

COMMITTEE MINUTES

Senate Environment and Natural Resources Committee
Wednesday, March 9, 2005
12:00 Noon, Room 107 Capitol

MEMBERS PRESENT

Marty
Bakk
Chaudhary
Frederickson
Hottinger
Jungbauer
Nienow
Olson
Pariseau
Saxhaug
Stumpf

MEMBERS ABSENT

AGENDA:

See enclosed agenda.

Senator Marty called the Senate Environment and Natural Resources Committee to order at 12:10 p.m. and stated that a quorum was present.

Senator Ourada presented S.F. 692.

Senator Saxhaug moved the 692A-1 amendment. MOTION PREVAILED.

Bruce Pankonin, Rottlund Homes, Roseville, Minnesota, spoke in support of S.F. 692.

James McGreevy, Lark Hoffman, also spoke in support of S.F. 692.

Bob Meier, Director, Legislative Affairs, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, answered questions from committee members.

Senator Saxhaug moved the 692A-2 amendment. MOTION PREVAILED.

Senator Saxhaug moved that S.F. 692, as amended, be recommended to pass and be sent to the Consent Calendar. MOTION PREVAILED.

Senator Saxhaug presented S.F. 788.

Senator Saxhaug moved the 788A-1 amendment. MOTION PREVAILED.

Senator Frederickson moved the following verbal amendment: page 4, line 7, after "the", delete "issued"; and, after "must" delete rest of line 7; page 4, delete line 8; page 4, line 9, after "not", delete "to". MOTION PREVAILED.

Senator Saxhaug moved that S.F. 788, as amended, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Committee on Finance. MOTION PREVAILED.

Senator Stumpf presented S.F. 1088.

William Brice, Director, Lands & Minerals, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, summarized S.F. 1088.

Donna Peterson, Legislative Affairs, University of Minnesota, had concerns about S.F. 1088.

Dan Mueller, Legislative Analyst, Environment Funding Division, answered questions from committee members.

Senator Stumpf moved that S.F. 1088 be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

MOTION PREVAILED.

Senator Dibble presented S.F. 1098.

Senator Saxhaug moved the 1098A-2 amendment. MOTION PREVAILED.

Joe Kurcinka, Administrator, Management & Budget Services, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, summarized S.F. 198 as amended.

Senator Frederickson moved the following verbal amendment: page 2, line, after "Upon" delete "such"; page 7, line 33, before "is" delete "such revenues". MOTION PREVAILED.

Senator Frederickson moved that S.F. 1098, as amended to pass and re-referred to the State & Local Governmental Operations. MOTION PREVAILED.

Senator Ruud presented S.F. 1214.

Gary Walters, Chair Crow Wing County Board of Commissioners, spoke in support of S.F. 1214.

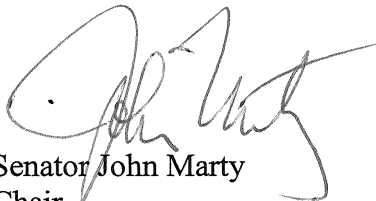
Craig Gilbertson, Crow Wing County, spoke in support of S.F. 1214.


Senator Jungbauer moved the A-1 amendment incorporating the following language: page 1, line 25, delete "and"; page 1, line 27, delete the period and insert a semi colon, insert the following clause, "(6) Neither the approval nor the waiver of the county board, nor confirmation by order of the district court, shall be required for the sewer commission to exercise the powers set forth in Minnesota Statutes, section 116A.24"; page 2, line 1 after the semi colon, insert "and"; page 2, delete lines 2 and 3; page 2, line 4, delete "(4)"; page 2, delete lines 7 and 8. DIV by Senator Olson, 5 naves/6 ayes. MOTION PREVAILED.

Senator Frederickson moved that S.F. 1214, as amended be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Tax Committee. MOTION PREVAILED.

The Environment and Natural Resources committee meeting was adjourned at 2:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,


Senator John Marty
Chair


Carolyn Anderson
Committee Secretary

Senate Committee Meeting Log

Committee Name: ENV AND NAT RESOURCES
 Date: 3/9/05 Day: WED. Start Time: 12PM

Agenda

Bill # (or Topic)	SF 962 DURADA
Author	
Short Descriptor	AMENDED, MOVED TO CONSENT CALENDAR
Action(s)	
Bill # (or Topic)	SF 788 SAXHAUS
Author	
Short Descriptor	AMENDED TWICE, MOVED TO FINANCE
Action(s)	
Bill # (or Topic)	SF 712 STUMPF
Author	
Short Descriptor	MOVED TO FINANCE
Action(s)	
Bill # (or Topic)	SF 1088 STUMPF
Author	
Short Descriptor	MOVES TO FINANCE
Action(s)	
Bill # (or Topic)	SF 1098 DIBBLE
Author	
Short Descriptor	AD AMENDMENT
Action(s)	
Bill # (or Topic)	SF 1214 RUDD
Author	
Short Descriptor	AD AMENDMENT - ADOPTED
Action(s)	MOVED TO TAXES
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AGENDA

- ① S.F. 692-Ourada: Wild Scenic river district removal.
AMENDED, MOVED TO CONSENT CALENDAR
- ② S.F. 788-Saxhaug: DNR critical habitat plates.
AMENDED, MOVED TO FINANCE
- ③ S.F. 712-Stumpf: School trust land aggregate study.
MOVED TO FINANCE
- ④ S.F. 1088-Stumpf: Minerals management account.
MOVED TO FINANCE
- ⑤ S.F. 1098-Dibble: DNR technical bill.
AMENDED, MOVED TO STATE GOV OPS
- ⑥ S.F. 1214-Ruud: Crow Wing County sewage district.
AMENDED, MOVED TO TAXES