

PUBLIC SAFETY FINANCE AND POLICY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Representative Kelly Moller, Chair of the Public Safety Finance and Policy Committee, called the meeting to order at 3:08 PM on April 7th, 2026, in Room 120 of the State Capitol Building.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

MOLLER, Kelly, Co-Chair
NOVOTNY, Paul, Co-Chair
FEIST, Sandra, Vice Chair
WITTE, Jeff, Vice Chair
BERG, Kaela
BLISS, Matt
CURRAN, Brion
DURAN JR, Bidal
GREENMAN, Emma
HARDER, Bobbie
HOLLINS, Athena
JOHNSON, Pete
KNUDSEN, Krista
PINTO, Dave
REHM, Lucy
REPINSKI, Aaron
SCHWARTZ, Erica
STIER, Terry
TABKE, Brad
WARWAS, Cal

A quorum was present.

Representative Curran moved to approve the minutes of March 25th, 2025. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF1082 (Moller) Minnesota victims of crime account established, grants provided to crime victim service providers, fees and penalties for deposit in account increased, and money transferred from general fund to account.

Vice Chair Feist assumed the gavel.

Chair Moller moved to lay over HF1082.

Chair Moller moved the HF1082DE4 Amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Chair Moller presented HF1082 as amended.

Testifiers on HF1082 as amended.

- Nicole Matthews, CEO, Minnesota Indian Women's Sexual Assault Coalition
- Erica Staab, Executive Director, HOPE Center
- Sarah Reynolds, Executive Director, Child's Place Children's Advocacy Center
- Alexander Delgado, Policy Director, Esperanza United
- Molly Cihla, Community Advocacy Manager, 360 Communities
- Sara Kern, Executive Director, Hope Coalition
- Kenosha Alexander, Executive Director, Sexual Violence Center
- Artika Roller, Executive Director, Comerstone
- Charles Hempeck, Executive Director, Anna Marie's Alliance
- Kim Babine, Executive Director, Office of Justice Programs

Chair Moller renewed the motion to lay over HF1082 as amended.

HF2099 (Johnson, P) Local government emergency management provided, reports required, and money appropriated.

Chair Moller assumed the gavel.

Chair Moller moved to lay over HF2099.

Representative Johnson moved the HF2099A1 Amendment. THE MOTION PREVAILED. THE AMENDMENT WAS ADOPTED.

Representative Johnson presented HF2099 as amended.

Testifiers on HF2099 as amended.

- Josh Brinkman, St Louis County Emergency Management Coordinator
- Dave Anderson, Indian Lake, Ault Twp, St Louis County

Chair Moller renewed the motion to lay over HF2099 as amended.

HF2742 (Frazier) Minnesota clearance grant program provided, law enforcement agency solve rate of crimes involving nonfatal shootings increased, and money appropriated.

Chair Moller moved to lay over HF2742.

Representative Frazier presented HF2742.

Testifiers on HF2742

- John Choi, County Attorney, Ramsey County
- Dave Metusalem, Chief Deputy Sheriff, Ramsey County
- Axel Henry, Chief, St Paul Police Department

Chair Moller renewed the motion that HF2472 be laid over.


HF4177 (Frazier) Independent Use of Force Investigations Unit funding increased, and money appropriated.

Chair Moller moved that HF4177 be laid over.

Representative Frazier presented HF4177.

Chair Moller renewed the motion that HF4177 be laid over.

The meeting adjourned at 4:33 PM.



Representative Kelly Moller, Chair



Christian Lohrenz, Committee Legislative Assistant