

Minnesota State Senate

Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance Committee

Wednesday, March 2, 2022

1:00 PMLivestream YouTube

Minutes

Present: Senator Carrie Ruud - Chair, Senator Bill Weber Vice Chair, Senator Steve Cwodzinski, Senator Fong Hawj, Senator Andrew R. Lang, Senator Jennifer A. McEwen

Absent: Senator David H. Senjem

Senator Carrie Ruud called the meeting to order at 1:10pm

S.F. 3392: Senator Ruud: Safety education and permitting requirement for certain watercraft operators.

Senator Ruud presented SF3392 Boater Safety Education and Permitting bill. Senator Ruud moved the A-3 amendment; the amendment passed by voice vote. Senator Ruud moved the amended bill and it passed by voice vote and it was referred to Senate Environment Finance Committee.

The following people testified:

- Jill Sims, National Marine Manufacturers Association (NMMA)
- Jeremy Wizcek, Nisswa Marine
- Gabriel Jabbour, Tonka Bay Marina (Remote)
- Adam Block, DNR
- Joel Carlson, Community of Minnesota Resorts
- Capt. Shane Magnuson, Hennepin County Sheriff's Office (Remote)
- Jordan Winberg, Goodhue County Sheriff's Office (Remote)
- Jeff Forester, Executive Director, MN Lakes and Rivers (Remote)
- Joe Shneider, President, MN COLA (Remote)

Senator Ruud moved that S.F. 3392, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Environment and Natural Resources Finance Committee. - **MOTION ADOPTED.**

The meeting was adjourned at 2:00pm

Senator Carrie Ruud, Chair

Lisa Handrick, Legislative Assistant

