



Minnesota Environment, Climate, & Legacy Committee

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Agenda

1. Call to Order

2. S.F. 0824 Kunesh - Minnesota Indian Affairs Council appropriation

3. S.F. 0664 Kunesh - Regional library systems appropriation

- Erin Smith, Director, Viking Library System

4. S.F. 2803 Kunesh - Tibetan American Foundation of Minnesota appropriation

- Dr. Tsewang Ngodup, Special advisor to the TAFM board and former TAFM President
- Mrs. Ngawang Dolkar, TAFM President

5. S.F. 1268 Kunesh - Great Northern Festival appropriation

- Kate Nordstrum, Executive Director, The Great Northern

6. S.F. 1682 Hawj - Clean water, parks and trails, and cultural heritage funds appropriation

- Clean Water Council Recommendations
 - Paul Gardner, Administrator, Clean Water Council
- MN State Arts Board
 - Sue Gens, Executive Director, MN State Arts Board
 - Dick Cohen, MN State Arts Board Member
- Parks and Trails
 - Andrew Korsberg, DNR
 - LisaBeth Barajas, Met Council
 - Renee Mattson, GMRPTC

7. S.F. 1027 Hawj - Minnesota Humanities Center appropriation

- Kevin Lindsey, Chief Executive Officer, MN Humanities Center

8. S.F. 0407 Pappas - Science Museum of Minnesota appropriation

- Jon E. Severson, Director, Strategic Partnerships & Government Relations, The Science Museum of Minnesota

9. S.F. 2961 Hoffman - Minnesota Historical Society appropriation

- David Kelliher, Director of Public Policy, MN Historical Society

10.SF XXXX (Dibble) Camille J. Gage Artist Fellowship

11S.F. 2534 Wesenberg - 4-H shooting sports events participation appropriation

10. Adjournment