

AGENDA
FOSTER CARE STUDY COMMITTEE
10:00 AM to 4:00 PM
State Capitol, WW 55
Wednesday, August 31, 2016

SUBJECT/TIME	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
10:00-10:05 a.m.	Introductory remarks	Sen. Lee and Rep. Perry, Co-Chairs
10:05-10:30 a.m.	Update from the Department of Health and Welfare	Russ Barron , Deputy Director-Health, Welfare and Family services
10:30-11:15 a.m.	A prosecuting attorney's perspective on the foster care system	Teri Whilden , Deputy Prosecutor-Child Protection Unit, Canyon Co.
11:15-12:00 p.m.	Overview of the Court's Guardian ad Litem program	Hon. Barry Wood , Deputy Administrative Director/Government Liaison, Idaho Supreme Court
12:00-1:30 p.m.	Lunch break	
1:30-2:00 p.m.	A guardian ad litem attorney's perspective on the foster care system	Shane Darrington , Attorney
2:00-2:30 p.m.	A public defender's perspective on the foster care system	Tahja Jensen , Deputy Public Defender, Ada Co.
2:30-3:30 p.m.	Public testimony	
3:30-4:00 p.m.	Committee discussion	

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COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Senator Lee, Co-chair	Representative Perry, Co-chair
Senator Davis	Representative Moyle
Senator Souza	Representative Luker
Senator Anthon	Representative Monks
Senator Buckner-Webb	Representative Wintrow

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