

Minnesota State Senate

Capital Investment Committee

Tuesday, February 28, 2023

3:00 PMLivestream YouTube

Minutes

Present: Senator Sandra L. Pappas - Chair, Senator Susan Pha Vice Chair, Senator D. Scott Dibble, Senator Nick A. Frentz, Senator Karin Housley, Senator John R. Jasinski, Senator Zaynab Mohamed, Senator Carla J. Nelson, Senator Eric R. Pratt, Senator Jordan Rasmusson, Senator Tou Xiong

Absent: No Members Absent

Senator Sandra L. Pappas called the meeting to order at 3:08 PM.

S.F. 548: Senator Putnam: Rural Finance Authority bond issue and appropriation.

Senator Putnam presented S.F. 0548.

- i. Matt McDevitt, MDA, Finance and Budget, Ag Finance Supervisor Department of Agriculture testified
- ii. Daryn McBeth, Compeer Financial/AgCountry Farm Credit Services testified
- iii. Kaitlyn Bemis, Public Policy Specialist, Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation testified
- iv. Stu Lourey, Director of Government Relations, Minnesota Farmers Union testified

Discussion.

Senator Nelson moved that S.F. 548, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Finance Committee. - **MOTION PREVAILED.**

S.F. 1711: Senator Lang: Rural Finance Authority bond issue and appropriation.

Senator Housley moved that S.F. 1711, be recommended to pass and re-referred to the Finance Committee.

**Office of the Legislative Auditor - Sustainable Building Guidelines 2023
Evaluation Report**

- i. Judy Randall, Legislative Auditor testified
- ii. Caitlin Badger, Evaluation Manager OLA testified
- iii. Peter Brickweddle, Assistant Commissioner, Department of Commerce testified
- iv. Jack Kluempke, Emerging Energy Technologies Supervisor, Department of Commerce testified
- v. Richard Graves, Director, Center for Sustainable Building testified

**Department of Employment and Economic Development - Review of Business
Development Public Infrastructure (BDPI), Innovative Business Development
Public Infrastructure (IBDPI), and Transportation Economic Development**

Infrastructure (TEDI) Grant Programs

- i. Business Development Public Infrastructure (BDPI)
- ii. Innovative Business Development Public Infrastructure (IBDPI)
- iii. Transportation Economic Development Infrastructure (TEDI)
- iv. Kevin McKinnon, Deputy Commissioner of Economic Development, DEED testified

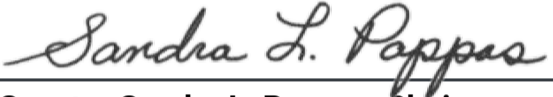
S.F. 969: Senator Jasinski: Greater Minnesota business development public infrastructure grant program bond issue and appropriation.

Senator Jasinski presented S.F. 0969.

- i. Eric Simonson, Senior Lobbyist testified
 - ii. Jennifer Bromeland, City Administrator of City of Eagle Lake testified
 - iii. Kevin McKinnon, Deputy Commissioner of Economic Development, DEED testified
- Discussion.

Senator Pappas moved that S.F. 969, be laid over.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:16 PM.



Senator Sandra L. Pappas, Chair



Fatima Acosta-Mendoza, Legislative Assistant