

MINUTES  
**HOUSE EDUCATION COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Monday, January 29, 2024

**TIME:** 9:00 A.M.

**PLACE:** Room EW41

**MEMBERS:** Chairman Yamamoto, Vice Chairman McCann, Representative(s) Boyle, Clow, Mendive, Ehardt, Wisniewski, Garner, Hawkins, Hill, Lanting, Nelsen, Price, Sauter, Berch, Galaviz, Mathias

**ABSENT/  
EXCUSED:** Reps. Boyle, McCann

**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.

**Chair Yamamoto** called the meeting to order at 9:00 am.

**Dr. Linda Clark**, President, Idaho State Board of Education, introduced the newly appointed President of Idaho State University, **Dr. Robert Wagoner**. Dr. Wagoner spoke about recruitment, student retention and innovative ways to provide student success. He said ISU will continue to be a student-centric University while sustaining the needs of Idaho.

**Chair Yamamoto** put the committee at ease for one minute.

**Dr. Matthew May**, Survey Research Director, School of Public Service, Boise State University (BSU), and **Lantz McGinnis-Brown**, Research Associate, Idaho Policy Institute, BSU, delivered the annual Idaho Public Policy Survey results. Topics included in the 2023 survey were Policy Preferences, Education, Growth and Housing, and Elections.

**ADJOURN:** There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 10:11 am.

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Representative Yamamoto  
Chair

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Amy Bengtzen  
Secretary