HB 2054 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

House Committee On Early Childhood

Action Date: 03/08/21

Action: Do pass and rescind subsequent referral to Ways and Means.

Vote: 8-0-0-0

Yeas: 8 - Lively, Neron, Power, Reynolds, Schouten, Weber, Wright, Zika

Fiscal: No fiscal impact **Revenue:** No revenue impact

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Meeting Dates: 2/1, 3/8

WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Modifies criteria for grants under the Early Learning Kindergarten Readiness Partnership and Innovation Program. Modifies recipients of grants under the Program, limiting grant recipients to Early Learning Hubs.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

• Structure and purpose of Program

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

The Early Learning Kindergarten Readiness Partnership and Innovation Program was established in 2013 with the passage of House Bill 2013.

House Bill 2054 modifies the eligible grant recipients and allowable uses for the grant funds.

Carrier: Rep. Reynolds