



Minnesota Environment, Climate, & Legacy Committee

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3:00 p.m.
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Agenda

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1. Call to Order

2. SF 4523 (Hauschild) Ways to increase the recovery of critical materials from end-of-life products advising task force to commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency established

- Abby Hornberger, MN Policy Organizer, Blue Green Alliance
- John Arbogast, Staff Representative, United Steelworkers
- Paul Slattery, Director of Politics and Organizing, Teamsters Local 120
- James Lehner, Policy Associate, Conservation Minnesota
- Tom Johnson, Government Relations Director, MPCA
- Anna Johnson, Senior Manager, State & Local Affairs, Fresh Energy
- Lori Olinger, Sierra Club North Star Chapter

3. SF 4910 (McEwen) Climate-change adaption costs study appropriation

- Aurora Vautrin, Legislative Director, The 100% Campaign

4. SF 5162 (Kunesch) Mille Lacs County appropriation for certain land condemnation and transfer authorization for no consideration

- Jamie Edwards, Government Affairs, Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe
- Aaron Vande Linde, Office of School Trust Lands

5. SF 4250 (Kunesch) School trust lands usage for recreational purposes extent study requirement provision

- Denise Dittrich, MN School Boards Association
- Aaron Vande Linde, Office of School Trust Lands

6. S.F. 5048 (Hauschild) State-owned land carbon sequestration and oil and gas exploration and production leases provisions and appropriation

- Joe Henderson, Director, Lands and Minerals, DNR
- Rich Sve, Commissioner, Lake County Board
- Sarah Mooradian, Government Relations & Policy Director; CURE
- Aaron Vande Linde, Office of School Trust Lands
- Aaron Klemz, MN Center for Environmental Advocacy

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