



Minnesota Education Finance Committee

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8:30 a.m.

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Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. S.F 56 Student support personnel aid establishment and appropriation – Hoffman.
 - i. Testifiers
 1. **Kathy Kimani**, Director of Student Support, St. Paul Schools (virtual)
 2. **Keela Kuhlert**, Vice President- Elementary, MSCA Government Relations Committee, Elementary School Counselor in St. Paul (In-person)
 3. **Taherah Shamsulbahri-Cobb**, School Psychologist, Minneapolis Public Schools (In-person)
 - b. S.F. 50 School district requirement and appropriation to provide access to menstrual products for students – Cwodzinski.
 - i. Testifiers
 1. **Elif Ozturk**, Junior, Hopkins High School
 2. **Tori Robarge**, graduate of Eagan High School
 3. **Evelyn Gore**, graduate of Eagan High School
 4. **Maarit Mattson**, Student, Mankato East High School (*remote)
 5. **Driana, Alexis, and Chloe**, Girl Scouts Troop #34640- will testify together.
 6. **Addison and Ellie**, Girl Scouts Troop #27238 - will testify together.
3. Adjournment

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