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State Representative  
District 11A



Minnesota  
House of  
Representatives

**Agriculture Finance and Policy Committee**  
Representative Mike Sundin, Chair

March 3, 2021  
1:00-2:30 PM  
Remote Hearing

**AGENDA**

This remote hearing is taking place pursuant to Rule 10.01.

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Approval of Minutes
- IV. Presentation by University of Minnesota on Agricultural Research, Education and Extension Tech Transfer program (AGREETT)
  - Dean Brian Buhr, College of Food, Agricultural and Natural Resource Sciences (CFANS) and director of the Minnesota Agricultural Experiment Station (MAES)
  - Heidi Roop, Assistant Professor and Extension Climate Scientist, Soil, Water and Climate
  - Jake Jungers, Assistant Professor, Agronomy and Plant Genetics
  - Annie Klodd, Extension Educator, Fruit and Vegetable Production
  - Noelle Noyes, Assistant Professor and Extension faculty, [Veterinary Population Medicine](#)
- V. HF 661 (Klevorn) University of Minnesota Forever Green Agriculture Initiative funding
  - Dr. Don Wyse, U of M, Forever Green Initiative
  - Anne Schwagerl, Prairie Point Farm
  - Dr. Nicole Atchison, CEO, Puris Holdings
- VI. HF 1680 (Marquart) Northern Crops Institute grant funding provided
  - Mark Jirik, Director
  - Joe Smentek, Executive Director, Mn Soybean Growers Association
  - Bruce Kleven, Minnesota Association of Wheat Growers and the Minnesota Barley Growers Association
- VII. HF 1805 (Ecklund) Appropriating money for grants to the Minnesota Turf Seed Council
  - Richard Magnusson, President, MN Turf Seed Council
  - Bruce Kleven, MN Turf Seed Council (*available for questions*)
- VIII. Adjourn

Next Meeting: Monday, March 8, 1:00-2:30 PM.