



Minnesota Senate Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy

Minnesota Senate Building 1150

Thursday, March 13th, 2025

3:00 – 5:00 pm

Agenda

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1. Call to Order

2. Impacts of Federal Actions on United States Forest Service (USFS) and National Park Service (NPS)

- Kate Saling, Former Voyagers National Park Ranger
(REMOTE)*
- Jessica Loeffler, Former Biological Science
Technician, Mississippi National River and
Recreation Area (REMOTE)*
- Patty Thielen, Forestry Director, DNR*

3. SF 1751 (Johnson Stewart) Recommendations of Aggregate Resources Task Force Implementation

- Darrin Lee, Flaherty & Hood, Aggregate and Ready
Mix Association*
- Abbey Bryduck, Executive Director, Minnesota
Asphalt Pavement Association*

4. SF 1635 (Hauschild) Carley State Park addition provision

- Lorie Klein, Attorney, Lands and Minerals, DNR*

5. SF 1464 (Pha) Minnesota Sustainable Foraging Task Force establishment

- Peter Martignacco, President, Minnesota
Mycological Society*
- Sean Sherman, The Sioux Chef with North
American Traditional Indigenous Food Systems*
- Tara Erickson, Erickson Public Affairs*
- Bob Meier, Assistant Commissioner, DNR*

6. Adjourn