

## **Agriculture Finance and Policy Committee Meeting**

**Co-Chairs:** Rep. Paul Anderson and Rep. Rick Hansen

\*Co-Chair Hansen has the gavel.

February 25, 2026

1:00 p.m.

G3 Capitol

### **AGENDA**

- I.** Call to Order
- II.** Approval of minutes.
- III.** HF3474 (Hansen) Agricultural Utilization Research Institute grant funding provided, and money appropriated.
  - Hunter Pederson, Minnesota Farm Bureau
- IV.** HF3475 (Hansen) Per diem compensation for Minnesota Agricultural Education Leadership Council officers and Agricultural Utilization Research Institute board of directors modified.
- V.** HF3508 (Nelson) Eligibility for the Dairy Assistance, Investment, Relief Initiative (DAIRI) program modified.
  - Garrett Luthens, President, Minnesota Milk President
  - Lucas Sjostrom, Executive Director, Minnesota Milk
  - Ann, Dave, Chris and DJ Buck, Bucks Unlimited, Minnesota Milk Producers of the Year
  - Emily Mollenhauer, Minnesota Dairy Initiative
  - Hunter Pederson, Minnesota Farm Bureau
  - Makenzie Mealey, Student, Glencoe-Silver Lake FFA
- VI.** Adjourn

**Next Meeting:** Monday, March 2, 2026