



Minnesota Senate Tax Committee

Thursday, April 13, 2023

8:30 a.m.

Room G-15

Agenda

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1. Call to Order

2. Adoption of minutes from 4/4/2023

3. SF 2684 (Kunesh) – Omnibus Education appropriations

AB Amendment

4. SF 1608 (Weber) – Watershed district general fund levy maximum amount increase ~~St. Paul special tax increment financing authority provision~~

Ad Amendment

Testifiers:

- Jan Voit – Minnesota Watersheds Executive Director
- zoom* • Tera Guetter – Pelican Rapids Watershed Director

5. SF 671 (Dibble) – Rental motor vehicle tax and fee modification

Testifiers:

- Paul Schroeder – CEO, HOURCAR
- Russ Stark – City of Saint Paul Chief Resilience Officer
- Will Schroeder – Chair of the statewide Shared Mobility Collaborative

6. 3233 (Dibble) – Additional financing of metropolitan area transit capital expenditures provisions and authorizing the issuance of certain obligations

A1 Amendment

Testifier:

- Judd Schetnan – Government Affairs Director, Metropolitan Council

7. SF 3157 (Dibble) – Active transportation program appropriations

A50 Amendment

Testifiers:

- Bentley Graves – MN Chamber of Commerce
- Jill Sims – Director of Government Relations, Hospitality Minnesota
- ~~• Steve Barthel – Government and Community Relations Manager, Minnesota Grocers Association~~
- Aurora Vautrin – Legislative and Political Director, 100% Campaign
- Margaret Donahoe – Executive Director, MN Transportation Alliance
- Eric Bernstein – Director, We Make Minnesota
- John Thorson – Legislative Director, LIUNA Minnesota and North Dakota
- Brad Lehto – Secretary/Treasurer, Minnesota AFL/CIO
- Katie Nicholson – Citizen of St. Paul
- zoom* • Darwin Schaeferlane – Citizen of Bloomington
- Krista Boyd, Fiscal Analyst for Transportation Cmte, MN Senate*
- Peter Wagenius, Legislative Director, Sierra Club North Star Chapter*

8. Announcements

9. Adjournment

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