

1.1 ..... moves to amend H.F. No. 3429, the delete everything amendment  
1.2 (A20-0749), as follows:

1.3 Page 1, line 18, delete "14 days prior to the date of the election and no more than"

1.4 Page 1, line 20, after the period, insert "This clause does not authorize a county or  
1.5 municipality to extend the deadlines for the timely receipt of absentee ballots as provided  
1.6 in Minnesota Statutes, section 203B.08."

1.7 Page 2, line 1, delete everything after the period

1.8 Page 2, delete lines 2 to 4

1.9 Page 2, before line 5, insert:

1.10 "Subd. 3. **Processing of absentee ballots prior to election.** Notwithstanding Minnesota  
1.11 Statutes, section 203B.121, subdivisions 3 and 4, the county auditor or municipal clerk, and  
1.12 the applicable ballot board, must begin processing absentee ballots 14 days prior to the date  
1.13 of the election. After the close of business on the 14th day before the election, a voter whose  
1.14 record indicates that an absentee ballot has been accepted must not be permitted to cast  
1.15 another ballot at that election."

1.16 Renumber the subdivisions in sequence

1.17 Page 3, after line 15, insert:

1.18 "Subd. 5. **Further uses prohibited.** Use of funds appropriated by this section for any  
1.19 purpose not authorized by the federal Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2020, as further  
1.20 restricted by subdivision 4, is prohibited. The secretary of state, and any political subdivision  
1.21 receiving a grant, must cooperate with any audits related to the use of these funds conducted  
1.22 by the United States Election Assistance Commission, Office of the Inspector General."

1.23 Renumber the subdivisions in sequence

2.1 Page 4, after line 21, insert:

2.2 "Subd. 5. **Further uses prohibited.** Use of funds appropriated by this section for any  
2.3 purpose not authorized by the federal CARES Act, as further restricted by subdivision 4,  
2.4 is prohibited. The secretary of state, and any political subdivision receiving a grant, must  
2.5 cooperate with any audits related to the use of these funds conducted by the United States  
2.6 Election Assistance Commission, Office of the Inspector General."

2.7 Renumber the subdivisions in sequence