INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FINANCE & POLICY MINUTES

Representative Gene Pelowski, Chair of the Committee on Industrial Education and Economic Development Finance and Policy, called the virtual meeting to order at 8:30 AM on February 10, 2021 pursuant to House rule 10.01. The meeting was conducted over Zoom and broadcast via House Public Information Services.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

Pelowski, Gene, Chair Sandell, Steve, Vice Chair Kiel, Debra, Republican Lead Bierman, Robert Bliss, Matt Burkel, John Edelson, Heather Frazier, Cedrick Hamilton, Rod Lislegard, Dave McDonald, Joe Sandstede, Julie Sundin, Mike

A quorum was present.

Representative Sandell moved that the minutes of February 3, 2021, be adopted. <u>THE MOTION PREVAILED.</u>

Presentation on the Construction Careers Foundation.

Testifying:

- Dan McConnell, Business Manager, Minneapolis Building and Construction Trades Council
- Gary Thaden, Board Chair, Construction Careers Foundation
- Pat Wagner, Executive Director, Construction Careers Foundation
- Justin Rost, Director, Minnesota Helmets to Hardhats Program

Presentation on Career and Technical Education (CTE) and Career Pathways licensure.

Testifying:

- Alex Liuzzi, Executive Director, Professional Educators Licensing and Standards Board
- Dr. Daniel Kirk, Dean of the School of Education, Winona State University

Chair Pelowski moved that HF 38 be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Chair Pelowski presented HF 38, a bill for an act relating to public safety; appropriating money for the disaster assistance contingency account.

Chair Pelowski renewed the motion that HF 38 be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Chair Pelowski requested a roll call on HF 38.

AYES Pelowski Sandell Kiel Bierman Bliss Burkel Edelson Frazier Lislegard McDonald Sandstede

NAYS Hamilton

EXCUSED Sundin

There being 11 ayes, 1 nay, and 1 excused, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:59 AM.

Representative Gene Pelowski, Chair

Tara Schaefle, Committee Legislative Assistant