



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION AND
COMMUNITY COLLEGES
REP. BEN FREDERICK
CHAIR

COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, March 3, 2022 9:00 AM Room 521, House Office Building

The House Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education and Community Colleges was called to order by Chair Frederick.

Clerk read the House Appropriations Subcommittee on Higher Education and Community Colleges appointments and changes letters from the Speaker of the House.

The Chair requested attendance be called:

Present: Reps. Frederick, Steven Johnson, Brann, Green, Slagh, Steckloff, Brabec.

Absent: None.

Excused: None.

Representative Brann moved to adopt the meeting minutes from April 22, 2021. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Perry Zielak, Senior Fiscal Analyst, House Fiscal Agency, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on the performance formulas for Higher Education and Community Colleges. Questions and discussion followed.

Pete Karsten, Campus President, Voula Erfourth, Campus Director, Baker College Owosso, and Colby Cesaro, Michigan Independent Colleges and Universities, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on financial aid and student persistence. Questions and discussion followed.

David Eisler, President, Shelly VandePanne, Director of Student Academic Affairs, and Hanna Pollard, student, Ferris State University, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on financial aid and student persistence around the Tuition Incentive Program. Questions and discussion followed.

Dawn Aubry, VP for Enrollment Management, and Nancy Fetzer, Interim Director of Financial Aid, Oakland University, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on financial aid and student persistence. Questions and discussion followed.

There being no further business before the subcommittee, Chair Frederick adjourned the meeting at 10:30 AM.

Representative Ben Frederick, Chair

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