

STATE OF MINNESOTA SIXTH 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 February 1, 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. Edelson moved that the minutes of January 27, 2021 be approved. THE MINUTES WERE ADOPTED.

The following people testified on the education sections of the Select Committee on Racial Justice Report and Recommendations:

Dr. Bruce Corrie  
Retired Supreme Court Justice Alan Page

Nevada Littlewolf, Executive Director/Campaign Manager for the Page Amendment.  
Dianne Haulcy, Senior Vice President of Family Engagement with Think Small  
Hailey Dickinson, Student and youth advocate  
Citlaly Escobar, Capitol Pathways Intern at Ed Allies and is a student at Augsburg  
Dennis Draughn, Equity Coach, Osseo Area Public Schools  
Shelly Drake, Staff Development Assessment Specialist, Osseo Area Schools  
Idil Abdull, Parent  
Tyanna Bryant, Parent, Parents in Community Action Head Start  
Keziah Ojika, Program Manager of the ConnectZ program at Girl Scouts River Valleys  
LesLee Jackson, *former student Minneapolis Public Schools and University of Minnesota*  
Kathlene Campbell, Ph.D., Dean, University of St. Thomas School of Education  
Dr. Julie Bunn, Executive Director of the Minnesota Council on Economic Education  
Barb Fabre, Indigenous Visioning  
Helen Bassett, school board member, *sent her report*  
Bill Keilty

The committee was adjourned at 2:30 PM.