

**CLIMATE AND ENERGY FINANCE AND POLICY MINUTES**

Representative Jamie Long, Chair of the Committee on Climate and Energy Finance and Policy, called the virtual meeting to order at 10:30 AM on February 11th, 2021 pursuant to House rule 10.01. The meeting was broadcast via Zoom and House Public Information Services.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

**Members present:**

Long, Jamie, Chair  
Acomb, Patty, Vice Chair  
Swedzinski, Chris, Republican Lead  
Bierman, Robert  
Boe, Greg  
Christensen, Shelly  
Franson, Mary  
Gruenhagen, Glenn  
Hollins, Athena  
Hornstein, Frank  
Igo, Spencer  
Lee, Fue  
Lippert, Todd  
Lislegard, Dave  
Mekeland, Shane  
Munson, Jeremy  
Stephenson, Zack

A quorum was present.

Rep. Stephenson moved that HF 0010 be placed on the general register.

Rep. Stephenson moved the HF0010DE2 amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Rep. Stephenson moved the HF0010A26 amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Representative Stephenson presented HF10, A bill for an act relating to energy; establishing a Clean Energy First Act; amending Minnesota Statutes 2020, sections 216B.16, subdivisions 6, 13; 216B.1645, subdivisions 1, 2; 216B.1691, subdivision 9; 216B.2422, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, by adding subdivisions; 216E.03, subdivision 10; 216F.04.

Testifying on HF 10:

- Grace Arnold, Temporary Commissioner, MN Department of Commerce
- Kevin Pranis, Manager, Laborers' International Union of North America
- Adam Duinick, Director of Government Affairs, North Central States Regional Council of Carpenters
- Jessica Tritsch, Senior Campaign Representative, Sierra Club

Public testimony on HF 10:

- Greg Padden, Director Resource Planning and Markets, Great River Energy
- John Reynolds, Director of Energy, Telecommunications and Elections Policy, Minnesota Chamber of Commerce
- Adam Hanson, Director of Government and Public Affairs, Associated Builders and Contractors
- Isaac Orr, Policy fellow, Center for the American Experiment
- Thor Underdahl, State Government Affairs Manager, Minnesota Power
- Rob Dunnette, Minnesota Resource Recovery Association
- Rick Evans, Director of Regional Government Affairs, Xcel Energy
- Chris McConn, Executive Director, Prairie Lakes Municipal Solid Waste Authority
- Joe Hoppe, Manager of Legislative Affairs, Otter Tail Power
- Joel Johnson, Lobbyist, Minnkota Power Cooperative

Representative Munson withdrew the H0010A20 amendment.

Representative Munson withdrew the H0010A23 amendment.

Representative Munson withdrew the H0010A24 amendment.

Representative Mekeland moved the H0010A7 amendment.

Representative Mekeland requested a roll call on the H0100A7 amendment.

AYES:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Mekeland

NAYS:

Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen

Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Lislegard  
Stephenson

ABSTAINED:  
Munson

There being 6 ayes, 10 nays, and 1 abstention, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Mekeland moved the A8 amendment, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Boe moved the A9 amendment.

Representative Boe requested a roll call on the H0010A9 amendment.

AYES:  
Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Mekeland

NAYS:  
Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Lislegard  
Stephenson

ABSTAINED:  
Munson

There being 6 ayes, 10 nays, and 1 abstention, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Igo moved the H0010A10 amendment.

Representative Igo requested a roll call on the H0010A10 amendment.

AYES:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Lislegard  
Mekeland

NAYS:

Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Stephenson

ABSTAINED:

Munson

There being 7 ayes, 9 nays, and 1 abstention, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Swedzinski moved the H0010A11 amendment.

Representative Swedzinski requested a roll call on the H0010A11 amendment.

AYES:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Mekeland  
Munson

NAYS:

Long  
Acomb

Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Lislegard  
Stephenson

There being 7 ayes and 10 nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Gruenhagen moved the H0010A12 amendment.

Representative Gruenhagen requested a roll call on the H0010A12 amendment.

AYES:  
Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Mekeland  
Munson

NAYS:  
Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Lislegard  
Stephenson

There being 7 ayes and 10 nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Franson moved the H0010A14 amendment.

Representative Franson requested a roll call on the H0010A14 amendment.

AYES:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Mekeland  
Munson

NAYS:

Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Lislegard  
Stephenson

There being 7 ayes and 10 nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Mekeland moved the H0010A15 amendment.

Representative Mekeland requested a roll call on the H0010A15 amendment.

AYES:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Lislegard  
Mekeland  
Munson

NAYS:

Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee

Lippert  
Stephenson

There being 8 ayes and 9 nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Franson moved the H0010A19 amendment.

Representative Franson requested a roll call on the H0010A19 amendment.

AYES:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Mekeland  
Munson

NAYS:

Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Lislegard  
Stephenson

There being 7 ayes and 10 nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Mekeland moved the H0010A16 amendment.

Representative Mekeland requested a roll call on the H0010A16 amendment.

AYES:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Mekeland  
Munson

NAYS:

Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Lislegard  
Stephenson

There being 7 ayes and 10 nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Igo withdrew the H0010A17 amendment.

Representative Igo moved the H0010A18 amendment.

Representative Igo requested a roll call on the H0010A18 amendment.

AYES:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Lislegard  
Mekeland  
Munson

NAYS:

Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Stephenson

There being 8 ayes and 9 nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.



Representative Munson moved the H0010A21 amendment.

Representative Munson requested a roll call on the H0010A21 amendment.

AYES:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Mekeland  
Munson

NAYS:

Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Lislegard  
Stephenson

There being 7 ayes and 10 nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Munson moved the H0010A22 amendment.

Representative Munson requested a roll call on the H0010A22 amendment.

AYES:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Mekeland  
Munson

NAYS:

Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen

Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Lislegard  
Stephenson

There being 7 ayes and 10 nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Munson moved the H0010A25 amendment.

Representative Munson requested a roll call on the H0010A25 amendment.

AYES:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Lislegard  
Mekeland  
Munson

NAYS:

Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Stephenson

There being 8 ayes and 9 nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Munson moved the H0010A27 amendment.

Representative Munson requested a roll call on the H0010A27 amendment.

AYES:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson

Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Lislegard  
Mekeland  
Munson

NAYS:

Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Stephenson

There being 8 ayes and 9 nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL. THE AMENDMENT WAS NOT ADOPTED.

Representative Stephenson renewed his motion that HF0010, as amended, be placed on the general register.

Representative Stephenson requested a roll call on HF0010, as amended.

AYES:

Long  
Acomb  
Bierman  
Christensen  
Hollins  
Hornstein  
Lee  
Lippert  
Lislegard  
Stephenson

NAYS:

Swedzinski  
Boe  
Franson  
Gruenhagen  
Igo  
Mekeland  
Munson

There being 10 ayes and 7 nays, THE MOTION PREVAILED.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:03 PM.

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Representative Jamie Long, Chair

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Mike Hermanson, Committee Legislative Assistant