DRAFT Minutes of Prekindergarten-16 Council meeting

Date: November 16, 2015, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM, Ethan Allen Room

Members in Attendance

Scott Giles, Vermont Student Assistance Corporation, Chair

Heather Bouchey, Vermont Agency of Education (for Rebecca Holcombe)

Senator Brian Campion

Tricia Coates, Vermont State Colleges

Lynn Coale, Vermont Association of Career and Technical Education Directors

Jeff Francis, Vermont Superintendents Association

Cynthia Greene, Building Bright Futures

Karen Heath, Vermont National Education Association

Michele Kupersmith, Vermont Department of Labor

Holly Morehouse, Vermont Afterschool, Inc.

Dawn Moskowitz, Voices for Vermont's Children

Lisa Ventriss, Vermont Business Roundtable

Members Absent

Representative Kevin "Coach" Christie

Wendy Koenig, University of Vermont

Justin Johnson, Agency of Administration

Jeff Maher, Vermont Principals Association

Andrew Myrick, Vermont State Colleges, FFAFT-VT

Susan Stitely, Association of Vermont Independent Colleges

Also in Attendance:

Clare Buckley, KSE Partners

Ginny Burley, Vermont Afterschool, Inc.

Sabina Haskell, VSAC

Rebecca Holcombe, Agency of Education

Janet McLaughlin, Vermont Community Foundation

Samantha Montgomery, AFT-VT

Barbara Russ, Vermont Afterschool. Inc.

Karen Scott, Vermont Afterschool, Inc.

Amy Shollenberger, Vermont Afterschool, Inc., AFT-VT

Sarah Teel, Vermont Afterschool, Inc.

Cassie Willner, Vermont Afterschool, Inc.

Jonathan Wolff, Primmer Piper Eggleston and Cramer

Marjorie Zunder, Vermont Legislative Council

Topics Discussed

- Approval of minutes with addition of "certificates of value" to Lumina update
- Expanded Learning Opportunities (ELO) Special Fund presented by Holly

Morehouse, Vermont Afterschool, Inc., with comments from Rebecca Holcombe, Agency of Education

• Higher Education Subcommittee update on summer study of performance-based funding for higher education – presented by Scott Giles. Follow up to be undertaken with the House and Senate Education Committees.

Motions

It was moved and seconded that the Council accept the Expanded Learning Opportunities (ELO) Special Fund report and forward it to the Secretary of the Agency of Education.

Votes

The motion carried with one abstention.

Minutes prepared by Marjorie Zunder, Legislative Counsel