



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON SCHOOL AID AND DEPARTMENT OF
EDUCATION
REP. BRAD PAQUETTE
CHAIR

COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, March 10, 2022 10:30 AM Room 521, House Office Building

The House Appropriations Subcommittee on School Aid and Department of Education was called to order by Chair Paquette.

The Chair requested attendance be called:

Present: Reps. Paquette, Glenn, Brann, Hornberger, VanSingel, Beson, Green, Weiss, Hood, O'Neal, Thanedar.

Absent: None.

Excused: None.

Representative Beson moved to adopt the meeting minutes from February 24, 2022. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Diane Rodolpho, teacher at Gerald R. Ford Academic Center, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on teacher retention. Questions and discussion followed.

Dominic Biolchini, teacher at Kent Hills Elementary, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on teacher retention. Questions and discussion followed.

Craig Christensen, teacher at Whitehall Public Schools, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on teacher retention. Questions and discussion followed.

Danielle Groendyk, teacher at Oakridge Public Schools, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on teacher retention. Questions and discussion followed.

Luke Wilcox, teacher at Kentwood Public Schools, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on teacher retention. Questions and discussion followed.

Leah Porter, teacher at Holt Public Schools, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on teacher retention. Questions and discussion followed.

Demetrius Shields, teacher at Detroit Public Schools Community District, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on teacher retention. Questions and discussion followed.

Zeinab Chami, teacher at Dearborn Public Schools, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on teacher retention. Questions and discussion followed.

Misti Ryan, teacher at Lakeshore Schools, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on teacher retention. Questions and discussion followed.

There being no further business before the subcommittee, Chair Paquette adjourned the meeting at 11:49 AM.

Representative Brad Paquette, Chair

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