Aimee Winder Newton, Rev. Steven Klemz, Dr. Roy Neal Davis, Judge Scott Davis

Staff Support: Tracy Gruber, Nune Phillips, Montana Meyers

Attendees: Collin Peterson, Heather Barnum, William Cosgrove, Britnee Johnston, Victor Iverson, Sheila Walsh-McDonald, Taylor Ricks, TJ Seegmiller, Jennifer Thronsen, Bill Tibbitts, Liz Carver, Jennifer Godfrey, Mary Beth Vogel-Ferguson
Rick Little, Victor Iverson, Sydnee Dickson, Laney Benedict, Nate McDonald, Collin Peterson, Kelsey Martinez

Agenda Item	Discussion	Recommendations/Action
Welcome, Approval of Minutes, and Opening Business	Lt. Governor Spencer Cox welcomed the group. Approval of minutes from April 3, 2019. Introductions were made. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. New Commission Member- Neira Siaperas, Juvenile Court Administrator. 	Lt. Governor Cox called for a motion to approve the minutes. Joe Miner motioned to approve minutes as written. Bishop H. David Burton seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously. Minutes approved.
Appointment of Juvenile Court Judge Scott Davis	Lt. Governor Cox recommends that Juvenile Court Judge Scott Davis is appointed to the Intergenerational Poverty Advisory Committee.	Lt. Governor Cox called for a motion to appoint Juvenile Court Judge Scott Davis to the IGP Advisory Committee. Commissioner Ann Williamson motioned to appoint. Joe Miner seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously. Juvenile Court Judge Scott Davis is appointed.
Findings in Agency Studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Commission members discussed the Findings in Agency Studies. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Kelsey Martinez, from DWS reported on the findings demonstrating a decrease in intergenerational poverty among the initial 2012 adult and child cohorts. ii. Brantley Scott from DOH presented its findings evaluating the clinical risks of those from the intergenerational poverty population. The evaluation demonstrated that adults experiencing intergenerational poverty 	DOH intends to study the pediatric population. Lt. Governor raised the possibility of removing data related to

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> iii. Rick Little from DHS presented the findings from its multiple studies: Juvenile Justice System, Public Behavioral Health System, IGP Youth, and Child Welfare System. iv. Commission member Dickson reported on the findings by the Utah State Board of Education finding that the 2012 cohort that participated in Optional Extended Day kindergarten did not experience improved outcomes from those who participated in half-day kindergarten. Superintendent Dickson noted that the OEK program has changed significantly since 2012. 	<p>child birth to determine if disparities still exist.</p> <p>JJS and DWS will meet to discuss overlap between those in JJS and intergenerational poverty.</p> <p>Commissioner Williamson to pull data regarding the classification of JJS charges for those experiencing intergenerational poverty to evaluate whether there are more serious offenses among this population.</p> <p>USBE will evaluate whether to conduct this research on subsequent IGP cohorts to see if outcomes have changed as the OEK program changed.</p>
<p>IGP County Subcommittee Update & Recommendations</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Commissioner Victor Iverson discussed the IGP Subcommittee Update and Recommendations. Commission voted on two motions. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Commissioner Iverson discussed interest in a representative from the IGP County Subcommittee participating on the Affordable Housing Task Force work group that is developing a program for state-funded housing vouchers. 2. At the request of the IGP County Subcommittee, Commissioner Iverson requested that the Commission study the possibility of extending the IGP County Implementation Grants by one year. b. Utah County Commissioner Nathan Ivie and Advisory Committee member, Ben Gibbs presented research findings on Utah County Circles Program. The research demonstrated that Circles is promising, and with continued adjustments it has the capacity to be successful. 	<p>Lt. Governor called for a motion to add a member to the Affordable housing task force work group on vouchers. Dr. Joe Miner motioned. Sydnee Dickson seconded the motion. Motion carries unanimously.</p> <p>Lt. Governor called for a motion to add additional time for the Implementation grant. Sydnee Dickson motioned and Dr. Joe Miner seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.</p>
<p>Resilient Utah Final Report & Recommendations</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Mary Beth Vogel-Ferguson presented on behalf of the Resilient Utah Subcommittee. She provided information on a recent survey and presented a proposal to the Commission to begin evaluating the feasibility of establishing a Center for Resilient Utah. She referred to the Resilient Utah Fact Sheet to report and findings. 	<p>Lt. Governor called for a motion to support moving forward with the creation of the</p>

		Center for resilient Utah. Bishop Burton motioned. Dr. Joe Miner seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.
Other Business		
Adjournment	Lt. Governor Spencer Cox called for a motion to adjourn the Meeting.	Lt. Governor Cox called for a motion to adjourn the Meeting. Ann Williamson motioned to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned.