



Minnesota Senate Agriculture, Broadband, and Rural Development Committee

Wednesday, April 3rd, 2024
3:00 p.m.

1150 Minnesota Senate Building and Zoom

Chair

Aric Putnam
3215 Minnesota Senate Building
St. Paul, MN 55155
(651) 296-6455
sen.aric.putnam@mnsenate.gov

Vice Chair

Robert J. Kupec

Ranking Minority Member

Torrey N. Westrom

Members

Bruce D. Anderson
Gary H. Dahms
Gene Dornink
Heather Gustafson
Mary K. Kunesh
Judy Seeberger

Committee Staff:

Committee Administrator

Hunter Pederson
(651) 296-5712
hunter.pederson@mnsenate.gov

Committee Legislative Assistant

Nick Roth
(651) 296-6455
nick.roth@mnsenate.gov

Caucus Research

Amanda Pedersen (DFL)
Andrew Larson (R)

Legislative Analyst

Laura Paynter

Fiscal Analyst

Erik Olaphson

AGENDA

1. Call to Order

2. Confirmation Hearing for Board of Animal Health Members
 - Erica Sawatzke, Board President, Poultry Producer, Kensington

 - Peggy Anne Hawkins, DVM; Board Vice President,
Veterinarian, Northfield

 - Jessica Koppien-Fox, DVM; Veterinarian, Marshall

 - Alex Stade, Cattle Producer, Prior Lake

 - Steve Neil, Livestock Producer, Northfield

 - Brandon Schafer, Livestock Producer, Goodhue

 - Abigail Maynard, DVM; Veterinarian Specializing in
Companion Animals, St. Paul Park

3. Adjournment