

# Minnesota State Senate

Housing Finance and Policy Committee  
Thursday, March 24, 2022  
1:00 PM, Room 123, Capitol

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## Minutes

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**Present:** Senator Rich Draheim - Chair, Senator Zach Duckworth Vice Chair, Senator Gary H. Dahms, Senator Kari Dziedzic, Senator Lindsey Port, Senator Ann H. Rest, Senator Julie A. Rosen

**Absent:** No Members Absent

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Senator Rich Draheim called the meeting to order at 1:05pm

### Call to Order

- Quorum Present

**S.F. 4170: Senator Dziedzic: Housing Finance Agency grant program for sprinkler system installation in certain residential buildings establishment and appropriation.**

- Tom Brace, MN State Coordinator – National Fire Sprinkler Association
- David Ybarra, President – Minnesota Pipe Trades Association
- Dan Kitzberger, Legislative Director – Minnesota Housing Finance Agency (MHFA)

Senator Dziedzic moved that S.F. 4170, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

**S.F. 3994: Senator Draheim: Housing program eligibility modifications and appropriations.**

- Dan Kitzberger, Legislative Director – Minnesota Housing Finance Agency (MHFA)
- Lael Robertson, Policy Attorney - MHFA
- Alex Frank, Executive Director - Better Futures MN
- Adosh Unni, Director of Government Relations – Minnesota Department of Education (MDE)
- Dave Anderson, Co-Chair – Homes for All Coalition
- Noah Hobbs, Duluth City Council & Director of Strategy and Policy – One Roof Community Housing
- Warren Hanson, President & CEO – Greater Minnesota Housing Fund
- Dr. Eric Anthony Johnson, President & CEO - Aeon

Senator Draheim moved that S.F. 3994, be laid over.

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The meeting was adjourned at 2:20pm

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Senator Rich Draheim, Chair

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Tom Tschida, Legislative Assistant

