

Louisiana Department of Education (LDOE)

## Accountability Commission

Monday, February 1, 2021

Minutes – Unofficial

The February 1, 2021 meeting of the Accountability Commission was called to order at 1:02 P.M. Members present were: Ms. Angela Beck, Dr. Karl Carpenter, Mr. Larry Carter, Dr. Susannah Craig, Mr. Joseph David, Dr. Patty Glaser, Dr. Kelli Joseph, Dr. Tia Mills, Mr. Chad Nugent, Ms. Carol Price, Ms. Joni Smith, Ms. Judy Vail, Ms. Lee Ann Wall, Ms. Roxane West, and Ms. Serena White.

Ms. Connie Bradford, Ms. Kimberlee Gazzolo, Ms. Norisha Kirts, and Ms. Brigitte Nieland were absent.

Representing the Louisiana Department of Education was Ken Bradford, Dr. Cade Brumley, Dr. Jenna Chiasson, Kathy Noel and Andrew Shachat.

Public comment was received from Tommy Byler, Jean May Brett, Cynthia Costello, Heather Cushman, Jason Dupuy, Mia Edwards, Cary Koch, Jeremy Langston, Kate Mehok, Sharon Preen, Karen Ray, Debbie Schum, and Gregory Theriot.

The meeting was called to order by Dr. Patty Glaser.

Dr. Glaser requested a motion to approve the minutes of the November 16, 2020 Accountability Commission meeting. The Commission's response was as follows:

- 1 On motion of Dr. Carpenter, and seconded by Dr. Joseph, the Accountability Commission approved the minutes of the November 16, 2020 meeting of the Accountability Commission.

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Kathy Noel provided a report on K-2 accountability.

- 2 On motion of Dr. Mills, and seconded by Ms. Beck, the Accountability Commission received an update report on K-2 accountability

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Andrew Shachat provided a report on the ACT and WorkKeys assessments.

- 3 On motion of Dr. Carpenter, and seconded by Ms. Smith, the Accountability Commission received the report on the ACT and WorkKeys assessments.

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Ken Bradford provided an update on Jump Start and TOPS University Associate Degree Opportunities.

- 4 On motion of Dr. Craig, and seconded by Dr. Carpenter, the Accountability Commission received the update on Jump Start and TOPS University Associate Degree Opportunities.

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Andrew Shachat provided an update on student growth.

- 5 On motion of Ms. Beck, and seconded by Ms. White, the Accountability Commission received the update on student growth and recommended that the LDE continue to investigate adjustments to the growth formula in the accountability system.

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- 6 With no further business to come before the Accountability Commission, the February 1, 2021 meeting of the Accountability Commission was adjourned at 4:00 P.M.