



Senate Local Government Policy Committee

Tuesday, March 15, 2022

Hybrid Hearing, Room 123 Capitol- 8:30 a.m.

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NOTE: Public testimony on SF 3414 will be limited to 1-2 minutes per participant due to time constraints.

Agenda

I. Call to order

II. Pledge of allegiance

III. **SF 3414** (Draheim) Exception allowing local governments to control rents if approved by voters repeal

Proponent Testifiers:

In-Person:

- Paul Eger, Senior VP of Governmental Affairs, Minnesota Realtors
- Cecil Smith, President & CEO, Minnesota Multi Housing Association (MHA)

Opponent Testifiers:

In-Person:

- Ann Schulman, St. Paul renter
- B Rosas, Member, Housing Equity Now, St. Paul
- Tram Hoang, Director of Policy & Research, Housing Justice Center

Via Zoom:

- Dayna Kennedy, St. Paul resident
- Theresa Dolata, Home to Stay Minneapolis
- Abdijalil Yusuf, Minneapolis resident
- Cynthia Brown
- Kiesha Steele
- Robin Wonsley Worlobah, Minneapolis City Council Member, Ward 2
- Kim HwaJeong
- Tahiti Robinson
- Jarve Mitchell-Bryant
- Wintana Melekin
- RaRa Navarro, West Side Community Organization
- Miranda Dils, Young Adult Coalition of ISALAH

IV. **SF 3564** (Wiklund) Bloomington Housing and Redevelopment Authority statutory authority clarification

Testifiers:

- Aarica Coleman, Bloomington Housing and Redevelopment Authority Administrator

V. Adjournment