



Minnesota Senate Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy Committee

Monday, March 18, 2024

12:30pm

MSB 1100

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Agenda:

1. Call To Order

2. S.F. 4172 – Frentz: Independent living services modification

Testifier:

- Marty Seifert, Minnesota Association of Centers for Independent Living

3. DEED Overview of Bonding Project Requests

Testifier:

- Kevin McKinnon, Deputy Commissioner, DEED

4. IRRRB Overview of Bonding Project Requests

Testifiers:

- Giants Ridge: Ida Rukavina, IRRRB Commissioner
- MN Discovery Center: Char Conger, MN Discovery Center Executive Director

5. S.F. 3756 – Hauschild: Water infrastructure funding program maximum grant amount increase provision

Amendment: scs3756a-1

Testifiers:

- Elizabeth Wefel, Coalition of Greater Minnesota Cities
- John Thorson, LiUNA
- Douglas Gregor, Mayor, Aurora, MN

6. S.F. 4925 – Putnam: Technical changes to the small business assistance partnerships grant program, Minnesota expanding opportunity fund program, Minnesota emerging entrepreneur program, and community wealth-building grant program pilot project

Amendment: scs4925a-1

Testifier:

- Kari Johnson, Metropolitan Consortium of Community Developers

7. S.F. 3164 – Mohamed: Fortis Capital revolving loan fund appropriation **Minnesota Senate Jobs and Economic Development Committee**

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Amendment: scs3164a-1

Testifier:

- Richard Kolodziejcki, North Central States Regional Council of Carpenters

8. Adjournment