

EDUCATION POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Representative Ruth Richardson, Chair of the Committee on Education Policy, called the virtual meeting to order at 1:00pm on February 2, 2022 pursuant to House rule 10.01. The meeting was conducted over Zoom and broadcast via House Public Information Services.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

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

A quorum was present.

Representative Moller moved that the minutes from the committee meeting on March 17, 2021, be approved. **THE MOTION PREVAILED.**

The following testified on the Report on Trading Sex and Sexual Exploitation among High School Students:

Lauren Martin, PhD (she/her), Associate Professor, School of Nursing, University of Minnesota
G. Nic Rider, PhD LP (they/them), Assistant Professor, Institute for Sexual and Gender Health, University of Minnesota Medical School
Caroline Palmer, JD, Safe Harbor Director, Minnesota Department of Health
Anne LaFrinier-Richie, Regional Navigator for West Central Minnesota, Safe Harbor
Megan Lundborg, Youthworks, Survivor Leader Advisor
Gloria Perez, President & CEO, Women's Foundation of Minnesota

The meeting adjourned at 2:28pm.

Representative Ruth Richardson, Chair

Isabel Rolfes, Committee Legislative Assistant