

## JOINT COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC EDUCATION APPROPRIATION

November 19, 2025  
08:30 AM

Hearing Room D

### MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Janeen Sollman, Co-Chair  
Sen. Lew Frederick  
Sen. Suzanne Weber

Rep. Ricki Ruiz, Co-Chair  
Rep. Emily McIntire  
Rep. Susan McLain

### STAFF PRESENT:

Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst  
William Best, Committee Assistant

### EXHIBITS:

Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

### MEASURES/ISSUES:

Presentation of Draft Report – Informational Meeting  
Adoption of Draft Report – Work Session

00:00:01 Meeting Called to Order  
00:00:02 Co-Chair Sollman

00:00:26 Presentation of Draft Report - Informational Meeting  
00:00:27 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:01:04 Wendy Gibson, Principal Legislative Analyst, Office of Legislative Fiscal  
00:01:10 Lisa Gezelter, Principal Legislative Analyst, Office of Legislative Policy  
Research  
00:30:28 Rep. McLain  
00:40:05 Rep. McIntire  
00:42:16 Sen. Frederick  
00:44:40 Sen. Weber  
00:50:58 Co-Chair Ruiz  
00:59:03 MOTION: CO-CHAIR RUIZ MOVES TO ADOPT THE DRAFT REPORT

00:59:10 Adoption of Draft Report - Work Session  
00:59:11 Co-Chair Sollman  
00:59:20 MOTION: CO-CHAIR RUIZ MOVES TO ADOPT THE DRAFT REPORT  
00:59:50 Co-Chair Ruiz  
01:00:45 Sen. Weber  
01:01:00 VOTE: 6-0-0  
AYE: SENS. FREDERICK, WEBER, SOLLMAN; REPS. MCINTIRE,  
MCLAIN, RUIZ  
01:02:10 Lisa Gezelter, LPRO Analyst  
01:07:23 Meeting Adjourned