Higher Education Finance & Policy

Representative Gene Pelowski, Chair

Meeting:

Thursday, March 9, 2023 10:30 AM to 12:00 PM 10 State Office Building

Agenda:

- I. Call To Order
- II. Approval of the Minutes from Tuesday, March 7, 2023.
- III. HF1161 (Wolgamott) Public employee definition exclusions modified.

Testifying: Jonathan Bohn, Director of Public Affairs, Inter Faculty Organization

IV. HF1789 (Hicks) Education initiative funding provided to support students who are or were in foster care, and money appropriated.

Testifying: Ariana Guerra, Director of Systems Change, Foster Advocates Shane Read, Foster Leader, Foster Advocates Vivian Dudley, Foster Leader, Foster Advocates

V. HF165 (Coulter) Paramedic scholarship program established, reports required, and money appropriated.

Testifying: Buck McAlpin, Minnesota Ambulance Association Dylan Ferguson, Minnesota State Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board

VI. HF1435 (Vang) College Possible; report required, grant funding provided to support programs of college admission and graduation for low-income students, and money appropriated.

Testifying: Paula Kashtan, Director of Institutional Engagement, College Possible Isaiah Allen, Senior Director of External Relations, College Possible

VII. Adjournment