## **Legislative Commission to End Poverty by 2020**

Wednesday, September 5, 2007 9:30 AM – 2:30 PM 10 State Office Building

## Agenda

Looking Below and Beyond the Poverty Line, Part II: Key Patterns

- I. Call to Order
- II. Discussion of Commission tours
- III. Today's meeting goals
- IV. **Disability and Poverty** 
  - Joan Wilshire, Executive Director, Minnesota State Council on Disability
  - Jeffrey Nurick, Scott Liptak
  - Self-Advocates, Merrick, Inc. (non-profit serving adults with developmental disabilities)
    - o Jason Watson, Matthew Klingseisen, Sally Fremo
- **IV.** Children and Poverty
  - Andi Egbert, Research Director, Children's Defense Fund Minnesota
- V. **Public Testimony** 
  - Julia Dinsmore
  - **Break for lunch**
- VI. Executive Director selection
- VII. Homeless in Minnesota
  - Dr. Greg Owen, Consulting Scientist, Wilder Research.
- VIII. Homeless children in Minnesota schools
  - John McLaughlin, Minnesota Department of Education
- IX. Adjourn