

LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON THE ECONOMIC STATUS OF WOMEN

Hearing

Child Care: From Social Service to Economic Infrastructure

Friday, January 23, 2004, 9-11:00 a.m.

Room 107 Capitol

Agenda

Erin Kelly, Ph.D.

Assistant Professor

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Families and work--the history of child care

Ann McCully

Executive Director

Minnesota Child Care Resource and Referral Network

Presentation of report and key findings -- The Economic Impact of the Child Care Industry in Minnesota

Louise Noomen

Community Development Director

City of Tracy, Minnesota

Tracy Economic Development Authority: The economic development case for child care

Molly Caron

General Manager

EMR Innovations, St. Cloud, Minnesota

A case study: Child care and business

Megan Gunnar, Ph.D.

Professor of Child Development

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Child development and quality of child care