

**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 16, 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, 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

A quorum was present.

Representative Erickson moved the minutes from the committee meeting on February 14, 2022, be approved. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Representative Moller moved HF1083 be referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Representative Moller moved Amendment H1083DE1. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

The following testified on HF1083, as amended:

Amy Jones, Educational Consultant, Member of MN State Advisory Council on Mental Health  
Al Levin, Assistant Principal, St Paul Public Schools, Member of MN Advisory Committee for Mental Health  
Sarah Washington, Parent Advocate, Minneapolis Public Schools, Community Member of District Mental Health Team  
Kari D'averill, School Nurse, South Education Center, Intermediate District 287  
Kristin Daniels, Founder and CEO, CatapultEd  
Matthew Coy, Wyatt's Dad, Parent Advocate  
Katie Pikel, Principal in Residence, University of Minnesota  
Jollie Holland, Legislative Chair, School Nurse Organization of Minnesota (SNOM)

Representative Moller renewed the motion to refer HF1083, as amended, to the Committee on Education Finance.

The clerk took the roll.

AYES

RUTH, Richardson, Chair  
HASSAN, Hodan, Vice Chair  
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NAYS

BENNETT, Peggy  
BOE, Greg  
DRAZKOWSKI, Steve  
SCOTT, Peggy

ABSTAINS

ERICKSON, Sondra, Republican Lead  
MUELLER, Patricia

With a vote of 13 AYES, 4 NAYS and 2 ABSTAINS. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

The following testified on school violence:

Sandra Lewandowski, Superintendent, Intermediate District 287  
Radius Guess, Director of Equity and Inclusion, Intermediate District 287  
Theon Jarrett, Student and Staff Safety Manager, Intermediate District 28

The meeting was adjourned at 2:30pm.

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Representative Ruth Richardson, Chair

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Isabel Rolfes, Committee Legislative Assistant