

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTH MEETING  
NINETY-FOURTH SESSION

Capital Investment Committee

**MINUTES**

Representative Franson, Chair of the Capital Investment Committee, called the meeting to order at 10:15AM, on March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2025, in Room G23 of the Capitol Building. A quorum was present.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

FRANSON, Mary, Chair  
FOGELMAN, Marj, Vice-Chair  
ALLEN, Keith  
CARROLL, Ned  
FREDERICK, Luke  
HANSEN, Rick  
KOZNICK, Jon  
LILLIE, Leon  
MYERS, Andrew  
PÉREZ-VEGA, María Isa  
REYER, Liz  
RYMER, Max  
SEXTON, Thomas  
SKRABA, Roger  
XIONG, Jay

Non-Voting member present:

LEE, Fue

Representative Sexton moved the minutes of March 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025, be approved. **THE MOTION PREVAILED.**

The following bills were heard on an informational basis only:

**HF458 (Harder) HENDERSON WATER TREATMENT FACILITY.**

**Testifiers:**

Bobbie Harder, Representative, Minnesota House District 17B.  
Keith Swenson, Mayor, City of Henderson.

**HF459 (Harder) CARVER LEVEE RESTORATION.**

**Testifiers:**

Bobbie Harder, Representative, Minnesota House District 17B.  
Courtney Johnson, Mayor, City of Carver.

**HF461 (Harder) NEW GERMANY WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY.**

**Testifiers:**

Bobbie Harder, Representative, Minnesota House District 17B.  
Twyla Menth, City Clerk-Treasurer, City of New Germany.

**HF449 (Bennett) MANCHESTER CLEAN WATER INFRASTRUCTURE.**

**Testifiers:**

Peggy Bennett, Representative, Minnesota House District 23A.  
Steve Hannegref, Mayor, City of Manchester.  
Mark Rauenhorst, City Maintenance and Public Works, City of Manchester.

**HF450 (Bennett) ALBERT LEA WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY.**

**Testifiers:**

Chris Swedzinski, Representative, Minnesota House District 15A.  
Jordan Albrecht, City Engineer, Bolton and Menk, City of Ghent.  
Doug Anderson, Mayor, City of Ghent.

**HF622 (Swedzinski) HANLEY FALLS WATER AND SEWER INFRASTRUCTURE AND STREET RECONSTRUCTION.**

**Testifiers:**

Chris Swedzinski, Representative, Minnesota House District 15A.  
Richard (Rich) Hagen, Mayor, City of Hanley Falls.

**HF650 (Swedzinski) WOOD LAKE WATER AND SEWER INFRASTRUCTURE AND STREET RECONSTRUCTION.**

**Testifiers:**

Chris Swedzinski, Representative, Minnesota House District 15A.  
Dave J. Stelter, Mayor, City of Wood Lake.  
Allen Chrisman, Public Works, City of Wood Lake.

**HF651 (Swedzinski) COTTONWOOD PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE REPLACEMENT FUNDING.**

**Testifiers:**

Chris Swedzinski, Representative, Minnesota House District 15A.  
Teather Bliss, City Administrator, City of Cottonwood.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:53AM.



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Representative Mary Franson, Chair



Karina Nelson, Committee Legislative Assistant