

Energy Finance and Policy Committee

March 6, 2025

Capitol 123 – 1:00pm

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Agenda

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- I. *Call to Order*
- II. *Minutes from March 4, 2025*
- III. *HF 1852 (Murphy) - Solar energy generating systems setbacks from parks and wildlife management areas established.*

Erik Simonson, Minnesota Deer Hunters Association
Madelyn Smerillo, American Clean Power Association
George Damian, Clean Energy Economy MN
- IV. *Department of Commerce Budget Overview*

Commissioner Grace Arnold, Department of Commerce
Deputy Commissioner Pete Wyckoff, Department of Commerce
Assistant Commissioner Lissa Pawlisch, Department of Commerce
- V. *Public Utilities Commission Budget Overview*

Will Seuffert, Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
Mike Bull, Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
- VI. *Adjournment*

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