

House Committee

COMMITTEE MINUTES for HIGHER EDUCATION

Date: *January 14, 2026*

Location: *RM 19*

Convened: *1:00 PM*

Adjourned: *2:00 PM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Collins-CH, Shipley-VC, Brown-Powers-RM, Holt, Hora, Jacoby, Matson, Stone, Wheeler, Wilburn, Wills, J.

Absent:

Excused:

Committee meeting is called to order at 1:00 P.M.

All representatives are present.

Representative Collins assigned the following bills:

[HSB 530](#) (CH. Wills, Hora, Brown-Powers)

[HSB 531](#) (CH. Collins, Hora, Jacoby)

[HSB 532](#) (CH. Wills, Holt, Wilburn)

[HSB 533](#) (CH. Collins, Wills, Brown-Powers)

[HSB 534](#) (CH. Collins, Hora, Matson)

[HSB 535](#) (CH. Wheeler, Stone, Wilburn)

[HSB 536](#) (CH. Wheeler, Stone, Brown-Powers)

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[HSB 538](#) (CH. Collins, Shipley, Matson)

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[HSB 541](#) (CH. Collins, Wills, Matson)

[HSB 542](#) (CH. Stone, Wheeler, Wilburn)

[HSB 543](#) (CH. Collins, Holt, Matson)

[HSB 544](#) (CH. Collins, Hora, Brown-Powers)

[HSB 545](#) (CH. Hora, Shipley, Wilburn)

[HSB 546](#) (CH. Holt, Hora, Wilburn)

[HSB 547](#) (CH. Shipley, Wills, Jacoby)

[HSB 548](#) (CH. Stone, Hora, Jacoby)

[HSB 549](#) (CH. Collins, Hora, Jacoby)

[HSB 550](#) (CH. Wills, Shipley, Wilburn)

Representative Collins introduced the following guest committee speakers:

Emily Shields, Executive Director of Community Colleges for Iowa

Jesse Ulrich, President, Iowa Central Community College
Bryan Renfro, Chancellor, Eastern Iowa Community Colleges

Dan Kinney, President, Iowa Western Community College
Other

Questions were asked by the committee members.

Answers were provided by guest speakers.

Representative Shipley moves to adjourn.

Meeting adjourned at 1:57 p.m.

Representative Taylor R. Collins

Henry Rose, Committee Secretary