

MINUTES
HOUSE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

DATE: Thursday, January 22, 2026

TIME: 9:00 A.M.

PLACE: Room EW41

MEMBERS: Chairman Hawkins, Vice Chairman Handy, Representatives Mendive, Ehardt, Wisniewski, Garner, Nelsen, Sauter, Marmon, Pickett, Hostetler, Veile, Mathias, Galaviz

**ABSENT/
EXCUSED:** Rep. Pickett

GUESTS: The sign-in sheet will be retained in the committee secretary's office; following the end of session the sign-in sheet will be filed with the minutes in the Legislative Library.

Chairman Hawkins called the meeting to order at 9:00 am.

MOTION: **Rep. Mathias** made a motion to approve the minutes of January 14, 2026. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

RS 33033: **Rep. Mathias** presented **RS 33033**, proposed legislation regarding harassment, intimidation, and bullying.

MOTION: **Rep. Galaviz** made a motion to introduce **RS 33033**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

Chairman Hawkins turned the gavel over to **Vice Chairman Handy**.

RS 32917: **Rep. Hawkins** presented **RS 32917**, proposed legislation regarding sexual orientation instruction.

MOTION: **Rep. Marmon** made a motion to introduce **RS 32917**. **Motion carried by voice vote.**

Vice Chairman Handy turned the gavel over to **Chairman Hawkins**.

ADJOURN: There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 9:12 am.

Representative Hawkins
Chair

Amy Bengtzen
Secretary