## Agriculture, Broadband, and Rural Development Committee

The Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development Committee has jurisdiction over all bills relating to agriculture, broadband, rural development, and pet animals.

STATE AGENCIES	STATUTES
Department of Agriculture	§ 17.01
Rural Finance Authority	§ 41B.025
Agriculture Chemical Response Compensation	§ 18E.05
Board	
Agricultural and Economic Development Board	§ 41A.02, subd. 3
Board of Animal Health	§ 35.02
Board of Veterinary Medicine	§ 156.01

COUNCILS	STATUTES
Agriculture Education Leadership Council	§ 41D.01
Area One Potato Council	§ 17.54
Beef Research and Promotion Council	§ 17.54
Corn Research and Promotion Council	§ 17.54
Dairy Research and Promotion Council	§ 17.54
Minnesota Egg Research and Promotion Council	§ 17.54
Paddy Wild Rice Research and Promotion Council	§ 17.54
Soybeans Research and Promotion Council	§ 17.54
Turkey Research and Promotion Council	§ 17.54
Wheat Research and Promotion Council	§ 17.54

OTHER GROUPS	STATUTES
Agricultural Utilization Research Institute	§ 116V.01
Organic Advisory Task Force	§ 31.94
Passing on the Farm Center	§ 17.985
Rural Policy and Development Center	§ 116J.421
State Agricultural Society	§ 37.01
State Horticulture Society	§ 37.01

CONFIRMATIONS		
Commissioner of Agriculture		
Board of Animal Health – 6 Members		
Rural Finance Authority – 6 Members		

## **BUDGET JURISDICTION**

Department of Agriculture

- Rural Finance Authority
- Horticulture Society

Board of Animal Health

Agricultural Utilization Research Institute

Department of Employment and Economic Development

• Office of Broadband Development only

<u>Other Issues:</u> Corporate Farming Law, County Fairs, Drainage, Ethanol Development, Farm Credit, Farmland, Farm Loss Modification, Food Shelves, and Pet Animals