

Minnesota State Senate

Housing and Homelessness Prevention Committee
Tuesday, March 19, 2024
12:30 PM, 1150 Minnesota Senate Bldg.

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Minutes

Present: Senator Lindsey Port - Chair, Senator Liz Boldon - Vice Chair, Senator Rich Draheim, Senator Karin Housley, Senator Eric Lucero, Senator Susan Pha, Senator Tou Xiong

Absent: Senator Zaynab Mohamed

Senator Liz Boldon called the meeting to order at 12:38pm.

Call to Order

S.F. 4804: Senator Port: Housing provisions modifications.

Senator Port provided an overview of the bill

Discussion
Dan Kitberger, Minnesota Housing Finance Agency

Senator Port moved the A1 amendment, motion prevailed, amendment adopted

Senator Port moved that S.F. 4804, as amended, be recommended to pass. - **MOTION PREVAILED.**

S.F. 4158: Senator Port: Housing infrastructure bonds usage expansion and additional housing infrastructure bonds issuance authorization provisions.

Senator Port provided an overview of the bill

Senator Port moved the A1 amendment, motion prevailed, amendment adopted

Testifiers
Phoebe Trepp, Clare Housing
Maggy Otte, Hope Community

Discussion
Kari Johnson, MCCD

As amended, laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 4940: Senator Xiong: Housing infrastructure program appropriation modification, expansion of eligible uses of housing infrastructure bonds, and establishing a task force.

Senator Xiong provided an overview of the bill

Senator Xiong moved the A2 amendment, motion prevailed, amendment adopted

Testifiers
Ellen Sahli, Family Housing Fund
Andrea Brennan, Greater Minnesota Housing Fund
Deidre Schmidt, CommonBond Communities
Chris LaTondresse, Beacon Interfaith Collaborative

Discussion
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Ellen Sahli, Family Housing Fund

Senator Draheim moved the A3 amendment, discussion, amendment withdrawn

Senator Draheim moved the A4 amendment, discussion, amendment withdrawn

As amended, laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:58pm.

Senator Lindsey Port, Chair

Courtney Schaff, Legislative Assistant