

STATE OF MINNESOTA ELEVENTH 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 22, 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.

Rep. Mueller moved that the minutes from February 17, 2021 be approved. THE MINUTES WERE ADOPTED.

The following people gave a presentation on FFA:

Commissioner Thom Petersen, Department of Agriculture  
Sarah Kuschel, Regional Specialist, Minnesota Agriculture in the Classroom  
Sarah Dornink, Executive Director, Minnesota Agriculture Education Leadership Council  
Keith Olander, Executive Director, AgCentric

Rep. Urdahl moved that HF 562 be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

Rep. Urdahl presented HF 562.

Testifiers:

Darrin Anderson, Litchfield School Board Chair

Judge Michael Thompson, 8<sup>th</sup> Judicial District

Lisa Larson, Minnesota League of Women Voters

Justin Wittrock, Litchfield High School teacher

Chair Richardson laid over HF 562 for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

The committee was adjourned at 2:25 PM.