TRANSPORTATION FINANCE AND POLICY COMMITTEE

MINUTES

Representative Frank Hornstein, Chair of the Transportation Finance and Policy Committee, called the virtual meeting to order at 1:00pm on February 11, 2021, pursuant to House rule 10.01. The meeting was broadcast via Zoom and House Public Information Services.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

HORNSTEIN, Frank, Chair KOEGEL, Erin, Vice-Chair PETERSBURG, John, Lead BAHR, Cal BERNARDY, Connie ELKINS, Steve FREDERICK, Luke HAUSMAN, Alice HEINRICH, John KOZNICK, Jon MASIN, Sandra MURPHY, Mary NELSON, Michael OLSON, Bjorn RICHARDSON, Ruth TORKELSON, Paul WEST, Nolan

Chair Hornstein called the meeting order at 1:00pm. A quorum was present.

Rep. John Petersburg moved that the minutes of February 9 be adopted. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 482 (Petersburg) Waseca County; Trunk Highway 13 portion designated as Corporal Caleb L. Erickson Memorial Highway

Rep. Petersburg moved that HF 482 be referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

Rep. Petersburg gave an overview on HF 482.

Public Testimony on HF 482

Chris Hinton, Waseca County Veterans Service Officer Stan Kahl Karla Erickson Rue Sticha Peggy Zinnel Kyle Edwards Martin McNamara

Rep. Petersburg renewed the motion that HF 482 be referred to the Ways and Means Committee. The results were as follows:

AYES:

HORNSTEIN, Frank KOEGEL, Erin PETERSBURG, John BAHR, Cal BERNARDY, Connie ELKINS, Steve FREDERICK, Luke HAUSMAN, Alice HEINRICH, John KOZNICK, Jon MASIN, Sandra MURPHY, Mary NELSON, Michael OLSON, Bjorn RICHARDSON, Ruth TORKELSON, Paul WEST, Nolan

NAYS:

None.

There being 17 AYES and 0 NAYS, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 29 (Hansen) West Saint Paul; bridge on marked U.S. Highway 52 designated as Private Joseph Marthaler Memorial Bridge

Chair Hornstein moved that HF 29 be rereferred to the Ways and Means Committee.

Rep. Rick Hansen gave an overview of HF 29.

Public Testimony on HF 29

Deb Marthaler

Chair Hornstein renewed the motion to rerefer HF 29 to the Ways and Means Committee. The results were as follows:

AYES:

HORNSTEIN, Frank KOEGEL, Erin PETERSBURG, John BAHR, Cal BERNARDY, Connie ELKINS, Steve FREDERICK, Luke HAUSMAN, Alice HEINRICH, John KOZNICK, Jon MASIN, Sandra MURPHY, Mary NELSON, Michael OLSON, Bjorn RICHARDSON, Ruth TORKELSON, Paul

NAYS:

WEST, Nolan

None.

There being 17 AYES and 0 NAYS, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 502 (Moller) DWI offenders not required to take a specified examination as a condition of driver's license reinstatement

Chair Hornstein moved that HF 502 be referred to the Public Safety and Criminal Justice Reform Finance and Policy Committee.

Chair Hornstein moved that the H0502A1 amendment be adopted. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Rep. Kelly Moller gave an overview of HF 502 as amended.

Rep. Dave Baker testified in favor of HF 502, as amended.

Public Testimony on HF 502, as amended

David Bernstein, Chair, DWI Task Force

Chair Hornstein renewed the motion that HF 502, as amended, be referred to the Public Safety and Criminal Justice Reform Finance and Policy Committee. The results were as followed:

AYES:

HORNSTEIN, Frank KOEGEL, Erin PETERSBURG, John BAHR, Cal BERNARDY, Connie ELKINS, Steve FREDERICK, Luke HAUSMAN, Alice HEINRICH, John KOZNICK, Jon MASIN, Sandra MURPHY, Mary NELSON, Michael OLSON, Bjorn RICHARDSON, Ruth TORKELSON, Paul WEST, Nolan

NAYS:

None.

There being 17 AYES and 0 NAYS, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 32 (Elkins) Electric-assisted bicycle classification and regulation modified

Rep. Steve Elkins moved that HF 32 be referred to the Environment and Natural Resources Finance and Policy Committee.

Public Testimony on HF 32

Dorian Grilley

Morgan Lommele, PeopleForBikes

Matt Moore, General Counsel, Quality Bicycle Products, Inc.

Rep. Elkins renewed the motion to refer HF 32 to the Environment and Natural Resources Finance and Policy Committee. The results were as follows:

AYES:

HORNSTEIN, Frank KOEGEL, Erin PETERSBURG, John BAHR, Cal BERNARDY, Connie ELKINS, Steve FREDERICK, Luke HAUSMAN, Alice HEINRICH, John KOZNICK, Jon MASIN, Sandra NELSON, Michael OLSON, Bjorn RICHARDSON, Ruth

