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1. Call to Order

2. Senate File 5155 – Limmer

Hennepin County railroad crossing prior appropriation modification.

- **Kent Koch**, Mayor of Loretto *(Zoom)*

3. Counsel Document sc4257-1 – Kunesh

Ain Dah Yung Center prior appropriation modification.

- **Sheri Riemers** (Nidaanisequay), CEO, Ain Dah Yung Center *(Zoom)*

4. Counsel Document sc4254-2 – Pappas

Sanneh Foundation prior appropriation modification.

5. Counsel Document sc4258 – Pappas

Providing notice of state contribution for capital project.

6. Senate File 5190 – Xiong

City of North St. Paul new water tower appropriation and prior appropriation cancellation.

- **Brian Frandle**, City Manager, North Saint Paul

7. Senate File 3879 – Dibble

Constitutional amendment for public debt to be incurred for public information technology, systems, licenses, and infrastructure.

- **Matt Peabody**, Director of Information Technology Systems, Olmsted County *(Zoom)*

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- **Denise Smieja**, Director of Data Leadership, Education Partnership Coalition
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8. Senate File 4971 – Dibble

Emergency shelter facility grant program establishment.

- **Matt Traynor**, Executive Director, Minnesota Coalition for the Homeless

9. Senate File 3839 – Port

Housing infrastructure bond issue and appropriation.

- **Kelly Law**, Senior Policy & Field Building Manager, Minnesota Consortium of Community Developers

10. Senate File 4122 – McEwen

Lead service line replacement grants appropriation.

- **James Lehner**, Conservation Minnesota
- **Racquel Vaske**, Saint Paul Regional Water
- **Scott Sherman**, Mayor of Winona *(Zoom)*
- **John Thorson**, Laborers' International Union
- **Chad Kolstad**, Public Facilities Authority *(Zoom)*

11. Senate File 4982 – Hemmingsen-Jaeger

Lease-purchase agreement and the issuance of certificates of participation to fund improvements to or replacement of the state's MAXIS system.

- **Matt Hilgard**, Director of Government Relations, Association of Minnesota Counties

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