



# Minnesota Environment, Climate, & Legacy Committee

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3:00 p.m.

MSB 1150

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## **Agenda**

### **1. Call to Order**

### **2. SF 612 (Hawj) - Taking turtles provisions modifications**

- Christopher Smith, Conservation Committee Chair, MN Herpetological Society
- Heidi Wolf, Ecosystem Management & Protection Section Manager, DNR, Division of Ecological and Water Resources

### **3. SF 617 (Kunesh) - School trust lands duties and powers modification**

- Aaron Vande Linde, Director, Office of School Trust Lands

### **4. SF 356 (Hauschild) - Lottery in lieu tax distribution modification**

- Mark McCabe, Director of Ramsey County Parks & Recreation
- Gina Hugo Vice Chair, Greater Minnesota Parks and Trails (Sherburne County, Parks Coordinator)
- Eric Simonson, Flaherty & Hood, PA, on behalf of Greater MN Parks and Trails
- Brian Rice, Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board

### **5. SF 188 (Hoffman) - Rough fish report appropriation**

- Tyler Winter, Director, Native Fish For Tomorrow
- Pat Rivers, Deputy Director, DNR Division of Fish and Wildlife

### **6. Adjournment**

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