

**House Higher Education Committee**  
**May 12, 2020 – Minutes**  
*Statehouse Room 116*

Chairwoman Candice Keller called the meeting of the House Higher Education Committee to order at 3:00 PM on May 12, 2020. The roll was called; a quorum was present. Recognizing a quorum, Chairwoman Keller asked the committee to review the minutes from the previous meeting on December 10, 2019 and the minutes were approved.

Chairwoman Keller called amended HB 371 for its fourth hearing. No testimonies were presented to the committee. Chairwoman Keller called upon Vice Chairman Craig Riedel for the purpose of a motion. Vice Chairman Riedel moved that amended HB 371 be favorably reported out of committee. The bill was favorably reported with 13 affirmative votes and 0 negative votes. Seeing no further business, that concluded the fourth hearing on amended HB 371.

Chairwoman Keller called HB 404 for its fourth hearing. No testimonies were presented to the committee. Chairwoman Keller called upon Vice Chairman Riedel for the purpose of a motion. Vice Chairman Riedel moved that HB 404 be favorably reported out of committee. The bill was favorably reported with 13 affirmative votes and 0 negative votes. Seeing no further business, that concluded the fourth hearing on HB 404.

Chairwoman Keller called SB 181 for its first hearing. State Senator Bill Coley gave sponsor testimony. Seeing no further business, that concluded the first hearing on SB 181.

Chairwoman Keller called HB 603 for its first hearings. State Representatives Mary Lightbody and Catherine Ingram gave sponsor testimonies. Seeing no further business, that concluded the first hearing on HB 603.

With no further business before the committee, the House Higher Education Committee adjourned at 4:25 PM.

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Chairman

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Secretary