**Joint Medicaid Oversight Committee**

**Minutes**

**June 22nd, 2017 Committee**

**132nd General Assembly**

Chair Huffman called the Joint Medicaid Oversight Committee to order at 9:05am.

The clerk called the roll. A quorum was not present and the committee proceeded as a subcommittee.

The Chair called forward Directors Sears and Plouck to provide testimony on the Behavioral Health Redesign. The Directors spoke and members asked questions.

Once there was a quorum, Chair Huffman asked members to look over the minutes. With no objection the minutes were approved.

The Chair asked Director Ackerman to explain the JMOC actuarial contract with Optumas. After this was discussed, Sen. Burke motioned to accept the contract. Sen. Terhar seconded. With a vote of 8-0 the contract was approved.

Chair Huffman then asked the provider panel to come forward to discuss their views on the Behavioral Health Redesign and explain where they are it in the process. The panel consisted of Hugh Wirtz (Director of the Ohio Council), Dave Turner (Director of the Counseling Source), Elizabeth Newman (President and CEO of the Centers for Family and Children), and Jennifer Moses (CEO of the Zepf Center). Members asked the panel questions.

With no further business to come before the committee, the Chair adjourned at 10:59am.

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Stephen Huffman, Chair

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Nickie Antonio, Secretary