

SENATE COMMITTEE MINUTES

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HEARING DATE: 1/21/2026

COMMITTEE: Economic and Workforce Development	
CHAIRMAN: Brown (26)	
DATE REFERRED: 1/8/2026	DATE HEARING REQUESTED: 1/18/2026

STAFF:

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WITNESSES GIVING INFORMATION:

WITNESSES FOR:

Chris Roepe - Nurture KC

Ryan DeBoef - Crosslines Community Outreach/Diaper Bank of the Ozarks

Ward Cook - Happy Bottoms

Arnie Dienoff

WITNESSES AGAINST:

CHAIRMAN