



Workforce, Labor, and Economic Development Finance and Policy Committee

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Agenda

- I. *HF3545 (Mekeland) - requirement to adopt a new residential energy code repealed*
 - a. Angela Peterson, Codes Program Manager, CEE
 - b. Marcy Conrad Nutt, American Institute of Architects - Minnesota
 - c. John Krenn, Sierra Club
 - d. Jared Johnson, Phius Alliance Minnesota
 - e. Eric Fowler, Director of Building Performance, Fresh Energy
 - f. Nick Erickson, Senior Director of Policy for Housing First Minnesota
 - g. Eric Boyd, Arcxis
- II. *HF4004 (Baker) – Explore Minnesota councils membership modifications*
 - a. Lauren Bennett McGinty, Executive Director, Explore Minnesota
- III. *Minnesota Chamber of Commerce survey of Paid Family Medical Leave feedback and experience*
 - a. Lauryn Schothorst, Minnesota Chamber of Commerce
- IV. *Update by the Department of Employment and Economic Development on the Unemployment Insurance additional assessment increase*
 - a. Evan Rowe, Deputy Commissioner

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