



January 11, 2022

Senator Carrie Ruud, Chair  
Senator Fong Hawj, Ranking Minority Member  
*Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance Committee*

Senator Bill Ingebrigtsen, Chair  
Senator Patricia Torres Ray, Ranking Minority Member  
*Environment and Natural Resources Finance Committee*

Representative Rick Hansen, Chair  
Representative Josh Heintzeman, Ranking Minority Member  
*Environment and Natural Resources Finance and Policy Committee*

**Subject: Annual Report on Rulemaking Docket and Official Records for Rules Completed in 2021, as required by Minnesota Statutes, section 14.116 (a)**

Dear Senators and Representatives:

Minnesota Statutes, section 14.116, requires each agency to submit its rulemaking docket and official rulemaking records for rules completed during the preceding calendar year to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative policy and budget committees with jurisdiction over the subject matter of the proposed rule.

The Department of Natural Resources (DNR) submits its [rulemaking docket](#) by way of this link. Our current docket is available on the [DNR's rulemaking webpage](#) at all times.

The DNR completed no permanent rules projects in calendar year 2021 under the Administrative Procedure Act, *Minnesota Statutes*, Chapter 14.

Please note that you also have access to the key documents for any agency rulemaking at the Revisor's website on their ["Minnesota Rule Status" webpage](#) or at [www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/status](http://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/status).

If you have questions about this report, your staff may contact Beth Carlson, DNR Rules Coordinator, at 651-259-5531 or [beth.carlson@state.mn.us](mailto:beth.carlson@state.mn.us).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Sarah Strommen'.

Sarah Strommen  
Commissioner

Cc: Beth Carlson, DNR Rules Coordinator  
Committee Administrators  
Legislative Reference Library

## LEGISLATIVE REPORT – Cost of Preparation

NAME OF LEGISLATIVE REPORT:

***Annual Report on Rulemaking Docket and Official Records for Rules Completed in 2021***

Based on: Records maintained by DNR Rules Coordinator

Minnesota Statute Reference: **Minnesota Statutes, section 14.116(a)**

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Description of Cost	Further explanation if necessary	Amounts
Staff time:	Time costs calculated at hourly salary rates except as noted	
Operations Services Division	1.0 hour (rules coordination professional services rate @ \$78/hr)	\$ 78
DNR Office of General Counsel	0.5 hour (legal professional services rate @ \$ 124/hr)	\$ 62
Duplication Cost (includes paper)		n.a.
Other:		n.a.
	<b>TOTAL TO PREPARE REPORT</b>	<b>\$ 140</b>