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Meeting Goal

- Determine top policy recommendations to recommend in the legislative report

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Agenda

I. Welcome 10 min
   a. Introductions
   b. Ground rules
   c. Agenda

II. Office of the AG Federal Settlement Update- Eric Maloney 5 min

III. Performance Measure Update - Weston Merrick 5 min
   a. Recommend performance measures to be included in January 2021 Legislative report

IV. SOR Grant update- April Beachem 5 min
    https://mn.gov/dhs/partners-and-providers/grants-rfps/open-rfps/#/detail/appId/1/id/457101

V. OERAC county MAT meetings update- Jolene Rebertus 5 min
   a. MN Assoc. of County Social Service Administrators (MACSSA), Sherriff’s association, Association of MN Counties-Barriers to MAT in County Jails (to identify policy recommendations and add to the list of recommendation).
   Council reps: Jolene Rebertus, Anne Pylkas, Dave Baker, Sarah Grosshuesch, Nicole Anderson, and Judge D. Korey Wahwassuck

VI. Direct access – Neerja Singh, DHS, Behavioral Health Division Clinical Director 5 min

VII. Proposed council policy recommendations- Chair Anne Pylkas & Dave Baker 75 min
    Identify the policy recommendations the council would like to emphasize for the next year by considering what is; important, possible and feasible
    https://padlet.com/rendarappa/z6lce2m27nsasoj8
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Group discussion on draft policy priorities for next year, looking through the lens heavy lifts, feasibility, importance, etc.

VIII. Public Comment 5 min
   • Observers opportunity to share comments

II. Next steps and meeting wrap-up 5 min
   • Next meeting
     o Agenda items