

FORTIETH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Friday, April 16, 2021

The Senate met at 9:00 a.m. and was called to order by the presider, Senator Jasinski.

The members of the Senate paused for a moment of silent prayer and reflection.

The members of the Senate gave the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

The roll was called, and the following Senators were present:

Abeler	Draheim	Howe	Marty	Rest
Anderson	Duckworth	Ingebrigtsen	Mathews	Rosen
Bakk	Dziedzic	Isaacson	McEwen	Ruud
Benson	Eaton	Jasinski	Miller	Senjem
Bigham	Eichorn	Johnson	Murphy	Tomassoni
Carlson	Eken	Johnson Stewart	Nelson	Torres Ray
Chamberlain	Fateh	Kent	Newman	Utke
Champion	Franzen	Kiffmeyer	Newton	Weber
Clausen	Frentz	Klein	Osmek	Westrom
Coleman	Gazelka	Koran	Pappas	Wiger
Cwodzinski	Goggin	Kunesh	Port	Wiklund
Dahms	Hawj	Lang	Pratt	
Dibble	Hoffman	Latz	Putnam	
Dornink	Housley	Limmer	Rarick	

Pursuant to Rule 14.1, the President announced the following members intend to vote under Rule 40.7: Abeler, Anderson, Bakk, Bigham, Carlson, Chamberlain, Champion, Clausen, Coleman, Cwodzinski, Dahms, Dibble, Dornink, Draheim, Duckworth, Dziedzic, Eaton, Eichorn, Eken, Fateh, Franzen, Frentz, Gazelka, Goggin, Hoffman, Housley, Howe, Ingebrigtsen, Isaacson, Johnson, Johnson Stewart, Kent, Kiffmeyer, Klein, Koran, Kunesh, Lang, Latz, Limmer, Marty, Mathews, McEwen, Miller, Murphy, Nelson, Newman, Newton, Osmek, Port, Pratt, Putnam, Rarick, Rest, Rosen, Ruud, Senjem, Tomassoni, Torres Ray, Utke, Weber, Westrom, Wiger, and Wiklund.

The President declared a quorum present.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with and the Journal, as printed and corrected, was approved.

EXECUTIVE AND OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS

The following communication was received.

April 15, 2021

The Honorable Jeremy R. Miller
President of the Senate

Dear Senator Miller:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
COMMISSIONER

Grace Arnold, 85 - 7th Pl. E., Ste. 280, Saint Paul, in the county of Ramsey, effective April 15, 2021, for a term expiring on January 2, 2023.

(Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection Finance and Policy.)

Sincerely,
Tim Walz, Governor

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

Mr. President:

I have the honor to announce the passage by the House of the following House Files, herewith transmitted: H.F. Nos. 1077 and 1079.

Patrick D. Murphy, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Transmitted April 15, 2021

FIRST READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following bills were read the first time.

H.F. No. 1077: A bill for an act relating to housing; establishing a budget for the Minnesota Housing Finance Agency; adopting housing finance agency policy provisions; expanding eligibility requirements for certain affordable housing, workforce housing, and disaster recovery programs; increasing the agency debt limit; increasing the individual and family household income limits under the community land trusts program; expanding requirements and uses and loan amount under the rehabilitation loan program; expanding allowable uses of housing infrastructure bonds; refunding certain deposits to bond issuers; creating the lead safe homes grant program; creating the Naturally Occurring Affordable Housing grant program; establishing a task force on shelter resident rights and shelter provider practices; expanding rental lease covenants and remedies available to tenants; expanding accommodation requirements for service and support animals; expanding procedural and reporting requirements for evictions; limiting public access to pending eviction actions; expanding eligibility for certain expungements of eviction case files; permitting manufactured homes affixed to certain property to be deemed an improvement to real property; providing residents an opportunity

to purchase manufactured home parks; making technical and conforming changes; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2020, sections 12A.09, subdivision 3; 256C.02; 273.11, subdivision 12; 273.125, subdivision 8; 363A.09, subdivision 5; 462A.05, subdivisions 14, 14a, by adding a subdivision; 462A.07, subdivision 2; 462A.204, subdivision 3; 462A.22, subdivision 1; 462A.30, subdivision 9; 462A.37, subdivisions 1, 2; 462A.38, subdivision 1; 462A.39, subdivisions 2, 5; 474A.21; 484.014, subdivisions 2, 3; 504B.001, subdivision 4; 504B.135; 504B.161, subdivision 1; 504B.211, subdivisions 2, 6; 504B.241, subdivision 4; 504B.245; 504B.321; 504B.331; 504B.335; 504B.345, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 504B.361, subdivision 1; 504B.371, subdivisions 4, 5, 7; 504B.375, subdivision 1; 504B.381, subdivisions 1, 5, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 168A; 327C; 462A; 504B; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2020, sections 168A.141; 327C.096; 504B.341.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 969, now on General Orders.

H.F. No. 1079: A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money from outdoor heritage, clean water, parks and trails, and arts and cultural heritage funds; modifying and extending prior appropriations; modifying requirements to use money from legacy funds; modifying trail provisions; modifying provisions for joint exercise of powers; requiring reports and studies; amending Minnesota Statutes 2020, sections 85.015, subdivision 10; 85.53, subdivision 2; 97A.056, subdivisions 9, 11; 114D.50, subdivision 4; 129D.17, subdivision 2; 471.59, subdivision 1; Laws 2017, chapter 91, article 2, sections 3; 5; 6; 8; Laws 2019, First Special Session chapter 2, article 2, sections 3; 4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9; article 4, section 2, subdivision 6; Laws 2020, chapter 104, article 1, section 2, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration for comparison with S.F. No. 971, now on General Orders.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

The following bills were read the first time.

Senator Hawj introduced--

S.F. No. 2425: A bill for an act relating to legacy; appropriating arts and cultural heritage fund money to collect, preserve, and exhibit the stories of Cambodian Minnesotans.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senators Hawj and Pappas introduced--

S.F. No. 2426: A bill for an act relating to legacy; appropriating arts and cultural heritage fund money for East Side Freedom Library Artist Working Group.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senators Hawj, Pappas, and Dzedzic introduced--

S.F. No. 2427: A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money to the East Side Freedom Library.

Referred to the Committee on State Government Finance and Policy and Elections.

Senator Limmer introduced--

S.F. No. 2428: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article I, section 10; providing that the right of citizens to be secure from unreasonable searches and seizures includes protection against unreasonable searches and seizures of electronic communications and data.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senator Limmer introduced--

S.F. No. 2429: A bill for an act relating to data practices; classifying education support service data; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 13.

Referred to the Committee on Civil Law and Data Practices Policy.

Senator Pratt introduced--

S.F. No. 2430: A bill for an act relating to health; prohibiting the requirement of vaccine passports for COVID-19 immunization status.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senator Coleman introduced--

S.F. No. 2431: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing limits for contact tracing, digital contact tracing, immunizations, communicable disease testing, and the required disclosure of certain information; requiring the destruction of certain data; prohibiting mandatory digital contact tracing by employers; providing for civil penalties; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 144; 145; 181.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senator Champion introduced--

S.F. No. 2432: A bill for an act relating to arts and cultural heritage; appropriating money for operating support grants through the State Arts Board.

Referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Legacy Finance.

Senator Champion introduced--

S.F. No. 2433: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; requiring the commissioner of management and budget to submit evaluations of capital improvement project requests relating to jails to the legislature; requiring a study and report of county jails by the commissioner of corrections; amending Minnesota Statutes 2020, section 16A.86, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

Senator Champion introduced--

S.F. No. 2434: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a regional apprenticeship training center in the city of Minneapolis.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy.

Senators Port, Dibble, Murphy, McEwen, and Fateh introduced--

S.F. No. 2435: A bill for an act relating to health care; prohibiting coverage for gender dysphoria care from having to meet a higher medical necessity definition; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.

Senators Dibble, Torres Ray, and Franzen introduced--

S.F. No. 2436: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying Boundary Water Canoe Area Wilderness mining restrictions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2020, section 84.523.

Referred to the Committee on Mining and Forestry Policy.

Senators Kiffmeyer and Mathews introduced--

S.F. No. 2437: A bill for an act relating to transit; requiring contingent termination of Northstar Commuter Rail and reallocation of certain funds; canceling certain appropriations.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy.

Senators Utke, Bakk, Johnson, Rarick, and Eichorn introduced--

S.F. No. 2438: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; requiring state to pay costs of property tax judgments against state-assessed property; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2020, section 278.12.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Utke, Bakk, Johnson, Rarick, and Eichorn introduced--

S.F. No. 2439: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; requiring the state to pay the costs of property tax judgments against state-assessed property; requiring reports; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2020, sections 273.372, by adding subdivisions; 278.12; 290.06, by adding a subdivision; 297E.021, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Senator Westrom moved that the name of Senator Ingebrigtsen be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 876. The motion prevailed.

Senator Housley moved that the name of Senator Kunesh be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1697. The motion prevailed.

Senator Champion moved that the name of Senator Carlson be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1808. The motion prevailed.

Senator Tomassoni moved that the name of Senator Rest be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1986. The motion prevailed.

Senator Champion moved that the name of Senator Dziejcz be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2150. The motion prevailed.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Benson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11:00 a.m., Monday, April 19, 2021. The motion prevailed.

Cal R. Ludeman, Secretary of the Senate