

House Appropriations Subcommittee for Community Health

Meetings: Tuesday, 10:30am, House Appropriations Room 352, State Capitol Building, Lansing, MI

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Rob VerHeulen (Republican), Chair, 74th District: Walker, Grandville, Rockford, and Cedar Springs cities, and Solon, Tyrone, Sparta, Algoma, and Alpine townships.

Background: Served as Mayor of the City of Walker for 11 years from 2001 to 2012; Worked for Meijer Inc. as an attorney and served as the General Counsel to The Meijer Foundation; Formerly served on many non-profit and philanthropic boards; Elected to the House of Representatives in 2012.

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John Bizon (Republican), Majority Vice-Chair, 62nd District: cities of Battle Creek, Springfield, and Albion, and the townships of Albion, Bedford, Clarence, Convis, Lee, Pennfield, and Sheridan.

Background: Practiced medicine as an ear, nose, and throat-otolaryngologist for almost 40 years; Previously served as president of the Calhoun County Medical Society and the Michigan State Medical Society; Elected to the House of Representatives in 2014.

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Jon Bumstead (Republican), 100th District: Lake, Oceana, and Newaygo counties.

Background: Created his own construction firm, Bumstead Construction, which has brought millions of dollars over the last 30 years to his local community of Newaygo; Elected to the House of Representatives in 2010.

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Chris Afendoulis (Republican), 73rd District: city of East Grand Rapids, and the townships of Cannon, Courtland, Nelson, Oakfield, Plainfield, Spencer, and Grand Rapids Charter Township.

Background: Elected as Grand Rapids Township Trustee in 2004; Served as member of the Forest Hills Schools Fine Arts Center Foundation; Previously worked as a Certified Public Accountant at PricewaterhouseCoopers; Co-Owner of his family business Afendoulis Cleaners and Tuxedos; Elected to the House of Representatives in 2014.

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Edward Canfield (Republican), 84th District: Huron and Tuscola counties.

Background: Received his doctorate of Osteopathy from Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine; formerly practiced medicine at the Caro Medical Clinic and ran the Canfield Family Practice with his wife; Elected to the House of Representatives in 2014.

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Laura Cox (Republican), 19th District: city of Livonia.

Background: Former U.S. Customs special agent; Elected to the Wayne County Commissioners in 2004; Previously volunteered for the Livonia YMCA, St. Edith School and Parish, Ladyhood High School, and Catholic Central; Runs a mentoring program for young women; Elected to the House of Representatives in 2014.

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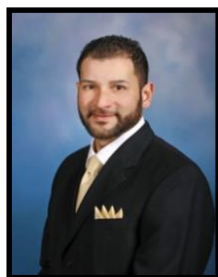


Brandon Dillon (Democrat), Minority Vice-Chair, 75th District: part of Grand Rapids.

Background: Served as Kent County Commissioner; Has fought to ensure all money in the School Aid fund goes to preK-12 education; Committed to building a strong Michigan where all children can reach their full potential; Elected to the House of Representatives in 2010.

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Harvey Santana (Democrat), 9th District: part of the North side of Dearborn and parts of the West side of Detroit.

Background: Served in the U.S. Navy; Served as President of the Warrendale Community Organization and as a drill instructor for at-risk youth. Elected to the House of Representatives in 2010.

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Kristy Pagan (Democrat), 21st District: city of Belleville, and the majority of Canton and Van Buren townships.

Background: Worked in Washington D.C. on child nutrition policy for a nonprofit and then on education policy for U.S. Senator Debbie Stabenow; Serves on the Advisory Council for the Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) program at Canton High School; Elected to the House of Representatives in 2014.

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