

Capital Investment Committee

MINUTES

Representative Franson, Co-Chair of the Capital Investment Committee, called the meeting to order at 10:14AM, on April 10th, 2025, in Room G23 of the Capitol Building. A quorum was present.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

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

Members excused:

XIONG, Jay

Representative Frederick moved the minutes of April 8th, 2025, be approved. **THE MOTION PREVAILED.**

The following bills were heard on an informational basis only:

HF850 (O'Driscoll) BENTON COUNTY CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS ALONG COUNTY STATE-AID HIGHWAY 1.

Testifiers:

Jared Gapinski, Commissioner, Benton County.
Steve Heinen, Commissioner, Benton County.

HF460 (Harder) SIBLEY COUNTY INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS.

Testifiers:

Tim Becker, Public Works Director, Sibley County.
Steve Helget, City Administrator, City of Gaylord.

HF852 (Baker) SPICER PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE.

Testifier:

Robin DeCathelineau, Mayor, City of Spicer.

HF836 (Dotseth) STURGEON LAKE LOCAL ROAD PROJECTS.

Testifiers:

Scott Helfman, Mayor, City of Sturgeon Lake.
Tim Korby, Engineer, Short Elliot Hendrickson, Inc.

HF1569 (West) COLUMBUS HORNSBY STREET NORTHEAST IMPROVEMENTS.

Testifiers:

Ron Hanegraaf, Mayor, City of Columbus.

HF707 (Davis) CROSBY RECONSTRUCTION OF 1ST STREET NORTH AND ASSOCIATED IMPROVEMENTS.

Testifiers:

Diane Cash, Mayor, City of Crosby.

HF2272 (Quam) BYRON INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS ALONG U.S. HIGHWAY 14.

Testifiers:

Michelle Rossman, Commissioner, Olmsted County.

HF959 (Anderson, P. H.) FREEPORT INTERCHANGE INTERSTATE HIGHWAY 94.

Testifiers:

Mike Eveslage, Mayor, City of Freeport.

HF365 (Altendorf) WABASHA TRUNK HIGHWAY 60 REALIGNMENT AND IMPROVEMENT OF RELATED LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE.

Testifiers:

Emily Durand, Mayor, City of Wabasha.

HF798 (Joy) LAKE PARK LOCAL ROAD IMPROVEMENTS.

Testifiers:

John Beaudine, Mayor, City of Lake Park.

HF366 (Jacob) WINONA COUNTY TRUNK HIGHWAY 74 RESURFACING.

HF1196 (Johnson, W.) WASHINGTON COUNTY ROAD IMPROVEMENTS.

Testifiers:

Karla Bigham, Commissioner, Washington County.

Myron Bailey, Mayor, City of Cottage Grove.

HF866 (Schomacker) SLAYTON 34TH STREET RECONSTRUCTION.

Testifiers:

Josh Malchow, City Administrator, City of Slayton.

Representative Fogelman assumed the gavel at 11:24AM.

HF2652 (Franson) RICHFIELD SPECIALIZED EDUCATION AND TRAINING FACILITY.

Testifiers:

Amy Gudmestad, Chief Executive Officer, Minnesota Independence College and Community.

Ben Lentz, Chief Advancement Officer, Minnesota Independence College and Community.

Representative Franson assumed the gavel at 11:31PM.

HF1349 (Koznick) DAKOTA COUNTY RECONSTRUCTION OF INTERCHANGE INTERSTATE 35 AND COUNTY STATE-AID HIGHWAY 50.

Testifiers:

Mary Liz Holberg, Commissioner, Dakota County.

HF885 (Fogelman) BUTTERFIELD PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE.

Testifiers:

Jim Warwick, Council Member, City of Butterfield.

Mark O. Warner, Mayor, City of Butterfield.

**HF1788 (Rymer) NORTH BRANCH INTERCHANGE INTERSTATE HIGHWAY 35
AND 400TH STREET.**

Testifiers:

Kevin Schieber, Mayor, City of North Branch.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:53AM.



Representative Mary Franson, Chair



Karina Nelson, Committee Legislative Assistant

