

# Child Support Task Force



August 29 2018 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.


Room 10, State Office Building

100 Rev Dr. Martin Luther King Jr Boulevard, St Paul

<http://mn.gov/dhs/child-support-task-force/>

*The purpose of this Task Force is to advise the Department of Human Services (DHS) on maintaining effective and efficient child support guidelines that will best serve the children of Minnesota and take into account changing dynamics of families.*

Activity	Time
1. Welcome, Announcements, and Today's Meeting Objectives <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Updates on group process and logistics</li> <li>• Introduce Victoria Taylor, MN State Bar Association representing Family Law, replacing Pamela Waggoner</li> <li>• Decisions: Low income box, self-support reserve box, and tax adjustment box</li> </ul>	9:30 Co-chairs
2. Review and Approval of June Meeting Notes	9:35 Co-chairs
3. Reminder: Task Force Purpose and Decisions to Date	9:40 Jodie
4. Group Process and Logistics Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• September 26 meeting: Dr. Venohr, may move to October 4, will be in St. Cloud, time confirmation</li> <li>• Decision on parent alternates</li> </ul>	9:45 Co-chairs
5.  • Low Income Adjustment Box <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Refresher: June meeting reminder of decision to reorder these topics</li> <li>b) Amy Anderson presentation, per Task Force request, on adjusted tables followed by scenario applications</li> <li>c) Brief discussion</li> <li>d) Decision on Low Income Adjustment Box</li> </ul>	10:00 Stacy and Jessica
6. BREAK	11:15
7.  • Self-Support Reserve Box <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Staff presentation of meaning of Self-Support Reserve, pros/cons of applying to both parents or just to obligor, and staff recommendation.</li> <li>b) Brief discussion</li> <li>c) Decision on Self-Support Reserve Box               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Whether to apply to both parties</li> <li>ii. Should amount of SSR be changed from 120% of FPG?</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	11:30 Stacy and Jessica

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8.  • Tax Adjustments Box <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Identify arguments <i>for</i> a tax adjustment</li> <li>b. Identify arguments <i>for no</i> tax adjustment</li> <li>c. Decision</li> <li>d. Determine next steps if decision is for a tax adjustment</li> </ol>	12:15  Stacy and Jessica
9. Wrap Up and Look Ahead: Adjustments at High Incomes and Adjustments for Nonjoint Children	12:35  Co-chairs
10. Public Comment	12:40
<b>ADJOURN</b> Co-chairs, senior staff, and facilitator meet to plan next meeting immediately following adjournment.	1:00
<b>THANK YOU!</b>	

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