

LEGACY FINANCE COMMITTEE MINUTES

Representative Samantha Vang, Co-Chair of the Committee on Legacy Finance, called the meeting to order at 10:15 A.M., on Wednesday, April 15th, 2026, in Room G3 of the Minnesota State Capitol Building.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members Present:

VANG, Samantha, (DFL Co-Chair)
MCDONALD, Joe, (GOP Co-Chair)
HUSSEIN, Samakab, (DFL Co-Vice Chair)
SKRABA, Roger, (GOP Co-Vice Chair)
BURKEL, John
CHA, Ethan
DIPPEL, Tom
HEINTZEMAN, Josh
LILLIE, Leon
OLSON, Bjorn
XIONG, Jay

Members participating remotely, in accordance with House Rule 10.05:
MOMANYI-HILTSEY, Huldah

Representative Heintzemann moved that the minutes of April 8th, 2026, be adopted. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 3879 (Vang); Outdoor heritage fund; prior appropriations extended and modified, and money appropriated.

Rep. Vang moved that HF 3879 be re-referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Representative Vang moved the DE1 amendment to HF3879. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Fiscal Overview of HF3879 as amended:

- Brad Hagemeyer, House Fiscal Analysis
- Janelle Taylor, House Research Department

Testimony on HF3879 as amended:

- Debby Stone, Landowner/MN Landowners Coalition
- Erick Kardaal, Mohrman, Kardaal and Erickson, P.A., Lawyer
- Tammy Kriese, Landowner
- Kurt Kveen, Landowner
- Maxwell Becker, Mohrman, Kardaal and Erickson, P.A., Lawyer
- Matthew Magnusson, Landowner
- Issac Magnusson, Landowner
- Mitchell Magnusson, Landowner
- Jason Braaten, Roseau River Watershed District
- Dan Fabian, Mayor, City of Roseau

Representative Heintzeman moved the A5 amendment to HF3879 as amended.

Co-Chair McDonald requested a division.

The clerk took the hand count.

There being 6 AYES and 6 NAYS, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL.

Representative Burkel moved the A8 amendment to HF3879 as amended.

Representative Burkel requested a roll call.

The clerk took the roll.

AYES:

MCDONALD, Joe, (GOP Co-Chair)
SKRABA, Roger, (GOP Co-Vice Chair)
BURKEL, John
DIPPEL, Tom
HEINTZEMAN, Josh
OLSON, Bjorn

NAYS:

VANG, Samantha, (DFL Co-Chair)
HUSSEIN, Samakab, (DFL Co-Vice Chair)
CHA, Ethan
LILLIE, Leon
MOMANYI-HILTSLEY, Huldah
XIONG, Jay

With 6 Ayes and 6 Nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL.

Representative Burkel moved the A7 amendment to HF3879 as amended.

Representative Heintzeman requested a roll call.

The clerk took the roll.

AYES:

MCDONALD, Joe, (GOP Co-Chair)
SKRABA, Roger, (GOP Co-Vice Chair)
BURKEL, John
DIPPEL, Tom
HEINTZEMAN, Josh
OLSON, Bjorn

NAYS:

VANG, Samantha, (DFL Co-Chair)
HUSSEIN, Samakab, (DFL Co-Vice Chair)
CHA, Ethan
LILLIE, Leon
MOMANYI-HILTSLEY, Huldah
XIONG, Jay

With 6 Ayes and 6 Nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL.

Co-Chair Vang renewed the motion that HF3879 as amended be re-referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Co-Chair McDonald requested a roll call.

The clerk took the roll.

AYES:

VANG, Samantha, (DFL Co-Chair)
HUSSEIN, Samakab, (DFL Co-Vice Chair)
CHA, Ethan
LILLIE, Leon
MOMANYI-HILTSLEY, Huldah

XIONG, Jay

NAYS:

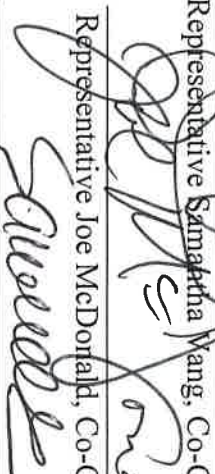
MCDONALD, Joe, (GOP Co-Chair)
SKRABA, Roger, (GOP Co-Vice Chair)
BURKEL, John
DIPPEL, Tom
HEINTZEMAN, Josh
OLSON, Bjorn

With 6 Ayes and 6 Nays, THE MOTION DID NOT PREVAIL.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:45 AM



Representative Samatha Wang, Co-Chair



Representative Joe McDonald, Co-Chair



Representative Samakab Hussein, Co-Vice Chair



Representative Roger Skraba, Co-Vice Chair



Representative John Burkel



Representative Ethan Cha



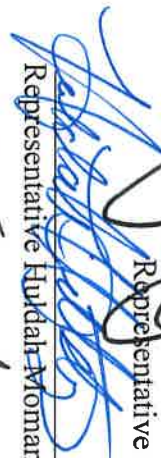
Representative Tom Dippel



Representative Josh Heintzeman



Representative Leon Lillie



Representative Hudah Momanayi-Hillsley



Representative Bjorn Olson



Representative Jay Xiong



Isabel Anderson, Committee Legislative Assistant