

Minnesota State Senate

Transportation Committee
Wednesday, February 12, 2025
3:00 PM, 1100 Minnesota Senate Bldg.

Minutes

Present: Senator Jim Carlson, Senator D. Scott Dibble, Senator Robert D. Farnsworth, Senator FOUNG Hawj, Senator Jeff R. Howe, Senator John R. Jasinski, Senator Ann M. Johnson Stewart, Senator Andrew R. Lang, Senator Jennifer A. McEwen, Senator Carla J. Nelson, Senator Susan Pha

Absent: No Members Absent

Chair D. Scott Dibble called the meeting to order at 3:08pm. After each agenda item, time was allotted, the committee opened to discussion and potential amendments.

CALL TO ORDER

S.F. 1179: Senator Jasinski: Fines increase for failure to provide vehicle insurance.

Senator John R. Jasinski presented S.F. 1179 - Fines increase for failure to provide vehicle insurance.

Testimony was heard from the following individuals:

- Aaron Cocking, Insurance Federation of Minnesota
- Tony Larson, Faribault Police Dept Training Officer

Senator Dibble moved that S.F. 1179, be laid on the table. - **MOTION PREVAILED.**

S.F. 485: Senator Marty: New billboards statewide moratorium establishment and existing billboards nonconforming uses declaration provision.

Senator John Marty presented S.F. 485 - New billboards statewide moratorium establishment and existing billboards nonconforming uses declaration provision.

Vice Chair Anne Johnson Stewart moved the A1 amendment. Via voice vote, the amendment was adopted.

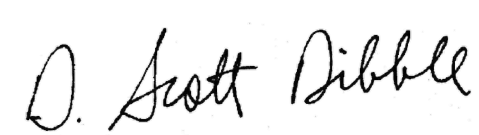
Testimony was heard from the following individuals:

- Mark Falzone, Scenic America President
- Jeanne Weigum
- John Mannillo
- Bryan Huntington, Minnesota Outdoor Advertising Association
- Andrew Carlson, Minnesota Outdoor Advertising Association
- Nels Pierson, Reagan Outdoor Advertising
- Mike Hylandsson, Hoey Outdoor Advertising
- Matt Harrold, Lamar Outdoor Advertising Duluth

Senator Farnsworth moved the A2 amendment. Via voice vote, the motion failed and the amendment was not adopted.
Senator Jasinski moved the A3 amendment. Via voice vote, the motion failed and the amendment was not adopted.

Senator Dibble moved that S.F. 485, be laid on the table. - **MOTION PREVAILED.**

Chair Dibble adjourned the meeting at 5:00pm.



Senator D. Scott Dibble, Chair



Alex Will, Legislative Assistant