



Senate Higher Education Finance & Policy Committee

Thursday, March 3, 2022

1:00 pm to 2:30 pm

Room G-3 Capitol Building

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Agenda

I. Call to Order

II. S.F. 3229 (Coleman): Alternative teacher preparation program grant eligibility modification and appropriation.

- Kelly Dietrich Indigo Education

III. S.F. 2856 (Rarick): State grant eligibility requirement expansion for institutions.

- Patrick Baker, Government Relations Director - Western Governors University
- Dr. Angie Besendorfer, Regional Vice-President - Western Governors University
- Stephanie Struzyk, Student - Western Governors University
- Katherine Sexton, Student - Western Governors University

IV. S.F. 2894 (Tomassoni): State grant program student responsibility assignment decrease and appropriation increase.

- Paul Cerkvénik, President - Minnesota Private College Council
- Barbara McDonald, President - The College of St. Scholastica
- Stephanie Young, student - Winona State University
- Davaris Cheeks, student - Concordia University, St. Paul
- Ilhan Ahmed, student - Augsburg University

V. Adjournment

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