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Jim Pillen, Governor

September 15, 2024

The Honorable Ben Hansen
Members of the Health and Human Services Committee
Nebraska Legislature
P.O. Box 94604
Lincoln, NE 68509

The Honorable Robert Clements
Members of the Appropriations Committee
Nebraska Legislature
P.O. Box 94604
Lincoln, NE 68509

Subject: Medicaid Home and Community-Based Waivers Due to Insufficient Funds

Dear Chairman Hansen and Chairman Clements:

As of August 2024, the Nebraska Registry included 2,848 individuals who are eligible for specialized services. The Registry includes individuals who are served in a variety of ways. Out of the 2,848 on the registry; 521 receive Aged and Disabled (AD) waiver services, 413 receive Developmental Disabilities Adult Day (DDAD) waiver services, 37 receive Family Support (FSW) waiver services, 414 receive Developmental Disabilities (DD) Service Coordination (SC) only, and 2,311 receive Medicaid. These numbers represent a duplicated count where some participants are counted both for waiver or SC-only utilization and Medicaid enrollment.

There are zero total net additional resources necessary to provide services to all eligible individuals under § 83-1216(4) other than subdivision (f) of such subsection. The individuals on the registry are under subdivision (f).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Tony Green".

Tony Green
Director, Division of Developmental Disabilities