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The Honorable Lindsey Port Chair, Housing and Homelessness Prevention Committee 3213 Minnesota Senate Building St. Paul, MN 55155

Dear Senator Port and Housing and Homelessness Prevention Committee Members,

On behalf of the Minnesota Fire Chiefs Association, the Minnesota Chapter of the International Association of Arson Investigators, the Fire Marshals Association of Minnesota, and the Minnesota State Fire Department Association I writing you in support of SF2483/HF2415 High-rise sprinkler system grant program established.

We believe this bill will be very helpful in getting much needed fire suppression systems installed in high-rise buildings. We are in full support of this bill becoming law to improve the safety of these high-rise buildings to both the occupants and firefighters who respond to emergencies in these structures.

Sincerely,

BJ Jungmann Legislative Chair

Minnesota Fire Association Coalition (MNFAC)