STATE OF MINNESOTA TWELFTH MEETING

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES NINETY-THIRD SESSION

**HOUSING FINANCE AND POLICY COMMITTEE MINUTES**

Representative Michael Howard, Chair of the Housing Finance and Policy Committee, called the meeting to order at 3:04 PM on February 14, 2023, in Room 5 of the State Office Building.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members Present:

HOWARD, Michael (Chair)

JOHNSON, Brian (GOP Lead)

CHA, Ethan

DOTSETH, Jeff

HASSAN, Hodan

HUSSEIN, Samakab

KOZLOWSKI, Alicia

MYERS, Andrew

NASH, Jim

NORRIS, Matt

PEREZ- VEGA, Maria Isa

PETERSBURG, John

Members Excused:

AGBAJE, Esther (Vice Chair)

A quorum was present.

Representative Hassan moved that the minutes of February 8, 2023, be approved. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 1440 (Howard) Family homeless prevention and assistance program funding provided, and money appropriated.

Chair Howard moved to lay over HF 1440 for possible inclusion in the Housing Finance and Policy Committee omnibus bill.

Chair Howard moved the H1440A5 amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Chair Howard presented HF 1440 as amended.

Testifying:

* Nelima Sitati Munene, Executive Director, African Career Education & Resources, Inc; Co-Convener, Minnesota End Rent Arrears and Stop Evection (ERASE) Campaign
* Jenny Larson, Executive Director, Three Rivers Community Action
* Madeline Kastler, Deputy Director, Housing and Community Resources Dakota County Social Services
* Dan Kitzberger, Legislative Director, Minnesota Housing Finance Agency

Representative Johnson moved the H1445A3 amendment. THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL.

Representative Hassan renewed the motion to lay over HF 1440 as amended for possible inclusion in the Housing Finance and Policy Committee omnibus bill. The bill was laid over.

The meeting adjourned at 4:05 PM.

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| Representative Michael Howard, Chair |

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| Abdullahi Abdullahi, Committee Legislative Assistant |