



Date: September 9, 2015

To: Legislative Advisory Commission Members

Senator Thomas Bakk
Senator Richard Cohen
Senator David Tomassoni

Representative Kurt Daudt
Representative Jim Knoblach
Representative Rod Hamilton

From: Commissioner Myron Frans
Executive Secretary

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Re: Legislative Advisory Commission Federal Funds Avian Influenza Reporting

This memo is notification to Legislative Advisory Commission members that the Department of Agriculture is receiving \$100,000 in additional federal funds in Fiscal Year 2016 through the Department of Public Safety Homeland Security and Emergency Response division. The funds will be used for the purchase of foaming units to aid in the avian influenza emergency response.

You are receiving this notification based on the reporting requirement in law (Laws of 2015, Special Session 1, Article 1, Chapter 4, Section 7), which requires Minnesota Management and Budget to notify the Legislative Advisory Commission of anticipated federal funds for avian influenza.

You can find more information about the federal funds in the attached document.

If you have questions or need additional information, please contact Chris Zempel of my staff at chris.zempel@state.mn.us or 651-201-8214.

Attachment

cc: Bill Marx, House Fiscal Analysis Department
Eric Nauman, Senate Counsel, Research and Fiscal Analysis