

Legacy Finance Committee  
Chair: Rep. Leon Lillie  
Vice-Chair: Rep. Sydney Jordan

March 19, 2021  
1:00 p.m.  
Remote hearing

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Meeting minutes from March 17, 2021
- III. HF488 (Agbaje) - African American arts and cultural program grant funding provided, and money appropriated.
- IV. HF1728 (Agbaje) - Minnesota African American Heritage Museum and Gallery funding provided, and money appropriated.  
  
Tina Burnside, African American Heritage Museum and Gallery
- V. HF1857 (Berg) - September 11 terror attacks 20th anniversary funding provided, and money appropriated.  
  
Carson Starkey, Former Specialist, Medic, Active Duty Army, 4th Infantry Division, 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 3-16 Field Artillery, Najaf/Karbala, Iraq, November 2005-November 2006
- VI. HF XXX – HF 1770 (Frazier) - Radio station grant funding provided, and money appropriated.  
  
Joel Glaser, CEO, AMPERS
- VII. HF680 (Frederick) - Children's Museum of Southern Minnesota funding provided, and money appropriated.  
  
Lou Dickmeyer, CEO, Children's Museum of Southern Minnesota
- VIII. HF913 (Frederick) - County fair funding provided, and money appropriated.  
  
Tiffany Gustin, Executive Secretary, MN Federation of County Fairs
- IX. HF1418 (Hassan) - Somali-based arts program funding provided, and money appropriated.  
  
Mohamed Farah, Executive Director, Rising Impact
- X. HF2097 (Huot) - Minnesota Zoological Garden funding provided, and money appropriated.  
  
John Frawley, Zoo Director  
Missy McGrath, Zoo Legislative Director  
Abigail Mosher, Zoo CFO
- XI. HF1800 (Murphy) - Historic preservation corps contracting provisions created.  
  
Inez Wildwood, Board Chair, Historical Preservation Corps  
Laura Leppink, program alumni, Historical Preservation Corps  
Amos Johnson, program alumni, Historical Preservation Corps
- XII. HF1945 (Murphy) - Regional library systems funding provided, and money appropriated.  
  
Beth Burns, Minnesota Center for the Book
- XIII. HF2193 (Olson) - Lake Superior Zoological Society funding provided, and money appropriated.  
  
Haley Cope, CEO, Lake Superior Zoological Society
- XIV. HF XXX-MM045 (Olson) Duluth Children's Museum

Cameron Krueger, Director, Duluth Children's Museum

XV. HF1623 (Thompson) - Somali Museum of Minnesota funding provided, and money appropriated.

XVI. HF1328 (Anderson) - Midwest Outdoors Unlimited funding provided, and money appropriated.

Ron Welle, Midwest Outdoors Unlimited

XVII. HF1470 (Urdahl) - Civic education grant funding provided, and money appropriated.

Jennifer Bloom, Learning Law and Democracy  
Amy Anderson, Center for Youth Voice

XVIII. HF1672 (Urdahl) - Indian Affairs Council funding provided, and money appropriated.

Shannon Geshick, Executive Director, Minnesota Indian Affairs Council

XIX. HF2058 (Urdahl) - American Indian history curriculum development required, and money appropriated.

XX. HF2087 (Wolgamott) - Great River Children's Museum funding provided, and money appropriated.

Cassandra Miles - Executive Director  
Glen Palm - Board Chair and Founder  
Gregory Reigstad - Treasurer and Founder

XXI. HF1722 (Xiong) - Comunidades Latinas Unidas En Servicio-Latino Communities United in Service (CLUES) funding provided, and money appropriated.

Ruby Lee, CLUES President & CEO  
Aaron Johnson-Ortiz, CLUES Director of Arts and Cultural Engagement

XXII. HF1723 (Xiong) - Lao Assistance Center grant from arts and cultural heritage fund funding provided, and money appropriated.

Ahmay Ya, Social worker, community Advocate / Organizer  
Dr. Bruce Corrie, Professor of Economics  
Jesse Phenow, Founder of the Urban Village, Karen community Advocate / Activist  
Apichart Klaysingha, Siengkane Lao MN, Thai & Lao community

XXIII. HF1725 (Xiong) - Hmong Minnesotan culture and history education grant funding provided, and money appropriated.

Txongpao Lee, Executive Director of Hmong Cultural Center

XXIV. HF1890 (Xiong) - Lower Phalen Creek Project cultural interpretive center funding provided, and money appropriated.

Maggie Lorenz, Executive Director, Lower Phalen Creek Project & Director, Wakan Tipi Center  
Patrice Kunesh, Board Co-Chair, Lower Phalen Creek Project & Capital Campaign Committee Co-Chair, Wakan Tipi Center  
Daniela Bell, Capital Campaign Committee Co-Chair, Wakan Tipi Center

XXV. Adjournment

**Next Meeting: Wednesday, March 24, 2021**