

February 3, 2022

Chair Teresa Alonso Leon  
Vice-Chair Courtney Neron  
Vice-Chair Suzanne Weber  
Members of the House Education Committee

**Support House Bill 4099 – Support and Center Diverse Youth Voices**

Dear Chair Alonso Leon, Vice-Chair Neron, Vice-Chair Weber and members of the House Education Committee,

Diverse youth voices should be meaningfully involved in the creation and implementation of the policies and practices that impact their lives. By creating a Racial Equity and Justice Youth Collaborative, we can ensure youth voices are being heard at the state level. **Stand for Children is proud to support this bill and encourages a YES vote.**

Thank you,

Toya Fick

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