

Taxes Committee
Co-Chairs: Chairs Aisha Gomez and Greg Davids
Chair Aisha Gomez has the gavel.
Room 120, Minnesota State Capitol
Thursday April 9th, 2026

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. **Minutes from April 8th, 2026 for Committee Review**
- III. **HF4841** (Agbaje) - Hennepin County local sales tax authority modified, and grants provided to county health care facilities and to ballpark authority for improvements.

Testifiers:

- 1) Dr. Casey Ricker, Resident, Hennepin Healthcare – Bemidji Rotation – ZOOM
- 2) Dr. Tom Wyatt, Chair, Emergency Medicine, Hennepin Healthcare
- 3) Kerry Paarmann, patient
- 4) Dr. Tom Masters, Chair, Hyperbaric Medicine, Hennepin Healthcare
- 5) Becky Boland, patient
- 6) Dr. Jon Gipson, MD, FACS, Medical Director Trauma and Acute Care Surgery, General and Trauma Surgeon
- 7) Trevor Sawallish, CEO North Memorial Health
- 8) Dave St. Peter, Minnesota Twins
- 9) Dan McConnell, Minneapolis/Minnesota Trades
- 10) Bart Andersen, Executive Director, AFSCME Council 5
- 11) Jeremy Olson-Ehlert, RN, Minnesota Nurses Association
- 12) Rev. Doug Mork, Holy Trinity Lutheran Church
- 13) Eric Harris Bernstein, Coalitions Director, WeMakeMN
- 14) Sam Erickson, Vice President, Hennepin County Association of Paramedics and EMTs
- 15) Dr. Abishek Thatigutla, Family Medicine resident at HCMC, member of the Committee of Interns and Residents
- 16) Dr. Lexy Kindt, Surgery resident at HCMC, member of the Committee of Interns and Residents
- 17) Laura Sayles, Attorney General’s office
- 18) Tina Santos, a healthcare worker
- 19) Dan Collison, Senior Director of Business Development and Public Affairs

- IV. **HF4234** (Rehrauer) - Aggregate bond limitation applicable to the allocation of private activity bonds for qualifying residential rental projects reduced.

Testifiers:

- 1) Andrea Brennan, CEO & President, Greater Minnesota Housing Fund
- 2) Mary Tingerthal, Consultant, Greater Minnesota Housing Fund

V. **HF3697** (Norris) - Time limit to file a claim for tax refund modified.

Testifier:

1) Ben Wagner, Attorney, MN State Bar Association

Next Meeting: Tuesday, April 15th, 2026

Chair Davids has the gavel.

TBD