

Transportation Finance and Policy Committee
Thursday, February 10, 2022
3:00 PMLivestream YouTube

Minutes

Present: Senator Scott J. Newman - Chair, Senator Jim Carlson, Senator Julia E. Coleman, Senator Jeff R. Howe, Senator Ann M. Johnson Stewart, Senator Mary Kiffmeyer, Senator Jennifer A. McEwen, Senator David J. Osmeck, Senator Eric R. Pratt

Absent: Senator John R. Jasinski - Vice Chair, Senator D. Scott Dibble, Senator Susan Kent

Senator Scott J. Newman called the meeting to order at 3:08 p.m.

S.F. 2844: Senator Coleman: Fleeing a peace officer in a motor vehicle, increased penalty.

Senator McEwen offers the A-1 amendment.

Senator McEwen requests a roll call vote. Roll call vote request granted.

Voting in the affirmative:

Senator Carlson

Senator Johnson Stewart

Senator McEwen

Voting in the negative:

Senator Newman

Senator Coleman

Senator Howe

Senator Kiffmeyer

Senator Osmeck

Senator Pratt

The A-1 amendment is not adopted.

Senator McEwen offers the A-3 amendment.

Senator McEwen requests a roll call vote. Roll call vote request granted.

Voting in the affirmative:

Senator Carlson

Senator Johnson Stewart

Senator McEwen

Voting in the negative:

Senator Newman

Senator Coleman

Senator Howe

Senator Kiffmeyer

Senator Osmek

Senator Pratt

The A-3 amendment is not adopted.

Senator Coleman moved that S.F. 2844, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy Committee. - MOTION PREVAILED.

S.F. 2875: Senator Howe: Eligibility for a veteran designation on drivers' licenses or Minnesota identification cards modification.

Senator Howe has the A-4 author's amendment.

Senator Howe moves the A-4 author's amendment.

A-4 author's amendment passes voice vote.

A-4 author's amendment is adopted.

Senator Howe moved that S.F. 2875, as amended, recommended to pass and re-referred to the Veterans and Military Affairs Finance and Policy Committee. - MOTION PREVAILED.

Transportation Management Organizations (TMO) Informational Presentation

Testifiers:

Melissa Madison, Commuter Services

Christine Levens, Move Minneapolis

Sam Rockwell, Move Minnesota

Meghan Mathson, Commuter Services

S.F. 2676: Senator Dibble: Southwest light rail transit project special review by the legislative auditor requirement and appropriation.

Senator Newman passes the gavel to Senator Osmek.

Senator Newman has the A-3 author's amendment.

Senator Newman moves the A-3 author's amendment.

A-3 author's amendment passes voice vote.

A-3 author's amendment is adopted.

Testifiers:

Nick Thompson, Deputy General Manager of Capital Programs, Metropolitan Council

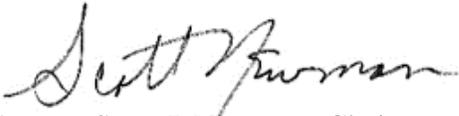
Judy Randall, Legislative Auditor

Joel Alter, Director of Special Reviews, OLA

Senator Johnson Stewart abstains from the vote due to a potential conflict of interest.

Senator Newman moved that S.F. 2676, as amended, recommended to pass and re-referred to the State Government Finance and Policy and Elections Committee. - MOTION PREVAILED.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:23 p.m.



Senator Scott J. Newman, Chair



Matt Wooldridge, Legislative Assistant