

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Education

Assembly Bill 721

Relating to: the number of independent charter schools authorized by the College of Menominee Nation or the Lac Courte Oreilles Ojibwa Community College.

By Representatives Steffen, Dittrich, Allen, Murphy, Edming, Kuglitsch, Mursau, Thiesfeldt and Tusler; cosponsored by Senators Kooyenga, Darling and Bernier.

November 19, 2021 Referred to Committee on Education

December 14, 2021 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (13) Representative Thiesfeldt; Representatives Kitchens, Wittke, Ramthun, Wichgers, Mursau, Duchow, Rozar, Behnke, Penterman, Pope, Hebl and Considine.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (2) Representatives Vruwink and L. Myers.

Appearances For

- Rep. Steffen
- Nick Bures - Sen. Kooyenga
- James Schlender - La Courte Oreilles
- Kristina Vourax - Lake Country Classical Academy
- Joe Strohl - Menominee Tribe

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- None.

Registrations Against

- Jack O'Meara - WEAC

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

January 18, 2022

Executive Session Held

Present: (13) Representative Thiesfeldt; Representatives Kitchens, Wittke, Ramthun, Mursau, Duchow, Rozar, Behnke, Penterman, Pope, Considine, Vruwink and L. Myers.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (2) Representatives Wichgers and Hebl.

Moved by Representative Behnke, seconded by Representative Wittke that **Assembly Bill 721** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (9) Representative Thiesfeldt; Representatives Kitchens, Wittke, Ramthun, Mursau, Duchow, Rozar, Behnke and Penterman.

Noes: (4) Representatives Pope, Considine, Vruwink and L. Myers.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 9, Noes 4

Katie Scott
Committee Clerk