

STATE OF MINNESOTA SIXTEENTH MEETING
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES NINETY-SECOND SESSION

EDUCATION POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING
MINUTES

Representative Richardson, Chair of the Education Policy Committee, called the virtual meeting to order at 1:00 PM on March 8, 2021, pursuant to House rule 10.01. The meeting was broadcast via Zoom and House Public Information Services. A quorum was present.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

RICHARDSON, Ruth, Chair
HASSAN, Hodan, Vice-Chair
ERICKSON, Sondra, Lead
BENNETT, Peggy
BERG, Kaela
BOE, Greg
CHRISTENSEN, Shelly
DRAZKOWSKI, Steve
EDELSON, Heather
FEIST, Sandra
FRAZIER, Cedrick
JORDAN, Sydney
KEELER, Heather
MOLLER, Kelly
MUELLER, Patricia
POSTON, John
SCOTT, Peggy
URDAHL, Dean
WAZLAWIK, Ami

Rep. Poston moved that the minutes from March 5, 2021 be approved. THE MINUTES WERE ADOPTED.

Rep. Hassan introduced HF 874 for an informational hearing.

Testifiers:

Alan Page, Retired Minnesota Supreme Court Justice
Neel Kashari, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis

Alene Tchourumoff, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis
Professor Elise Boddie, Education Law Center
Rep. Ron Kresha
Dr. Mary Owen
Nevada Littlewolf
Yusef Mgeni, Vice President, Minnesota and Dakota Area NAACP
Jim Hilbert, Ad Hoc counsel, Minnesota and Dakota Area NAACP
Dr. Bernardeia Johnson
Professor Myron Orfield, Earl R. Larson Professor of Civil Rights and Civil Liberties Law
Sondra Samuels
Michael Duenes, Minneapolis Parent
Mike McFadden
Dennis Draughn, Equity Teacher, Osseo Area Schools
Amy Buchmeyer, Staff Attorney, Home School Legal Defense Association
Dr. Fatima Lawson, Principal, St. Paul Public Schools
Kirk Schneidawind, Executive Director, Minnesota School Boards Association
Dr. Raphael Onyeaghala, Professor, Southwest Minnesota State
Max Taylor
Dr. Anusha Nath, Research Economist, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis
Natalie Christensen
Mariam Adam
Anne Smith
Michael Fisco
Heidi Wilkins
Emily Berkness
Paul and Rebecca Lundy
Idil Abdull

The committee was adjourned at 2:31 PM.