



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

**COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

Thursday, March 10, 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.

The Chair requested attendance be called:

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

Absent: None.

Excused: None.

Representative Frederick moved to adopt the meeting minutes from March 3, 2022. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Brandy Johnson, President, Michigan Community College Association, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on the impact of the Michigan Reconnect Program on community colleges and adult learners. Questions and discussion followed.

Don MacMaster, President, Alpena Community College, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on the impact of the Michigan Reconnect Program on Alpena Community Community. Questions and discussion followed.

Tim Hood, President, and Scott Mertes, Vice President of Academic Affairs and Community Outreach, Mid Michigan College, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on the impact of the Michigan Reconnect Program on Mid Michigan College and adult learners. Questions and discussion followed.

Stacy Young, President, and Allison Horner, alumus, Montcalm Community College, gave a presentation to the subcommittee on the impact of the Michigan Reconnect Program on Montcalm Community College and adult learners. Questions and discussion followed.

There being no further business before the subcommittee, Chair Frederick adjourned the meeting at 10:26 AM.

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Representative Ben Frederick, Chair

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