

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Journal of the House

NINETY-THIRD SESSION — 2023

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY

SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2023

The House of Representatives convened at 3:30 p.m. and was called to order by Melissa Hortman, Speaker of the House.

Prayer was offered by Imam Asad Zaman, Muslim American Society of Minnesota, Saint Paul, Minnesota.

The members of the House gave the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

The roll was called and the following members were present:

Acomb	Daudt	Harder	Knudsen	Nelson, N.	Robbins
Agbaje	Davis	Hassan	Koegel	Neu Brindley	Schomacker
Altendorf	Demuth	Heintzeman	Kotyza-Witthuhn	Newton	Schultz
Anderson, P. E.	Dotseth	Hemmingsen-Jaeger	Kozlowski	Niska	Scott
Anderson, P. H.	Edelson	Her	Koznick	Noor	Sencer-Mura
Backer	Elkins	Hicks	Kraft	Norris	Skraba
Bahner	Engen	Hill	Kresha	Novotny	Smith
Bakeberg	Feist	Hollins	Lee, F.	O'Driscoll	Stephenson
Baker	Finke	Hornstein	Lee, K.	Olson, B.	Swedzinski
Becker-Finn	Fischer	Howard	Liebling	Olson, L.	Tabke
Bennett	Fogelman	Hudella	Lillie	O'Neill	Torkelson
Berg	Franson	Hudson	Lislegard	Pelowski	Urdahl
Bierman	Frazier	Huot	Long	Pérez-Vega	Vang
Bliss	Frederick	Hussein	McDonald	Perryman	West
Brand	Freiberg	Igo	Mekeland	Petersburg	Wiener
Burkel	Garofalo	Jacob	Moller	Pfarr	Wiens
Carroll	Gillman	Johnson	Mueller	Pinto	Witte
Cha	Gomez	Jordan	Murphy	Pryor	Wolgamott
Clardy	Greenman	Joy	Myers	Pursell	Xiong
Coulter	Grossell	Keeler	Nadeau	Quam	Youakim
Curran	Hansen, R.	Kiel	Nash	Rehm	Zelevnikar
Daniels	Hanson, J.	Klevorn	Nelson, M.	Reyer	Spk. Hortman

A quorum was present.

Dauids and Richardson were excused.

The Chief Clerk proceeded to read the Journal of the preceding day. There being no objection, further reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal was approved as corrected by the Chief Clerk.

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PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were received:

STATE OF MINNESOTA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
SAINT PAUL 55155

February 21, 2023

The Honorable Melissa Hortman
Speaker of the House of Representatives
The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Hortman:

Please be advised that I have received, approved, signed, and deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State the following House Files:

H. F. No. 50, relating to state lands; modifying requirements for conveying easements and leasing state lands; adding to and deleting from state forests; adding to state parks; authorizing sales and conveyances of certain land.

H. F. No. 35, relating to state government; requiring the state forecast include the rate of inflation.

Sincerely,

TIM WALZ
Governor

STATE OF MINNESOTA
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
ST. PAUL 55155

The Honorable Melissa Hortman
Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Bobby Joe Champion
President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Acts of the 2023 Session of the State Legislature have been received from the Office of the Governor and are deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

<i>S. F. No.</i>	<i>H. F. No.</i>	<i>Session Laws Chapter No.</i>	<i>Time and Date Approved 2023</i>	<i>Date Filed 2023</i>
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1:32 p.m. February 21

February 21

Sincerely,

STEVE SIMON
Secretary of State**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND DIVISIONS**

Moller from the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 3, A bill for an act relating to elections; modifying provisions related to voter registration; absentee voting; requiring voting instructions and sample ballots to be multilingual and interpreters to be provided in certain situations; regulating intimidation, deceptive practices, and interference with voter registration and voting; campaign finance; expanding the definition of express advocacy; providing penalties; requiring reports; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 10A.01, subdivision 16a; 10A.27, subdivision 11; 13.607, by adding a subdivision; 171.06, subdivision 3; 201.054, subdivisions 1, 2; 201.061, by adding a subdivision; 201.071, subdivision 1; 201.091, subdivision 4; 201.161; 201.162; 203B.04, subdivisions 1, 5; 203B.06, subdivisions 1, 3; 203B.12, by adding subdivisions; 203B.121, subdivision 2; 211B.15, subdivisions 1, 7b, by adding subdivisions; 211B.32, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 204B; 211B.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Human Services Finance.

The report was adopted.

Liebling from the Committee on Health Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 100, A bill for an act relating to cannabis; establishing the Office of Cannabis Management; establishing advisory councils; requiring reports relating to cannabis use and sales; legalizing and limiting the possession and use of cannabis by adults; providing for the licensing, inspection, and regulation of cannabis businesses; requiring testing of cannabis flower and cannabinoid products; requiring labeling of cannabis flower and cannabinoid products; limiting the advertisement of cannabis flower, cannabinoid products, and cannabis businesses; providing for the cultivation of cannabis in private residences; transferring regulatory authority for the medical cannabis program; taxing the sale of adult-use cannabis; establishing grant and loan programs; clarifying the prohibition on operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of cannabis; amending criminal penalties; establishing expungement procedures for certain individuals; requiring reports on expungements; providing for expungement of certain evictions; clarifying the rights of landlords and tenants regarding use of certain forms of cannabis; establishing labor standards for the use of cannabis by employees and testing of employees; providing for the temporary regulation of certain edible cannabinoid products; providing for professional licensing protections; providing for local registration of certain cannabis retail establishments; amending the scheduling of marijuana and tetrahydrocannabinols; classifying data; making miscellaneous cannabis-related changes and additions; making clarifying and technical changes; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 13.411, by adding a subdivision; 13.871, by adding a subdivision; 34A.01, subdivision 4; 144.99, subdivision 1; 144A.4791, subdivision 14; 151.72; 152.01, by adding subdivisions; 152.02, subdivisions 2, 4; 152.021, subdivisions 1, 2; 152.022, subdivisions 1, 2; 152.023, subdivisions 1, 2; 152.024, subdivision 1; 152.025, subdivisions 1, 2; 152.11, subdivision 2; 169A.03, by adding subdivisions; 169A.20, subdivision 1; 169A.51, subdivisions 1, 4; 169A.72; 175.45, subdivision 1; 181.938, subdivision 2; 181.950, subdivisions 2, 4, 5, 8, 13, by adding a subdivision;

181.951, by adding subdivisions; 181.952, by adding a subdivision; 181.953; 181.954; 181.955; 181.957, subdivision 1; 244.05, subdivision 2; 245C.08, subdivision 1; 256.01, subdivision 18c; 256B.0625, subdivision 13d; 256D.024, subdivisions 1, 3; 256J.26, subdivisions 1, 3; 273.13, subdivision 24; 275.025, subdivision 2; 290.0132, subdivision 29; 290.0134, subdivision 19; 297A.61, subdivision 3; 297A.67, subdivisions 2, 7; 297A.70, subdivisions 2, 18; 297A.99, by adding a subdivision; 297D.01; 297D.04; 297D.06; 297D.07; 297D.08; 297D.085; 297D.09, subdivision 1a; 297D.10; 297D.11; 340A.412, subdivision 14; 484.014, subdivision 3; 504B.171, subdivision 1; 609.135, subdivision 1; 609.2112, subdivision 1; 609.2113, subdivisions 1, 2, 3; 609.2114, subdivisions 1, 2; 609.5311, subdivision 1; 609.5314, subdivision 1; 609.5316, subdivision 2; 609A.01; 609A.03, subdivisions 5, 9; 609B.425, subdivision 2; 609B.435, subdivision 2; 624.712, by adding subdivisions; 624.713, subdivision 1; 624.714, subdivision 6; 624.7142, subdivision 1; 624.7151; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 3; 116J; 116L; 120B; 144; 152; 169A; 289A; 295; 340A; 504B; 609A; 624; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 342; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 151.72; 152.027, subdivisions 3, 4; 152.21; 152.22, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 5a, 5b, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14; 152.23; 152.24; 152.25, subdivisions 1, 1a, 1b, 1c, 2, 3, 4; 152.26; 152.261; 152.27, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7; 152.28, subdivisions 1, 2, 3; 152.29, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 3a, 4; 152.30; 152.31; 152.32, subdivisions 1, 2, 3; 152.33, subdivisions 1, 1a, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6; 152.34; 152.35; 152.36, subdivisions 1, 1a, 2, 3, 4, 5; 152.37; Minnesota Rules, parts 4770.0100; 4770.0200; 4770.0300; 4770.0400; 4770.0500; 4770.0600; 4770.0800; 4770.0900; 4770.1000; 4770.1100; 4770.1200; 4770.1300; 4770.1400; 4770.1460; 4770.1500; 4770.1600; 4770.1700; 4770.1800; 4770.1900; 4770.2000; 4770.2100; 4770.2200; 4770.2300; 4770.2400; 4770.2700; 4770.2800; 4770.4000; 4770.4002; 4770.4003; 4770.4004; 4770.4005; 4770.4007; 4770.4008; 4770.4009; 4770.4010; 4770.4012; 4770.4013; 4770.4014; 4770.4015; 4770.4016; 4770.4017; 4770.4018; 4770.4030.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy.

The report was adopted.

Youakim from the Committee on Education Finance to which was referred:

H. F. No. 112, A bill for an act relating to education; delaying review of physical education standards; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 120B.021, subdivision 4.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The report was adopted.

Becker-Finn from the Committee on Judiciary Finance and Civil Law to which was referred:

H. F. No. 146, A bill for an act relating to children; preventing the use of subpoenas to gather information for out-of-state laws interfering in the use of gender-affirming health care; amending child custody and child welfare provisions related to out-of-state laws interfering in the use of gender-affirming health care; amending provisions related to warrants, arrests, and extraditions related to out-of-state laws on gender-affirming health care; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 518D.201; 518D.204; 518D.207; 629.02; 629.05; 629.06; 629.13; 629.14; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 260; 543.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 1, line 15, delete "548.415" and insert "543.23"

Page 2, line 23, delete "548.415" and insert "543.23"

Page 3, line 4, delete "548.415" and insert "543.23"

Page 5, line 4, delete "548.415" and insert "543.23"

Page 6, line 12, delete "548.415" and insert "543.23"

Page 6, line 28, delete "548.415" and insert "543.23"

Page 7, line 13, delete "548.415" and insert "543.23"

Page 7, line 20, delete "548.415" and insert "543.23"

Page 8, line 11, delete "548.415" and insert "543.23"

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Stephenson from the Committee on Commerce Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 156, A bill for an act relating to housing; manufactured homes; amending provisions related to utility billing practices in manufactured home parks; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 327C.015, subdivisions 17, 18, by adding subdivisions; 327C.04, subdivisions 1, 2, by adding subdivisions; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 327C.04, subdivisions 3, 4.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 103G.291, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **Demand reduction measures.** (a) For the purposes of this section, "demand reduction measures" means measures that reduce water demand, water losses, peak water demands, and nonessential water uses. Demand reduction measures must include a conservation rate structure, or a uniform rate structure with a conservation program that achieves demand reduction. A "conservation rate structure" means a rate structure that encourages conservation and may include increasing block rates, seasonal rates, time of use rates, individualized goal rates, or excess use rates. If a conservation rate is applied to multifamily dwellings or a manufactured home park, as defined in section 327C.015, subdivision 8, the rate structure must consider each residential unit as an individual user.

(b) To encourage conservation, a public water supplier serving more than 1,000 people must implement demand reduction measures by January 1, 2015.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective August 1, 2024, and applies to a billing period that begins on or after that date.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 327C.015, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 3a. **Commodity rate.** "Commodity rate" means the per-unit price for utility service that varies directly with the volume of a resident's consumption of utility service and that is established or approved by the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission or a municipal public utilities commission, an electric cooperative association, or a municipality and charged to a user of the service.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 327C.015, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 11a. **Public utility.** "Public utility" has the meaning given in section 216B.02, subdivision 4.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 327C.015, subdivision 17, is amended to read:

Subd. 17. **Substantial modification.** "Substantial modification" means any change in a rule which: (a) significantly diminishes or eliminates any material obligation of the park owner; (b) significantly diminishes or eliminates any material right, privilege or freedom of action of a resident; or (c) involves a significant new expense for a resident. The installation of water meters and the subsequent metering of and billing for water service is not a substantial modification of the lease, provided the park owner complies with section 327C.04, subdivision 6.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective for meter installations initiated on or after August 1, 2023.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 327C.015, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 17a. **Utility provider.** "Utility provider" means a public utility, an electric cooperative association, or a municipal utility.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 327C.04, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Billing permitted.** A park owner who either provides utility service directly to residents or who redistributes to residents utility service provided to the park owner by a utility provider may charge the residents for that service, only if the charges comply with this section.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.

Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 327C.04, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Metering required.** A park owner who charges residents for a utility service must charge each household the same amount, unless the park owner has installed measuring devices which accurately meter each household's use of the utility. Utility measuring devices installed by the park owner must be installed or repaired only by a licensed plumber, licensed electrician, or licensed manufactured home installer.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective August 1, 2023, and applies to meters installed or repaired on or after that date.

Sec. 8. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 327C.04, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 5. **Utility charge for metered service.** (a) A park owner who redistributes utility service may not charge a resident a commodity rate that exceeds the commodity rate at which the park owner purchases utility service from a utility provider. Before billing residents for redistributed utility service, a park owner must deduct utility service used exclusively or primarily for the park owner's purposes.

(b) If a utility bill that a park owner receives from a utility provider separates from variable consumption charges a fixed service or meter charge or fee, taxes, surcharges, or other miscellaneous charges, the park owner must deduct the park owner's pro rata share of these separately itemized charges and apportion the remaining fixed portion of the bill equally among residents based on the total number of occupied units in the park.

(c) A park owner may not charge to or collect from residents any administrative, capital, or other expenses associated with the distribution of utility services, including but not limited to disconnection, reconnection, and late payment fees.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective July 1, 2023.

Sec. 9. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 327C.04, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 6. **Rent increases following the installation of water meters.** A park owner may not increase lot rents for 13 months following the commencement of utility bills for a resident whose lease included water service. In each of the three months prior to commencement of utility billing, a park owner must provide the resident with a sample bill for water service.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective August 1, 2023, and applies to meter installations initiated on or after that date.

Sec. 10. **REPEALER.**

Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 327C.04, subdivision 4, is repealed.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective July 1, 2023."

Correct the title numbers accordingly

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Klevorn from the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 211, A bill for an act relating to holiday observances; requiring school observance of Indigenous Peoples' Day; establishing Indigenous Peoples' Day as a state holiday and eliminating Christopher Columbus Day as a state holiday; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 120A.42; 645.44, subdivision 5.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 1, lines 13, 15, and 17, delete "Peoples" and insert "Peoples"

Page 2, delete section 2 and insert:

"Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 645.44, subdivision 5, as amended by Laws 2023, chapter 5, section 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. **Holiday.** (a) "Holiday" includes New Year's Day, January 1; Martin Luther King's Birthday, the third Monday in January; Washington's and Lincoln's Birthday, the third Monday in February; Memorial Day, the last Monday in May; Juneteenth, June 19; Independence Day, July 4; Labor Day, the first Monday in September; ~~Christopher Columbus~~ Indigenous Peoples Day, the second Monday in October; Veterans Day, November 11; Thanksgiving Day, the fourth Thursday in November; and Christmas Day, December 25; provided, when New Year's Day, January 1; or Juneteenth, June 19; or Independence Day, July 4; or Veterans Day, November 11; or Christmas Day, December 25; falls on Sunday, the following day shall be a holiday and, provided, when New Year's Day, January 1; or Juneteenth, June 19; or Independence Day, July 4; or Veterans Day, November 11; or Christmas Day, December 25; falls on Saturday, the preceding day shall be a holiday. No public business shall be transacted on any holiday, except in cases of necessity and except in cases of public business transacted by the legislature, nor shall any civil process be served thereon. However, for the executive branch of the state of Minnesota, "holiday" also includes the Friday after Thanksgiving but does not include ~~Christopher Columbus~~ Indigenous Peoples Day. Other branches of state government and political subdivisions shall have the option of determining whether ~~Christopher Columbus~~ Indigenous Peoples Day and the Friday after Thanksgiving shall be holidays. Where it is determined that ~~Columbus~~ Indigenous Peoples Day or the Friday after Thanksgiving is not a holiday, public business may be conducted thereon.

(b) Any agreement between a public employer and an employee organization citing Veterans Day as the fourth Monday in October shall be amended to cite Veterans Day as November 11.

(c) Any agreement between a public employer and an employee organization citing "Christopher Columbus Day" or "Columbus Day" shall be amended to cite "Indigenous Peoples Day."

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.

Sec. 3. **REVISOR INSTRUCTION.**

In the next edition of Minnesota Statutes and Minnesota Rules and the online publication of Minnesota Statutes and Minnesota Rules, the revisor of statutes shall change references to "Christopher Columbus Day" or "Columbus Day" to "Indigenous Peoples Day" wherever the phrases appear in Minnesota Statutes and Minnesota Rules.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment."

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, lines 2 and 3, delete "Peoples" and insert "Peoples"

Correct the title numbers accordingly

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Klevorn from the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 274, A bill for an act relating to state government; creating a commission to redesign the official state flag and the official state seal; requiring a report; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 1.135; 1.141.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 1.135, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Official seal.** The seal described in subdivision 3 ~~3a~~ is the "Great Seal of the State of Minnesota." When the seal, the impression of the seal, the scene within the seal, or its likeness is reproduced at state expense, it must conform to subdivision 3 and section 4.04. A seal, impression, scene, or likeness which does not conform to these provisions is not official.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective May 11, 2024.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 1.135, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 3a. **Official seal; May 11, 2024, and thereafter.** The Great Seal of the State of Minnesota is the design as certified in the report of the State Emblems Redesign Commission, as established by this act.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective May 11, 2024.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 1.135, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **Additional effects; size.** Every effort shall be made to reproduce the seal with justification to the 12 o'clock position ~~and with attention to the authenticity of the illustrations used to create the scene within the seal. The description of the scene in this section does not preclude the graphic inclusion of the effects of movement, sunlight, or falling water when the seal is reproduced. Nor does.~~ This section does not prohibit the enlargement, proportioned reduction, or embossment of the seal for its use in unofficial acts.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective May 11, 2024.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 1.135, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

Subd. 6. **State's duties.** State agencies and departments using the seal, its impression, ~~the scene within the seal~~ or its likeness shall make every effort to bring any seal, impression, ~~scene~~, or likeness currently fixed to a permanent object into accordance with this section and section 4.04. Expendable material to which the seal in effect prior to May 11, 2024, or any impression, scene, or likeness of that seal is currently affixed may be used until the supply is exhausted or until January 1, 2025, whichever occurs first. All unused dies and engravings of the Great Seal shall be given to the Minnesota Historical Society, along with all historical information available about the seal, to be retained in the society's permanent collection.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective May 11, 2024.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 1.141, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Adoption.** The design of the state flag ~~proposed by the Legislative Interim Commission acting under Laws 1955, chapter 632,~~ as certified in the report of the State Emblems Redesign Commission, as established by this act, is adopted as the official state flag.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective May 11, 2024.

Sec. 6. **STATE EMBLEMS REDESIGN COMMISSION.**

Subdivision 1. **Establishment.** The State Emblems Redesign Commission is established. The purpose of the commission is to develop and adopt a new design for the official state flag and the official state seal no later than January 1, 2024.

Subd. 2. **Membership; meetings.** (a) The commission consists of the following members:

(1) three members of the public, appointed by the governor;

(2) one member appointed by the Council for Minnesotans of African Heritage;

(3) one member appointed by the Minnesota Council on Latino Affairs;

(4) one member appointed by the Council on Asian-Pacific Minnesotans;

(5) one member representing the Dakota community and one member representing the Ojibwe community, appointed by the executive board of the Indian Affairs Council;

(6) the secretary of state or the secretary's designee;

(7) the executive director of the Minnesota Historical Society or the director's designee;

(8) the chair of the Capitol Area Architectural and Planning Board or the chair's designee;

(9) the chair of the Minnesota Arts Board or the chair's designee; and

(10) the executive director of Explore Minnesota Tourism or the director's designee.

(b) The following serve as ex officio, nonvoting members of the commission: (1) two members of the house of representatives, one each appointed by the speaker of the house and the minority leader of the house; and (2) two members of the senate, one representing the majority caucus appointed by the senate majority leader and one representing the minority caucus appointed by the senate minority leader.

(c) Appointments to the commission must be made no later than August 1, 2023. The voting members of the commission shall elect a chair and vice-chair. An appointee designated by the governor shall convene the commission's first meeting. Decisions of the commission must be made by majority vote. The Minnesota Historical Society must provide office space and administrative support to the commission.

Subd. 3. **Meetings.** Meetings of the commission are subject to Minnesota Statutes, chapter 13D.

Subd. 4. **Duties; form and style of recommended state emblems.** The commission shall develop and adopt a new design for the official state seal and a new design for the official state flag. The designs must accurately and respectfully reflect Minnesota's shared history, resources, and diverse cultural communities. Symbols, emblems, or likenesses that represent only a single community or person, regardless of whether real or stylized, may not be included in a design. The commission may solicit and secure the voluntary service and aid of vexillologists and other persons who have either technical or artistic skill in flag construction and design, or the design of official seals, to assist in the work. The commission must also solicit public feedback and suggestions to inform its work.

Subd. 5. **Report.** The commission shall certify its adopted designs in a report to the legislature and governor no later than January 1, 2024. The commission's report must describe the symbols and other meanings incorporated in the design. The commission expires upon submission of its report.

Sec. 7. **REPEALER.**

Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 1.135, subdivisions 3 and 5; and 1.141, subdivisions 3, 4, and 6, are repealed.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective May 11, 2024."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to state government; creating a commission to redesign the official state flag and the official state seal; requiring a report; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 1.135, subdivisions 2, 4, 6, by adding a subdivision; 1.141, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 1.135, subdivisions 3, 5; 1.141, subdivisions 3, 4, 6."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The report was adopted.

Lee, F., from the Committee on Capital Investment to which was referred:

H. F. No. 669, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the safe routes to school grant program; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"ARTICLE 1
APPROPRIATIONS

Section 1. **CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS.**

(a) The sums shown in the column under "Appropriations" are appropriated from the bond proceeds fund, or another named fund, to the state agencies or officials indicated, to be spent for public purposes. Appropriations of bond proceeds must be spent as authorized by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, clause (a), to acquire and better public land and buildings and other public improvements of a capital nature, or as authorized by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, clauses (b) to (j), or article XIV. Unless otherwise specified, money appropriated in this act:

(1) may be used to pay state agency staff costs that are attributed directly to the capital program or project in accordance with accounting policies adopted by the commissioner of management and budget;

(2) is available until the project is completed or abandoned subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642;

(3) for activities under Minnesota Statutes, sections 16B.307, 84.946, and 135A.046, should not be used for projects that can be financed within a reasonable time frame under Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.322 or 16C.144;

(4) is subject to the policies and procedures adopted by the commissioner of management and budget or otherwise specified in applicable law; and

(5) is available for a grant to a political subdivision after the commissioner of management and budget determines that an amount sufficient to complete the project as described in this act has been committed to the project, as required by Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.502.

(b) Unless otherwise specified, appropriations in this article from the general fund are made in fiscal year 2024 and are onetime appropriations.

APPROPRIATIONS**Sec. 2. UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA****Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation****\$132,128,000**

To the Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Higher Education Asset Preservation and Replacement (HEAPR)39,528,000

To be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 135A.046.

Subd. 3. Twin Cities - Chemistry Undergraduate Teaching Laboratory92,600,000

To construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of and an addition to Fraser Hall for an undergraduate chemistry teaching laboratory facility on the Twin Cities campus. This project includes the demolition of obsolete portions of Fraser Hall.

Subd. 4. University Share

Except for the appropriations for HEAPR, the appropriations in this section are intended to cover approximately two-thirds of the cost of each project. The remaining costs must be paid from university sources.

Subd. 5. Unspent Appropriations

Upon substantial completion of a project authorized in this section and after written notice to the commissioner of management and budget, the Board of Regents must use any money remaining in the appropriation for that project for HEAPR under Minnesota Statutes, section 135A.046. The Board of Regents must report by February 1 of each even-numbered year to the chairs of the house of representatives and senate committees with jurisdiction over capital investment and higher education finance, and to the chairs of the house of representatives Ways and Means Committee and the senate Finance Committee, on how the remaining money has been allocated or spent.

Sec. 3. MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES**Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation****\$179,752,000**

To the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities for the purposes specified in this section.

<p><u>Subd. 2. Higher Education Asset Preservation and Replacement (HEAPR)</u></p> <p><u>To be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 135A.046.</u></p>	<p><u>44,733,000</u></p>
<p><u>Subd. 3. Minnesota State University, Moorhead</u></p> <p><u>To design, renovate, expand, and equip Weld Hall, including the construction of additions to improve building accessibility at Minnesota State University, Moorhead.</u></p>	<p><u>23,099,000</u></p>
<p><u>Subd. 4. Inver Hills Community College</u></p> <p><u>To design, renovate, and equip the Technology and Business Center building, including the construction of a link to Heritage Hall at Inver Hills Community College.</u></p>	<p><u>22,025,000</u></p>
<p><u>Subd. 5. Minneapolis Community and Technical College</u></p> <p><u>To design, renovate, and equip phases 1 and 2 of the Management Education Center shared with Metropolitan State University on the Minneapolis Community and Technical College campus to support baccalaureate programming expansion.</u></p>	<p><u>20,457,000</u></p>
<p><u>Subd. 6. Pine Technical and Community College</u></p> <p><u>To design, renovate, construct, and equip the renovation of the main building allied health space and an addition of the technical trade and applied learning labs at Pine Technical and Community College.</u></p>	<p><u>21,468,000</u></p>
<p><u>Subd. 7. Saint Paul College</u></p> <p><u>To design the renovation of classroom, lab, and student services space and design the demolition of the College Learning Center Building which will be replaced by the renovations at the Saint Paul College campus.</u></p>	<p><u>1,671,000</u></p>
<p><u>Subd. 8. Northeast Higher Education District - Vermilion Community College</u></p> <p><u>To design, renovate, and equip the classroom building and common space at Northeast Higher Education District - Vermilion Community College.</u></p>	<p><u>3,633,000</u></p>
<p><u>Subd. 9. Central Lakes College</u></p> <p><u>To design, renovate, and equip the student services, academic support areas, and athletics space of the Central Lakes College, Brainerd campus.</u></p>	<p><u>11,591,000</u></p>

Subd. 10. Northland Community and Technical College3,282,000

To design, renovate, and equip teaching and learning lab space at Northland Community and Technical College, East Grand Forks campus.

Subd. 11. Minnesota State University, Mankato8,460,000

To design and renovate space in the lower level of the Clinical Sciences Building; to design the demolition and replacement of Armstrong Hall; and to design the partial renovation of Wiecking Center, Performing Arts Center, the Library, and Morris Hall at Minnesota State University, Mankato.

Subd. 12. Winona State University4,866,000

To design a net zero energy building that will contain flexible classroom space and student support services and to design the demolition of Gildemeister and Watkins Halls which will be replaced by the net zero energy building at Winona State University.

Subd. 13. Lake Superior College8,316,000

To design the renovation and construction of integrated manufacturing workforce labs and related support space at Lake Superior College.

Subd. 14. Metropolitan State5,196,000

To design, renovate, and equip space in New Main Hall for the cybersecurity program at Metropolitan State University.

Subd. 15. Alexandria Technical and Community College955,000

To design the renovation of student services spaces, the demolition of obsolete campus space, which will be replaced by the new renovated student services space and the new Transportation Center, and to design the construction of the Transportation Center at Alexandria Technical and Community College.

Subd. 16. Debt Service

(a) Except as provided in paragraph (b), the Board of Trustees shall pay the debt service on one-third of the principal amount of state bonds sold to finance projects authorized by this section. After each sale of general obligation bonds, the commissioner of management and budget shall notify the board of the amounts assessed for each year for the life of the bonds.

(b) The board need not pay debt service on bonds sold to finance HEAPR. Where a nonstate match is required, the debt service is due on a principal amount equal to one-third of the total project cost, less the match committed before the bonds are sold.

(c) The commissioner of management and budget shall reduce the board's assessment each year by one-third of the net income from investment of general obligation bond proceeds in proportion to the amount of principal and interest otherwise required to be paid by the board. The board shall pay its resulting net assessment to the commissioner of management and budget by December 1 each year. If the board fails to make a payment when due, the commissioner of management and budget shall reduce allotments for appropriations from the general fund otherwise available to the board and apply the amount of the reduction to cover the missed debt service payment. The commissioner of management and budget shall credit the payments received from the board to the bond debt service account in the state bond fund each December 1 before money is transferred from the general fund under Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.641, subdivision 10.

Subd. 17. Unspent Appropriations

(a) Upon substantial completion of a project authorized in this section and after written notice to the commissioner of management and budget, the board must use any money remaining in the appropriation for that project for HEAPR under Minnesota Statutes, section 135A.046. The Board of Trustees must report by February 1 of each even-numbered year to the chairs of the house of representatives and senate committees with jurisdiction over capital investment and higher education finance and to the chairs of the house of representatives Ways and Means Committee and the senate Finance Committee, on how the remaining money has been allocated or spent.

(b) The unspent portion of an appropriation for a project in this section that is complete is available for HEAPR under this subdivision, at the same campus as the project for which the original appropriation was made and the debt service requirement under this section is reduced accordingly. Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, applies from the date of the original appropriation to the unspent amount transferred.

Sec. 4. EDUCATION

\$94,000,000

To the commissioner of education for library construction grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 134.45.

Sec. 5. MINNESOTA STATE ACADEMIES

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation

\$9,037,000

To the commissioner of administration for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Asset Preservation1,200,000

For capital asset preservation improvements and betterments on both campuses of the Minnesota State Academies, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

Subd. 3. Dorm Renovations and Predesign7,837,000

To predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of Kramer Hall, Brandeen Hall, and Rode Hall Dorms on the Blind School Campus, including but not limited to abatement of asbestos and hazardous materials, construction, and renovations required to improve safety and security for occupants, meet ADA requirements, meet energy saving requirements, and improve indoor air quality standards. This appropriation also includes money to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of Pollard Hall Dorm on the Deaf School Campus, including but not limited to abatement of asbestos and hazardous materials, construction, and renovations required to improve safety and security for occupants, meet ADA requirements, meet energy saving requirements, and improve indoor air quality standards.

Sec. 6. PERPICH CENTER FOR ARTS EDUCATION**\$900,000**

To the commissioner of administration for capital asset preservation improvements and betterments at the Perpich Center for Arts Education, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

Sec. 7. NATURAL RESOURCES**Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation****\$173,254,000**

(a) To the commissioner of natural resources for the purposes specified in this section.

(b) The appropriations in this section are subject to the requirements of the natural resources capital improvement program under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.12, unless this section or the statutes referred to in this section provide more specific standards, criteria, or priorities for projects than Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.12.

Subd. 2. Natural Resources Asset Preservation36,000,000

For the preservation and replacement of state-owned facilities and recreational assets operated by the commissioner of natural resources to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 84.946.

Subd. 3. Betterment of Buildings30,000,000

For acquisition, predesign, design, and construction to replace existing facilities that no longer meet the business needs of the department or to acquire or construct new facilities. This

appropriation includes money for the predesign, design, and construction of facility capital improvements and associated facility components at the Badoura State Forest Nursery and the Waterville fish hatchery.

Subd. 4. Wildfire Aviation Infrastructure

6,360,000

For site preparation, predesign, design, engineering, demolition, construction, furnishing, and equipping new public safety facilities for aerial wildfire suppression, which may include grants to airport authorities. This appropriation includes money for the Hibbing airport and air tanker base buildings and associated utilities and systems.

Subd. 5. Accessibility

1,200,000

For the design and construction of accessibility improvements at state parks, recreation areas, and wildlife management areas.

Subd. 6. Dam Renovation, Repair, Removal

4,000,000

(a) For design, engineering, and construction to repair, reconstruct, or remove publicly owned dams and respond to dam safety emergencies on publicly owned dams. The commissioner shall determine project priorities as appropriate under Minnesota Statutes, sections 103G.511 and 103G.515.

(b) If the commissioner determines that a project is not ready to proceed, this appropriation may be used for other projects on the commissioner's priority list.

Subd. 7. Flood Hazard Mitigation

27,374,000

(a) For the state share of flood hazard mitigation grants for publicly owned capital improvements to prevent or alleviate flood damage under Minnesota Statutes, section 103F.161. To the extent practical, levee projects shall meet the state standard of three feet above the 100-year flood elevation.

(b) Project priorities shall be determined by the commissioner as appropriate, based on need and consideration of available leveraging of federal, state, and local funds.

(c) Notwithstanding paragraph (b), \$5,000,000 of this appropriation is for a grant to the Red River Watershed Management Board for flood mitigation projects in watersheds under the board's management and is not for projects in the city of Moorhead.

(d) Notwithstanding paragraph (b), \$7,374,000 is for a grant to the city of Moorhead to design, construct, and equip flood mitigation infrastructure. This appropriation includes money for Phase 2 of the North Moorhead levee project, the relocation of sanitary lift station #2, and a levee project along First Avenue North.

(e) To the extent practicable and consistent with the project, recipients of appropriations for flood control projects in this subdivision shall create wetlands that are eligible for wetland replacement credit to replace wetlands drained or filled as the result of repair, reconstruction, replacement, or rehabilitation of an existing public road under Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.222, subdivision 1, paragraphs (l) and (m).

(f) To the extent that the cost of a municipal project exceeds two percent of the median household income in the municipality multiplied by the number of households in the municipality, this appropriation is also for the local share of the project.

Subd. 8. Lake Vermilion-Soudan Underground Mine State Park

11,000,000

For the design and construction of a visitor center, camping facilities and boardwalk, hiking and biking trails, dock and fishing pier, and related infrastructure; the design of the Mattson Bay Camp and Soudan Heritage and Science Center; and the rehabilitation of a fire tower at Lake Vermilion-Soudan Underground Mine State Park.

Subd. 9. Parks and Trails Local and Regional Recreation Grants

2,000,000

For matching grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 85.019.

Subd. 10. Community Tree Planting Grants

8,400,000

For grants to cities, counties, townships, and park and recreation boards in cities of the first class, to remove and plant shade trees on public land to provide environmental benefits; to replace trees lost to forest pests, disease, or storm; or to establish a more diverse community forest better able to withstand disease and forest pests. For purposes of this appropriation, "shade tree" means a woody perennial grown primarily for aesthetic or environmental purposes with minimal to residual timber value. Any tree planted with money under this subdivision must be a climate-adapted species to Minnesota.

Subd. 11. Canisteo Legacy Mine Pit Complex

6,600,000

(a) For the acquisition of land or interests in land and for construction of publicly owned infrastructure to mitigate the imminent threat to public safety, property, and regional water quality from the rising water at the Canisteo legacy mine pit complex.

(b) Upon substantial completion of the project authorized in this subdivision and after written notice to the commissioner of management and budget, the commissioner of natural resources

may use any money remaining in this appropriation to design, engineer, and construct publicly owned water mitigation infrastructure at the Hill Annex open pit mining complex.

Subd. 12. St. James Open Pit Mine Complex 2,500,000

For predesign, design, and engineering of capital improvement projects to mitigate the imminent threat to public safety, property, and regional water quality from the rising water levels at the St. James open pit mine complex.

Subd. 13. Reforestation 6,000,000

For reforestation and stand improvement on state forest lands to meet the reforestation requirements of Minnesota Statutes, section 89.002, subdivision 2, including purchasing native seeds and native seedlings, planting, seeding, site preparation, and protection on state lands administered by the commissioner.

Subd. 14. State Trail Maintenance 1,200,000

To renovate paved and unpaved state trails established under Minnesota Statutes, section 85.015, according to the commissioner's priorities and as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 84.946.

Subd. 15. Casey Jones State Trail 1,320,000

For acquisition, design, engineering, and construction of the Casey Jones State Trail under Minnesota Statutes, section 85.015, subdivision 2. The Casey Jones State Trail must be established as a primary, not a secondary trail.

Subd. 16. Gitchi Gami State Trail 4,000,000

For acquisition, design, engineering, and construction of the Gitchi Gami State Trail priority segments: Lutsen from Ski Hill Road, Tofte, Silver Bay to Tettegouche State Park, and Two Harbors to Flood Bay State Wayside.

Subd. 17. Heartland State Trail 2,950,000

(a) For capital improvements to the Heartland State Trail. Of this amount, (1) \$550,000 is for construction of a trail segment of the Heartland State Trail between Detroit Lakes and Frazee; and (2) \$2,400,000 is for the environmental review, predesign, design, and construction of a paved multiple-use trail to connect Itasca State Park to the Heartland State Trail beginning from the park contact station to the park's southeast boundary and through a Phase 1 tunnel to be constructed under marked U.S. Highway 71, and continuing from there for about two miles.

(b) This appropriation is in addition to the appropriations in Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 6, subdivision 6, and Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 7, subdivision 12.

Subd. 18. Mill Towns State Trail

8,190,000

For land acquisition, predesign, design, and construction of the Mill Towns State Trail between Riverside Park in the city of Northfield and the Waterford Historic Bridge in Waterford Township.

Subd. 19. Root River State Trail; Preston to Carimona

2,000,000

For acquisition of property, design, and engineering of the Root River State Trail under Minnesota Statutes, section 85.015, from the city of Preston to the city of Carimona.

Subd. 20. Glendalough State Park

900,000

To complete the paved multipurpose trail from the bridge at the northwest corner of Annie Battle Lake to the park entrance at Glendalough State Park.

Subd. 21. Upper Sioux Agency State Park Bond Defeasance

250,000

From the general fund to the commissioner of management and budget to prepay and defease any outstanding state general obligation bonds used for improvements and betterments at Upper Sioux Agency State Park, including Minnesota Historical Society property located within the park's boundaries, and other associated financing costs. This amount may be deposited, invested, and applied to accomplish the purposes of this section as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 475.67, subdivisions 5 to 10 and 13. Upon the prepayment and defeasance of all associated debt on the real property and improvements, all conditions set forth in Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695, subdivision 3, shall be deemed to have been satisfied and the real property and improvements shall no longer constitute state bond financed property under Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695.

Subd. 22. Lower Minnesota River Watershed District; Minnesota River Riverbank Stabilization

2,750,000

For a grant to the Lower Minnesota River Watershed District for final design and construction of capital improvements necessary to stabilize the riverbank, prevent erosion, and prevent future degradation of the water quality of the Minnesota River resulting from Area 3 bank erosion in the city of Eden Prairie.

Subd. 23. Shakopee; Minnesota River Riverbank Stabilization **8,260,000**

For a grant to the city of Shakopee to predesign, design, and construct the restoration of the Minnesota River riverbank from the western edge of downtown Shakopee to The Landing in the Three Rivers Park District.

Subd. 24. Unspent Appropriations

The unspent portion of an appropriation for a project in this section that is complete, upon written notice to the commissioner of management and budget, is available for asset preservation under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.946. Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, applies from the date of the original appropriation to the unspent amount transferred.

Sec. 8. POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY **\$10,000,000**

To the Pollution Control Agency for a capital assistance grant to Olmsted County under Minnesota Statutes, section 115A.54, to design, construct, and equip a new materials recovery facility which will expand upon the county's current integrated solid waste management system by reclaiming materials and removing problematic items from the waste stream. This appropriation is notwithstanding the maximum amount of grant assistance for a project under Minnesota Statutes, section 115A.54.

Sec. 9. BOARD OF WATER AND SOIL RESOURCES

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation **\$22,700,000**

To the Board of Water and Soil Resources for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Local Government Roads Wetland Replacement Program **12,000,000**

To acquire land or permanent easements and to restore, create, enhance, and preserve wetlands to replace those wetlands drained or filled as a result of the repair, reconstruction, replacement, or rehabilitation of existing public roads as required by Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.222, subdivision 1, paragraphs (l) and (m). Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.222, subdivision 3, the board may implement the wetland replacement program consistent with section 404 of the federal Clean Water Act. The purchase price paid for acquisition of land or perpetual easement must be a fair market value as determined by the board. The board may enter into agreements with the federal government, other state agencies, political subdivisions, nonprofit organizations, fee title owners, or other qualified private entities to acquire

wetland replacement credits in accordance with Minnesota Rules, chapter 8420. Up to five percent of this appropriation may be used for restoration and enhancement.

Subd. 3. Reinvest in Minnesota (RIM) Reserve Program

10,700,000

To acquire conservation easements from landowners to preserve, restore, create, and enhance wetlands and associated uplands of prairie and grasslands, and to restore and enhance rivers and streams, riparian lands, and associated uplands of prairie and grasslands, in order to protect soil and water quality, support fish and wildlife habitat, reduce flood damage, and provide other public benefits. The provisions of Minnesota Statutes, section 103F.515, apply to this program. The board shall give priority to leveraging federal money by enrolling targeted new lands or enrolling environmentally sensitive lands that have expiring federal conservation agreements. The board is authorized to enter into new agreements and amend past agreements with landowners as required by Minnesota Statutes, section 103F.515, subdivision 5, to allow for restoration. Up to five percent of this appropriation may be used for restoration and enhancement.

Sec. 10. **AGRICULTURE**

\$380,000

To the commissioner of administration to design, construct, and equip the renovation and repair of the plant protection division's potato inspection facility located in East Grand Forks. This appropriation may also be used to design and complete hazardous materials abatement.

Sec. 11. **MINNESOTA ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN**

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation

\$18,025,000

To the Minnesota Zoological Board for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Asset Preservation

16,800,000

For capital asset preservation improvements and betterments to infrastructure and exhibits at the Minnesota Zoo, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307. Notwithstanding the specified uses of money under Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307, this appropriation may be used to replace buildings that are in poor condition, outdated, and no longer support the work of the Minnesota Zoological Garden; to construct and renovate trails and roads on the Minnesota Zoological Garden site; and to replace the lakeside plaza infrastructure, including the stairs and ramp to the upper plaza, and to design, construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of related animal holding and mechanical spaces.

Subd. 3. Animal Hospital Renovation1,225,000

To design a new or renovated animal hospital building at the Minnesota Zoological Garden.

Sec. 12. ADMINISTRATION**Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation****\$22,465,000**

To the commissioner of administration for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Capital Asset Preservation and Replacement Account9,000,000

To be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.632.

Subd. 3. Capitol Complex - Physical Security Upgrades Phase II9,093,000

For the continuation of the design, construction, and equipping required to upgrade the physical security elements and systems for the Capitol Mall and the buildings listed in this subdivision, their attached tunnel systems, their surrounding grounds, and parking facilities as identified in the 2017 Minnesota State Capitol Complex Physical Security Predesign completed by Miller Dunwiddie and an updated assessment completed in 2022. Upgrades include but are not limited to the installation of bollards, blast protection, infrastructure security screen walls, door access controls, emergency call stations, surveillance systems, security kiosks, locking devices, and traffic and crowd control devices. This appropriation includes money for work associated with the following buildings: Administration, Ag/Health Lab, Capitol, Centennial, Governor's Residence, Judicial Center, Minnesota History Center, Capitol Complex Power Plant and Shops, Stassen, State Office, and Veterans Service.

Subd. 4. Ford Building4,372,000

To complete design and abatement of hazardous materials and demolition of the Ford Building and associated infrastructure located on the Capitol Complex as the first phase of overall site redevelopment. This appropriation may also be used to construct and equip improvements to maintain access to the Capitol Complex tunnel system as well as to provide security, irrigation, and landscaping for the site. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, chapter 15B, or the Comprehensive Plan for the Minnesota State Capitol Area, no additional study shall be required prior to a building permit being issued for the work authorized in this appropriation or to proceed with such work.

Sec. 13. **AMATEUR SPORTS COMMISSION****\$9,600,000**

To the Minnesota Amateur Sports Commission for asset preservation improvements and betterments of a capital nature at the National Sports Center in Blaine, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

Sec. 14. **MILITARY AFFAIRS**Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation****\$31,487,000**

To the adjutant general for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. **Rosemount Readiness Center**25,080,000

(a) To construct and equip the renovation of existing space at the Rosemount Readiness Center, including mechanical, electrical, building envelope, energy efficiency, and life safety improvements.

(b) \$360,000 of this appropriation is in addition to the appropriation for the same purpose in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 14, subdivision 2.

Subd. 3. **Fergus Falls Readiness Center**800,000

This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation for the same purpose in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 14, subdivision 3.

Subd. 4. **Moorhead Readiness Center**855,000

This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation for the same purpose in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 14, subdivision 4.

Subd. 5. **Marshall Readiness Center**4,752,000

This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation for the same purpose in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 14, subdivision 5.

Sec. 15. **PUBLIC SAFETY**Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation****\$17,425,000**

To the commissioner of administration for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. **State Emergency Operations Center**11,392,000

For the state emergency operations center. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation for the same purpose in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 15, subdivision 2.

Subd. 3. BCA Maryland Building**6,033,000**

To design, construct, renovate, equip, and furnish unfinished space in the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension building in St. Paul to provide new offices and to design, construct, and equip a new perimeter security fence and access controls at this site.

Sec. 16. TRANSPORTATION**Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation****\$245,157,000**

To the commissioner of transportation for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Local Road Improvement Program**85,000,000**

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for eligible improvements on trunk highway corridor projects under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.52, subdivision 2; for construction and reconstruction of local roads with statewide or regional significance under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.52, subdivision 4; or for grants to counties to assist in paying the costs of rural road safety capital improvement projects on county state-aid highways under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.52, subdivision 4a. \$6,000,000 of this appropriation is for grants to townships for capital improvements to township roads.

Subd. 3. Local Bridge Replacement Program**67,000,000**

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund to match federal money and to replace or rehabilitate local deficient bridges as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50.

Subd. 4. Highway Rail Grade Crossings**3,600,000**

To design, construct, and equip the replacement of active highway rail grade warning devices that have reached the end of their useful life or new highway rail grade warning devices.

Subd. 5. Port Development Assistance Program**18,097,000**

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 457A. Any improvements made with the proceeds of these grants must be publicly owned.

Subd. 6. Safe Routes to School**2,400,000**

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.40.

Subd. 7. Active Transportation**1,200,000**

For grants and financial assistance under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.38.

Subd. 8. Minnesota Rail Service Improvement Program9,600,000

For rail service improvement grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 222.50.

Subd. 9. Greater Minnesota Transit3,000,000

For capital assistance for publicly owned greater Minnesota transit systems to acquire property and to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip transit capital facilities under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.24, subdivision 3c.

Subd. 10. Carver County; CSAH 183,760,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for one or more grants to the cities of Victoria, Chaska, or Chanhassen or Carver County, or any combination of these entities, for property or permanent easement acquisition, predesign, and design of construction of improvements to Carver County State-Aid Highway 18, known as West 82nd Street, from Bavaria Road to marked Trunk Highway 41. This project includes cross streets, off-street trails, a bridge over a ravine and trail, and utility relocations, installations, and connections.

Subd. 11. Fridley; Northtown Rail Yard Overpass4,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city of Fridley to design the extension of 57th Avenue NE, including public utilities as necessary and a bridge and approach walls, across the BNSF Northtown Rail Yard from Main Street NE (Anoka County State-Aid Highway 102) westward to East River Road (Anoka County State-Aid Highway 1) in Fridley.

Subd. 12. Hennepin County; Hennepin Avenue Bridge3,500,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to Hennepin County for predesign and design of reconstruction of the iconic and historic Hennepin Avenue Suspension Bridge and approach bridges in the city of Minneapolis.

Subd. 13. Inver Grove Heights; 117th Street Reconstruction5,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for one or more grants to the city of Inver Grove Heights, Dakota County, or both, to perform final design, acquire right-of-way, acquire easements, and reconstruct 117th Street from Rich Valley Boulevard (Dakota

County Road 71), including intersection improvements thereto in both directions up to 1,500 feet, to approximately 800 feet east of U.S. Highway 52 to improve safety, mobility, and traffic conditions. This appropriation includes the cost for relocation and construction of public utilities on 117th Street, including sanitary sewer, water main, and storm sewer facilities.

Subd. 14. Plymouth; Chankahda Trail

6,200,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city of Plymouth for property acquisition and design of construction of roadway, utility, drainage, pedestrian facilities, and associated appurtenances, on Chankahda Trail, formerly known as Hennepin County Road 47, from Hennepin County State-Aid Highway 101 to Hennepin County State-Aid Highway 61.

Subd. 15. Savage; Road and Bridge Improvements

800,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city of Savage to predesign and design the expansion of Quentin Avenue and reconstruction of two railroad bridges that pass over Quentin Avenue. The project area for this project is from approximately 600 feet to the south to approximately 600 feet to the north of the two railroad bridges that pass over Quentin Avenue.

Subd. 16. St. Paul; Third Street/Kellogg Boulevard Bridge and BRT Gold Line Readiness

25,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city of St. Paul for the Third Street/Kellogg Boulevard bridge project. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation for the same purpose in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 16, subdivision 19.

Subd. 17. St. Paul Park; Third Street Collector Roadway

7,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city of St. Paul Park to predesign, design, engineer, construct, and equip the Third Street Collector Roadway Improvements Project. This appropriation includes money for the construction and reconstruction of Third Street from Broadway Avenue to 14th Avenue, pedestrian and bicycle safety improvements, and sanitary sewer, drinking water, and storm water management infrastructure.

Sec. 17. METROPOLITAN COUNCIL

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation

\$108,620,000

To the Metropolitan Council for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Inflow and Infiltration Grants12,000,000

For grants to cities within the metropolitan area, as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 473.121, subdivision 2, for capital improvements in municipal wastewater collection systems to reduce the amount of inflow and infiltration to the Metropolitan Council's metropolitan sanitary sewer disposal system. The council must award grants based on applications from cities that identify eligible capital costs and include a timeline for inflow and infiltration mitigation construction, pursuant to guidelines established by the council.

Subd. 3. Metropolitan Regional Parks and Trails16,620,000

For the cost of improvements and betterments of a capital nature and acquisition by the council and metropolitan parks implementing agencies as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 473.351, of regional recreational open-space lands in accordance with the council's policy plan as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 473.147. This appropriation must not be used to purchase easements.

Subd. 4. Arterial Bus Rapid Transit72,000,000

For real property acquisition, predesign, design, engineering, and construction of arterial bus rapid transit, including utility relocation, demolition, and furnishing and equipping facilities for arterial bus rapid transit projects. The council must allocate the money among projects based on criteria in its transitway capital improvement plan including: consistency with the council's transportation policy plan; project readiness; potential current and forecasted ridership; expansion of the bus rapid transit system; availability of federal or other matching funds; coordination with other major projects; and additional criteria for priorities otherwise specified in state law or rule applicable to bus rapid transit, including state law authorizing state bond fund appropriations for a bus rapid transit project.

Subd. 5. St. Paul; Mississippi River Learning Center8,000,000

For a grant to the city of St. Paul for design of a Mississippi River Learning Center that will be located on a site in Crosby Farm Regional Park that includes the Watergate Marina site.

Sec. 18. HUMAN SERVICES**Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation****\$19,150,000**

To the commissioner of administration, or other named entity, for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Asset Preservation 7,200,000

For asset preservation improvements and betterments of a capital nature at Department of Human Services facilities statewide, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

Subd. 3. St. Peter Water and Sewer Upgrades 1,050,000

To design upgrades and the replacement of water, sanitary, and storm sewer infrastructure at the St. Peter Campus.

Subd. 4. Early Childhood Learning and Child Protection Facilities 900,000

To the commissioner of human services for grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 256E.37, to predesign, design, construct, renovate, furnish, and equip early childhood learning facilities.

Subd. 5. Regional Behavioral Health Crisis Facilities 10,000,000

To the commissioner of human services, for grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 245G.011.

Sec. 19. VETERANS AFFAIRS

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation **\$90,125,000**

To the commissioner of administration for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Asset Preservation 12,360,000

For asset preservation improvements and betterments of a capital nature at the veterans homes in Minneapolis, Hastings, Fergus Falls, Silver Bay, Luverne, and the state veterans cemeteries at Little Falls, Preston, and Duluth, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

Subd. 3. Hastings Veterans Home Campus Upgrade 77,765,000

To predesign, design, construct, and equip the replacement of administrative and residential buildings and infrastructure at the Minnesota Veterans Home - Hastings Campus. This appropriation includes money to design and complete demolition of all or portions of buildings and other structures deemed unnecessary or undesirable for the development of the project, site preparation, asbestos removal and hazardous materials abatement, and the furnishing and equipping of the new buildings. The commissioner of veterans affairs may apply for federal funding for this project.

Sec. 20. **CORRECTIONS**Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation****\$34,292,000**

To the commissioner of administration for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. **Asset Preservation**33,800,000

For asset preservation improvement and betterments of a capital nature at the Minnesota correctional facilities statewide to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

Subd. 3. **Minnesota Correctional Facility - Lino Lakes**492,000

To design renovations to an existing building, including but not limited to building system upgrades and hazardous materials abatement, at the Minnesota Correctional Facility - Lino Lakes for an incarcerated persons programming and support space.

Subd. 4. **Unspent Appropriations**

The unspent portion of an appropriation for a Department of Corrections project in this section that is complete, upon written notice to the commissioner of management and budget, is available for asset preservation under Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307. Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, applies from the date of the original appropriation to the unspent amount transferred.

Sec. 21. **EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation****\$16,900,000**

To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. **Greater Minnesota Business Development Public Infrastructure**10,000,000

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.431.

Subd. 3. **Innovative Business Development Public Infrastructure**1,500,000

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.435.

Subd. 4. **Transportation Economic Development Infrastructure**1,500,000

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.436.

Subd. 5. Greater Minnesota Housing Infrastructure **3,000,000**

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.4315.

Subd. 6. Greater Minnesota Child Care Facilities **900,000**

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.417.

Sec. 22. IRON RANGE RESOURCES AND REHABILITATION **\$12,229,000**

To the Department of Iron Range Resources and Rehabilitation to acquire, upgrade, construct, and install a snowmaking infrastructure system, including associated equipment, that will replace aging water lines at Giants Ridge and aid in fire suppression.

Sec. 23. PUBLIC FACILITIES AUTHORITY

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation **\$235,390,000**

To the Public Facilities Authority for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. State Match for Federal Grants to State Revolving Loan Programs **41,000,000**

To match federal capitalization grants for the clean water revolving fund under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.07, and the drinking water revolving fund under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.081. This appropriation must be used for qualified capital projects.

Subd. 3. Water Infrastructure Funding Program **87,200,000**

(a) For grants to eligible municipalities under the water infrastructure funding program under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.072.

(b) \$52,000,000 is for wastewater projects listed on the Pollution Control Agency's project priority list in the fundable range under the clean water revolving fund program.

(c) \$35,200,000 is for drinking water projects listed on the commissioner of health's project priority list in the fundable range under the drinking water revolving fund program.

(d) After all eligible projects under paragraph (b) or (c) have been funded in a fiscal year, the Public Facilities Authority may transfer any remaining, uncommitted money to eligible projects under a program defined in paragraph (b) or (c) based on that program's project priority list.

Subd. 4. Point Source Implementation Grants Program80,000,000

For grants to eligible municipalities under the point source implementation grants program under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.073. This appropriation must be used for qualified capital projects.

Subd. 5. Lead Service Line Replacement10,000,000

For grants to replace the publicly owned portion of drinking water lead service lines under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.077.

Subd. 6. Arden Hills; Water and Sewer Improvements510,000

For a grant to the city of Arden Hills to construct water main and sanitary sewer replacement and improvements at the intersection of County Road E and Old Highway 10 (also known as Snelling Avenue North or County State-Aid Highway 76).

Subd. 7. Mankato; Water Treatment11,580,000

For a grant to the city of Mankato for site preparation and to construct upgrades to the city's regional water resource recovery facility, including the disinfection upgrades improving water quality of the discharge to the Minnesota River.

Subd. 8. Medicine Lake; Public Water System3,500,000

For a grant to the city of Medicine Lake to design and construct capital improvements to the Medicine Lake public water system to meet Department of Health drinking water standards. This appropriation includes construction and reconstruction of drinking water and wastewater collection systems, associated street improvements, and improvements for hydrant fire safety and suppression.

Subd. 9. Osseo; Lift Stations1,600,000

For a grant to the city of Osseo to predesign, design, construct, and equip the renovation of three lift stations in the city of Osseo, including replacement of the HVAC systems, replacement of and upgrades to the equipment, and improvements to ensure the structural soundness of the lift stations.

Sec. 24. MINNESOTA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY\$72,000,000

To the Minnesota Housing Finance Agency for transfer to the housing development fund to finance the costs of rehabilitation to preserve public housing under Minnesota Statutes, section 462A.202, subdivision 3a. For purposes of this section, "public housing" means housing for low-income persons and households

financed by the federal government and publicly owned. Priority may be given to proposals that maximize nonstate resources to finance the capital costs and requests that prioritize health, safety, and energy improvements. The priority in Minnesota Statutes, section 462A.202, subdivision 3a, for projects to increase the supply of affordable housing and the restrictions of Minnesota Statutes, section 462A.202, subdivision 7, do not apply to this appropriation.

Sec. 25. **MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation **\$6,000,000**

To the Minnesota Historical Society for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Historic Sites Asset Preservation **5,000,000**

For capital improvements and betterments at state historic sites, buildings, landscaping at historic buildings, exhibits, markers, and monuments, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307. The society shall determine project priorities as appropriate based on need.

Subd. 3. County and Local Preservation Grants **1,000,000**

For grants to county and local jurisdictions as matching money for historic preservation projects of a capital nature, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 138.0525.

Sec. 26. **BOND SALE EXPENSES** **\$1,564,000**

To the commissioner of management and budget from the bond proceeds fund for bond sale expenses under Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.641, subdivision 8.

Sec. 27. **BOND SALE AUTHORIZATION.**

Subdivision 1. **Bond proceeds fund.** To provide the money appropriated in this act from the bond proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue bonds of the state in an amount up to \$1,372,535,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

Subd. 2. **Transportation fund.** To provide the money appropriated in this act from the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue bonds of the state in an amount up to \$195,000,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

Sec. 28. **CANCELLATIONS; BOND SALE AUTHORIZATION REDUCTIONS.**

The amounts of the general obligation bond proceeds appropriations listed in the cancellation report submitted to the legislature in January 2023, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, are canceled on the effective date of this section, with the exception of appropriations and related bond sale authorizations that are extended in article 2. The corresponding bond sale authorizations are reduced by the same amounts.

Sec. 29. **BOND SALE SCHEDULE.**

The commissioner of management and budget shall schedule the sale of state general obligation bonds so that, during the biennium ending June 30, 2025, no more than \$1,188,684,000 will need to be transferred from the general fund to the state bond fund to pay principal and interest due and to become due on outstanding state general obligation bonds. During the biennium, before each sale of state general obligation bonds, the commissioner of management and budget shall calculate the amount of debt service payments needed on bonds previously issued and shall estimate the amount of debt service payments that will be needed on the bonds scheduled to be sold. The commissioner shall adjust the amount of bonds scheduled to be sold so as to remain within the limit set by this section. The amount needed to make the debt service payments is appropriated from the general fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.641.

Sec. 30. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This article is effective the day following final enactment.

ARTICLE 2
MISCELLANEOUS

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 16A.966, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Authorization to issue appropriation bonds.** (a) Subject to the limitations of this subdivision, the commissioner may sell and issue appropriation bonds of the state under this section for public purposes as provided by law, including for the purposes of financing the cost of implementing removal or remedial actions permitted under section 115B.17 and further subject to the conditions in chapter 115B to address risks to human health and the environment at contaminated sites. Appropriation bonds may be sold and issued in amounts that, in the opinion of the commissioner, are necessary to provide sufficient money to the commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency under subdivision 7, not to exceed \$30,400,000 net of costs of issuance, for the purposes as provided under this subdivision, and to pay debt service including capitalized interest, costs of issuance, costs of credit enhancement, or make payments under other agreements entered into under paragraph (d). Notwithstanding section 115B.17, subdivision 6 or 16, any money recovered in a civil action or any money received from the disposition of property acquired for a response action and financed with bonds under this section shall be transferred to the commissioner and applied toward principal and interest on outstanding bonds.

(b) Proceeds of the appropriation bonds must be credited to a special appropriation state response to releases bond proceeds fund in the state treasury. All income from investment of the bond proceeds, as estimated by the commissioner, is appropriated to the commissioner for the payment of principal and interest on the appropriation bonds.

(c) Appropriation bonds may be issued in one or more issues or series on the terms and conditions the commissioner determines to be in the best interests of the state, but the term on any series of appropriation bonds may not exceed 21 years. The appropriation bonds of each issue and series thereof shall be dated and bear interest, and may be includable in or excludable from the gross income of the owners for federal income tax purposes.

(d) At the time of, or in anticipation of, issuing the appropriation bonds, and at any time thereafter, so long as the appropriation bonds are outstanding, the commissioner may enter into agreements and ancillary arrangements relating to the appropriation bonds, including but not limited to trust indentures, grant agreements, lease or use agreements, operating agreements, management agreements, liquidity facilities, remarketing or dealer agreements, letter of credit agreements, insurance policies, guaranty agreements, reimbursement agreements, indexing agreements, or interest exchange agreements. Any payments made or received according to the agreement or ancillary arrangement shall be made from or deposited as provided in the agreement or ancillary arrangement. The determination of the commissioner included in an interest exchange agreement that the agreement relates to an appropriation bond shall be conclusive.

(e) The commissioner may enter into written agreements or contracts relating to the continuing disclosure of information necessary to comply with or facilitate the issuance of appropriation bonds in accordance with federal securities laws, rules, and regulations, including Securities and Exchange Commission rules and regulations in Code of Federal Regulations, title 17, section 240.15c 2-12. An agreement may be in the form of covenants with purchasers and holders of appropriation bonds set forth in the order or resolution authorizing the issuance of the appropriation bonds, or a separate document authorized by the order or resolution.

(f) The appropriation bonds are not subject to chapter 16C.

(g) Notwithstanding section 16A.642, the bond authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2027.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 116J.417, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Creation of accounts.** Two greater Minnesota child care facility capital grant accounts are created. One account is created in the ~~special revenue~~ general fund and one in the bond proceeds fund. Money in the accounts is appropriated to the commissioner to make grants under this section. Money in the greater Minnesota child care facility capital grant accounts is available until encumbered or spent subject to section 16A.642.

Sec. 3. **[116J.4315] GREATER MINNESOTA HOUSING INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT PROGRAM.**

Subdivision 1. **Grant program established.** The commissioner may make grants to counties and cities to provide up to 50 percent of the capital costs of public infrastructure necessary for an eligible workforce housing development project. The commissioner may make a grant award only after determining that nonstate resources are committed to complete the project. The nonstate contribution may be either cash or in kind. In-kind contributions may include the value of the site.

Subd. 2. **Definitions.** (a) For purposes of this section, the following terms have the meanings given.

(b) "City" means a statutory or home rule charter city located outside the metropolitan area, as defined in section 473.121, subdivision 2.

(c) "County" means a county located outside the metropolitan area, as defined in section 473.121, subdivision 2.

(d) "Public infrastructure" means publicly owned physical infrastructure necessary to support housing development projects, including but not limited to sewers, water supply systems, utility extensions, streets, wastewater treatment systems, storm water management systems, and facilities for pretreatment of wastewater to remove phosphorus.

Subd. 3. **Eligible projects.** Public infrastructure eligible for a grant under this section may be single-family or multifamily housing developments, owner-occupied or rental.

Subd. 4. **Application.** (a) The commissioner must develop forms and procedures for soliciting and reviewing applications for grants under this section. At a minimum, a county or city must include in its application a resolution of the county or city council certifying that the required nonstate match is available. The commissioner must evaluate complete applications for funding for eligible projects to determine that:

(1) the project is necessary to increase sites available for housing development that will provide adequate housing stock for the current or future workforce; and

(2) the increase in workforce housing will result in substantial public and private capital investment in the county or city in which the project would be located.

(b) The determination of whether to make a grant for a site is within the discretion of the commissioner, subject to this section. The commissioner's decisions and application of the criteria are not subject to judicial review, except for abuse of discretion.

Subd. 5. **Maximum grant amount.** A county or city may receive no more than \$20,000 per lot for single-family, duplex, triplex, or four-plex housing developed, and no more than \$50,000 per lot for multifamily housing with more than four units per building. A county or city may receive no more than \$500,000 in two years for one or more housing developments.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 134.45, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. **Qualification; accessibility grants.** A public library jurisdiction may apply for a grant in an amount up to ~~\$300,000~~ \$450,000 or 50 percent of the approved costs of removing architectural barriers from a building or site, whichever is less. Grants may be made only for projects in existing buildings used as a library, or to prepare another existing building for use as a library. Renovation of an existing building may include an addition to the building if the additional space is necessary to provide accessibility or if relocating public spaces to the ground level provides improved overall accessibility. Grants must not be used to pay part of the cost of meeting accessibility requirements in a new building.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 174.38, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** (a) For purposes of this section, the following terms have the meanings given them.

(b) "Active transportation" means bicycling, pedestrian activities, and other forms of nonmotorized transportation.

(c) "Bond-eligible costs" means expenditures under subdivision 6, clause (1), for publicly owned infrastructure in this state with a useful life of at least ten years.

~~(e)~~ (d) "Commissioner" means the commissioner of transportation.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 174.38, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **Active transportation account.** (a) An active transportation account is established in the special revenue fund. The account consists of funds provided by law and any other money donated, allotted, transferred, or otherwise provided to the account. Money in the account must be expended only on a project that receives financial assistance under this section.

(b) An active transportation account is established in the bond proceeds fund. The account consists of state bond proceeds appropriated to the commissioner. Money in the account may only be expended on bond-eligible costs of a project receiving financial assistance as provided under this section. Money in the account may only be expended on a project that is publicly owned.

(c) An active transportation account is established in the general fund. The account consists of money as provided by law and any other money donated, allotted, transferred, or otherwise provided to the account. Money in the account may only be expended on a project receiving financial assistance as provided under this section.

Sec. 7. **[446A.077] LEAD SERVICE LINE REPLACEMENT GRANT PROGRAM.**

Subdivision 1. **Establishment.** The authority must establish a program to provide grants to eligible recipients for lead service line replacement, subject to the limitations in this section.

Subd. 2. **Eligible recipients.** (a) The following are eligible recipients of funds in the program:

(1) community public water suppliers of a community water system as defined in Code of Federal Regulations, title 40, section 141.2, as amended;

(2) municipalities;

(3) suppliers of other residential drinking water systems; and

(4) any applicant eligible for loans and grants under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act.

(b) An eligible recipient of a grant provided under this program funded with money appropriated from the bond proceeds fund must be a political subdivision of the state.

Subd. 3. **Eligible uses.** (a) An eligible recipient may use a grant provided under this program for:

(1) removing and replacing lead drinking water service lines; or

(2) performing necessary construction activities required for and associated with the removal and replacement of lead service lines.

(b) A grant provided under this program funded with money appropriated from the bond proceeds fund must only be used for publicly owned property.

Subd. 4. **Required removal or replacement of privately owned lead service lines.** (a) At least 70 percent of the funds made available under a grant must be used for the purposes of removing privately owned portions of lead drinking water service lines or installing privately owned portions of drinking water service lines.

(b) A grant under the program funded with money appropriated from the bond proceeds fund is not subject to the limitations under paragraph (a).

Subd. 5. **Grant priorities.** In prioritizing the expenditure of grant money received under this section, the authority must give priority to applications that utilize the funds as part of a plan to remove all lead service lines within a municipality or residential drinking water system.

Subd. 6. **Report.** By March 30, 2024, the authority shall submit a report on this grant program to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over capital investment, health, and environment. The report must include, at a minimum, details about awards made, applications submitted, and lead service lines removed.

Sec. 8. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 7, subdivision 7, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. **Chester Woods State Trail**

2,500,000

To complete construction and paving of phase one of the Chester Woods State Trail from the city of Rochester to Chester Woods Park in Olmsted County. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds in this subdivision are available until December 31, 2026.

Sec. 9. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 7, subdivision 9, is amended to read:

Subd. 9. **Glendalough State Park** 750,000

To predesign, design, and construct a Visitor and Trail Center in Glendalough State Park. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2023.

Sec. 10. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 7, subdivision 11, is amended to read:

Subd. 11. **Mill Towns State Trail** 500,000

For acquisition ~~and~~, design, and construction of the Mill Towns State Trail between the cities of Faribault and Waterford. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2026.

Sec. 11. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 7, subdivision 18, is amended to read:

Subd. 18. **St. Louis and Lake Counties Regional Railroad Authority - Mesabi Trail** 1,138,000

For a grant to the St. Louis and Lake Counties Regional Railroad Authority to continue construction of the Mesabi Trail, starting near Whalston Road and going toward the city of Tower for approximately 4.5 ~~2.0~~ miles. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2026.

Sec. 12. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 16, subdivision 14, is amended to read:

Subd. 14. **Wadena - U.S. Highway 10 Environmental Cleanup** 5,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city of Wadena for environmental analysis and environmental cleanup and construction of storm water drainage within the marked U.S. Highway 10 corridor in the city of Wadena. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2026.

Sec. 13. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 17, subdivision 7, as amended by Laws 2019, chapter 2, article 2, section 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. **White Bear Lake Trail and Route** 4,000,000

(a) To the Metropolitan Council for grants to complete design and construction of a multiuse paved trail and route for pedestrians, bicycles, and wheelchairs around White Bear Lake in Ramsey and Washington Counties.

(b) \$2,600,000 of this appropriation is for a grant to Ramsey County to design and construct trail improvements, consistent with the completed preliminary engineering, along South Shore Boulevard between White Bear Avenue and marked Trunk Highway 120 and to pave an existing dirt path within the Ramsey County Beach and Water Park from the entrance to the park at Highway 96 to the northeast edge of the park.

(c) \$1,400,000 of this appropriation is for a grant to the city of Mahtomedi to design, construct, and equip elements of the trail and route along or proximate to Birchwood Road, Wildwood Beach Road, and on or in the proximity of Briarwood Road, consistent with the completed preliminary engineering, and final design and specification, subject to approval of the commissioner of transportation with regard to elements of the trail and route that are within or adjacent to the right-of-way of marked Trunk Highway 244.

(d) Up to \$70,000 of the amount remaining after substantial completion of the project described in paragraph (c) is for a grant to the city of Birchwood Village to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip a Lake Links Trail segment extending through the city of Birchwood Village and connecting to Lakes Links Trail segments in adjacent communities to complete a loop around White Bear Lake.

(e) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for these projects are available until December 31, 2024.

Sec. 14. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 18, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. Regional Behavioral Health Crisis Facility Grants

28,100,000

To the commissioner of human services for behavioral health crisis program facilities grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 245G.011. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this appropriation are available until December 31, 2024.

Sec. 15. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 21, subdivision 17, is amended to read:

Subd. 17. Minneapolis - American Indian Center

5,000,000

From the general fund in fiscal year 2019 for a grant to the Minneapolis American Indian Center to design, construct, furnish, and equip the renovation and expansion of the center on Franklin Avenue. This project includes: demolition work; improvements and additions to, or replacement of, the mechanical, electrical, plumbing, heating, ventilating, and air conditioning systems; repairs to the existing roof and exterior enclosure; required site improvements; general renovation of interior spaces; and

expansion of the cafe space, the event spaces, and the performance spaces. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2024.

Sec. 16. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 21, subdivision 29, as amended by Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 5, section 34, is amended to read:

Subd. 29. Wabasha - National Eagle Center and Wabasha Riverfront Revitalization

8,000,000

(a) \$1,500,000 of this appropriation is for a grant to the city of Wabasha to predesign the renovation and expansion of the National Eagle Center in order to expand program and exhibit space, and increase aviary space for eagles, and to design and construct improvements to the riverfront in Wabasha for infrastructure, large vessel landing areas and docks, and public access and program areas.

(b) \$2,500,000 of this appropriation is for a grant to the city of Wabasha to acquire land, design, renovate, construct, furnish, and equip the National Eagle Center in order to expand the program space, gift shop, and exhibit space, and increase aviary space for eagles. If the acquisition of land, design, renovation, construction, furnishing, and equipping of the National Eagle Center expansion of its program space, gift shop, exhibit space, and aviary space is complete, the City of Wabasha may use any remaining money from this appropriation toward the renovation of the historical buildings on Main Street.

(c) \$4,000,000 of this appropriation is for a grant to the city of Wabasha to predesign, design, construct, renovate, furnish, and equip the new auditorium, expansion of the Preston Cook Exhibit, and final renovation of the historical buildings on Main Street.

(d) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for the projects described in paragraphs (a) to (c) are available until December 31, 2026.

Sec. 17. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 7, subdivision 12, is amended to read:

Subd. 12. Heartland State Trail; Detroit Lakes to Frazee Segment

2,000,000

For land acquisition, final engineering, ~~and design,~~ and construction of the proposed Heartland State Trail between its current terminus at Becker County CSAH 10 and Trunk Highway 87 in Frazee, and for the construction of a trail bridge over Becker County CSAH 10.

Sec. 18. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 7, subdivision 24, is amended to read:

Subd. 24. ~~Scott County~~ **McMahon Lake Improvement District; McMahon Lake Flood Mitigation** 600,000

For the state share of a flood hazard mitigation grant to ~~Scott County~~ the McMahon Lake Improvement District for publicly owned capital improvements to prevent or alleviate flood damage on McMahon Lake under Minnesota Statutes, section 103F.161, subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695.

Sec. 19. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 15, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

Subd. 6. **Edina; South Metro Public Safety Training Facility** 1,000,000

For a grant to the city of Edina to predesign, design, construct, expand, renovate, furnish, and equip a tactical training building at the South Metro Public Safety Training Facility to provide year-round flexible space for different training scenarios. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2027.

Sec. 20. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 16, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **Anoka County; Marked U.S. Highway 10/169** 8,400,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to Anoka County for environmental analysis, preliminary engineering, ~~and final design,~~ and construction for the interchanges on marked U.S. Highway 10/169 at County State-Aid Highway 56 (Ramsey Boulevard) and County State-Aid Highway 57 (Sunfish Lake Boulevard) and the associated railroad grade separations, frontage roads, backage roads, and connecting local streets to support the U.S. Highway 10/169 improvements in the city of Ramsey.

Sec. 21. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 16, subdivision 11, is amended to read:

Subd. 11. **Ramsey County; I-35E and County Road J Interchange** 1,500,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to Ramsey County to complete the preliminary engineering ~~and~~ environmental analysis, and final design for a full access interchange on County Road J at Interstate Highway 35E and associated improvements on County Road J supporting the interchange from Centerville Road to Otter Lake Road in the cities of North Oaks and Lino Lakes and White Bear Township.

Sec. 22. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 16, subdivision 26, is amended to read:

Subd. 26. Rochester International Airport Runway and Associated Improvements

11,400,000

(a) The following appropriations are for one or more grants to the city of Rochester for improvements to the Rochester International Airport. If any of these appropriations for a specified phase is not needed to complete that phase, the unexpended and unencumbered amount may be applied to another phase of the Rochester Airport project for which an appropriation is made in this subdivision. Each appropriation for a phase is available when the commissioner of management and budget determines that an amount sufficient to complete that phase is committed to the project.

(b) \$2,900,000 is appropriated for Phase 2, for property acquisition; site mitigation; petroleum pipeline relocation and all associated predesign and design at the Rochester International Airport.

(c) \$460,000 is appropriated for Phase 3, for relocation of 31st Ave. SW and 90th Street; utility relocation; grading and drainage improvements; to modify airport fencing and all associated predesign and design at the Rochester International Airport.

(d) \$1,000,000 is appropriated for Phase 4, for removal of taxiways; reconstruction of the southern portion of Runway 2 and adjacent Taxiway B including paved shoulders; installation of lighting and signage and all associated predesign and design at the Rochester International Airport.

(e) \$1,270,000 is appropriated for Phase 5, to modify airport fencing; construct an extension of Runway 2 and Taxiway B including paved shoulders; construct paved shoulders on the remaining portion of Runway 2 located south of the runway-runway intersection; acquisition and installation of navigational aids; installation of lighting and signage and all associated predesign and design at the Rochester International Airport.

(f) \$3,670,000 is appropriated for Phase 6, to demolish and reconstruct a portion of Taxiway B including paved shoulders; to reposition navigational aids; acquire and install instrument approach improvements; for grading and drainage improvements; installation of lighting and signage and all associated predesign and design at the Rochester International Airport.

(g) \$2,100,000 is appropriated for Phase 7, to reconstruct taxiway and runway intersections; to remove Taxiways A6, E, F, G and a portion of Runway 20; to reconstruct Taxiway D; for grading and drainage improvements; installation of lighting and signage and all associated predesign and design at the Rochester International Airport.

(h) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for the projects described in paragraphs (a) to (g) are available until December 31, 2028.

Sec. 23. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 17, subdivision 7, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. **Dakota County; Veterans Memorial Greenway** 5,000,000

For a grant to Dakota County ~~to construct improvements for the acquisition of land and right-of-way, design, engineering, and construction~~ for the Veterans Memorial Greenway, including ~~pedestrian safety-related improvements~~, memorials, a community gathering space, and a new trail connection between Lebanon Hills Regional Park and the Mississippi River.

Sec. 24. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 20, subdivision 11, is amended to read:

Subd. 11. **Prairie Lake Youth JPB; School and Recreation Center** 2,500,000

For a grant to the Prairie Lake Youth Joint Powers Board to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip an indoor recreation and educational building adjoining the current building for the Prairie Lakes Youth Program. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2027.

Sec. 25. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 21, subdivision 46, is amended to read:

Subd. 46. **Western Lake Superior Sanitary District; Engine Generators** 6,750,000

For a grant to the Sanitary Board of the Western Lake Superior Sanitary District to design and construct engine generators as part of the combined heat and power system to capture and process heat and generate electricity for use at the Western Lake Superior Sanitary District wastewater treatment facilities. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2026.

Sec. 26. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 21, subdivision 48, is amended to read:

Subd. 48. **Wright County; Dental Care Facility** 1,400,000

For a grant to Wright County to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip a dental care facility. The dental care facility will be constructed ~~in~~ within a building ~~constructed for this purpose by the county~~ on the Wright County Government Center campus in the city of Buffalo. The county may enter into an agreement under Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695, for operation of the dental clinic.

Sec. 27. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 22, subdivision 33, as amended by Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 9, section 42, is amended to read:

Subd. 33. **Vernon Center; Water Infrastructure Improvements** 7,984,000

For a grant to the city of Vernon Center to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip ~~water and wastewater treatment facilities,~~ water distribution, sanitary sewer, and storm water collection systems, and related local road improvements.

Sec. 28. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 3, section 2, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Hmong American Farmers Association** 2,000,000

(a) For a grant to the Hmong American Farmers Association to purchase approximately 155 acres in Dakota County that the association has leased since 2014, including buildings and improvements on the property.

(b) Upon completion of the purchase of the 155 acres in Dakota County, any unspent portion of this appropriation remaining, after written notice to the commissioner of management and budget, is available to purchase additional farmland. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, this appropriation is available until December 31, 2026.

(c) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, a municipality, county, or the state shall not take or condemn land purchased pursuant to this subdivision without the express consent of the property owner.

Sec. 29. Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 14, article 11, section 42, is amended to read:

Sec. 42. **APPROPRIATION; MEAT PROCESSING BUSINESSES IN REDEVELOPMENT AREA.**

Of an appropriation in fiscal year 2022 for the targeted community capital project grant program under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.9924, the commissioner of employment and economic development must grant \$6,000,000 ~~to the city of South St. Paul for one or more grants to any~~ a grant to a business engaged in the meat processing industry and currently conducting operations in a building or buildings constructed on or before January 1, 1947, and located in a city of the second class that was designated as a redevelopment area by the United States Department of Commerce under the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965, Public Law 89-136, title IV, section 401(a)(4) ~~the city of South St. Paul. This appropriation includes:~~ The grant proceeds may be used for one or more of the following: site acquisition costs; relocation costs; predesign; design; sewer, water, and stormwater infrastructure; site preparation; engineering; and the cost of improvements to real property locally zoned to allow a meat processing land use ~~that are incurred by any qualified business under this section. A grantee under this section must work in consultation with a local government unit with jurisdiction over the area where the property is located on activities funded by the grant.~~ This is a onetime appropriation. ~~A grant issued under this section is not subject to the grant requirements under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.9924.~~

Sec. 30. **CONVEYANCE AUTHORIZED.**

Subdivision 1. **Conveyance authorized.** (a) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.695, 16B.281 to 16B.287, 92.45, 94.09, and 94.10, any state law, administrative rule, or commissioner's order to the contrary, and the appropriation of state general obligation bond proceeds in Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, section 7, subdivision 24, to the commissioner of natural resources, the parcels described in subdivision 2 may be conveyed for no consideration to the city of Two Harbors for outdoor recreation facilities. The commissioner may convey the parcels described in subdivision 2 subject to the state's reservation of an access easement if the commissioner determines that reservation of an access easement is necessary or beneficial for access to any state-owned or state-administered property. Notwithstanding any provision of this section to the contrary, the real property shall continue to be considered state bond-financed property after the conveyance of the real property to the city of Two Harbors and until all the requirements are satisfied for the real property to no longer be considered state bond-financed property. The city of Two Harbors must operate the state bond-financed property in compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695, and all applicable state and federal laws, and in a manner that will not cause the interest on the state general obligation bonds to be subject to federal income taxation for any reason.

(b) The conveyance shall be in a form approved by the attorney general. The attorney general may make changes to the legal description to correct errors and ensure accuracy.

(c) The commissioner of natural resources has determined that the parcels are no longer needed for any state purpose and that the state's interests would best be served if the parcels were conveyed to the city of Two Harbors.

Subd. 2. **Parcels.** The two parcels of property conveyed in subdivision 1 are as follows:

(1) that part of Government Lot 1, Section 1, Township 52 North, Range 11 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, Lake County, Minnesota, lying southerly and easterly of the following described lines: commencing at the center east 1/16 corner; thence along the North-South 1/16 line on an assumed bearing of North 00 degrees 46 minutes 07 seconds East 144.23 feet; thence North 67 degrees 30 minutes 43 seconds West 385.00 feet; thence North 22 degrees 29 minutes 17 seconds East 24.00 feet; thence South 67 degrees 30 minutes 43 seconds East 385.00 feet; thence easterly a distance of 232.90 feet along a tangential curve concave to the North having a radius of 611.85 feet and central angle of 21 degrees 48 minutes 36 seconds; thence South 89 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds East 1,015.67 feet; thence South 00 degrees 40 minutes 41 seconds West 35.00 feet; thence South 89 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds East 73.08 feet to the east line of said Government Lot 1 and the point of beginning of said line; thence North 89 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds West 877.08 feet; thence North 00 degrees 40 minutes 41 seconds East 11.00 feet; thence North 89 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds West 28.86 feet; thence South 00 degrees 51 minutes 25 seconds West 19.82 feet to a 3/4-inch by 24-inch rebar marked "MN DNR LS 16098" (DNR monument); thence continuing South 00 degrees 51 minutes 25 seconds West 484.06 feet to a DNR monument; thence continuing South 00 degrees 51 minutes 25 seconds West 78 feet, more or less to the shore of Lake Superior and there terminating; containing 14.5 acres, more or less (parcel identification number 23-7600-01415); and

(2) that part of Government Lot 3, Section 6, Township 52 North, Range 10 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, described as follows: commencing at the West Quarter corner of said Section 6 (northwest corner of said Government Lot 3); thence North 88 degrees 43 minutes 09 seconds East along the north line of said Government Lot 3 a distance of 485.19 feet; thence South 00 degrees 20 minutes 34 seconds East a distance of 16 feet, more or less, to the south line of the northerly 16 feet of said Government Lot 3, being the point of beginning of the parcel described herein; thence continuing South 00 degrees 20 minutes 34 seconds East a distance of 584 feet, more or less, to a line lying within 600 feet and South of the North boundary of said Government Lot 3; thence westerly, along said line, to the west line of said Government Lot 3; thence northerly, along the west line of the said Government Lot 3 to the south line of the northerly 16 feet of said Government Lot 3; thence easterly along the south line of the northerly 16 feet of said Government Lot 3 to the point of beginning; except minerals (parcel identification number 23-7600-06605).

Sec. 31. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This article is effective the day following final enactment.

Delete the title and insert:

“A bill for an act relating to capital investment; authorizing spending to acquire and better public land and buildings and for other improvements of a capital nature with certain conditions; establishing new programs and modifying existing programs; modifying prior appropriations; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds; authorizing the conveyance of state bond-financed property; requiring reports; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 16A.966, subdivision 2; 116J.417, subdivision 2; 134.45, subdivision 5; 174.38, subdivisions 1, 3; Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, sections 7, subdivisions 7, 9, 11, 18; 16, subdivision 14; 17, subdivision 7, as amended; 18, subdivision 5; 21, subdivisions 17, 29, as amended; Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, sections 7, subdivisions 12, 24; 15, subdivision 6; 16, subdivisions 4, 11, 26; 17, subdivision 7; 20, subdivision 11; 21, subdivisions 46, 48; 22, subdivision 33, as amended; article 3, section 2, subdivision 2; Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 14, article 11, section 42; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 116J; 446A.”

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The report was adopted.

Lee, F., from the Committee on Capital Investment to which was referred:

H. F. No. 670, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the library construction grant program; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. **CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS.**

The sums shown in the column under "Appropriations" are appropriated from the general fund in fiscal year 2024 to the state agencies or officials indicated, to be spent for public purposes. These are onetime appropriations. Money appropriated in this act is available until the project is completed or abandoned, subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642.

APPROPRIATIONS

Sec. 2. **EDUCATION**

\$185,000,000

To the commissioner of education for library construction grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 134.45.

Sec. 3. **DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES**

Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation**

\$5,501,000

To the commissioner of natural resources for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Moorhead; Flood Hazard Mitigation**3,626,000**

For a grant to the city of Moorhead to design, construct, and equip flood mitigation infrastructure. This appropriation includes money for Phase 2 of the North Moorhead levee project, the relocation of sanitary lift station #2, and a levee project along First Avenue North.

Subd. 3. Rochester; Willow Creek Trail**1,875,000**

For a grant to the city of Rochester to predesign, design, engineer, construct, furnish, and equip a paved trail to extend the Rochester Trail network approximately 2.5 miles from 28th Street SE to Gamehaven Regional Park and the future extension of the Bluestem Trail to Stewartville. This project includes a trail crossing under U.S. Highway 52, property/easement acquisition, trail rehabilitation, creek crossing, trail construction, installation of trail wayfinding and rest areas, and a trailhead located at Gamehaven Regional Park.

Sec. 4. PUBLIC SAFETY**Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation****\$1,350,000**

To the commissioner of public safety, or other named entity, for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. State Patrol Headquarters**350,000**

To the commissioner of administration to predesign a Minnesota State Patrol headquarters building and related storage and training facilities.

Subd. 3. Edina; South Metro Public Safety Center**1,000,000**

For a grant to the city of Edina for the South Metro Public Safety Training Facility project. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 15, subdivision 6, for the same purpose.

Sec. 5. AMATEUR SPORTS COMMISSION**\$4,000,000**

To the Minnesota Amateur Sports Commission for grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 240A.20, subdivision 2, clause (2), to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip skate parks. Design work must be by designers with expertise in the field of skate park design. Construction must be of a skate park designed by designers with expertise in the field of skate park design.

Sec. 6. TRANSPORTATION**\$1,400,000**

To the commissioner of transportation for a grant to the city of Biwabik to design and construct Phase 6 of the city's infrastructure improvement project. This appropriation includes money for the

full reconstruction of Fifth Avenue North; First Street North, from First Avenue North to Sixth Avenue North; and Sixth Avenue South, including all associated utilities and other capital improvements.

Sec. 7. **METROPOLITAN COUNCIL**

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation

\$29,355,000

To the Metropolitan Council for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. St. Paul; Lower Phalen Creek Project

2,500,000

For a grant to the Lower Phalen Creek Project to construct the Wakan Tipi Center in St. Paul, including construction of a reception area, classrooms, permanent and temporary exhibit space, community gathering area, and gallery space. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 17, subdivision 11, for the same purpose.

Subd. 3. Dakota County; Minnesota River Greenway

5,000,000

For a grant to Dakota County for right-of-way acquisition and for predesign, design, engineering, and construction of pedestrian safety-related improvements, including grade-separated crossings of railroads and multilane highways in Dakota County. This appropriation includes money for the Minnesota River Regional Greenway in Fort Snelling State Park.

Subd. 4. Minneapolis Park Board; Grand Rounds Missing Link

6,000,000

For a grant to the Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board to design and construct trail connections for the Grand Rounds Missing Link on the east side of Minneapolis between East River Road and St. Anthony Parkway.

Subd. 5. Minnetonka; Hopkins Crossroad Trail

1,635,000

For a grant to the city of Minnetonka to acquire property, complete predesign and design, construct, furnish, and equip a new off-street, multiuse trail along County State-Aid Highway 73, Hopkins Crossroad, from Cedar Lake Road to Wayzata Boulevard and Hillside Lane east of Hopkins Crossroad. This appropriation may be used for utility relocation to accommodate the trail.

Subd. 6. Minnetonka; Opus Public Space

725,000

For a grant to the city of Minnetonka to acquire property, predesign, and design a public space including a linear plaza, an interactive art and play area, a splash pad, a dog park, a great lawn,

an amphitheater, shelters, trail connections, a bike share space, a bike parking space, and an overlook at a site adjacent to the Southwest Light Rail Transit Opus station.

Subd. 7. Ramsey County; Bruce Vento Regional Trail 5,000,000

For a grant to Ramsey County to construct a 2.7-mile extension of the Bruce Vento Regional Trail between Buerkle Road and the intersection of Hoffman Road/Trunk Highway 61 in the city of White Bear Lake.

Subd. 8. Ramsey County; Park at Riversedge 6,220,000

For a grant to Ramsey County to acquire property for and to predesign and design a public realm in the city of St. Paul over a portion of Shepard Road and adjacent rail lines, including related infrastructure.

Subd. 9. Three Rivers Park District; Mississippi Gateway Regional Park 3,000,000

For a grant to the Three Rivers Park District to design, engineer, construct, furnish, and equip the Mississippi Gateway Regional Park development, including playground development, pedestrian trail connections, landscape restoration and enhancements, habitat restoration, visitor center, classroom space, and site amenities. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation under Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 17, subdivision 12.

Sec. 8. HUMAN SERVICES

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation **\$24,956,000**

To the commissioner of administration, or other named entity, for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. St. Peter Regional Treatment Center Campus; Phase 2 21,568,000

To design, renovate, construct, furnish, and equip the second phase of a multiphase project to develop additional residential, program, activity, and ancillary facilities for the Minnesota sex offender program on the lower campus of the St. Peter Regional Treatment Center. This appropriation includes money to design, renovate, construct, furnish, and equip the west, south, and north wings of Sunrise and the Tomlinson Building. This appropriation also includes money to: replace or renovate HVAC, plumbing, electrical, security, and life safety systems; address fire and life safety, and other building code deficiencies; replace windows and doors; tuck-point exterior building envelopes; reconfigure and

remodel space; design and abate asbestos and other hazardous materials; remove or demolish nonfunctioning building components; and complete site work necessary to support the programmed use of the buildings.

Subd. 3. Harriet Tubman Center East Renovation

3,388,000

To the commissioner of human services for a grant to Tubman to design, construct, renovate, furnish, and equip capital improvements to the Harriet Tubman Center East building in the city of Maplewood. This appropriation includes money for installation of a public elevator, partial replacement of the roof, electrical system improvements, window replacement, and the completion of a fire sprinkling system.

Any unspent portion of this appropriation remaining after completion of the projects listed in this subdivision, after written notice to the commissioner of human services, is available for additional improvements and betterments of a capital nature at the Harriet Tubman Center East building.

Sec. 9. EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation

\$141,357,000

To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Apple Valley; Inclusive Playground

1,382,000

For a grant to the city of Apple Valley to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip an inclusive and accessible playground in the city of Apple Valley. "Inclusive and accessible playground" as used in this subdivision means a playground, planned and designed in partnership with community stakeholders, designed to be safe and accessible to all children including those with intellectual, developmental, or physical disabilities.

Subd. 3. Aurora; Community Center

630,000

For a grant to the city of Aurora to construct improvements and betterments of a capital nature to the community center facility. This appropriation includes major projects to preserve or replace windows, roofing, mechanical or electrical systems, utility infrastructure, safety systems, and site renovations to support ongoing operations including energy conservation and accessibility improvements.

Subd. 4. Bloomington; Public Health Facility

1,800,000

For a grant to the city of Bloomington to design a public health facility in the city of Bloomington to serve people who live and work in the cities of Bloomington, Edina, and Richfield.

Subd. 5. Champlin; Mississippi Crossings1,000,000

For a grant to the city of Champlin to design, construct, and equip a parking area, including related site improvements and infrastructure, for Mississippi Crossings. This appropriation includes money for charging stations for electric vehicles, an ADA-compliant trail, an event space, an outdoor performance area, and a municipal dock system.

Subd. 6. Champlin; Park Land Acquisition1,250,000

For a grant to the city of Champlin for the acquisition of real property, as part of the city's parks and conservation initiative, along the Elm Creek Greenway Trail Corridor and adjacent to the Champlin Mill Pond.

Subd. 7. Chisholm; Ice Arena and Curling Club3,000,000

For a grant to the city of Chisholm to predesign, design, and construct capital improvements to the existing Sports Arena and Curling Club, located in Chisholm, including replacing an existing ice plant serving both the hockey arena and the curling club, adding new heating mains and replacing curling mains, replacing the floor systems in both the hockey arena and the curling club, and installing dehumidification systems in both the hockey arena and the curling club.

Subd. 8. Duluth; Entertainment and Convention Center5,000,000

For a grant to the Duluth Entertainment and Convention Center Authority to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip capital improvements and renovations to the Duluth Entertainment and Convention Center facility. This appropriation includes money for replacement of or improvements to mechanical, electrical, heating, ventilating, and air conditioning systems; life safety improvements; and improvements to the building's exterior envelope.

Subd. 9. Duluth; Spirit Mountain13,000,000

For a grant to the city of Duluth to design and construct new facilities and to renew, replace, and repair existing facilities at the Spirit Mountain Recreation Area.

Subd. 10. Hermantown; Ice Arena7,475,000

For a grant to the city of Hermantown to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip an expansion and improvements to the hockey arena in the city of Hermantown, including adding a second sheet of indoor ice, locker rooms, dry land training area, ice plant, Zamboni room, and mezzanine, and renovating and reconfiguring existing space.

Subd. 11. Inver Grove Heights; Heritage Village Park2,000,000

For a grant to the city of Inver Grove Heights to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip an inclusive accessible play structure for children and to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip accessible restrooms, water fountains, and a fixed-shade structure, at Heritage Village Park.

Subd. 12. Mendota Heights; Pilot Knob1,836,000

For a grant to the city of Mendota Heights for Oheyawahe (Pilot Knob), a culturally, historically, and environmentally important site and Dakota sacred site located at 2100 Pilot Knob Road in Mendota Heights, overlooking the confluence of the Mississippi and Minnesota Rivers, which is included on the National Register of Historic Places. This appropriation includes money to design and construct: multipurpose gathering spaces, interpretation structures, trail connections and walkways, parking, and other visitor amenities and infrastructure; grading, landscaping, and other site and natural resource improvements including the planting and restoration of native vegetation; and other betterments necessary to provide safe and improved visitor access and preserve the site as a public natural area.

Subd. 13. Minneapolis; Central City Storm Tunnel9,900,000

For a grant to the city of Minneapolis for construction necessary to expand the Central City Storm Tunnel in Minneapolis. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 21, subdivision 26, for the same purpose.

Subd. 14. Oak Park Heights; Redevelopment2,190,000

For a grant to the city of Oak Park Heights to acquire property and to predesign and design public infrastructure for development of the Allen S. King power plant site in the city. Public infrastructure includes clean water systems, sanitary sewer systems, stormwater systems, roads, trails, and sidewalks.

Subd. 15. Richfield; Wood Lake Nature Center12,000,000

For a grant to the city of Richfield to predesign and design a new nature center building, and for the renovation of the site and trails at Wood Lake Nature Center. This appropriation may also be used for demolition costs associated with completing the project described in this subdivision.

Subd. 16. St. Paul; North End Community Center6,000,000

For a grant to the city of St. Paul for site preparation, park enhancements, and to construct, furnish, and equip a community center in the city's North End neighborhood.

Subd. 17. St. Paul; Conway Recreation Center2,500,000

For a grant to the city of St. Paul for the repair, upgrade, and renovation of the existing structure; design, site preparation, and preconstruction services for an auxiliary storage facility; and improvements to increase security and safety at the Conway Community Recreation Center in the city of St. Paul.

Subd. 18. 30,000 Feet; Technical Training Center3,500,000

For a grant to 30,000 Feet to construct a Black Arts and Tech Center in the city of St. Paul to increase the number of African American youth and families served through culturally responsive arts and technology education, social-emotional learning, and African American history and culture.

Subd. 19. Ain Dah Yung Center2,200,000

For a grant to the Ain Dah Yung (Our Home) Center to construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of the emergency shelter and youth lodge in the city of St. Paul. The renovations include tuckpointing, electric upgrades, ADA access, emergency fire escape, and bathroom renovation for the emergency shelter. This appropriation also includes money for roof replacement, electric upgrades, and ADA access for the youth lodge.

Subd. 20. Hope 4 Youth8,000,000

For a grant to HOPE 4 Youth to acquire property, predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip a youth homeless drop-in center in Anoka County.

Subd. 21. Appetite For Change1,500,000

For a grant to Appetite for Change to acquire property, predesign, and design a facility that will provide access to food, workforce development, urban agriculture, and health and wellness services in the city of Minneapolis.

Subd. 22. Avenues For Youth2,073,000

For a grant to Avenues for Youth to acquire property, predesign, and design a new expanded facility in North Minneapolis to provide space for the organization's existing North Minneapolis emergency shelter and transitional housing program, provide affordable housing for youth, and serve as the new administrative headquarters for Avenues for Youth.

Subd. 23. Comunidades Latinas Unidas en Servicio (CLUES)3,500,000

For a grant to Comunidades Latinas Unidas en Servicio (CLUES) to acquire property and predesign a new Latino outreach facility at 2800 East Lake Street, Minneapolis. The new Economic

Opportunity and Wellness Hub will provide workforce training, business incubators and technical assistance, a youth technology center, behavioral health clinics, a food shelf, child care, and other high-demand community supports.

Subd. 24. Cultural Wellness Center

3,000,000

For a grant to the Cultural Wellness Center for acquisition of property; site preparation, including demolition; and improvements and betterments of a capital nature for Dreamland on 38th Street in the city of Minneapolis. This appropriation includes money for HVAC and mechanical system upgrades and storm water and utility improvements.

Subd. 25. Armory Arts and Music Center

4,500,000

(a) For a grant to the Armory Arts and Music Center to design, construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of the historic Armory in the city of Duluth.

(b) This appropriation includes money for improvements for the Music Resource Center, the North Country Creative Center, and the Food Enterprise Center; interior building improvements, including structural enhancements to meet current applicable building codes; improvements for compliance with Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) requirements; and building systems, including mechanical, electrical, plumbing, and utility upgrades.

(c) This project must use design and construction methods to maximize consideration of energy efficiency and long-life cycle materials, while meeting the requirements of the federal National Parks Service, Secretary of Interior Standards for Rehabilitation.

(d) Due to the integrated nature of the overall development, public bidding is not required for this project.

Subd. 26. Keystone Community Services

2,300,000

For a grant to Keystone Community Services to renovate, furnish, and equip improvements to existing exterior enclosure, utilities, interior spaces, and other improvements of a capital nature for a new community food site in Ramsey County.

Subd. 27. Irreducible Grace Foundation

1,500,000

For a grant to the Irreducible Grace Foundation for demolition of 3,800 square feet of the Black Youth Healing Arts Center, and pre-design and design of housing at 643 Virginia St. in St. Paul to be owned and managed by the Irreducible Grace Foundation for youth and young adults.

Subd. 28. Isuroon3,000,000

For a grant to Isuroon to predesign, design, construct, and renovate the property located at 1600 Lake Street, in the city of Minneapolis, to carry out the mission of the organization to support immigrant women and provide mental health counseling.

Subd. 29. Native American Community Clinic4,500,000

(a) For a grant to the Native American Community Clinic for site preparation and construction of an expansion of the clinic in the city of Minneapolis. This appropriation includes money for medical and dental exam rooms, additional laboratory and diagnostic space, and associated capital improvements that will facilitate additional patients.

(b) This appropriation is only for the Native American Community Clinic. The Native American Community Clinic may sell real property interests on the clinic property, the purchase and construction of which were funded by this and earlier appropriations, so long as: (1) the real property interests sold do not include the clinic, and (2) the rights and interests sold will be used for the purpose of developing affordable housing for the populations served by the clinic. In addition, the Native American Community Clinic may retain any sale proceeds so long as the sale proceeds are applied to the construction and expansion of the clinic for which this appropriation is being made.

Subd. 30. Northrup King Building1,720,000

For a grant to the city of Minneapolis for improvement and betterments of a capital nature to renovate and restore the historic Northrup King Building campus in the city of Minneapolis.

Subd. 31. Public Functionary450,000

For a grant to Public Functionary to predesign and design a community arts center in the northeast area of the city of Minneapolis to serve Black, Indigenous, people of color, LGBTQ, and emerging artists and entrepreneurs in a multiuse arts and culture space.

Subd. 32. Somali Museum3,900,000

For a grant to the Somali Museum to predesign and design a facility in the city of Minneapolis to be used for a museum of Somali relics and artifacts, Somali cultural history, and education.

Subd. 33. Southern Anoka Community Assistance2,500,000

For a grant to Southern Anoka Community Assistance to predesign, design, construct, engineer, furnish, and equip a facility in the city of Columbia Heights to provide food shelf services, grocery delivery for seniors and people with disabilities, and basic needs support.

Subd. 34. Great River Children's Museum7,000,000

For a grant to Great River Children's Museum to construct, furnish, and equip capital improvements to renovate and expand a facility and outdoor exhibit space donated to the museum for the purpose of housing a children's museum in the city of St. Cloud.

Subd. 35. V3 Sports, Inc.12,000,000

For a grant to V3 Sports, Inc., to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip a community, aquatic, sports, and event center with a 50-meter competition swimming pool in the North Minneapolis neighborhood.

Subd. 36. Walker West Music Academy2,526,000

For a grant to Walker West Music Academy to acquire property, predesign, and design a building in the city of St. Paul to support youth music education.

Sec. 10. CANCELLATION.

The amount of the general fund appropriations listed in the cancellation report submitted to the legislature in January 2023, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, are canceled on the effective date of this section.

Sec. 11. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This act is effective the day following final enactment."

Renumber the subdivisions in sequence

Amend the appropriations by the specified amounts and correct the totals and the appropriations by fund accordingly

Renumber the sections in sequence and correct internal references

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to capital investment; authorizing spending to acquire and better land and buildings and for other improvements of a capital nature with certain conditions; canceling prior appropriations; appropriating money."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The report was adopted.

Klevorn from the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 734, A bill for an act relating to local government; requiring cities to allow native landscapes on private land; prohibiting certain vegetation overgrowth within cities; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 412.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Hansen, R., from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 742, A bill for an act relating to environment; prohibiting the use of certain firefighting foam; allowing certain exemptions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 325F.072, subdivisions 1, 3.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 2, after line 24, insert:

"(c) This subdivision does not apply to the manufacture, sale, distribution, or use of class B firefighting foam for purposes of use at an airport, as defined under section 360.013, subdivision 39, until the state fire marshal makes a determination that:

(1) the Federal Aviation Administration has provided policy guidance on the transition to fluorine-free firefighting foam; and

(2) a fluorine-free firefighting foam product is included in the Federal Aviation Administration's Qualified Product Database.

(d) Until the state fire marshal makes a determination under paragraph (c), the operator of an airport using class B firefighting foam containing PFAS chemicals must, on or before December 31 of each calendar year, submit a report to the state fire marshal regarding the status of the airport's conversion to class B firefighting foam products without intentionally added PFAS, the disposal of class B firefighting foam products with intentionally added PFAS, and an assessment of the factors listed in paragraph (c) as applied to the airport."

Page 2, after line 25, insert:

"Sec. 3. **TEMPORARY EXEMPTION FOR TERMINALS AND OIL REFINERIES.**

Subdivision 1. **Temporary exemption.** Minnesota Statutes, section 325F.072, subdivision 3, does not apply to the manufacture, sale, distribution, or use of class B firefighting foam for the purposes of use at a terminal or oil refinery until January 1, 2026.

Subd. 2. **Extension; waiver.** (a) A person who operates a terminal or oil refinery may apply to the state fire marshal for a waiver to extend the exemption under subdivision 1, beyond January 1, 2026, as provided in this subdivision.

(b) The state fire marshal may grant a waiver to extend the exemption under subdivision 1 for a specific use if the applicant provides all of the following:

(1) clear and convincing evidence that there is no commercially available replacement that does not contain intentionally added PFAS chemicals and that is capable of suppressing fire for that specific use;

(2) information on the amount of firefighting foam containing intentionally added PFAS chemicals stored, used, or released on-site on an annual basis;

(3) a detailed plan, with timelines, for the operator of the terminal or oil refinery to transition to firefighting foam that does not contain intentionally added PFAS chemicals for that specific use; and

(4) a plan for meeting the requirements under subdivision 3.

(c) The state fire marshal must ensure there is an opportunity for public comment during the waiver process. The state fire marshal must consider both information provided by the applicant and information provided through public comment when making a decision on whether to grant a waiver. The term of a waiver must not exceed two years. The state fire marshal must not grant a waiver for a specific use if any other terminal or oil refinery is known to have transitioned to commercially available class B firefighting foam that does not contain intentionally added PFAS chemicals for that specific use. All waivers must expire by January 1, 2028. A person that anticipates applying for a waiver for a terminal or oil refinery must submit a notice of intent to the state fire marshal by January 1, 2025, in order to be considered for a waiver beyond January 1, 2026. The state fire marshal must notify the waiver applicant of a decision within six months of the waiver submission date.

(d) The state fire marshal must provide an applicant for a waiver under this subdivision an opportunity to:

(1) correct deficiencies when applying for a waiver; and

(2) provide evidence to dispute a determination that another terminal or oil refinery is known to have transitioned to commercially available class B firefighting foam that does not contain intentionally added PFAS chemicals for that specific use, including evidence that the specific use is different.

Subd. 3. **Use requirements.** (a) A person that uses class B firefighting foam containing intentionally added PFAS chemicals under this section must:

(1) implement tactics that have been demonstrated to prevent release directly to the environment, such as to unsealed ground, soakage pits, waterways, or uncontrolled drains;

(2) attempt to fully contain all fire foams with PFAS on-site using demonstrated practices designed to contain all PFAS releases;

(3) implement containment measures such as bunds and ponds that are controlled, impervious to PFAS chemicals, and do not allow firewater, wastewater, runoff, and other wastes to be released to the environment, such as to soils, groundwater, waterways, or stormwater; and

(4) dispose of all firewater, wastewater, runoff, impacted soils, and other wastes in a way that prevents releases to the environment.

(b) A terminal or oil refinery that has received a waiver under this section may provide and use class B firefighting foam containing intentionally added PFAS chemicals in the form of mutual aid to another terminal or oil refinery at the request of authorities only if the other terminal or oil refinery also has a waiver.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective January 1, 2024.

Sec. 4. FIREFIGHTER TURNOUT GEAR; REPORT.

(a) The commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency, in cooperation with the commissioner of health, must submit a report to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees and divisions with jurisdiction over environment and natural resources regarding perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) in turnout gear by January 15, 2024. The report must include:

(1) current turnout gear requirements and options for eliminating or reducing PFAS in turnout gear;

(2) current turnout gear disposal methods and recommendations for future disposal to prevent PFAS contamination; and

(3) recommendations and protocols for PFAS biomonitoring in firefighters, including a process for allowing firefighters to voluntarily register for biomonitoring.

(b) For the purposes of this section, "turnout gear" is the personal protective equipment (PPE) used by firefighters.

Sec. 5. **APPROPRIATION; BIOMONITORING.**

\$500,000 in fiscal year 2024 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency for developing and implementing firefighter biomonitoring protocols under section 4. Of this amount, up to \$250,000 may be transferred to the commissioner of health for biomonitoring of firefighters. This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2025."

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 3, after the semicolon, insert "requiring a report; appropriating money;"

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

The report was adopted.

Nelson, M., from the Committee on Labor and Industry Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 772, A bill for an act relating to the State Building Code; modifying how the energy code for new commercial buildings is adopted; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 326B.106, subdivision 1.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 2, line 18, before "The" insert "The commissioner shall consider amendments to the model energy codes that mitigate the impact of climate change and reduce greenhouse gas emissions by increasing and optimizing energy efficiency and improving resiliency of new buildings and existing buildings undergoing additions, alterations, and changes of use."

Page 2, lines 21 and 22, reinstate the stricken language

Page 2, lines 22 to 24, delete the new language

Page 2, delete lines 27 to 29 and insert "The commercial energy code in effect in 2036 and thereafter must achieve an 80 percent reduction in annual net energy consumption or greater, using the ASHRAE 90.1-2004 as a baseline. The commissioner shall adopt commercial energy codes from 2024 to 2036 that incrementally move toward achieving the 80 percent reduction in annual net energy consumption. By January 15 of the year following each new code adoption, the commissioner shall make a report on progress under this section to the legislative committees with jurisdiction over the energy code."

Page 2, after line 29, insert:

"(f) Nothing in this section shall be interpreted to limit the ability of a public utility to offer code support programs, or to claim energy savings resulting from such programs, through its energy conservation and optimization plans approved by the commissioner of commerce under section 216B.241."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The report was adopted.

Noor from the Committee on Human Services Finance to which was referred:

H. F. No. 813, A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing home and community-based workforce incentive fund grants; establishing an awareness-building campaign for the recruitment of direct care professionals; appropriating money.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 2, after line 24, insert:

"Subd. 5. **Distribution plan; report.** (a) A provider agency or individual provider that receives a grant under subdivision 4 shall prepare, and upon request submit to the commissioner, a distribution plan that specifies the amount of money the provider expects to receive and how that money will be distributed for recruitment and retention purposes for eligible employees. Within 60 days of receiving the grant, the provider must post the distribution plan and leave it posted for a period of at least six months in an area of the provider's operation to which all direct support professionals have access.

(b) Within 12 months of receiving a grant under this section, each provider agency or individual provider that receives a grant under subdivision 4 shall submit a report to the commissioner that includes the following information:

(1) a description of how grant funds were distributed to eligible employees; and

(2) the total dollar amount distributed.

(c) Failure to submit the report under paragraph (b) may result in recoupment of grant funds."

Reorder the subdivisions in sequence

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Workforce Development Finance and Policy.

The report was adopted.

Youakim from the Committee on Education Finance to which was referred:

H. F. No. 879, A bill for an act relating to education finance; increasing local optional revenue; linking future increases in local optional revenue to the growth in the general education basic formula allowance; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 126C.10, subdivision 2e.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 1, delete section 1 and insert:

"Sec. 1. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 126C.10, subdivision 2e, is amended to read:

Subd. 2e. **Local optional revenue.** (a) For fiscal ~~year years~~ years 2021 and later through 2024, local optional revenue for a school district equals the sum of the district's first tier local optional revenue and second tier local optional revenue. A district's first tier local optional revenue equals \$300 times the adjusted pupil units of the district for that school year. A district's second tier local optional revenue equals \$424 times the adjusted pupil units of the district for that school year.

(b) For fiscal ~~year years~~ years 2021 and later through 2024, a district's local optional levy equals the sum of the first tier local optional levy and the second tier local optional levy.

(c) For fiscal years 2023 and 2024, a district's first tier local optional levy equals the district's first tier local optional revenue times the lesser of one or the ratio of the district's referendum market value per resident pupil unit to \$880,000.

~~(d) For fiscal year 2022, a district's second tier local optional levy equals the district's second tier local optional revenue times the lesser of one or the ratio of the district's referendum market value per resident pupil unit to \$510,000. For fiscal year 2023, a district's second tier local optional levy equals the district's second tier local optional revenue times the lesser of one or the ratio of the district's referendum market value per resident pupil unit to \$548,842. For fiscal year 2024 and later, a district's second tier local optional levy equals the district's second tier local optional revenue times the lesser of one or the ratio of the district's referendum market value per resident pupil unit to \$510,000.~~

(e) For fiscal year 2025, a district's local optional revenue allowance equals \$840. For fiscal year 2026 and later, a district's local optional revenue allowance equals the local optional revenue allowance for the previous year times the ratio of the basic formula allowance for the current year to the basic formula allowance for the previous year.

(f) For fiscal years 2025 and later, a district's local optional revenue equals the local optional revenue allowance for that year times the district's adjusted pupil units for that year.

(g) For fiscal years 2025 and later, a district's local optional levy equals the district's local optional revenue times the lesser of one or the ratio of the district's referendum market value per resident pupil unit to \$957,000.

~~(e)~~ (h) The local optional levy must be spread on referendum market value. A district may levy less than the permitted amount.

~~(i)~~ (i) A district's local optional aid equals its local optional revenue minus its local optional levy. If a district's actual levy for first or second tier local optional revenue is less than its maximum levy limit for that tier, its aid must be proportionately reduced.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective for revenue for fiscal year 2025 and later."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Taxes.

The report was adopted.

Nelson, M., from the Committee on Labor and Industry Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 908, A bill for an act relating to nursing homes; establishing the Nursing Home Workforce Standards Board; establishing duties for the board; requiring training for nursing home workers; prohibiting retaliation against nursing home workers; providing for enforcement; authorizing rulemaking; authorizing civil actions by nursing home workers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 177.27, subdivisions 4, 7; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 181.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. TITLE.

Sections 181.211 to 181.217 shall be known as the "Minnesota Nursing Home Workforce Standards Board Act."

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 177.27, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **Compliance orders.** The commissioner may issue an order requiring an employer to comply with sections 177.21 to 177.435, 181.02, 181.03, 181.031, 181.032, 181.101, 181.11, 181.13, 181.14, 181.145, 181.15, 181.172, paragraph (a) or (d), 181.214 to 181.217, 181.275, subdivision 2a, 181.722, 181.79, and 181.939 to 181.943, or with any rule promulgated under section 177.28, 181.213, or 181.215. The commissioner shall issue an order requiring an employer to comply with sections 177.41 to 177.435 if the violation is repeated. For purposes of this subdivision only, a violation is repeated if at any time during the two years that preceded the date of violation, the commissioner issued an order to the employer for violation of sections 177.41 to 177.435 and the order is final or the commissioner and the employer have entered into a settlement agreement that required the employer to pay back wages that were required by sections 177.41 to 177.435. The department shall serve the order upon the employer or the employer's authorized representative in person or by certified mail at the employer's place of business. An employer who wishes to contest the order must file written notice of objection to the order with the commissioner within 15 calendar days after being served with the order. A contested case proceeding must then be held in accordance with sections 14.57 to 14.69. If, within 15 calendar days after being served with the order, the employer fails to file a written notice of objection with the commissioner, the order becomes a final order of the commissioner.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 177.27, subdivision 7, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. **Employer liability.** If an employer is found by the commissioner to have violated a section identified in subdivision 4, or any rule adopted under section 177.28, 181.213, or 181.215, and the commissioner issues an order to comply, the commissioner shall order the employer to cease and desist from engaging in the violative practice and to take such affirmative steps that in the judgment of the commissioner will effectuate the purposes of the section or rule violated. The commissioner shall order the employer to pay to the aggrieved parties back pay, gratuities, and compensatory damages, less any amount actually paid to the employee by the employer, and for an additional equal amount as liquidated damages. Any employer who is found by the commissioner to have repeatedly or willfully violated a section or sections identified in subdivision 4 shall be subject to a civil penalty of up to \$1,000 for each violation for each employee. In determining the amount of a civil penalty under this subdivision, the appropriateness of such penalty to the size of the employer's business and the gravity of the violation shall be considered. In addition, the commissioner may order the employer to reimburse the department and the attorney general for all appropriate litigation and hearing costs expended in preparation for and in conducting the contested case proceeding, unless payment of costs would impose extreme financial hardship on the employer. If the employer is able to establish extreme financial hardship, then the commissioner may order the employer to pay a percentage of the total costs that will not cause extreme financial hardship. Costs include but are

not limited to the costs of services rendered by the attorney general, private attorneys if engaged by the department, administrative law judges, court reporters, and expert witnesses as well as the cost of transcripts. Interest shall accrue on, and be added to, the unpaid balance of a commissioner's order from the date the order is signed by the commissioner until it is paid, at an annual rate provided in section 549.09, subdivision 1, paragraph (c). The commissioner may establish escrow accounts for purposes of distributing damages.

Sec. 4. **[181.211] DEFINITIONS.**

Subdivision 1. **Application.** The terms defined in this section apply to sections 181.211 to 181.217.

Subd. 2. **Board.** "Board" means the Minnesota Nursing Home Workforce Standards Board established under section 181.212.

Subd. 3. **Certified worker organization.** "Certified worker organization" means a worker organization that is certified by the board to conduct nursing home worker trainings under section 181.214.

Subd. 4. **Commissioner.** "Commissioner" means the commissioner of labor and industry.

Subd. 5. **Employer organization.** "Employer organization" means:

(1) an organization that is exempt from federal income taxation under section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code and that represents nursing home employers; or

(2) an entity that employers, who together employ a majority of nursing home workers in Minnesota, have selected as a representative.

Subd. 6. **Nursing home.** "Nursing home" means a nursing home licensed under chapter 144A, or a boarding care home licensed under sections 144.50 to 144.56.

Subd. 7. **Nursing home employer.** "Nursing home employer" means an employer of nursing home workers.

Subd. 8. **Nursing home worker.** "Nursing home worker" means any worker who provides services in a nursing home in Minnesota, including direct care staff, administrative staff, and contractors.

Subd. 9. **Worker organization.** "Worker organization" means an organization that is exempt from federal income taxation under section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), or 501(c)(5) of the Internal Revenue Code, that is not interfered with or dominated by any nursing home employer within the meaning of United States Code, title 29, section 158a(2), and that has at least five years of demonstrated experience engaging with and advocating for nursing home workers.

Sec. 5. **[181.212] MINNESOTA NURSING HOME WORKFORCE STANDARDS BOARD; ESTABLISHMENT.**

Subdivision 1. **Board established; membership.** The Minnesota Nursing Home Workforce Standards Board is created with the powers and duties established by law. The board is composed of the following voting members:

(1) the commissioner of human services or a designee;

(2) the commissioner of health or a designee;

(3) the commissioner of labor and industry or a designee;

(4) three members who represent nursing home employers or employer organizations, appointed by the governor in accordance with section 15.066; and

(5) three members who represent nursing home workers or worker organizations, appointed by the governor in accordance with section 15.066.

Subd. 2. **Terms; vacancies.** (a) Board members appointed under subdivision 1, clause (4) or (5), shall serve four-year terms following the initial staggered-lot determination. The initial terms of members appointed under subdivision 1, clauses (4) and (5), shall be determined by lot by the secretary of state and shall be as follows:

(1) one member appointed under each of subdivision 1, clauses (4) and (5), shall serve a two-year term;

(2) one member appointed under each of subdivision 1, clauses (4) and (5), shall serve a three-year term; and

(3) one member appointed under each of subdivision 1, clauses (4) and (5), shall serve a four-year term.

(b) For members appointed under subdivision 1, clause (4) or (5), the governor shall fill vacancies occurring prior to the expiration of a member's term by appointment for the unexpired term. A member appointed under subdivision 1, clause (4) or (5), must not be appointed to more than two consecutive terms.

Subd. 3. **Chairperson.** The board shall elect a member by majority vote to serve as its chairperson and shall determine the term to be served by the chairperson.

Subd. 4. **Staffing.** The commissioner may employ an executive director for the board and other personnel to carry out duties of the board under sections 181.211 to 181.217.

Subd. 5. **Compensation.** Compensation of board members is governed by section 15.0575.

Subd. 6. **Application of other laws.** Meetings of the board are subject to chapter 13D. The board is subject to chapter 13. The board shall comply with section 15.0597.

Subd. 7. **Voting.** The affirmative vote of five board members is required for the board to take any action, including actions necessary to establish minimum nursing home employment standards under section 181.213.

Subd. 8. **Hearings and investigations.** To carry out its duties, the board shall hold public hearings on, and conduct investigations into, working conditions in the nursing home industry in accordance with section 181.213.

Subd. 9. **Department support.** The commissioner shall provide staff support to the board. The support includes professional, legal, technical, and clerical staff necessary to perform rulemaking and other duties assigned to the board. The commissioner shall supply necessary office space and supplies to assist the board in its duties.

Sec. 6. **[181.213] DUTIES OF THE BOARD; MINIMUM NURSING HOME EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS.**

Subdivision 1. **Authority to establish minimum nursing home employment standards.** (a) The board must adopt rules establishing minimum nursing home employment standards that are reasonably necessary and appropriate to protect the health and welfare of nursing home workers, to ensure that nursing home workers are properly trained about and fully informed of their rights under sections 181.211 to 181.217, and to otherwise satisfy the purposes of sections 181.211 to 181.217. Standards established by the board must include, as appropriate, standards on compensation, working hours, and other working conditions for nursing home workers. Any standards established by the board under this section must be at least as protective of or beneficial to nursing home workers as any other applicable statute or rule or any standard previously established by the board. In establishing standards under this section, the board may establish statewide standards, standards that apply to specific nursing home occupations, standards that apply to specific geographic areas within the state, or any combination thereof.

(b) The board must adopt rules establishing initial standards for wages and working hours for nursing home workers no later than August 1, 2024. The board may use the authority in section 14.389 to adopt rules under this paragraph. The board shall consult with the department in the development of these standards prior to beginning the rule adoption process.

(c) To the extent that any minimum standards that the board finds are reasonably necessary and appropriate to protect the health and welfare of nursing home workers fall within the jurisdiction of chapter 182, the board shall not adopt rules establishing the standards but shall instead recommend the occupational health and safety standards to the commissioner. The commissioner shall adopt nursing home health and safety standards under section 182.655 as recommended by the board, unless the commissioner determines that the recommended standard is outside the statutory authority of the commissioner, presents enforceability challenges, is infeasible to implement, or is otherwise unlawful and issues a written explanation of this determination.

Subd. 2. Investigation of market conditions. The board must investigate market conditions and the existing wages, benefits, and working conditions of nursing home workers for specific geographic areas of the state and specific nursing home occupations. Based on this information, the board must seek to adopt minimum nursing home employment standards that meet or exceed existing industry conditions for a majority of nursing home workers in the relevant geographic area and nursing home occupation. The board must consider the following types of information in making determinations that employment standards are reasonably necessary to protect the health and welfare of nursing home workers:

(1) wage rate and benefit data collected by or submitted to the board for nursing home workers in the relevant geographic area and nursing home occupations;

(2) statements showing wage rates and benefits paid to nursing home workers in the relevant geographic area and nursing home occupations;

(3) signed collective bargaining agreements applicable to nursing home workers in the relevant geographic area and nursing home occupations;

(4) testimony and information from current and former nursing home workers, worker organizations, nursing home employers, and employer organizations;

(5) local minimum nursing home employment standards;

(6) information submitted by or obtained from state and local government entities; and

(7) any other information pertinent to establishing minimum nursing home employment standards.

Subd. 3. Review of standards. At least once every two years, the board shall:

(1) conduct a full review of the adequacy of the minimum nursing home employment standards previously established by the board; and

(2) following that review, adopt new rules, amend or repeal existing rules, or make recommendations to adopt new rules or amend or repeal existing rules for minimum nursing home employment standards using the expedited rulemaking process in section 14.389, as appropriate to meet the purposes of sections 181.211 to 181.217.

Subd. 4. Conflict. (a) In the event of a conflict between a standard established by the board in rule and a rule adopted by another state agency, the rule adopted by the board shall apply to nursing home workers and nursing home employers.

(b) Notwithstanding paragraph (a), in the event of a conflict between a standard established by the board in rule and a rule adopted by another state agency, the rule adopted by the other state agency shall apply to nursing home workers and nursing home employers if the rule adopted by the other state agency is adopted after the board's standard and the rule adopted by the other state agency is more protective or beneficial than the board's standard.

(c) Notwithstanding paragraph (a), if the commissioner of health determines that a standard established by the board in rule or recommended by the board conflicts with requirements in federal regulations for nursing home certification or with state statutes or rules governing licensure of nursing homes, the federal regulations or state nursing home licensure statutes or rules shall take precedence, and the conflicting board standard or rule shall not apply to nursing home workers or nursing home employers.

Subd. 5. **Effect on other agreements.** Nothing in sections 181.211 to 181.217 shall be construed to:

(1) limit the rights of parties to a collective bargaining agreement to bargain and agree with respect to nursing home employment standards; or

(2) diminish the obligation of a nursing home employer to comply with any contract, collective bargaining agreement, or employment benefit program or plan that meets or exceeds, and does not conflict with, the minimum standards and requirements in sections 181.211 to 181.217 or established by the board.

Sec. 7. **[181.214] DUTIES OF THE BOARD; TRAINING FOR NURSING HOME WORKERS.**

Subdivision 1. **Certification of worker organizations.** The board shall certify worker organizations that it finds are qualified to provide training to nursing home workers according to this section. The board shall by rule establish certification criteria that a worker organization must meet in order to be certified and provide a process for renewal of certification upon the board's review of the worker organization's compliance with this section. In adopting rules to establish certification criteria under this subdivision, the board may use the authority in section 14.389. The criteria must ensure that a worker organization, if certified, is able to provide:

(1) effective, interactive training on the information required by this section; and

(2) follow-up written materials and responses to inquiries from nursing home workers in the languages in which nursing home workers are proficient.

Subd. 2. **Curriculum.** (a) The board shall establish requirements for the curriculum for the nursing home worker training required by this section. A curriculum must at least provide the following information to nursing home workers:

(1) the applicable compensation, working hours, and working conditions in the minimum standards or local minimum standards established by the board;

(2) the antiretaliation protections established in section 181.216;

(3) information on how to enforce sections 181.211 to 181.217 and on how to report violations of sections 181.211 to 181.217 or of standards established by the board, including contact information for the Department of Labor and Industry, the board, and any local enforcement agencies, and information on the remedies available for violations;

(4) the purposes and functions of the board and information on upcoming hearings, investigations, or other opportunities for nursing home workers to become involved in board proceedings;

(5) other rights, duties, and obligations under sections 181.211 to 181.217;

(6) any updates or changes to the information provided according to clauses (1) to (5) since the most recent training session;

(7) any other information the board deems appropriate to facilitate compliance with sections 181.211 to 181.217; and

(8) information on labor standards in other applicable local, state, and federal laws, rules, and ordinances regarding nursing home working conditions or nursing home worker health and safety.

(b) Before establishing initial curriculum requirements, the board must hold at least one public hearing to solicit input on the requirements.

Subd. 3. **Topics covered in training session.** A certified worker organization is not required to cover all of the topics listed in subdivision 2 in a single training session. A curriculum used by a certified worker organization may provide instruction on each topic listed in subdivision 2 over the course of up to three training sessions.

Subd. 4. **Annual review of curriculum requirements.** The board must review the adequacy of its curriculum requirements at least annually and must revise the requirements as appropriate to meet the purposes of sections 181.211 to 181.217. As part of each annual review of the curriculum requirements, the board must hold at least one public hearing to solicit input on the requirements.

Subd. 5. **Duties of certified worker organizations.** A certified worker organization:

(1) must use a curriculum for its training sessions that meets requirements established by the board;

(2) must provide trainings that are interactive and conducted in the languages in which the attending nursing home workers are proficient;

(3) must, at the end of each training session, provide attending nursing home workers with follow-up written or electronic materials on the topics covered in the training session, in order to fully inform nursing home workers of their rights and opportunities under sections 181.211 to 181.217;

(4) must make itself reasonably available to respond to inquiries from nursing home workers during and after training sessions; and

(5) may conduct surveys of nursing home workers who attend a training session to assess the effectiveness of the training session and industry compliance with sections 181.211 to 181.217 and other applicable laws, rules, and ordinances governing nursing home working conditions or worker health and safety.

Subd. 6. **Nursing home employer duties regarding training.** (a) A nursing home employer must ensure that every six months each of its nursing home workers completes one hour of training that meets the requirements of this section and is provided by a certified worker organization. The nursing home employer must certify its compliance with this subdivision to the board. A nursing home employer may, but is not required to, host training sessions on the premises of the nursing home.

(b) If requested by a certified worker organization, a nursing home employer must, after a training session provided by the certified worker organization, provide the certified worker organization with the names and contact information of the nursing home workers who attended the training session, unless a nursing home worker opts out according to paragraph (c).

(c) A nursing home worker may opt out of having the worker's nursing home employer provide the worker's name and contact information to a certified worker organization that provided a training session attended by the worker by submitting a written statement to that effect to the nursing home employer.

Subd. 7. **Compensation.** A nursing home employer must compensate its nursing home workers at their regular hourly rate of wages and benefits for each hour of training completed as required by this section and reimburse any travel expenses if the training sessions are not held on the premises of the nursing home.

Sec. 8. [181.215] REQUIRED NOTICES.

Subdivision 1. **Provision of notice.** (a) Nursing home employers must provide notices informing nursing home workers of the rights and obligations provided under sections 181.211 to 181.217 of applicable minimum nursing home employment standards and local minimum standards and that for assistance and information, nursing home workers should contact the Department of Labor and Industry. A nursing home employer must provide notice using the same means that the nursing home employer uses to provide other work-related notices to nursing home workers. Provision of notice must be at least as conspicuous as:

(1) posting a copy of the notice at each work site where nursing home workers work and where the notice may be readily seen and reviewed by all nursing home workers working at the site; or

(2) providing a paper or electronic copy of the notice to all nursing home workers and applicants for employment as a nursing home worker.

(b) The notice required by this subdivision must include text provided by the board that informs nursing home workers that they may request the notice to be provided in a particular language. The nursing home employer must provide the notice in the language requested by the nursing home worker. The board must assist nursing home employers in translating the notice in the languages requested by their nursing home workers.

Subd. 2. **Minimum content and posting requirements.** The board must adopt rules under section 14.389 specifying the minimum content and posting requirements for the notices required in subdivision 1. The board must make available to nursing home employers a template or sample notice that satisfies the requirements of this section and rules adopted under this section.

Sec. 9. [181.216] RETALIATION PROHIBITED.

(a) A nursing home employer shall not discharge, discipline, penalize, interfere with, threaten, restrain, coerce, or otherwise retaliate or discriminate against a nursing home worker because the person has exercised or attempted to exercise rights protected under this act, including but not limited to:

(1) exercising any right afforded to the nursing home worker under sections 181.211 to 181.217;

(2) participating in any process or proceeding under sections 181.211 to 181.217, including but not limited to board hearings, board or department investigations, or other related proceedings;

(3) attending or participating in the training required by section 181.214;

(4) informing another employer that a nursing home worker has engaged in activities protected under sections 181.211 to 181.217; or

(5) reporting or threatening to report the actual or suspected citizenship or immigration status of a nursing home worker, former nursing home worker, or family member of a nursing home worker to a federal, state, or local agency for exercising or attempting to exercise any right protected under this act.

(b) A nursing home worker found to have experienced retaliation in violation of this section shall be entitled to reinstatement to the worker's previous position, wages, benefits, hours, and other conditions of employment.

Sec. 10. **[181.217] ENFORCEMENT.**

Subdivision 1. **Minimum nursing home employment standards.** Except as provided in section 181.213, subdivision 4, paragraph (b) or (c), the minimum wages, maximum hours of work, and other working conditions established by the board in rule as minimum nursing home employment standards shall be the minimum wages, maximum hours of work, and standard conditions of labor for nursing home workers or a subgroup of nursing home workers as a matter of state law. Except as provided in section 181.213, subdivision 4, paragraph (b) or (c), it shall be unlawful for a nursing home employer to employ a nursing home worker for lower wages or for longer hours than those established as the minimum nursing home employment standards or under any other working conditions that violate the minimum nursing home employment standards.

Subd. 2. **Investigations.** The commissioner may investigate possible violations of sections 181.214 to 181.217 or of the minimum nursing home employment standards established by the board whenever it has cause to believe that a violation has occurred, either on the basis of a report of a suspected violation or on the basis of any other credible information, including violations found during the course of an investigation.

Subd. 3. **Civil action by nursing home worker.** (a) One or more nursing home workers may bring a civil action in district court seeking redress for violations of sections 181.211 to 181.217 or of any applicable minimum nursing home employment standards or local minimum nursing home employment standards. Such an action may be filed in the district court of the county where a violation or violations are alleged to have been committed or where the nursing home employer resides, or in any other court of competent jurisdiction, and may represent a class of similarly situated nursing home workers.

(b) Upon a finding of one or more violations, a nursing home employer shall be liable to each nursing home worker for the full amount of the wages, benefits, and overtime compensation, less any amount the nursing home employer is able to establish was actually paid to each nursing home worker, and for an additional equal amount as liquidated damages. In an action under this subdivision, nursing home workers may seek damages and other appropriate relief provided by section 177.27, subdivision 7, or otherwise provided by law, including reasonable costs, disbursements, witness fees, and attorney fees. A court may also issue an order requiring compliance with sections 181.211 to 181.217 or with the applicable minimum nursing home employment standards or local minimum nursing home employment standards. A nursing home worker found to have experienced retaliation in violation of section 181.216 shall be entitled to reinstatement to the worker's previous position, wages, benefits, hours, and other conditions of employment.

(c) An agreement between a nursing home employer and nursing home worker or labor union that fails to meet the minimum standards and requirements in sections 181.211 to 181.217 or established by the board is not a defense to an action brought under this subdivision.

Sec. 11. **INITIAL APPOINTMENTS.**

The governor shall make initial appointments to the Minnesota Nursing Home Workforce Standards Board under Minnesota Statutes, section 181.212, no later than August 1, 2023.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Human Services Finance.

The report was adopted.

Becker-Finn from the Committee on Judiciary Finance and Civil Law to which was referred:

H. F. No. 909, A bill for an act relating to human rights; requiring closed-captioned television in certain circumstances; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 363A.11, subdivision 2.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Becker-Finn from the Committee on Judiciary Finance and Civil Law to which was referred:

H. F. No. 975, A bill for an act relating to transportation; amending certain requirements governing retrieval of towed vehicle contents; providing a cause of action for aggrieved vehicle owners; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 168B.07, subdivision 3, by adding subdivisions.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Fischer from the Committee on Human Services Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1198, A bill for an act relating to human services; expanding child care assistance to certain families; expanding and modifying grants and rules regarding children's mental health; modifying the transition to community initiative; modifying training requirements for mental health staff; modifying covered transportation services; covering children's care coordination; modifying rules regarding children's long-term stays in the emergency room; establishing the rural family response and stabilization services pilot program; requiring reports; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 119B.05, subdivision 1; 245.4662; 245.4889, subdivision 1; 254B.05, subdivision 1a; 256.478; 256B.0616, subdivisions 4, 5, by adding a subdivision; 256B.0622, subdivision 2a; 256B.0624, subdivisions 5, 8; 256B.0625, subdivisions 17, 45a; 256B.0659, subdivisions 1, 17a; 256B.0943, subdivisions 1, 2, 9, by adding a subdivision; 256B.0946, subdivision 7; 256B.0947, subdivision 7, by adding a subdivision; 260C.007, subdivision 6; 260C.708; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 6, after line 23, insert:

"Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 245I.04, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. **Mental health practitioner scope of practice.** (a) A mental health practitioner under the treatment supervision of a mental health professional or certified rehabilitation specialist may provide an adult client with client education, rehabilitative mental health services, functional assessments, level of care assessments, and treatment plans. A mental health practitioner under the treatment supervision of a mental health professional may provide skill-building services to a child client ~~and~~ complete treatment plans for a child client, and provide clinical care coordination as defined in section 256B.0671, subdivision 7.

(b) A mental health practitioner must not provide treatment supervision to other staff persons. A mental health practitioner may provide direction to mental health rehabilitation workers and mental health behavioral aides.

(c) A mental health practitioner who provides services to clients according to section 256B.0624 or 256B.0944 may perform crisis assessments and interventions for a client.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 245I.04, subdivision 7, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. **Clinical trainee scope of practice.** (a) A clinical trainee under the treatment supervision of a mental health professional may provide a client with psychotherapy, client education, rehabilitative mental health services, diagnostic assessments, functional assessments, level of care assessments, and treatment plans. A mental health practitioner clinical trainee under the treatment supervision of a mental health professional may provide clinical care coordination as defined in section 256B.0671, subdivision 7.

(b) A clinical trainee must not provide treatment supervision to other staff persons. A clinical trainee may provide direction to mental health behavioral aides and mental health rehabilitation workers.

(c) A psychological clinical trainee under the treatment supervision of a psychologist may perform psychological testing of clients.

(d) A clinical trainee must not provide services to clients that violate any practice act of a health-related licensing board, including failure to obtain licensure if licensure is required."

Page 9, lines 8, 13, and 21, after "family" insert "and youth"

Page 9, line 10, after "Family" insert "and youth"

Page 9, line 15, after "family" insert "and youth" and strike "The" and insert "Family peer"

Page 9, line 18, after the period, insert "Youth peer candidates must have demonstrated lived experience in children's mental health or related adverse experiences in adolescence, a high school degree, and leadership and advocacy skills with a focus on supporting client voices." and after "family" insert "and youth"

Page 9, line 19, before the period, insert "or youth in mental health treatment"

Page 9, line 22, after "family" insert "and youth"

Page 21, after line 20, insert:

"Sec. 19. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256B.0671, subdivision 7, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. **Mental health clinical care consultation.** (a) Subject to federal approval, medical assistance covers clinical care consultation for a person up to age 21 who is diagnosed with a complex mental health condition or a mental health condition that co-occurs with other complex and chronic conditions, when described in the person's individual treatment plan and provided by a mental health professional as defined in section 245I.04, subdivision 2, a mental health practitioner as defined in section 245I.04, subdivision 4, or a clinical trainee, as defined in section 254I.04, subdivision 6. This medical assistance benefit covers all mental health clinical care consultation services delivered by treating providers, as needed based on the person's individual treatment plan.

(b) "Clinical care consultation" means communication from a treating mental health professional to other providers or educators not under the treatment supervision of the treating mental health professional who are working with the same client to inform, inquire, and instruct regarding the client's symptoms; strategies for effective engagement, care, and intervention needs; and treatment expectations across service settings and to direct and coordinate clinical service components provided to the client and family."

Page 21, delete section 17

Page 24, delete section 18

Page 25, delete section 19

Page 32, line 32, delete everything after "include" and insert "clinical care consultation, as defined in section 256B.0671, subdivision 7."

Page 33, line 1, delete everything before "and" and after "family" insert "and youth"

Page 33, delete section 28

Page 34, line 19, delete "\$....." and insert "\$480,000" and delete "\$....." and insert "\$1,087,000"

Page 34, line 27, delete "MENTAL" and insert "BEHAVIORAL"

Page 34, line 29, delete "\$....." and insert "\$2,000,000" and delete "\$....." and insert "\$4,000,000"

Page 34, line 30, delete "mental" and insert "behavioral"

Page 35, line 6, delete the first "mental" and insert "behavioral"

Page 35, after line 10, insert:

"Sec. 32. **APPROPRIATION; INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL-LINKED BEHAVIORAL HEALTH GRANTS.**

\$4,400,000 in fiscal year 2024 and \$4,400,000 in fiscal year 2025 are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of human services for intermediate school-linked behavioral health grants."

Page 35, line 12, delete "\$....." and insert "\$1,500,000" and delete "\$....." and insert "\$1,500,000"

Page 35, line 21, delete "\$....." and insert "\$1,000,000" and delete "\$....." and insert "\$1,000,000"

Page 35, line 25, after the period, insert "The commissioner, in consultation with early childhood mental health providers and advocates, shall develop an abbreviated assessment to support access to early childhood mental health services."

Page 35, line 30, delete "shall" and insert "may" and after "money" insert "to new grantees and"

Page 37, line 6, delete "\$....." and insert "\$2,010,000" and delete "\$....." and insert "\$2,010,000"

Page 37, delete section 43

Re-number the sections in sequence

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 5, delete "covering"

Page 1, line 6, delete "children's" and insert "modifying coverage of mental health clinical"

Correct the title numbers accordingly

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Children and Families Finance and Policy.

The report was adopted.

Vang from the Committee on Agriculture Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1202, A bill for an act relating to animal health; declassifying certain data; modifying requirements for certain owners of farmed Cervidae; prohibiting certain registrations; establishing civil liability; modifying disposition of certain federal funds; requiring live-animal testing for chronic wasting disease; transferring certain duties from the Board of Animal Health to the commissioner of natural resources; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 13.643, subdivision 6; 35.155, subdivisions 1, 4, 6, 10, 11, 12, by adding subdivisions; 35.156, subdivision 2, by adding subdivisions.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 2, line 17, after the period, insert "A licensed hunter who harvests escaped farmed Cervidae under this paragraph must immediately notify the commissioner of natural resources."

Page 3, delete section 5

Page 8, line 5, delete everything after the period

Page 8, delete line 6

Page 8, lines 22 and 24, delete "14" and insert "13"

Renumber the sections in sequence

Correct the title numbers accordingly

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary Finance and Civil Law.

The report was adopted.

Youakim from the Committee on Education Finance to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1271, A bill for an act relating to education finance; increasing equalization aid for the operating referendum program; decreasing property tax levies; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 126C.17, subdivision 6.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Taxes.

The report was adopted.

Hornstein from the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1305, A bill for an act relating to transportation; amending certain waivers of an examination to obtain a driver's license; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 171.13, subdivision 1a.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The report was adopted.

Hornstein from the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1327, A bill for an act relating to mass transit; clarifying Metropolitan Council authority to establish fare programs and passes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 473.408, by adding a subdivision; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 473.408, subdivisions 6, 7, 8, 9.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Hansen, R., from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1332, A bill for an act relating to metropolitan government; regional parks; modifying the basis for determining operation and maintenance expenditures; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 473.351, subdivision 3.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy.

The report was adopted.

Youakim from the Committee on Education Finance to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1396, A bill for an act relating to education finance; increasing equalization aid for the debt service equalization program; decreasing property tax levies; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 123B.53, subdivisions 4, 5, 6.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Taxes.

The report was adopted.

Hansen, R., from the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1421, A bill for an act relating to environment; specifying duties and requiring report for petroleum tank release cleanup program.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 1, line 9, delete "2024" and insert "2025"

Page 1, line 16, delete the third "the"

Page 1, line 17, delete everything before "relevant"

Page 2, line 1, after "develop" insert "scientifically based and" and delete "objectives" and insert "technical standards"

Page 2, after line 10, insert:

"(i) requiring a thorough evaluation of the past performance of a contractor being considered for hire;"

Page 2, line 11, delete "(i)" and insert "(ii)"

Page 2, line 13, delete "(ii)" and insert "(iii)"

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Climate and Energy Finance and Policy.

The report was adopted.

Howard from the Committee on Housing Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1440, A bill for an act relating to housing; appropriating money for the family homeless prevention and assistance program.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 1, line 6, before "\$100,000,000" insert "(a)"

Page 1, line 7, after "Agency" insert "for transfer to the housing development fund"

Page 1, line 8, delete everything after "onetime" and insert ". This appropriation is available until June 30, 2025. Notwithstanding procurement provisions outlined in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16C, the agency may award up to \$50,000,000 of this amount in fiscal year 2023 to existing program grantees. The agency shall make best efforts to spend the appropriation by June 30, 2024."

Page 1, after line 8, insert:

"(b) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 462A.204, subdivision 5, qualified families may receive more than 24 months of rental assistance.

(c) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 462A.204, subdivision 3, a community-based nonprofit organization without a sponsoring resolution may apply for and receive grants outside the metropolitan area.

(d) If the agency determines that the metropolitan area is in need of additional support to serve households that are homeless or at risk of homelessness, the agency may grant funds to entities other than counties in the metropolitan area, including but not limited to nonprofit organizations.

(e) When multiple grantees operate in a given geographic area, grantees may work with either an advisory committee as required under Minnesota Statutes, section 462A.204, subdivision 6, or the local continuum of care and are not required to meet the requirements of Minnesota Statutes, section 462A.204, subdivision 4.

(f) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, the funds may be used for program costs necessary to decrease risk of homelessness and improve the effectiveness of the program, as determined by the agency.

(g) The report required under Minnesota Statutes, section 462A.204, subdivision 7, shall also be submitted by each grantee to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees having jurisdiction over housing."

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 3, before the period, insert "; requiring a report"

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The report was adopted.

Moller from the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1462, A bill for an act relating to corrections; establishing mental health unit pilot program for individuals with mental illness and incarcerated in jails; requiring a report.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Gomez from the Committee on Taxes to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1487, A bill for an act relating to taxation; revenue recapture; disallowing claims from certain hospitals and ambulance services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 270A.03, subdivision 2; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 270A.04, subdivision 5.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

The report was adopted.

Stephenson from the Committee on Commerce Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1520, A bill for an act relating to consumer data protection; requiring direct-to-consumer genetic testing companies to provide disclosure notices and obtain consent; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325F.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 2, line 13, after "affirmative" insert "written"

Page 2, line 14, after "prominent" insert "written"

Page 2, line 30, after "trust" insert ", sole proprietorship, other entity" and delete "legal"

Page 2, after line 30, insert:

"(j) "Service provider" means a person that is involved in the collection, transportation, analysis of, or any other service in connection with a consumer's biological sample, extracted genetic material, or genetic data on behalf of the direct-to-consumer genetic testing company, or on behalf of any other person that collects, uses, maintains, or discloses biological samples, extracted genetic material, or genetic data collected or derived from a direct-to-consumer genetic testing product or service, or is directly provided by a consumer, or the delivery of the results of the analysis of the biological sample, extracted genetic material, or genetic data."

Page 3, line 3, before the colon, insert "all of the following written in plain language"

Page 3, line 5, delete "and"

Page 3, line 8, after "practices" insert "of genetic data" and after the semicolon, insert "and"

Page 3, after line 8, insert:

"(iii) information that clearly describes how to file a complaint alleging a violation of this section, pursuant to section 45.027;"

Page 3, line 9, after "consumer's" insert "express"

Page 3, line 31, delete "require valid legal process to" and insert "not"

Page 3, line 32, before the semicolon, insert ", unless the disclosure is made pursuant to a valid search warrant or court order"

Page 4, line 1, after "program" insert "and measures"

Page 4, line 9, after the second comma, insert "disability insurance."

Page 4, line 10, after the period, insert "Any consent under this paragraph must clearly identify the recipient of the consumer's genetic data proposed to be disclosed."

Page 4, after line 10, insert:

"(c) A company that is subject to the requirements described in paragraph (a), clause (2), shall provide effective mechanisms, without any unnecessary steps, for a consumer to revoke any consent of the consumer or all of the consumer's consents after a consent is given, including at least one mechanism which utilizes the primary medium through which the company communicates to the consumer. If a consumer revokes consent provided pursuant to paragraph (a), clause (2), the company shall honor the consumer's consent revocation as soon as practicable, but not later than 30 days after the consumer revokes consent. The company shall destroy a consumer's biological sample within 30 days of receipt of revocation of consent to store the sample.

(d) A direct-to-consumer genetic testing company must provide a clear and complete notice to a consumer that the consumer's deidentified data may be shared with or disclosed to third parties for research purposes in accordance with Code of Federal Regulations, title 45, part 46."

Page 4, before line 11, insert:

"Subd. 3. **Service provider agreements.** (a) A contract between the company and a service provider must prohibit the service provider from retaining, using, or disclosing any biological sample, extracted genetic material, genetic data, or information regarding the identity of the consumer, including whether that consumer has solicited or received genetic testing, as applicable, for any purpose other than for the specific purpose of performing the services specified in the service contract. The mandatory prohibition set forth in this subdivision requires a service contract to include, at minimum, the following provisions:

(1) a provision prohibiting the service provider from retaining, using, or disclosing the biological sample, extracted genetic material, genetic data, or any information regarding the identity of the consumer, including whether that consumer has solicited or received genetic testing, as applicable, for any purpose other than providing the services specified in the service contract; and

(2) a provision prohibiting the service provider from associating or combining the biological sample, extracted genetic material, genetic data, or any information regarding the identity of the consumer, including whether that consumer has solicited or received genetic testing, as applicable, with information the service provider has received from or on behalf of another person or persons, or has collected from its own interaction with consumers or as required by law.

(b) A service provider subject to this subdivision is subject to the same confidentiality obligations as a direct-to-consumer genetic testing company with respect to all biological samples, extracted genetic materials, and genetic material, or any information regarding the identity of any consumer in the service provider's possession."

Renumber the subdivisions in sequence

Page 4, after line 17, insert:

"Subd. 6. **Construction.** This section does not supersede the requirements and rights described in section 13.386 or the remedies available under chapter 13 for violations of section 13.386."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary Finance and Civil Law.

The report was adopted.

Moller from the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1523, A bill for an act relating to corrections; expanding the authority of the Department of Corrections Fugitive Apprehension Unit; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 241.025, subdivisions 1, 2, 3.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Lee, F., from the Committee on Capital Investment to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1531, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for capital improvements to a Minnesota Department of Agriculture potato inspection facility in the city of East Grand Forks; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The report was adopted.

Lee, F., from the Committee on Capital Investment to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1539, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for metropolitan regional parks and trails; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The report was adopted.

Fischer from the Committee on Human Services Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1566, A bill for an act relating to health; establishing requirements for the commissioner of health to administer lifeline centers to respond to 988 contacts; authorizing a 988 prepaid wireless fee and 988 telecommunications fee; authorizing rulemaking; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 403.161, subdivisions 1, 3, 5, 6, 7; 403.162, subdivisions 1, 2, 5; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 145.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

The report was adopted.

Howard from the Committee on Housing Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1635, A bill for an act relating to housing; modifying the workforce and affordable homeownership development program; creating the workforce and affordable homeownership account in the housing development fund; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 462A.38.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Page 2, delete subdivision 8 and insert:

"Subd. 8. **Deposits; funding amount.** (a) In fiscal years 2024 to 2034, an amount equal to \$15,000,000 of the state's portion of the proceeds derived from the mortgage registry tax imposed under section 287.035 and the deed tax imposed under section 287.21 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of the Housing Finance Agency to transfer to the housing development fund for deposit into the workforce and affordable homeownership development account. The appropriation must be made annually by September 15.

(b) All loan repayments received under this section are to be deposited into the workforce and affordable homeownership development account in the housing development fund.

(c) This subdivision expires September 16, 2033."

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Taxes.

The report was adopted.

Stephenson from the Committee on Commerce Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1726, A bill for an act relating to commerce; modifying the definition of cost; eliminating prohibition on below cost sales of gasoline; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 325D.01, subdivision 5; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 325D.71.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Stephenson from the Committee on Commerce Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1790, A bill for an act relating to insurance; health; prohibiting preexisting condition limitations in Medicare supplement insurance policies; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 62A.31, subdivisions 1f, 1h, 1p, 1u, 4, 8; 62A.43, subdivision 1; 62A.44, subdivision 2; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62A.31, subdivisions 1b, 1i.

Reported the same back with the following amendments:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62A.3099, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 18b. **Open enrollment period.** "Open enrollment period" means the time period described in Code of Federal Regulations, title 42, section 422.62, paragraph (a), clauses (3) to (5), as amended.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62A.31, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Policy requirements.** No individual or group policy, certificate, subscriber contract issued by a health service plan corporation regulated under chapter 62C, or other evidence of accident and health insurance the effect or purpose of which is to supplement Medicare coverage, including to supplement coverage under Medicare Advantage plans established under Medicare Part C, issued or delivered in this state or offered to a resident of this state shall be sold or issued to an individual covered by Medicare unless the requirements in subdivisions 1a to ~~4~~ 1w are met.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62A.31, subdivision 1f, is amended to read:

Subd. 1f. **Suspension based on entitlement to medical assistance.** (a) The policy or certificate must provide that benefits and premiums under the policy or certificate shall be suspended for any period that may be provided by federal regulation at the request of the policyholder or certificate holder for the period, not to exceed 24 months, in which the policyholder or certificate holder has applied for and is determined to be entitled to medical assistance under title XIX of the Social Security Act, but only if the policyholder or certificate holder notifies the issuer of the policy or certificate within 90 days after the date the individual becomes entitled to this assistance.

(b) If suspension occurs and if the policyholder or certificate holder loses entitlement to this medical assistance, the policy or certificate shall be automatically reinstated, effective as of the date of termination of this entitlement, if the policyholder or certificate holder provides notice of loss of the entitlement within 90 days after the date of the loss and pays the premium attributable to the period, effective as of the date of termination of entitlement.

(c) The policy must provide that upon reinstatement (1) there is no ~~additional~~ waiting period with respect to treatment of preexisting conditions, (2) coverage is provided which is substantially equivalent to coverage in effect before the date of the suspension. If the suspended policy provided coverage for outpatient prescription drugs, reinstatement of the policy for Medicare Part D enrollees must be without coverage for outpatient prescription drugs and must otherwise provide coverage substantially equivalent to the coverage in effect before the date of suspension, and (3) premiums are classified on terms that are at least as favorable to the policyholder or certificate holder as the premium classification terms that would have applied to the policyholder or certificate holder had coverage not been suspended.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62A.31, subdivision 1h, is amended to read:

Subd. 1h. **Limitations on denials, conditions, and pricing of coverage.** No health carrier issuing Medicare-related coverage in this state may impose preexisting condition limitations or otherwise deny or condition the issuance or effectiveness of any such coverage available for sale in this state, nor may it discriminate in the pricing of such coverage, because of the health status, claims experience, receipt of health care, medical condition, or age of an applicant where an application for such coverage is submitted: (1) prior to or during the six-month period beginning with the first day of the month in which an individual first enrolled for benefits under Medicare Part B; or (2) during the open enrollment period. This subdivision applies to each Medicare-related coverage offered by a health carrier regardless of whether the individual has attained the age of 65 years. If an individual who is enrolled in Medicare Part B due to disability status is involuntarily disenrolled due to loss of disability status, the individual is eligible for another six-month enrollment period provided under this subdivision beginning the first day of the month in which the individual later becomes eligible for and enrolls again in Medicare Part B and during the open enrollment period. An individual who is or was previously enrolled in Medicare Part B due to disability status is eligible for another six-month enrollment period under this subdivision beginning the first day of the month in which the individual has attained the age of 65 years and either maintains enrollment in, or enrolls again in, Medicare Part B and during the open enrollment period. If an individual enrolled in Medicare Part B voluntarily disenrolls from Medicare Part B because the individual becomes enrolled under an employee welfare benefit plan, the individual is eligible for another six-month enrollment period, as provided in this subdivision, beginning the first day of the month in which the individual later becomes eligible for and enrolls again in Medicare Part B and during the open enrollment period.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62A.31, subdivision 1p, is amended to read:

Subd. 1p. **Renewal or continuation provisions.** Medicare supplement policies and certificates shall include a renewal or continuation provision. The language or specifications of the provision shall be consistent with the type of contract issued. The provision shall be appropriately captioned and shall appear on the first page of the policy or certificate, and shall include any reservation by the issuer of the right to change premiums. Except for riders or endorsements by which the issuer effectuates a request made in writing by the insured, exercises a specifically reserved right under a Medicare supplement policy or certificate, or is required to reduce or eliminate benefits to avoid duplication of Medicare benefits, all riders or endorsements added to a Medicare supplement policy or certificate after the date of issue or at reinstatement or renewal that reduce or eliminate benefits or coverage in the policy or certificate shall require a signed acceptance by the insured. After the date of policy or certificate issue, a rider or endorsement that increases benefits or coverage with a concomitant increase in premium during the policy or certificate term shall be agreed to in writing and signed by the insured, unless the benefits are required by the minimum standards for Medicare supplement policies or if the increased benefits or coverage is required by law. ~~Where a separate additional premium is charged for benefits provided in connection with riders or endorsements, the premium charge shall be set forth in the policy, declaration page, or certificate. If a Medicare supplement policy or certificate contains limitations with respect to preexisting conditions, the limitations shall appear as a separate paragraph of the policy or certificate and be labeled as "preexisting condition limitations."~~

Issuers of accident and sickness policies or certificates that provide hospital or medical expense coverage on an expense incurred or indemnity basis to persons eligible for Medicare shall provide to those applicants a "Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare" in the form developed by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and in a type size no smaller than 12-point type. Delivery of the guide must be made whether or not such policies or certificates are advertised, solicited, or issued as Medicare supplement policies or certificates as defined in this section and section 62A.3099. Except in the case of direct response issuers, delivery of the guide must be made to the applicant at the time of application, and acknowledgment of receipt of the guide must be obtained by the issuer. Direct response issuers shall deliver the guide to the applicant upon request, but no later than the time at which the policy is delivered.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62A.31, subdivision 1u, is amended to read:

Subd. 1u. **Guaranteed issue for eligible persons.** (a)(1) Eligible persons are those individuals described in paragraph (b) who seek to enroll under the policy during the period specified in paragraph (c) and who submit evidence of the date of termination or disenrollment described in paragraph (b), or of the date of Medicare Part D enrollment, with the application for a Medicare supplement policy.

(2) With respect to eligible persons, an issuer shall not: deny or condition the issuance or effectiveness of a Medicare supplement policy described in paragraph (c) that is offered and is available for issuance to new enrollees by the issuer; discriminate in the pricing of such a Medicare supplement policy because of health status, claims experience, receipt of health care, medical condition, or age; or impose an exclusion of benefits based upon a preexisting condition under such a Medicare supplement policy.

(b) An eligible person is an individual described in any of the following:

(1) the individual is enrolled under an employee welfare benefit plan that provides health benefits that supplement the benefits under Medicare; and the plan terminates, or the plan ceases to provide all such supplemental health benefits to the individual;

(2) the individual is enrolled with a Medicare Advantage organization under a Medicare Advantage plan under Medicare Part C, and any of the following circumstances apply, or the individual is 65 years of age or older and is enrolled with a Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) provider under section 1894 of the federal Social Security Act, and there are circumstances similar to those described in this clause that would permit discontinuance of the individual's enrollment with the provider if the individual were enrolled in a Medicare Advantage plan:

(i) the organization's or plan's certification under Medicare Part C has been terminated or the organization has terminated or otherwise discontinued providing the plan in the area in which the individual resides;

(ii) the individual is no longer eligible to elect the plan because of a change in the individual's place of residence or other change in circumstances specified by the secretary, but not including termination of the individual's enrollment on the basis described in section 1851(g)(3)(B) of the federal Social Security Act, United States Code, title 42, section 1395w-21(g)(3)(b) (where the individual has not paid premiums on a timely basis or has engaged in disruptive behavior as specified in standards under section 1856 of the federal Social Security Act, United States Code, title 42, section 1395w-26), or the plan is terminated for all individuals within a residence area;

(iii) the individual demonstrates, in accordance with guidelines established by the Secretary, that:

(A) the organization offering the plan substantially violated a material provision of the organization's contract in relation to the individual, including the failure to provide an enrollee on a timely basis medically necessary care for which benefits are available under the plan or the failure to provide such covered care in accordance with applicable quality standards; or

(B) the organization, or agent or other entity acting on the organization's behalf, materially misrepresented the plan's provisions in marketing the plan to the individual; or

(iv) the individual meets such other exceptional conditions as the secretary may provide;

(3)(i) the individual is enrolled with:

(A) an eligible organization under a contract under section 1876 of the federal Social Security Act, United States Code, title 42, section 1395mm (Medicare cost);

(B) a similar organization operating under demonstration project authority, effective for periods before April 1, 1999;

(C) an organization under an agreement under section 1833(a)(1)(A) of the federal Social Security Act, United States Code, title 42, section 1395l(a)(1)(A) (health care prepayment plan); or

(D) an organization under a Medicare Select policy under section 62A.318 or the similar law of another state; and

(ii) the enrollment ceases under the same circumstances that would permit discontinuance of an individual's election of coverage under clause (2);

(4) the individual is enrolled under a Medicare supplement policy, and the enrollment ceases because:

(i)(A) of the insolvency of the issuer or bankruptcy of the nonissuer organization; or

(B) of other involuntary termination of coverage or enrollment under the policy;

(ii) the issuer of the policy substantially violated a material provision of the policy; or

(iii) the issuer, or an agent or other entity acting on the issuer's behalf, materially misrepresented the policy's provisions in marketing the policy to the individual;

(5)(i) the individual was enrolled under a Medicare supplement policy and terminates that enrollment and subsequently enrolls, for the first time, with any Medicare Advantage organization under a Medicare Advantage plan under Medicare Part C; any eligible organization under a contract under section 1876 of the federal Social Security Act, United States Code, title 42, section 1395mm (Medicare cost); any similar organization operating under demonstration project authority; any PACE provider under section 1894 of the federal Social Security Act, or a Medicare Select policy under section 62A.318 or the similar law of another state; and

(ii) the subsequent enrollment under item (i) is terminated by the enrollee during any period within the first 12 months of the subsequent enrollment during which the enrollee is permitted to terminate the subsequent enrollment under section 1851(e) of the federal Social Security Act;

(6) the individual, upon first enrolling for benefits under Medicare Part B, enrolls in a Medicare Advantage plan under Medicare Part C, or with a PACE provider under section 1894 of the federal Social Security Act, and disenrolls from the plan by not later than 12 months after the effective date of enrollment; or

(7) the individual enrolls in a Medicare Part D plan during the initial Part D enrollment period, as defined under United States Code, title 42, section 1395ss(v)(6)(D), and, at the time of enrollment in Part D, was enrolled under a Medicare supplement policy that covers outpatient prescription drugs and the individual terminates enrollment in the Medicare supplement policy and submits evidence of enrollment in Medicare Part D along with the application for a policy described in paragraph (e), clause (4).

(c)(1) In the case of an individual described in paragraph (b), clause (1), the guaranteed issue period begins on the later of: (i) the date the individual receives a notice of termination or cessation of all supplemental health benefits or, if a notice is not received, notice that a claim has been denied because of a termination or cessation; or (ii) the date that the applicable coverage terminates or ceases; and ends 63 days after the later of those two dates.

(2) In the case of an individual described in paragraph (b), clause (2), (3), (5), or (6), whose enrollment is terminated involuntarily, the guaranteed issue period begins on the date that the individual receives a notice of termination and ends 63 days after the date the applicable coverage is terminated.

(3) In the case of an individual described in paragraph (b), clause (4), item (i), the guaranteed issue period begins on the earlier of: (i) the date that the individual receives a notice of termination, a notice of the issuer's bankruptcy or insolvency, or other such similar notice if any; and (ii) the date that the applicable coverage is terminated, and ends on the date that is 63 days after the date the coverage is terminated.

(4) In the case of an individual described in paragraph (b), clause (2), (4), (5), or (6), who disenrolls voluntarily, the guaranteed issue period begins on the date that is 60 days before the effective date of the disenrollment and ends on the date that is 63 days after the effective date.

(5) In the case of an individual described in paragraph (b), clause (7), the guaranteed issue period begins on the date the individual receives notice pursuant to section 1882(v)(2)(B) of the Social Security Act from the Medicare supplement issuer during the 60-day period immediately preceding the initial Part D enrollment period and ends on the date that is 63 days after the effective date of the individual's coverage under Medicare Part D.

(6) In the case of an individual described in paragraph (b) but not described in this paragraph, the guaranteed issue period begins on the effective date of disenrollment and ends on the date that is 63 days after the effective date.

(7) For all individuals described in paragraph (b), the open enrollment period is a guaranteed issue period.

(d)(1) In the case of an individual described in paragraph (b), clause (5), or deemed to be so described, pursuant to this paragraph, whose enrollment with an organization or provider described in paragraph (b), clause (5), item (i), is involuntarily terminated within the first 12 months of enrollment, and who, without an intervening enrollment, enrolls with another such organization or provider, the subsequent enrollment is deemed to be an initial enrollment described in paragraph (b), clause (5).

(2) In the case of an individual described in paragraph (b), clause (6), or deemed to be so described, pursuant to this paragraph, whose enrollment with a plan or in a program described in paragraph (b), clause (6), is involuntarily terminated within the first 12 months of enrollment, and who, without an intervening enrollment, enrolls in another such plan or program, the subsequent enrollment is deemed to be an initial enrollment described in paragraph (b), clause (6).

(3) For purposes of paragraph (b), clauses (5) and (6), no enrollment of an individual with an organization or provider described in paragraph (b), clause (5), item (i), or with a plan or in a program described in paragraph (b), clause (6), may be deemed to be an initial enrollment under this paragraph after the two-year period beginning on the date on which the individual first enrolled with the organization, provider, plan, or program.

(e) The Medicare supplement policy to which eligible persons are entitled under:

(1) paragraph (b), clauses (1) to (4), is any Medicare supplement policy that has a benefit package consisting of the basic Medicare supplement plan described in section 62A.316, paragraph (a), plus any combination of the three optional riders described in section 62A.316, paragraph (b), clauses (1) to (3), offered by any issuer;

(2) paragraph (b), clause (5), is the same Medicare supplement policy in which the individual was most recently previously enrolled, if available from the same issuer, or, if not so available, any policy described in clause (1) offered by any issuer, except that after December 31, 2005, if the individual was most recently enrolled in a Medicare supplement policy with an outpatient prescription drug benefit, a Medicare supplement policy to which the individual is entitled under paragraph (b), clause (5), is:

(i) the policy available from the same issuer but modified to remove outpatient prescription drug coverage; or

(ii) at the election of the policyholder, a policy described in clause (4), except that the policy may be one that is offered and available for issuance to new enrollees that is offered by any issuer;

(3) paragraph (b), clause (6), is any Medicare supplement policy offered by any issuer;

(4) paragraph (b), clause (7), is a Medicare supplement policy that has a benefit package classified as a basic plan under section 62A.316 if the enrollee's existing Medicare supplement policy is a basic plan or, if the enrollee's existing Medicare supplement policy is an extended basic plan under section 62A.315, a basic or extended basic plan at the option of the enrollee, provided that the policy is offered and is available for issuance to new enrollees by the same issuer that issued the individual's Medicare supplement policy with outpatient prescription drug coverage. The issuer must permit the enrollee to retain all optional benefits contained in the enrollee's existing coverage, other than outpatient prescription drugs, subject to the provision that the coverage be offered and available for issuance to new enrollees by the same issuer.

(f)(1) At the time of an event described in paragraph (b), because of which an individual loses coverage or benefits due to the termination of a contract or agreement, policy, or plan, the organization that terminates the contract or agreement, the issuer terminating the policy, or the administrator of the plan being terminated, respectively, shall notify the individual of the individual's rights under this subdivision, and of the obligations of issuers of Medicare supplement policies under paragraph (a). The notice must be communicated contemporaneously with the notification of termination.

(2) At the time of an event described in paragraph (b), because of which an individual ceases enrollment under a contract or agreement, policy, or plan, the organization that offers the contract or agreement, regardless of the basis for the cessation of enrollment, the issuer offering the policy, or the administrator of the plan, respectively, shall notify the individual of the individual's rights under this subdivision, and of the obligations of issuers of Medicare supplement policies under paragraph (a). The notice must be communicated within ten working days of the issuer receiving notification of disenrollment.

(g) Reference in this subdivision to a situation in which, or to a basis upon which, an individual's coverage has been terminated does not provide authority under the laws of this state for the termination in that situation or upon that basis.

(h) An individual's rights under this subdivision are in addition to, and do not modify or limit, the individual's rights under subdivision 1h.

Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62A.31, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 1w. **Open enrollment.** No Medicare supplement policy or certificate shall be sold or issued to an eligible individual outside of the time periods described in subdivision 1u.

Sec. 8. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62A.31, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **Prohibited policy provisions.** (a) A Medicare supplement policy or certificate in force in the state shall not contain benefits that duplicate benefits provided by Medicare or contain exclusions on coverage that are more restrictive than those of Medicare. Duplication of benefits is permitted to the extent permitted under subdivision 1s, paragraph (a), for benefits provided by Medicare Part D.

(b) No Medicare supplement policy or certificate may use waivers to exclude, limit, or reduce coverage or benefits for specifically named or described preexisting diseases or physical conditions, ~~except as permitted under subdivision 1b.~~

Sec. 9. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62A.44, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Questions.** (a) Application forms shall include the following questions designed to elicit information as to whether, as of the date of the application, the applicant has another Medicare supplement or other health insurance policy or certificate in force or whether a Medicare supplement policy or certificate is intended to replace any other accident and sickness policy or certificate presently in force. A supplementary application or other form to be signed by the applicant and agent containing the questions and statements may be used.

"(1) You do not need more than one Medicare supplement policy or certificate.

(2) If you purchase this policy, you may want to evaluate your existing health coverage and decide if you need multiple coverages.

(3) You may be eligible for benefits under Medicaid and may not need a Medicare supplement policy or certificate.

(4) The benefits and premiums under your Medicare supplement policy or certificate can be suspended, if requested, during your entitlement to benefits under Medicaid for 24 months. You must request this suspension within 90 days of becoming eligible for Medicaid. If you are no longer entitled to Medicaid, your policy or certificate will be reinstated if requested within 90 days of losing Medicaid eligibility.

(5) Counseling services may be available in Minnesota to provide advice concerning medical assistance through state Medicaid, Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries (QMBs), and Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiaries (SLMBs).

To the best of your knowledge:

(1) Do you have another Medicare supplement policy or certificate in force?

(a) If so, with which company?

(b) If so, do you intend to replace your current Medicare supplement policy with this policy or certificate?

(2) Do you have any other health insurance policies that provide benefits which this Medicare supplement policy or certificate would duplicate?

(a) If so, please name the company.

(b) What kind of policy?

(3) Are you covered for medical assistance through the state Medicaid program? If so, which of the following programs provides coverage for you?

(a) Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary (SLMB),

(b) Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB), or

(c) full Medicaid Beneficiary?"

(b) Agents shall list any other health insurance policies they have sold to the applicant.

(1) List policies sold that are still in force.

(2) List policies sold in the past five years that are no longer in force.

(c) In the case of a direct response issuer, a copy of the application or supplemental form, signed by the applicant, and acknowledged by the insurer, shall be returned to the applicant by the insurer on delivery of the policy or certificate.

(d) Upon determining that a sale will involve replacement of Medicare supplement coverage, any issuer, other than a direct response issuer, or its agent, shall furnish the applicant, before issuance or delivery of the Medicare supplement policy or certificate, a notice regarding replacement of Medicare supplement coverage. One copy of the notice signed by the applicant and the agent, except where the coverage is sold without an agent, shall be provided to the applicant and an additional signed copy shall be retained by the issuer. A direct response issuer shall deliver to the applicant at the time of the issuance of the policy or certificate the notice regarding replacement of Medicare supplement coverage.

(e) The notice required by paragraph (d) for an issuer shall be provided in substantially the following form in no less than 12-point type:

"NOTICE TO APPLICANT REGARDING REPLACEMENT OF MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT INSURANCE

(Insurance company's name and address)

SAVE THIS NOTICE! IT MAY BE IMPORTANT TO YOU IN THE FUTURE.

According to (your application) (information you have furnished), you intend to terminate existing Medicare supplement insurance and replace it with a policy or certificate to be issued by (Company Name) Insurance Company. Your new policy or certificate will provide 30 days within which you may decide without cost whether you desire to keep the policy or certificate.

You should review this new coverage carefully. Compare it with all accident and sickness coverage you now have. If, after due consideration, you find that purchase of this Medicare supplement coverage is a wise decision you should terminate your present Medicare supplement policy. You should evaluate the need for other accident and sickness coverage you have that may duplicate this policy.

STATEMENT TO APPLICANT BY ISSUER, AGENT, (BROKER OR OTHER REPRESENTATIVE): I have reviewed your current medical or health insurance coverage. To the best of my knowledge this Medicare supplement policy will not duplicate your existing Medicare supplement policy because you intend to terminate the existing Medicare supplement policy. The replacement policy or certificate is being purchased for the following reason(s) (check one):

..... Additional benefits

..... No change in benefits, but lower premiums

..... Fewer benefits and lower premiums

..... Other (please specify)

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~~(1) Health conditions which you may presently have (preexisting conditions) may not be immediately or fully covered under the new policy or certificate. This could result in denial or delay of a claim for benefits under the new policy or certificate, whereas a similar claim might have been payable under your present policy or certificate.~~

~~(2) State law provides that your replacement policy or certificate may not contain new preexisting conditions, waiting periods, elimination periods, or probationary periods. The insurer will waive any time periods applicable to preexisting conditions, waiting periods, elimination periods, or probationary periods in the new policy (or coverage) for similar benefits to the extent the time was spent (depleted) under the original policy or certificate.~~

~~(3) If you still wish to terminate your present policy or certificate and replace it with new coverage, be certain to truthfully and completely answer all questions on the application concerning your medical and health history. Failure to include all material medical information on an application may provide a basis for the company to deny any future claims and to refund your premium as though your policy or certificate had never been in force. After the application has been completed and before you sign it, review it carefully to be certain that all information has been properly recorded. (If the policy or certificate is guaranteed issue, this paragraph need not appear.)~~

Do not cancel your present policy or certificate until you have received your new policy or certificate and you are sure that you want to keep it.

.....
(Signature of Agent, Broker, or Other Representative)*

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(Typed Name and Address of Issuer, Agent, or Broker)

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(Date)

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(Applicant's Signature)

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(Date)

*Signature not required for direct response sales."

~~(f) Paragraph (e), clauses (1) and (2), of the replacement notice (applicable to preexisting conditions) may be deleted by an issuer if the replacement does not involve application of a new preexisting condition limitation.~~

Sec. 10. **REPEALER.**

Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62A.31, subdivisions 1b and 1i, are repealed."

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 3, after the semicolon, insert "modifying and adding provisions governing Medicare supplement benefits;"

Correct the title numbers accordingly

With the recommendation that when so amended the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

The report was adopted.

Hornstein from the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1921, A bill for an act relating to public safety; requiring accident report within 48 hours if accident results in a fatality; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 169.09, subdivision 8.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be placed on the General Register.

The report was adopted.

Long from the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1992, A bill for an act relating to transportation; establishing a budget for transportation; appropriating money for transportation purposes, including Department of Transportation, Department of Public Safety, and Metropolitan Council activities; making policy changes related to transportation; modifying requirements for noncompliant drivers' licenses and Minnesota identification cards, including on eligibility, proof of lawful presence, primary and secondary documentation, and data practices; making technical changes; requiring reports; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 4.075, by adding subdivisions; 13.69, subdivision 1; 13.6905, by adding a subdivision; 161.20, subdivision 4; 168.013, subdivision 1a; 168.327, subdivision 6; 171.04, subdivision 5; 171.06, subdivisions 2, 3, 7, by adding subdivisions; 171.061, subdivision 4; 171.07, subdivisions 1, 3; 171.12, subdivisions 7, 7a, 7b, 9, by adding a subdivision; 171.13, subdivision 1a; 219.015, subdivision 2; 219.1651; 297A.99, subdivision 1; 299A.705, subdivision 1; 299D.03, subdivision 5; 473.39, by adding a subdivision; Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 5, article 1, sections 2, subdivision 2; 4, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 168; 171; 297A; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 171.015, subdivision 7; 299A.705, subdivision 2; 360.915, subdivision 5.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy.

The report was adopted.

Long from the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration to which was referred:

H. F. No. 1999, A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money from clean water, parks and trails, and arts and cultural heritage funds.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Legacy Finance.

The report was adopted.

Long from the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration to which was referred:

H. F. No. 2073, A bill for an act relating to higher education; providing funding and policy related changes for the Office of Higher Education, Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, the University of Minnesota, and the Mayo Clinic; creating and modifying certain scholarships and student aid programs; creating a direct admissions

program; requiring reports; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 136A.101, subdivisions 5a, 7; 136A.121, subdivisions 6, 9, 13; 136A.1241, subdivision 5; 136A.125, subdivision 4; 136A.126, subdivision 4; 136A.1312; 136A.1796; 136A.246, subdivisions 5, 6, 8; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 135A; 136A.

Reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Higher Education Finance and Policy.

The report was adopted.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

H. F. Nos. 146, 156, 211, 734, 909, 975, 1327, 1462, 1523, 1726 and 1921 were read for the second time.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Files were introduced:

Schomacker introduced:

H. F. No. 2174, A bill for an act relating to health; specifying investigative authority in response to reports of maltreatment of vulnerable adults in federally certified facilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 626.557, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

Pfarr, Stephenson and O'Driscoll introduced:

H. F. No. 2175, A bill for an act relating to financial institutions; regulating nonbank mortgage servicers; requiring a report; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 58.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce Finance and Policy.

Hudella, Koznick, West and Schultz introduced:

H. F. No. 2176, A bill for an act relating to lawful gaming; providing that electronic pull-tab devices, games, and systems are not subject to changes in rule unless authorized by the legislature; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 349.151, subdivision 4d; 349.1721, subdivisions 1, 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy.

Cha, Backer, Frazier, Her, Lillie, Kraft, Youakim, Edelson, Quam and Freiberg introduced:

H. F. No. 2177, A bill for an act relating to health; prohibiting the sale or offer for sale of flavored products; authorizing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 461.12, subdivision 2; 461.19; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 461.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

Hornstein introduced:

H. F. No. 2178, A bill for an act relating to environment; clarifying that Pollution Control Agency has authority to regulate greenhouse gas emissions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 116.06, by adding a subdivision; 116.07, subdivisions 2, 4, 4a.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance and Policy.

Jacob, Hicks, Altendorf, Becker-Finn and Daniels introduced:

H. F. No. 2179, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a new regional wastewater treatment facility in Goodhue County; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Jacob, Hicks, Altendorf, Becker-Finn and Daniels introduced:

H. F. No. 2180, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a new regional wastewater treatment facility in Goodhue County; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Zelevnikar, Pfarr and Knudsen introduced:

H. F. No. 2181, A bill for an act relating to taxation; individual income; establishing a public pension benefit subtraction; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 290.0132, subdivision 26, by adding a subdivision; 290.091, subdivision 2, as amended.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Dotseth introduced:

H. F. No. 2182, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for water infrastructure in the city of Cloquet; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Elkins and Petersburg introduced:

H. F. No. 2183, A bill for an act relating to transportation; driver and vehicle services; establishing full-service providers; allowing full-service providers to provide copies of certain driver and vehicle records; increasing filing fees for driver's license applications; eliminating requirement for new Minnesota residents to take written driver's license exam; modifying provisions regarding access to driver and vehicle services information system; making various changes to driver and vehicle services procedures; requiring a report; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 168.002, by adding a subdivision; 168.327, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, by adding a

subdivision; 168.345, subdivision 2; 169.09, subdivision 13, by adding a subdivision; 171.01, by adding a subdivision; 171.06, by adding a subdivision; 171.061, subdivision 4; 171.0705, by adding a subdivision; 171.12, subdivision 1a; 171.13, subdivisions 1, 1a; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 171; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 168.345, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy.

Norris introduced:

H. F. No. 2184, A bill for an act relating to workforce development; appropriating money for a grant to YWCA Minneapolis.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce Development Finance and Policy.

Brand; Frederick; Wolgamott; Perryman; Kozlowski; Olson, L.; Edelson; Elkins and Coulter introduced:

H. F. No. 2185, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for capital improvements to children's museums across the state.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Brand, Pursell and Hansen, R., introduced:

H. F. No. 2186, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the water quality and storage program, working floodplains easements, and working grasslands easements; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Liebling, Smith, Hicks and Quam introduced:

H. F. No. 2187, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for improvements at Rochester Community and Technical College; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Newton introduced:

H. F. No. 2188, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for an interchange project on East River Road at marked Trunk Highway 610 in the city of Coon Rapids; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Niska, Scott, Myers and Carroll introduced:

H. F. No. 2189, A bill for an act relating to judiciary; modifying the jurisdictional limit for conciliation court claims by increasing the monetary value of claims to \$20,000; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 491A.01, subdivision 3a.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary Finance and Civil Law.

Klevorn, Nash, Huot, Nadeau and Bahner introduced:

H. F. No. 2190, A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money to the commissioner of administration to develop a road map for implementing an enterprise grants management system.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy.

Lee, K., introduced:

H. F. No. 2191, A bill for an act relating to local government; authorizing the city of St. Paul to use a design-build process for a skate park project.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy.

Frazier and Feist introduced:

H. F. No. 2192, A bill for an act relating to public safety; appropriating money for community-based programs for prerelease and postrelease incarcerated persons; appropriating money for youth programs.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Feist, Becker-Finn, Kraft, Brand and Frederick introduced:

H. F. No. 2193, A bill for an act relating to water; appropriating money for scope of work for a plan to promote and protect clean water in Minnesota for the next 50 years.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance and Policy.

Agbaje introduced:

H. F. No. 2194, A bill for an act relating to workforce development; appropriating money for a grant to Black Women's Wealth Alliance.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce Development Finance and Policy.

Agbaje introduced:

H. F. No. 2195, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money to The Link for a multiuse facility in North Minneapolis.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Agbaje introduced:

H. F. No. 2196, A bill for an act relating to housing; appropriating money for a grant to JADT Development Group for the Satori Village Development.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Housing Finance and Policy.

Agbaje introduced:

H. F. No. 2197, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a grant to Black Women's Wealth Alliance for improvements and expansions to the ZaRah Center.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Backer and Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 2198, A bill for an act relating to local taxes; modifying the local sales and use tax for the city of Fergus Falls; amending Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 14, article 8, section 6, subdivisions 2, 3.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Howard introduced:

H. F. No. 2199, A bill for an act relating to workforce development; appropriating money to MICC for workforce development services for adults with autism and learning differences.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce Development Finance and Policy.

Lee, K.; Vang; Greenman; Lee, F.; Xiong; Gomez and Pérez-Vega introduced:

H. F. No. 2200, A bill for an act relating to state government; elections; requiring voting instructions and sample ballots to be printed in languages other than English for certain designated precincts; requiring multilingual election judges in certain precincts; requiring voting instructions in certain languages other than English for use in in-person absentee voting; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 203B.081, subdivision 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 204B; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 204B.27, subdivision 11.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Elections Finance and Policy.

Hollins, Agbaje and Frazier introduced:

H. F. No. 2201, A bill for an act relating to public safety; collecting bail data to improve bail posting practices; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 480.15, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Reyer introduced:

H. F. No. 2202, A bill for an act relating to health; establishing the Health Care Affordability Board and Health Care Affordability Advisory Council; requiring monitoring of and recommendations related to health care market trends; establishing the health care spending growth target program; requiring reports; providing for civil penalties; requiring certain transfers of funds; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62U.04, subdivision 11; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62J.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

Lillie, Jordan, Koegel, Greenman, Stephenson, Feist, Kozlowski, Hill, Hicks, Tabke, Berg and Klevorn introduced:

H. F. No. 2203, A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money for state employee salaries in the event of nonappropriation; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16A.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy.

Freiberg introduced:

H. F. No. 2204, A bill for an act relating to metropolitan government; providing for redistricting of the Metropolitan Council districts; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 473.123, by adding a subdivision; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 473.123, subdivision 3e.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy.

Feist introduced:

H. F. No. 2205, A bill for an act relating to crime; modifying crime of computer theft to include copies of data; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 609.87, by adding a subdivision; 609.89, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Urdahl introduced:

H. F. No. 2206, A bill for an act relating to education; requiring a civics course as a graduation requirement; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 120B.021, subdivision 1; 120B.024, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 120B.02, subdivision 3.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Policy.

Hassan, Becker-Finn and Kozlowski introduced:

H. F. No. 2207, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Urban Indigenous Legacy Initiative.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Norris and Hassan introduced:

H. F. No. 2208, A bill for an act relating to education finance; establishing an academic acceleration pilot program; requiring a report; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Policy.

Berg and Hassan introduced:

H. F. No. 2209, A bill for an act relating to education; establishing a tutoring grant program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 124D.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Policy.

Hudella and Wiens introduced:

H. F. No. 2210, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for an addition to the HERO Center in Cottage Grove.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Hudella and Wiens introduced:

H. F. No. 2211, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for an addition to the HERO Center in Cottage Grove; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Lillie introduced:

H. F. No. 2212, A bill for an act relating to transportation; appropriating money to build noise barriers along marked Interstate Highway 694 in the city of Oakdale.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy.

Nelson, M., introduced:

H. F. No. 2213, A bill for an act relating to labor and industry; making technical and housekeeping changes to construction codes and licensing provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 326B.093, subdivision 4; 326B.31, subdivision 30; 326B.32, subdivision 1; 326B.805, subdivision 6; 326B.921, subdivision 8; 326B.925, subdivision 1; 326B.988.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industry Finance and Policy.

Frazier introduced:

H. F. No. 2214, A bill for an act relating to education finance; authorizing a grant for the Black Men Teach Twin Cities program; requiring a report; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Noor and Neu Brindley introduced:

H. F. No. 2215, A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying an exception to the community residential setting licensing moratorium; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 245A.03, subdivision 7; 256S.2101, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Human Services Policy.

Neu Brindley and Johnson introduced:

H. F. No. 2216, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for renovation of the Chisago County household hazardous waste facility; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Joy introduced:

H. F. No. 2217, A bill for an act relating to local taxes; authorizing the city of Dilworth to impose a local sales and use tax.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Joy introduced:

H. F. No. 2218, A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; establishing the school levy credit; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 273.1392; 273.1393; 275.065, subdivision 3; 276.04, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 273.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Joy introduced:

H. F. No. 2219, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for capital improvements to the Washington Ballfield and Grandstand; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Joy, Kiel and Skraba introduced:

H. F. No. 2220, A bill for an act relating to transportation; authorizing third-party commercial driver's license road tests; authorizing rulemaking; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 171.13, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 171; repealing Minnesota Rules, part 7411.0630, subpart 6.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy.

Hudson, Knudsen and Joy introduced:

H. F. No. 2221, A bill for an act relating to taxation; proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article X, adding a new section requiring a supermajority vote of the legislature for passing laws that increase state revenues.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy.

Wolgammott; Hansen, R.; Lillie; Berg; Urdahl and Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 2222, A bill for an act relating to retirement; Teachers Retirement Association and St. Paul Teachers Retirement Fund Association; providing for unreduced retirement at age 62 or with 35 years of service; restoring deferred annuities augmentation for teachers; providing additional service credit for school employees; modifying postretirement adjustments to tie increases to inflation; increasing employer contributions; increasing the pension adjustment revenue for school districts; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 126C.10, subdivision 37; 354.05, subdivision 38; 354.35, subdivision 2; 354.42, subdivision 3; 354.44, subdivisions 1a, 5, 6; 354.55, subdivision 11; 354A.011, subdivision 15a; 354A.12, subdivision 2a; 354A.29, subdivision 7; 354A.31, subdivisions 3, 6, 7; 354A.36, subdivision 3; 354A.37, subdivision 2; 356.415, subdivision 1d; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 354.35, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy.

Hudson, Knudsen and Joy introduced:

H. F. No. 2223, A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing for direct payments to taxpayers; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 16A.152, subdivision 2, by adding a subdivision; 290.0132, by adding a subdivision; 290.091, subdivision 2, as amended.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Hudson, Knudsen and Joy introduced:

H. F. No. 2224, A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution by adding a section to article XI; limiting general fund expenditures to 5-1/3 percent of state personal income.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy.

Fischer, Kiel, Noor, Baker and Frederick introduced:

H. F. No. 2225, A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing prepared meals food relief grants; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Children and Families Finance and Policy.

Grossell introduced:

H. F. No. 2226, A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; providing an exemption for construction materials for a county jail in Beltrami County; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 297A.71, subdivision 52.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Grossell introduced:

H. F. No. 2227, A bill for an act relating to local taxes; authorizing Beltrami County to impose a local sales and use tax.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Grossell introduced:

H. F. No. 2228, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a county jail in Beltrami County.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Grossell introduced:

H. F. No. 2229, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a county jail in Beltrami County; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Lislegard introduced:

H. F. No. 2230, A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; modifying exemptions for suite licenses and privilege of admission; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 297A.61, subdivision 4; 297A.67, subdivisions 35, 38; 297A.68, by adding a subdivision; 297A.79.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Perryman introduced:

H. F. No. 2231, A bill for an act relating to health; updating nursing home change of ownership; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 144A.06, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

Perryman introduced:

H. F. No. 2232, A bill for an act relating to health; changing nursing home moratorium process; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 144A.071, subdivision 2; 144A.073, subdivision 3b; 256B.434, subdivision 4f.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

Hanson, J., and Hassan introduced:

H. F. No. 2233, A bill for an act relating to economic development; Department of Employment and Economic Development policy provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 116J.552, subdivisions 4, 6; 116L.04, subdivision 1a; 116L.17, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116J.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Edelson introduced:

H. F. No. 2234, A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing a home and community-based services systemic critical incident review team; clarifying adult foster care and community residential setting licensing provisions; modifying substance use disorder treatment requirements; extending certain councils and committees; clarifying provider-controlled and own-home settings; making technical and conforming changes; clarifying effective dates; repealing obsolete language related to chemical health pilot program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 245.462, subdivisions 3, 12; 245.4711, subdivisions 3, 4; 245.477; 245.4835, subdivision 2; 245.4871, subdivisions 3, 19; 245.4873, subdivision 4; 245.4881, subdivisions 3, 4; 245.4885, subdivision 1; 245.4887; 245A.03, subdivision 7; 245A.11, subdivision 7; 245A.16, subdivision 1; 245D.03, subdivision 1; 245G.07, subdivision 3a; 246.0135; 254A.035, subdivision 2; 254B.05, subdivisions 1a, 5; 256.01, by adding a subdivision; 256B.0911, subdivision 23; 256B.092, subdivision 10; 256B.093, subdivision 1; 256B.492; 256B.493, subdivisions 2a, 4; 256S.202, subdivision 1; 524.5-104; 524.5-313; Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 7, article 2, section 17; article 6, section 12; article 11, section 18; article 13, section 43; Laws 2022, chapter 98, article 4, section 37; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 254B.13, subdivisions 1, 2, 2a, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8; 254B.16; 256B.49, subdivision 23; 260.835, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Human Services Policy.

Elkins introduced:

H. F. No. 2235, A bill for an act relating to local and metropolitan government; the Legalizing Affordable Housing Act; addressing provisions on land use and planning requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 15.99, subdivisions 1, 2; 326B.145; 326B.153, by adding a subdivision; 394.24, subdivision 1; 462.355, subdivision 4; 462.357, subdivisions 1, 2, by adding a subdivision; 462.358, subdivisions 2a, 2b; 473.145; 473.254, subdivision 2; 473.517, subdivision 3; 473.858, subdivision 1; 473.859, subdivision 2; 473.865, subdivisions 2, 3; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 394; 462; 473; 513; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 462E; repealing Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 3, article 3, section 126; Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 2, section 46.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Housing Finance and Policy.

Hassan, Richardson, Noor, Frazier, Agbaje and Lee, K., introduced:

H. F. No. 2236, A bill for an act relating to health; creating a public awareness campaign on the health dangers of using skin-lightening products containing mercury and hydroquinone; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 145.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

Swedzinski introduced:

H. F. No. 2237, A bill for an act relating to public safety; modifying the permit to carry application and renewal process; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 624.714, subdivision 3.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Swedzinski introduced:

H. F. No. 2238, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for capital improvements at the MERIT Center; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Swedzinski introduced:

H. F. No. 2239, A bill for an act relating to local government aid; providing 2021 aid penalty forgiveness to the city of Echo; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Swedzinski introduced:

H. F. No. 2240, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for improvements at Southwest Minnesota State University; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Heintzeman introduced:

H. F. No. 2241, A bill for an act relating to education; requiring the Pledge of Allegiance to be recited daily; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 121A.11, subdivision 3.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Policy.

Heintzeman introduced:

H. F. No. 2242, A bill for an act relating to animal health; prohibiting new registrations for farmed white-tailed deer; establishing a voluntary farmed white-tailed deer buyout program; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 35.155, subdivision 10.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Finance and Policy.

Heintzeman introduced:

H. F. No. 2243, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for state-owned public water access facilities; authorizing the issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Quam introduced:

H. F. No. 2244, A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; providing for limited market value increases; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 273.11, subdivision 5, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Koegel, Hollins, Newton, Norris and Moller introduced:

H. F. No. 2245, A bill for an act relating to insurance; requiring the commissioner of commerce to create a low-cost motor vehicle insurance program for low-income residents; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 65B.49, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 65B.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce Finance and Policy.

Dauids introduced:

H. F. No. 2246, A bill for an act relating to taxation; extending the Rochester local sales and use tax authorization for additional projects; amending Laws 1998, chapter 389, article 8, section 43, subdivision 5, as amended, by adding subdivisions.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Frazier introduced:

H. F. No. 2247, A bill for an act relating to higher education; modifying parameters in the state grant program; modifying restrictions on developmental education in state colleges and universities; creating new grant programs within the Office of Higher Education; requiring reports; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 136A.121, subdivisions 5, 6, 9; 136F.302, subdivisions 1, 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education Finance and Policy.

Baker introduced:

H. F. No. 2248, A bill for an act relating to unemployment; modifying the definition of noncovered employment; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 268.035, subdivision 20.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce Development Finance and Policy.

Stephenson introduced:

H. F. No. 2249, A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating certain coverage exclusions; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 60A.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce Finance and Policy.

Newton introduced:

H. F. No. 2250, A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money to the Minnesota Amateur Sports Commission to support upgrades to the roof of the ice arena complex at the National Sports Center.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State and Local Government Finance and Policy.

Feist introduced:

H. F. No. 2251, A bill for an act relating to judiciary; appropriating money for grants to provide legal representation for children in need of protection or services and children in out-of-home placement.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary Finance and Civil Law.

Brand introduced:

H. F. No. 2252, A bill for an act relating to transportation; repealing prevention of public use of railroad right-of-way road from being designated a public road; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 160.05, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy.

Novotny and Moller introduced:

H. F. No. 2253, A bill for an act relating to public safety; establishing a reimbursement program for use of force training; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Hansen, R., introduced:

H. F. No. 2254, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; adding an additional qualifying expenditure to the livestock investment grant program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 17.118, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Finance and Policy.

Stephenson introduced:

H. F. No. 2255, A bill for an act relating to energy; authorizing natural gas utilities to sell extraordinary event bonds under certain circumstances; establishing an account; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 216B.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Climate and Energy Finance and Policy.

Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 2256, A bill for an act relating to taxation; individual income; modifying the pass-through entity tax; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 289A.08, subdivision 7a, as amended; 289A.382, subdivision 2.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Bahner and Elkins introduced:

H. F. No. 2257, A bill for an act relating to consumer data privacy; creating the Minnesota Age-Appropriate Design Code Act; placing obligations on certain businesses regarding children's consumer information; providing for enforcement by the attorney general; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 13; proposing coding for new law as Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325O.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce Finance and Policy.

Norris and Sencer-Mura introduced:

H. F. No. 2258, A bill for an act relating to workforce development; appropriating money to Greater Twin Cities United Way.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Workforce Development Finance and Policy.

Schomacker introduced:

H. F. No. 2259, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; facilitating safe travel on County State-Aid Highway 113 in Murray County.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance and Policy.

Schomacker introduced:

H. F. No. 2260, A bill for an act relating to transportation; appropriating money for the reconstruction of marked Trunk Highway 23 between the cities of Pipestone and Russell.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy.

Schomacker introduced:

H. F. No. 2261, A bill for an act relating to human services; requiring the commissioner to adhere to Food and Drug Administration label requirements when making coverage and access determinations related to qualified drugs or biologic products; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256B.0625, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

Engen introduced:

H. F. No. 2262, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a water treatment plant and accompanying water utility infrastructure in the city of Lino Lakes; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Koznick introduced:

H. F. No. 2263, A bill for an act relating to economic development; appropriating money for small business growth acceleration; requiring a report.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Economic Development Finance and Policy.

Grossell introduced:

H. F. No. 2264, A bill for an act relating to environment; appropriating money to demolish and remediate abandoned Williams School building.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance and Policy.

Kozlowski and Olson, L., introduced:

H. F. No. 2265, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a regional behavioral health crisis facility in Duluth; canceling a prior appropriation.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Lillie and Fischer introduced:

H. F. No. 2266, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the North St. Paul Community Multicultural Outreach Center.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Keeler, Kozlowski and Becker-Finn introduced:

H. F. No. 2267, A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying the medical assistance payment rate for a dually certified organization serving American Indians and Alaska Natives; providing a grant to the Indian Health Board; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256B.0625, subdivisions 30, 34.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

Schultz introduced:

H. F. No. 2268, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for wastewater treatment infrastructure in the city of Ogilvie; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Kraft, Long, Acomb, Newton and Rehm introduced:

H. F. No. 2269, A bill for an act relating to energy; requiring owners of certain buildings to enter energy use data into a benchmarking tool; requiring public disclosure of energy use data; providing grants; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 216C.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Climate and Energy Finance and Policy.

Sencer-Mura introduced:

H. F. No. 2270, A bill for an act relating to transportation; appropriating money for a feasibility study of a highway-to-boulevard conversion of marked Interstate Highway 94.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy.

Sencer-Mura and Clardy introduced:

H. F. No. 2271, A bill for an act relating to housing; appropriating money for the family homeless prevention and assistance program.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Housing Finance and Policy.

Lee, K.; Sencer-Mura; Pérez-Vega; Clardy; Noor and Kozlowski introduced:

H. F. No. 2272, A bill for an act relating to human services; requiring counties to provide shelter to families experiencing homelessness; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256J.626, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256D.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Children and Families Finance and Policy.

Sencer-Mura, Agbaje, Pérez-Vega, Pursell and Clardy introduced:

H. F. No. 2273, A bill for an act relating to housing; authorizing termination of lease upon loss of income of tenant; modifying landlord obligations and liabilities; modifying covenants; authorizing recovery of costs; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 504B.161, subdivision 5; 504B.171, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 504B.172; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 504B; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 471.9996.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Housing Finance and Policy.

Hansen, R., introduced:

H. F. No. 2274, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying Minnesota Forest Resources Council reporting requirement; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 89A.03, subdivision 6.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance and Policy.

Reyer introduced:

H. F. No. 2275, A bill for an act relating to human services; adding definition for medical assistance room and board rate; modifying eligible grant fund uses; creating a cultural and ethnic minority infrastructure grant program; creating mental health grant programs; creating a transition from homelessness program; creating a housing supports for adults with serious mental illness program; modifying the definition of supportive housing; modifying application requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 245.4661, subdivision 9; 245.469, subdivision 3; 256.478, by adding subdivisions; 256B.056, by adding a subdivision; 256B.0622, subdivision 8; 256B.0946, subdivision 6; 256B.0947, subdivision 7a; 256D.02, by adding a subdivision; 256D.07; 256I.03, subdivision 15, by adding a subdivision; 256I.04, subdivision 2; 256I.06, subdivision 3; 256I.09; 256J.08, subdivision 21; 256J.09, subdivision 3; 256J.95, subdivision 5; 256P.01, by adding a subdivision; 256P.04, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 245; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256I.03, subdivision 6.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

Hassan; Noor; Lee, F.; Gomez; Elkins; Agbaje; Freiberg; Nelson, M.; Coulter and Vang introduced:

H. F. No. 2276, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for Parents in Community Action in the city of Minneapolis.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Vang; Burkel; Frederick; Nelson, N.; Tabke; Jacob; Brand; Her; Hansen, R.; Sencer-Mura and Cha introduced:

H. F. No. 2277, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; modifying eligibility for beginning farmer tax credit for the sale of an agricultural asset; appropriating money for administration of the credit; repealing the sunset of the credit; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 41B.0391, subdivisions 2, 4; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 41B.0391, subdivision 7.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Finance and Policy.

Vang introduced:

H. F. No. 2278, A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money to the Board of Animal Health.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Finance and Policy.

Kozlowski introduced:

H. F. No. 2279, A bill for an act relating to housing; landlord and tenant; limiting early renewals on certain rental leases; requiring landlord to provide tenant with a notice of the option to inspect the rental unit at the beginning and a notice at the end of tenancy; establishing damages; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 504B.178, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 504B.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Housing Finance and Policy.

Finke; Becker-Finn; Curran; Hollins; Jordan; Pérez-Vega; Hanson, J.; Reyer; Kozlowski; Youakim; Frazier; Keeler; Howard; Berg; Hicks; Greenman; Fischer; Hassan; Richardson; Edelson; Lee, K.; Sencer-Mura; Norris; Long; Feist; Pryor; Olson, L.; Elkins; Kraft and Hemmingsen-Jaeger introduced:

H. F. No. 2280, A bill for an act relating to health care; creating the Gender-Affirming Rights Act; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 145.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy.

Hill, Kotyza-Witthuhn, Frazier, Clardy, Sencer-Mura, Pérez-Vega and Pryor introduced:

H. F. No. 2281, A bill for an act relating to education; requiring early education teachers to be licensed; modifying the definition of teacher under the Public Employment Labor Relations Act; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 179A.03, subdivision 18; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 122A.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Children and Families Finance and Policy.

Finke, Frazier and Feist introduced:

H. F. No. 2282, A bill for an act relating to public safety; appropriating money to expand the Department of Corrections' work release program.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Elkins introduced:

H. F. No. 2283, A bill for an act relating to local government; increasing the threshold for municipal reporting of construction-related and development-related fee collections; requiring the commissioner of labor and industry to establish a cost per square foot valuation of certain properties for the purpose of setting municipal building permit fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 326B.145; 326B.153, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industry Finance and Policy.

Finke introduced:

H. F. No. 2284, A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying provisions regarding Minnesota residents admitted to adjacent-state mental health facilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 245.50, subdivision 5.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Human Services Policy.

Elkins introduced:

H. F. No. 2285, A bill for an act relating to local government; adding conforming industrialized or modular buildings for residential use to the structures that may not be prohibited by regulation; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 462.357, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Housing Finance and Policy.

Noor, Liebling, Fischer, Gomez and Hassan introduced:

H. F. No. 2286, A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing procedures for the commissioner of human services related to the transition from the public health emergency; providing continuous medical assistance eligibility for children; establishing a state-funded cost-sharing reduction program; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256B.056, subdivision 7; Laws 2020, First Special Session chapter 7, section 1, subdivision 1, as amended; Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 7, article 1, section 36; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62V.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Human Services Finance.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Madam Speaker:

I hereby announce the passage by the Senate of the following House File, herewith returned:

H. F. No. 213, A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money for food shelf programs.

THOMAS S. BOTTERN, Secretary of the Senate

Madam Speaker:

I hereby announce the adoption by the Senate of the following House Concurrent Resolution, herewith returned:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 2, A House concurrent resolution relating to adjournment for more than three days.

THOMAS S. BOTTERN, Secretary of the Senate

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER
Pursuant to Rule 1.15(c)

A message from the Senate has been received requesting concurrence by the House to amendments adopted by the Senate to the following House Files:

H. F. Nos. 4 and 28.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Her moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 22. The motion prevailed.

Olson, B., moved that the name of Davis be added as an author on H. F. No. 106. The motion prevailed.

Dauids moved that the name of Zeleznikar be added as an author on H. F. No. 153. The motion prevailed.

Her moved that the names of Reyer and Smith be added as authors on H. F. No. 173. The motion prevailed.

Feist moved that the name of Huot be added as an author on H. F. No. 192. The motion prevailed.

Hudson moved that the name of Zeleznikar be added as an author on H. F. No. 216. The motion prevailed.

Bakeberg moved that the name of Koznick be added as an author on H. F. No. 237. The motion prevailed.

Robbins moved that the name of Perryman be added as an author on H. F. No. 260. The motion prevailed.

Olson, L., moved that the name of Feist be added as an author on H. F. No. 289. The motion prevailed.

Lislegard moved that the name of Moller be added as an author on H. F. No. 300. The motion prevailed.

Howard moved that the name of Tabke be added as an author on H. F. No. 302. The motion prevailed.

Richardson moved that the name of Kozlowski be added as an author on H. F. No. 307. The motion prevailed.

Hassan moved that the name of Tabke be added as an author on H. F. No. 318. The motion prevailed.

Feist moved that the name of Hicks be added as an author on H. F. No. 329. The motion prevailed.

Reyer moved that the name of Elkins be added as an author on H. F. No. 346. The motion prevailed.

Niska moved that the name of Stephenson be added as an author on H. F. No. 363. The motion prevailed.

O'Neill moved that the name of Hudson be added as an author on H. F. No. 364. The motion prevailed.

Reyer moved that the names of Engen, Curran and Bierman be added as authors on H. F. No. 384. The motion prevailed.

Stephenson moved that the names of Nash, Heintzeman and Lee, F., be added as authors on H. F. No. 394. The motion prevailed.

Berg moved that the name of Hanson, J., be added as an author on H. F. No. 406. The motion prevailed.

Bahner moved that the name of Myers be added as an author on H. F. No. 424. The motion prevailed.

Daudt moved that the name of Mekeland be added as an author on H. F. No. 436. The motion prevailed.

Scott moved that the name of Mekeland be added as an author on H. F. No. 551. The motion prevailed.

Edelson moved that the names of Hemmingsen-Jaeger and Bierman be added as authors on H. F. No. 584. The motion prevailed.

Klevorn moved that the name of Bierman be added as an author on H. F. No. 585. The motion prevailed.

Hassan moved that the names of Hudson and Olson, L., be added as authors on H. F. No. 651. The motion prevailed.

Elkins moved that the name of Sencer-Mura be added as an author on H. F. No. 677. The motion prevailed.

Frederick moved that the name of Bierman be added as an author on H. F. No. 696. The motion prevailed.

Xiong moved that the name of Cha be added as an author on H. F. No. 709. The motion prevailed.

Finke moved that the name of Bierman be added as an author on H. F. No. 716. The motion prevailed.

Edelson moved that the name of Daniels be added as an author on H. F. No. 733. The motion prevailed.

Reyer moved that the name of Norris be added as an author on H. F. No. 735. The motion prevailed.

Norris moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 743. The motion prevailed.

Norris moved that the name of Feist be added as an author on H. F. No. 744. The motion prevailed.

Schultz moved that the name of Rehm be added as an author on H. F. No. 761. The motion prevailed.

Scott moved that the name of Hudson be added as an author on H. F. No. 808. The motion prevailed.

Curran moved that the name of Pinto be added as an author on H. F. No. 824. The motion prevailed.

Lislegard moved that the name of Zeleznikar be added as an author on H. F. No. 825. The motion prevailed.

Hollins moved that the name of Moller be added as an author on H. F. No. 865. The motion prevailed.

Lislegard moved that the names of Heintzeman and Hicks be added as authors on H. F. No. 873. The motion prevailed.

Baker moved that the name of Brand be added as an author on H. F. No. 893. The motion prevailed.

Daniels moved that the names of Frazier, Curran, Wiens and Pursell be added as authors on H. F. No. 909. The motion prevailed.

Becker-Finn moved that the name of Pinto be added as an author on H. F. No. 922. The motion prevailed.

Clardy moved that the names of Norris and Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as authors on H. F. No. 932. The motion prevailed.

Hansen, R., moved that the name of Lee, F., be added as an author on H. F. No. 955. The motion prevailed.

Moller moved that the names of Frazier and Feist be added as authors on H. F. No. 975. The motion prevailed.

Dauids moved that the name of Robbins be added as an author on H. F. No. 977. The motion prevailed.

Liebling moved that the names of Her and Smith be added as authors on H. F. No. 1030. The motion prevailed.

Bierman moved that the name of Zeleznikar be added as an author on H. F. No. 1031. The motion prevailed.

Bierman moved that the name of Moller be added as an author on H. F. No. 1032. The motion prevailed.

Feist moved that the name of Freiberg be added as an author on H. F. No. 1048. The motion prevailed.

Keeler moved that the name of Agbaje be added as an author on H. F. No. 1071. The motion prevailed.

Frazier moved that the name of Johnson be added as an author on H. F. No. 1083. The motion prevailed.

Huot moved that the name of Lislegard be added as an author on H. F. No. 1145. The motion prevailed.

Fischer moved that the names of Curran; Olson, L.; Bierman; Hicks and Myers be added as authors on H. F. No. 1159. The motion prevailed.

Brand moved that the name of Bennett be added as an author on H. F. No. 1171. The motion prevailed.

Youakim moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 1175. The motion prevailed.

Brand moved that the name of Burkel be added as an author on H. F. No. 1180. The motion prevailed.

Franson moved that the name of Davis be added as an author on H. F. No. 1226. The motion prevailed.

Pinto moved that the name of Curran be added as an author on H. F. No. 1233. The motion prevailed.

Baker moved that the name of Youakim be added as an author on H. F. No. 1240. The motion prevailed.

Youakim moved that the names of Bakeberg and Hudson be added as authors on H. F. No. 1271. The motion prevailed.

Brand moved that the names of Youakim and Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as authors on H. F. No. 1272. The motion prevailed.

Norris moved that the names of Hemmingsen-Jaeger and Moller be added as authors on H. F. No. 1310. The motion prevailed.

Agbaje moved that the name of Youakim be added as an author on H. F. No. 1323. The motion prevailed.

Agbaje moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 1324. The motion prevailed.

Kotzya-Witthuhn moved that the name of Norris be added as an author on H. F. No. 1336. The motion prevailed.

Tabke moved that the name of Bierman be added as an author on H. F. No. 1348. The motion prevailed.

Berg moved that the names of Pérez-Vega, Smith, Myers and Hudson be added as authors on H. F. No. 1358. The motion prevailed.

Clardy moved that the name of Youakim be added as an author on H. F. No. 1360. The motion prevailed.

Hassan moved that the names of Davids and Urdahl be added as authors on H. F. No. 1365. The motion prevailed.

Daudt moved that the name of Zeleznikar be added as an author on H. F. No. 1373. The motion prevailed.

Lislegard moved that the name of Zeleznikar be added as an author on H. F. No. 1377. The motion prevailed.

Daudt moved that the names of Hudson and Zeleznikar be added as authors on H. F. No. 1380. The motion prevailed.

Hicks moved that the name of Bierman be added as an author on H. F. No. 1384. The motion prevailed.

Frazier moved that the name of Olson, L., be added as an author on H. F. No. 1405. The motion prevailed.

Hansen, R., moved that the name of Lee, F., be added as an author on H. F. No. 1421. The motion prevailed.

Becker-Finn moved that the name of Lee, F., be added as an author on H. F. No. 1424. The motion prevailed.

Greenman moved that the name of Youakim be added as an author on H. F. No. 1432. The motion prevailed.

Edelson moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 1434. The motion prevailed.

Vang moved that the name of Sencer-Mura be added as an author on H. F. No. 1436. The motion prevailed.

Pursell moved that the name of Clardy be added as an author on H. F. No. 1457. The motion prevailed.

Tabke moved that the names of Becker-Finn, Huot and Rehm be added as authors on H. F. No. 1462. The motion prevailed.

Kraft moved that the names of Klevorn and Reyer be added as authors on H. F. No. 1480. The motion prevailed.

Frederick moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 1494. The motion prevailed.

Pursell moved that the name of Brand be added as an author on H. F. No. 1498. The motion prevailed.

Robbins moved that the name of Garofalo be added as an author on H. F. No. 1503. The motion prevailed.

Fischer moved that the name of Hassan be added as an author on H. F. No. 1507. The motion prevailed.

Hill moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 1546. The motion prevailed.

Newton moved that the names of Olson, B.; Nelson, N.; Bennett and Garofalo be added as authors on H. F. No. 1551. The motion prevailed.

Sencer-Mura moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 1573. The motion prevailed.

Bennett moved that the name of Clardy be added as an author on H. F. No. 1589. The motion prevailed.

Pfarr moved that the name of Knudsen be added as an author on H. F. No. 1601. The motion prevailed.

Freiberg moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 1604. The motion prevailed.

Hanson, J., moved that the names of Freiberg; Lee, K., and Reyer be added as authors on H. F. No. 1618. The motion prevailed.

Norris moved that the name of Hassan be added as an author on H. F. No. 1635. The motion prevailed.

Finke moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 1655. The motion prevailed.

Brand moved that the names of Freiberg, Berg and Hornstein be added as authors on H. F. No. 1658. The motion prevailed.

Kraft moved that the name of Freiberg be added as an author on H. F. No. 1677. The motion prevailed.

Bierman moved that the name of Edelson be added as an author on H. F. No. 1683. The motion prevailed.

Hollins moved that the names of Finke and Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as authors on H. F. No. 1686. The motion prevailed.

Norris moved that the name of Hassan be added as an author on H. F. No. 1696. The motion prevailed.

Feist moved that the name of Long be added as an author on H. F. No. 1700. The motion prevailed.

Huot moved that the name of Koznick be added as an author on H. F. No. 1718. The motion prevailed.

Acomb moved that the name of Youakim be added as an author on H. F. No. 1756. The motion prevailed.

Elkins moved that the name of Acomb be added as an author on H. F. No. 1778. The motion prevailed.

Fischer moved that the name of Brand be added as an author on H. F. No. 1810. The motion prevailed.

Engen moved that the name of Clardy be added as an author on H. F. No. 1842. The motion prevailed.

Reyer moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 1843. The motion prevailed.

Wiener moved that the names of Anderson, P. H.; Davis and Curran be added as authors on H. F. No. 1845. The motion prevailed.

Daudt moved that the name of Knudsen be added as an author on H. F. No. 1849. The motion prevailed.

Berg moved that her name be stricken as an author on H. F. No. 1850. The motion prevailed.

Daudt moved that the name of Engen be added as an author on H. F. No. 1850. The motion prevailed.

Hudson moved that the names of Knudsen and Davis be added as authors on H. F. No. 1860. The motion prevailed.

Hollins moved that the name of Hassan be added as an author on H. F. No. 1872. The motion prevailed.

Kozlowski moved that the name of Curran be added as an author on H. F. No. 1873. The motion prevailed.

Hudson moved that the name of Bennett be added as an author on H. F. No. 1896. The motion prevailed.

Hanson, J., moved that the name of Pursell be added as an author on H. F. No. 1912. The motion prevailed.

Franson moved that the name of Murphy be added as an author on H. F. No. 1915. The motion prevailed.

Rehm moved that the names of Feist and Murphy be added as authors on H. F. No. 1917. The motion prevailed.

Kozlowski moved that the name of Kraft be added as an author on H. F. No. 1918. The motion prevailed.

Freiberg moved that the name of Hassan be added as an author on H. F. No. 1930. The motion prevailed.

Wiener moved that the name of Koznick be added as an author on H. F. No. 1931. The motion prevailed.

Sencer-Mura moved that the name of Kraft be added as an author on H. F. No. 1939. The motion prevailed.

Franson moved that the name of Bennett be added as an author on H. F. No. 1953. The motion prevailed.

Kozlowski moved that the name of Tabke be added as an author on H. F. No. 1971. The motion prevailed.

Brand moved that the name of Schultz be added as an author on H. F. No. 1972. The motion prevailed.

Reyer moved that the names of Norris, Edelson and Elkins be added as authors on H. F. No. 1978. The motion prevailed.

Moller moved that the names of Feist, Curran and Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as authors on H. F. No. 1989. The motion prevailed.

Acomb moved that the name of Youakim be added as an author on H. F. No. 1991. The motion prevailed.

Finke moved that the name of Hornstein be added as an author on H. F. No. 2013. The motion prevailed.

Becker-Finn moved that the name of Feist be added as an author on H. F. No. 2030. The motion prevailed.

Garofalo moved that his name be stricken as an author on H. F. No. 2032. The motion prevailed.

Smith moved that the name of Rehm be added as an author on H. F. No. 2032. The motion prevailed.

Berg moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 2037. The motion prevailed.

Gomez moved that the name of Smith be added as an author on H. F. No. 2041. The motion prevailed.

Pursell moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 2043. The motion prevailed.

Hudson moved that the name of Knudsen be added as an author on H. F. No. 2046. The motion prevailed.

Hudson moved that the name of Knudsen be added as an author on H. F. No. 2047. The motion prevailed.

Clardy moved that the name of Youakim be added as an author on H. F. No. 2068. The motion prevailed.

Hassan moved that the name of Kozlowski be added as an author on H. F. No. 2070. The motion prevailed.

Pursell moved that the name of Fischer be added as an author on H. F. No. 2076. The motion prevailed.

Bierman moved that the names of Curran; Olson, L.; Feist; Rehm; Hicks; Myers and Acomb be added as authors on H. F. No. 2077. The motion prevailed.

Noor moved that the name of Zeleznikar be added as an author on H. F. No. 2080. The motion prevailed.

Bierman moved that the name of Schomacker be added as an author on H. F. No. 2087. The motion prevailed.

Hassan moved that the name of Sencer-Mura be added as an author on H. F. No. 2093. The motion prevailed.

Jordan moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 2096. The motion prevailed.

Frazier moved that the name of Lee, K., be added as an author on H. F. No. 2097. The motion prevailed.

Berg moved that the names of Rehm, Clardy and Pérez-Vega be added as authors on H. F. No. 2114. The motion prevailed.

Hemmingsen-Jaeger moved that the name of Curran be added as an author on H. F. No. 2117. The motion prevailed.

Engen moved that the names of Myers, West and Zeleznikar be added as authors on H. F. No. 2125. The motion prevailed.

Hansen, R., moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 2126. The motion prevailed.

Sencer-Mura moved that the name of Hicks be added as an author on H. F. No. 2127. The motion prevailed.

Coulter moved that the name of Clardy be added as an author on H. F. No. 2130. The motion prevailed.

Tabke moved that the name of Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as an author on H. F. No. 2142. The motion prevailed.

Fischer moved that the name of Olson, L., be added as an author on H. F. No. 2144. The motion prevailed.

Bierman moved that the name of Myers be added as an author on H. F. No. 2156. The motion prevailed.

Bahner moved that the names of Myers, Pinto and Becker-Finn be added as authors on H. F. No. 2160. The motion prevailed.

Berg moved that the names of Elkins, Kraft and Hemmingsen-Jaeger be added as authors on H. F. No. 2170. The motion prevailed.

Freiberg moved that H. F. No. 544 be recalled from the Committee on Commerce Finance and Policy and be re-referred to the Committee on Health Finance and Policy. The motion prevailed.

Norris moved that H. F. No. 1181 be recalled from the Committee on Health Finance and Policy and be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary Finance and Civil Law. The motion prevailed.

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULES

Demuth moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended so that H. F. No. 153 be recalled from the Committee on Taxes, be given its second and third readings and be placed upon its final passage.

A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

The question was taken on the Demuth motion and the roll was called. There were 64 yeas and 68 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Altendorf	Davis	Hudella	Mekeland	Olson, B.	Swedzinski
Anderson, P. E.	Demuth	Hudson	Mueller	O'Neill	Torkelson
Anderson, P. H.	Dotseth	Igo	Murphy	Perryman	Urdahl
Backer	Engen	Jacob	Myers	Petersburg	West
Bakeberg	Fogelman	Johnson	Nadeau	Pfarr	Wiener
Baker	Franson	Joy	Nash	Quam	Wiens
Bennett	Garofalo	Kiel	Nelson, N.	Robbins	Witte
Bliss	Gillman	Knudsen	Neu Brindley	Schomacker	Wolgamott
Burkel	Grossell	Koznick	Niska	Schultz	Zeleznikar
Daniels	Harder	Kresha	Novotny	Scott	
Daudt	Heintzeman	McDonald	O'Driscoll	Skraba	

Those who voted in the negative were:

Acomb	Becker-Finn	Brand	Clardy	Edelson	Finke
Agbaje	Berg	Carroll	Coulter	Elkins	Fischer
Bahner	Bierman	Cha	Curran	Feist	Frazier

Frederick	Hicks	Klevorn	Lislegard	Pérez-Vega	Tabke
Freiberg	Hill	Koegel	Long	Pinto	Vang
Gomez	Hollins	Kotyza-Witthuhn	Moller	Pryor	Xiong
Greenman	Hornstein	Kozlowski	Nelson, M.	Pursell	Youakim
Hansen, R.	Howard	Kraft	Newton	Rehm	Spk. Hortman
Hanson, J.	Huot	Lee, F.	Noor	Reyer	
Hassan	Hussein	Lee, K.	Norris	Sencer-Mura	
Hemmingsen-Jaeger	Jordan	Liebling	Olson, L.	Smith	
Her	Keeler	Lillie	Pelowski	Stephenson	

The motion did not prevail.

ADJOURNMENT

Long moved that when the House adjourns today it adjourn until 10:10 a.m., Tuesday, February 28, 2023. The motion prevailed.

Long moved that the House adjourn. The motion prevailed, and the Speaker declared the House stands adjourned until 10:10 a.m., Tuesday, February 28, 2023.

PATRICK D. MURPHY, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives