Capital Investment Committee

MINUTES

Representative Franson, Co-Chair of the Capital Investment Committee, called the meeting to order at 10:16AM, on April 3rd, 2025, in Room G23 of the Capitol Building. A quorum was present.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

FRANSON, Mary, Republican Chair
LEE, Fue, DFL Chair
FOGELMAN, Marj, Republican Vice-Chair
FREDERICK, Luke, DFL Vice-Chair
ALLEN, Keith
CARROLL, Ned
KOZNICK, Jon
LILLIE, Leon
MYERS, Andrew
PÉREZ-VEGA, María Isa
REYER, Liz
RYMER, Max
SEXTON, Thomas
SKRABA, Roger
XIONG, Jay

Members excused:

HANSEN, Rick

Representative Reyer moved the minutes of April 1st, 2025, be approved. **THE MOTION PREVAILED.**

The following bills were heard on an informational basis only:

HF604 (Burkel) KARLSTAD AIRPORT RELOCATION.

Testifiers:

Angela Holm, Airport Engineer, Karlstad Airport. Dale Nelson, Mayor, City of Karlstad.

HF2637 (Niska) RAMSEY CLEAN WATER INFRASTRUCTURE.

Testifier:

Brian Hagen, City Administrator, Ramsey County.

HF1972 (Backer) BRECKENRIDGE COMMUNITY CENTER.

Testifier:

Bruce Yaggie, Resident, City of Breckenridge.

HF629 (Mueller) BLOOMING PRAIRIE CONTAMINATION REMEDIATION IMPROVEMENT.

Testifiers:

Brett Grabau, City Engineer, City of Blooming Prairie. Mike Ressler, Mayor, City of Blooming Prairie.

HF2535 (Bennett) WALDORF ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS.

Testifier:

Rob Wilkening, Mayor, City of Waldorf.

HF234 (Gillman) HUTCHINSON AREA TRANSPORTATION SERVICES TEMPERED VEHICLE AND EQUIPMENT STORAGE AND FUELING FACILITY.

Testifier:

Andrew Engel, County Engineer, McLeod County.

HF584 (Zeleznikar) PROCTOR INTERSTATE HIGHWAY 35 COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENT UTILITY EXTENSIONS AND UPGRADES.

Testifier:

Jess Rich, City Administrator, City of Proctor.

HF1951 (Repinski) WINONA REGIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY FACILITY.

Testifier:

Chad Ubl, City Manager, City of Winona.

HF524 (Mekeland) BECKER TOWNSHIP U.S. HIGHWAY 10 AND SHERBURNE COUNTY STATE-AID HIGHWAY 11 INTERCHANGE.

Testifiers:

Brad Schumacher, County Commissioner, Sherburne County. David Roedel, Assistant County Engineer, Sherburne County.

HF874 (Schomacker) LAKE BENTON PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS.

Testifier:

Patrick Haynes, Mayor, City of Lake Benton.

HF1155 (Schomacker) RUTHTON WATER AND SEWER INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS AND STREET RECONSTRUCTION.

Testifier

Darwin Sietsema, Assistant Mayor, City of Ruthton.

HF864 (Schomacker) MOUNTAIN LAKE PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE.

Testifier:

Michael Mueller, City Administrator, City of Mountain Lake.

HF578 (Allen) FARIBAULT RIVER BEND NATURE CENTER.

Testifier:

Brad Bourn, Executive Director, River Bend Nature Center.

HF884 (Fogelman) ALPHA INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS.

Testifiers:

Timothy (Tim) Cain, Mayor, City of Alpha. Kelly Soucek, City Clerk, City of Alpha.

HF2344 (Fogelman) TRIMONT PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS.

Testifier:

Kevin Kuehl, Mayor, City of Trimont.

HF2365 (Skraba) INTERNATIONAL FALLS WATER TREATMENT FACILITY CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS.

Testifiers:

Shawn Kelly, Lead Water Plant Operator, City of International Falls. Drake Dill, Mayor, City of International Falls.

HF643 (Skraba) PORTAGE PUBLIC SAFETY FACILITY.

Testifier:

Kathy Weiand, Chief, EMS Director, Buyck Volunteer Fire Department.

HF2655 (Myers) MINNETONKA BEACH WATER, SEWER, AND STORMWATER INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS AND STREET RECONSTRUCTION.

Testifier:

Joe Pagano, Mayor, City of Minnetonka Beach.

HF2530 (Myers) LONG LAKE STREET AND UTILITY IMPROVEMENTS.

Testifier:

Charlie Miner, Mayor, City of Long Lake.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:56AM.

Representative Mary Franson, Chair

Karina Nelson, Committee Legislative Assistant