

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY

St. Paul, Minnesota, Monday, February 27, 2023

The Senate met at 11:00 a.m. and was called to order by the President.

CALL OF THE SENATE

Senator Boldon imposed a call of the Senate. The Sergeant at Arms was instructed to bring in the absent members.

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Mr. Dan Erdman.

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	Dziedzic	Johnson	Maye Quade	Rarick
Anderson	Eichorn	Klein	McEwen	Rasmusson
Bahr	Farnsworth	Koran	Miller	Rest
Boldon	Fatch	Kreun	Mitchell	Seeberger
Carlson	Frentz	Kunesh	Mohamed	Utke
Champion	Green	Kupec	Morrison	Weber
Coleman	Gruenhagen	Lang	Murphy	Wesenberg
Cwodzinski	Gustafson	Latz	Nelson	Westlin
Dahms	Hauschild	Lieske	Oumou Verbeten	Westrom
Dibble	Hawj	Limmer	Pappas	Wiklund
Dornink	Hoffman	Lucero	Pha	Xiong
Draheim	Housley	Mann	Port	
Drazkowski	Howe	Marty	Pratt	
Duckworth	Jasinski	Mathews	Putnam	

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.

February 24, 2023

The Honorable Melissa Hortman
Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Bobby Joe Champion
President of the Senate

I have the honor to inform you that the following enrolled Acts of the 2023 Session of the State Legislature have been received from the Office of the Governor and are deposited in the Office of the Secretary of State for preservation, pursuant to the State Constitution, Article IV, Section 23:

S.F. No.	H.F. No.	Session Laws Chapter No.	Time and Date Approved 2023	Date Filed 2023
	50	9	1:32 p.m. February 21	February 21
	35	10	1:33 p.m. February 21	February 21

Sincerely,
Steve Simon
Secretary of State

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senator Dziedzic moved that the Committee Reports at the Desk be now adopted.

The question was taken on the adoption of the motion.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 47 and nays 16, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler	Duckworth	Klein	Mitchell	Putnam
Boldon	Dziedzic	Kreun	Mohamed	Rest
Carlson	Fateh	Kunesh	Morrison	Weber
Champion	Frentz	Kupec	Murphy	Westlin
Coleman	Gustafson	Latz	Nelson	Westrom
Cwodzinski	Hauschild	Limmer	Oumou Verbeten	Wiklund
Dahms	Hawj	Mann	Pappas	Xiong
Dibble	Hoffman	Maye Quade	Pha	
Dornink	Jasinski	McEwen	Port	
Draheim	Johnson	Miller	Pratt	

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Boldon cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senator:
Pha.

Those who voted in the negative were:

Anderson	Green	Lang	Rarick
Bahr	Gruenhagen	Lieske	Rasmusson
Drazkowski	Howe	Lucero	Utke
Farnsworth	Koran	Mathews	Wesenberg

The motion prevailed.

Senator Klein from the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection, to which was referred

S.F. No. 168: A bill for an act relating to health; prohibiting excessive price increases by manufacturers to generic or off-patent drugs; authorizing the attorney general to take action against manufacturers for certain price increases; prohibiting withdrawal of certain generic or off-patent drugs sales; establishing a prescription drug affordability board and prescription drug affordability advisory council; providing for prescription drug cost reviews and remedies; providing appointments; imposing civil penalties; requiring a report; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 151.071, subdivisions 1, 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62J.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. **[62J.841] DEFINITIONS.**

Subdivision 1. **Scope.** For purposes of sections 62J.841 to 62J.845, the following definitions apply.

Subd. 2. **Consumer Price Index.** "Consumer Price Index" means the Consumer Price Index, Annual Average, for All Urban Consumers, CPI-U: U.S. City Average, All Items, reported by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, or its successor or, if the index is discontinued, an equivalent index reported by a federal authority or, if no such index is reported, "Consumer Price Index" means a comparable index chosen by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Subd. 3. **Generic or off-patent drug.** "Generic or off-patent drug" means any prescription drug for which any exclusive marketing rights granted under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, section 351 of the federal Public Health Service Act, and federal patent law have expired, including any drug-device combination product for the delivery of a generic drug.

Subd. 4. **Manufacturer.** "Manufacturer" has the meaning provided in section 151.01, subdivision 14a, but does not include an entity required solely because the entity repackages or relabels drugs.

Subd. 5. **Prescription drug.** "Prescription drug" means a drug for human use subject to United States Code, title 21, section 353(b)(1).

Subd. 6. **Wholesale acquisition cost.** "Wholesale acquisition cost" has the meaning provided in United States Code, title 42, section 1395w-3a.

Subd. 7. **Wholesale distributor.** "Wholesale distributor" has the meaning provided in section 151.441, subdivision 14.

Sec. 2. **[62J.842] EXCESSIVE PRICE INCREASES PROHIBITED.**

Subdivision 1. **Prohibition.** No manufacturer shall impose, or cause to be imposed, an excessive price increase, whether directly or through a wholesale distributor, pharmacy, or similar intermediary, on the sale of any generic or off-patent drug sold, dispensed, or delivered to any consumer in the state.

Subd. 2. **Excessive price increase.** A price increase is excessive for purposes of this section when:

(1) the price increase, adjusted for inflation utilizing the Consumer Price Index, exceeds:

(i) 15 percent of the wholesale acquisition cost over the immediately preceding calendar year;
or

(ii) 40 percent of the wholesale acquisition cost over the immediately preceding three calendar years; and

(2) the price increase, adjusted for inflation utilizing the Consumer Price Index, exceeds \$30 for:

(i) a 30-day supply of the drug; or

(ii) a course of treatment lasting less than 30 days.

Subd. 3. **Exemption.** It is not a violation of this section for a wholesale distributor or pharmacy to increase the price of a generic or off-patent drug if the price increase is directly attributable to additional costs for the drug imposed on the wholesale distributor or pharmacy by the manufacturer of the drug.

Sec. 3. **[62J.843] REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE WITHIN THE STATE.**

Any manufacturer that sells, distributes, delivers, or offers for sale any generic or off-patent drug in the state must maintain a registered agent and office within the state.

Sec. 4. **[62J.844] ENFORCEMENT.**

Subdivision 1. **Notification.** (a) The commissioner of health shall notify the manufacturer of a generic or off-patent drug, the attorney general, and the Board of Pharmacy of any price increase that the commissioner believes may violate section 62J.842.

(b) The commissioner of management and budget and any other state agency that provides or purchases a pharmacy benefit except the Department of Human Services, and any entity under contract with a state agency to provide a pharmacy benefit other than an entity under contract with the Department of Human Services, may notify the manufacturer of a generic or off-patent drug, the attorney general, and the Board of Pharmacy of any price increase that the commissioner or entity believes may violate section 62J.842.

Subd. 2. **Submission of drug cost statement and other information by manufacturer; investigation by attorney general.** (a) Within 45 days of receiving a notice under subdivision 1, the manufacturer of the generic or off-patent drug shall submit a drug cost statement to the attorney general. The statement must:

(1) itemize the cost components related to production of the drug;

(2) identify the circumstances and timing of any increase in materials or manufacturing costs that caused any increase during the preceding calendar year, or preceding three calendar years as applicable, in the price of the drug; and

(3) provide any other information that the manufacturer believes to be relevant to a determination of whether a violation of section 62J.842 has occurred.

(b) The attorney general may investigate whether a violation of section 62J.842 has occurred, in accordance with section 8.31, subdivision 2.

Subd. 3. **Petition to court.** (a) On petition of the attorney general, a court may issue an order:

(1) compelling the manufacturer of a generic or off-patent drug to:

(i) provide the drug cost statement required under subdivision 2, paragraph (a); and

(ii) answer interrogatories, produce records or documents, or be examined under oath, as required by the attorney general under subdivision 2, paragraph (b);

(2) restraining or enjoining a violation of sections 62J.841 to 62J.845, including issuing an order requiring that drug prices be restored to levels that comply with section 62J.842;

(3) requiring the manufacturer to provide an accounting to the attorney general of all revenues resulting from a violation of section 62J.842;

(4) requiring the manufacturer to repay to all Minnesota consumers, including any third-party payers, any money acquired as a result of a price increase that violates section 62J.842;

(5) notwithstanding section 16A.151, requiring that all revenues generated from a violation of section 62J.842 be remitted to the state and deposited into a special fund, to be used for initiatives to reduce the cost to consumers of acquiring prescription drugs, if a manufacturer is unable to determine the individual transactions necessary to provide the repayments described in clause (4);

(6) imposing a civil penalty of up to \$10,000 per day for each violation of section 62J.842;

(7) providing for the attorney general's recovery of costs and disbursements incurred in bringing an action against a manufacturer found in violation of section 62J.842, including the costs of investigation and reasonable attorney's fees; and

(8) providing any other appropriate relief, including any other equitable relief as determined by the court.

(b) For purposes of paragraph (a), clause (6), every individual transaction in violation of section 62J.842 is considered a separate violation.

Subd. 4. **Private right of action.** Any action brought pursuant to section 8.31, subdivision 3a, by a person injured by a violation of section 62J.842 is for the benefit of the public.

Sec. 5. **[62J.845] PROHIBITION ON WITHDRAWAL OF GENERIC OR OFF-PATENT DRUGS FOR SALE.**

Subdivision 1. **Prohibition.** A manufacturer of a generic or off-patent drug is prohibited from withdrawing that drug from sale or distribution within this state for the purpose of avoiding the prohibition on excessive price increases under section 62J.842.

Subd. 2. **Notice to board and attorney general.** Any manufacturer that intends to withdraw a generic or off-patent drug from sale or distribution within the state shall provide a written notice of withdrawal to the Board of Pharmacy and the attorney general, at least 90 days prior to the withdrawal.

Subd. 3. **Financial penalty.** The attorney general shall assess a penalty of \$500,000 on any manufacturer of a generic or off-patent drug that the attorney general determines has failed to comply with the requirements of this section.

Sec. 6. **[62J.846] SEVERABILITY.**

If any provision of sections 62J.841 to 62J.845 or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason in a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or any other application of sections 62J.841 to 62J.845 that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application.

Sec. 7. **[62J.85] CITATION.**

Sections 62J.85 to 62J.95 may be cited as the "Prescription Drug Affordability Act."

Sec. 8. **[62J.86] DEFINITIONS.**

Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** For the purposes of sections 62J.85 to 62J.95, the following terms have the meanings given them.

Subd. 2. **Advisory council.** "Advisory council" means the Prescription Drug Affordability Advisory Council established under section 62J.88.

Subd. 3. **Biologic.** "Biologic" means a drug that is produced or distributed in accordance with a biologics license application approved under Code of Federal Regulations, title 42, section 447.502.

Subd. 4. **Biosimilar.** "Biosimilar" has the meaning provided in section 62J.84, subdivision 2, paragraph (b).

Subd. 5. **Board.** "Board" means the Prescription Drug Affordability Board established under section 62J.87.

Subd. 6. **Brand name drug.** "Brand name drug" means a drug that is produced or distributed pursuant to:

(1) a new drug application approved under United States Code, title 21, section 355(c), except for a generic drug as defined under Code of Federal Regulations, title 42, section 447.502; or

(2) a biologics license application approved under United States Code, title 45, section 262(a)(c).

Subd. 7. **Generic drug.** "Generic drug" has the meaning provided in section 62J.84, subdivision 2, paragraph (e).

Subd. 8. **Group purchaser.** "Group purchaser" has the meaning given in section 62J.03, subdivision 6, and includes pharmacy benefit managers as defined in section 62W.02, subdivision 15.

Subd. 9. **Manufacturer.** "Manufacturer" means an entity that:

(1) engages in the manufacture of a prescription drug product or enters into a lease with another manufacturer to market and distribute a prescription drug product under the entity's own name; and

(2) sets or changes the wholesale acquisition cost of the prescription drug product it manufactures or markets.

Subd. 10. **Prescription drug product.** "Prescription drug product" means a brand name drug, a generic drug, a biologic, or a biosimilar.

Subd. 11. **Wholesale acquisition cost or WAC.** "Wholesale acquisition cost" or "WAC" has the meaning given in United States Code, title 42, section 1395W-3a(c)(6)(B).

Sec. 9. **[62J.87] PRESCRIPTION DRUG AFFORDABILITY BOARD.**

Subdivision 1. **Establishment.** The commissioner of commerce shall establish the Prescription Drug Affordability Board, which shall be governed as a board under section 15.012, paragraph (a), to protect consumers, state and local governments, health plan companies, providers, pharmacies, and other health care system stakeholders from unaffordable costs of certain prescription drugs.

Subd. 2. **Membership.** (a) The Prescription Drug Affordability Board consists of eleven members appointed as follows:

(1) seven voting members appointed by the governor;

(2) one nonvoting member appointed by the majority leader of the senate;

(3) one nonvoting member appointed by the minority leader of the senate;

(4) one nonvoting member appointed by the speaker of the house; and

(5) one nonvoting member appointed by the minority leader of the house of representatives.

(b) All members appointed must have knowledge and demonstrated expertise in pharmaceutical economics and finance or health care economics and finance. A member must not be an employee of, a board member of, or a consultant to a manufacturer or trade association for manufacturers or a pharmacy benefit manager or trade association for pharmacy benefit managers.

(c) Initial appointments must be made by January 1, 2024.

Subd. 3. **Terms.** (a) Board appointees shall serve four-year terms, except that initial appointees shall serve staggered terms of two, three, or four years as determined by lot by the secretary of state. A board member shall serve no more than two consecutive terms.

(b) A board member may resign at any time by giving written notice to the board.

Subd. 4. **Chair; other officers.** (a) The governor shall designate an acting chair from the members appointed by the governor.

(b) The board shall elect a chair to replace the acting chair at the first meeting of the board by a majority of the members. The chair shall serve for one year.

(c) The board shall elect a vice-chair and other officers from its membership as it deems necessary.

Subd. 5. **Staff; technical assistance.** (a) The board shall hire an executive director and other staff, who shall serve in the unclassified service. The executive director must have knowledge and demonstrated expertise in pharmacoeconomics, pharmacology, health policy, health services research, medicine, or a related field or discipline.

(b) The commissioner of health shall provide technical assistance to the board. The board may also employ or contract for professional and technical assistance as the board deems necessary to perform the board's duties.

(c) The attorney general shall provide legal services to the board.

Subd. 6. **Compensation.** The board members shall not receive compensation but may receive reimbursement for expenses as authorized under section 15.059, subdivision 3.

Subd. 7. **Meetings.** (a) Meetings of the board are subject to chapter 13D. The board shall meet publicly at least every three months to review prescription drug product information submitted to the board under section 62J.90. If there are no pending submissions, the chair of the board may cancel or postpone the required meeting. The board may meet in closed session when reviewing proprietary information as determined under the standards developed in accordance with section 62J.91, subdivision 3.

(b) The board shall announce each public meeting at least three weeks prior to the scheduled date of the meeting. Any materials for the meeting shall be made public at least two weeks prior to the scheduled date of the meeting.

(c) At each public meeting, the board shall provide the opportunity for comments from the public, including the opportunity for written comments to be submitted to the board prior to a decision by the board.

Sec. 10. [62J.88] PRESCRIPTION DRUG AFFORDABILITY ADVISORY COUNCIL.

Subdivision 1. **Establishment.** The governor shall appoint a 17-member stakeholder advisory council to provide advice to the board on drug cost issues and to represent stakeholders' views. The governor shall appoint the members of the advisory council based on the members' knowledge and demonstrated expertise in one or more of the following areas: the pharmaceutical business; practice of medicine; patient perspectives; health care cost trends and drivers; clinical and health services research; and the health care marketplace.

Subd. 2. **Membership.** The council's membership shall consist of the following:

(1) two members representing patients and health care consumers;

- (2) two members representing health care providers;
- (3) one member representing health plan companies;
- (4) two members representing employers, with one member representing large employers and one member representing small employers;
- (5) one member representing government employee benefit plans;
- (6) one member representing pharmaceutical manufacturers;
- (7) one member who is a health services clinical researcher;
- (8) one member who is a pharmacologist;
- (9) one member representing the commissioner of health with expertise in health economics;
- (10) one member representing pharmaceutical wholesalers;
- (11) one member representing pharmacy benefit managers;
- (12) one member from the Rare Disease Advisory Council;
- (13) one member representing generic drug manufacturers; and
- (14) one member representing pharmaceutical distributors.

Subd. 3. **Terms.** (a) The initial appointments to the advisory council must be made by January 1, 2024. The initial appointed advisory council members shall serve staggered terms of two, three, or four years determined by lot by the secretary of state. Following the initial appointments, the advisory council members shall serve four-year terms.

(b) Removal and vacancies of advisory council members shall be governed by section 15.059.

Subd. 4. **Compensation.** Advisory council members may be compensated according to section 15.059.

Subd. 5. **Meetings.** Meetings of the advisory council are subject to chapter 13D. The advisory council shall meet publicly at least every three months to advise the board on drug cost issues related to the prescription drug product information submitted to the board under section 62J.90.

Subd. 6. **Exemption.** Notwithstanding section 15.059, the advisory council shall not expire.

Sec. 11. **[62J.89] CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.**

Subdivision 1. **Definition.** For purposes of this section, "conflict of interest" means a financial or personal association that has the potential to bias or have the appearance of biasing a person's decisions in matters related to the board, the advisory council, or in the conduct of the board's or council's activities. A conflict of interest includes any instance in which a person, a person's immediate family member, including a spouse, parent, child, or other legal dependent, or an in-law of any of the preceding individuals, has received or could receive a direct or indirect financial benefit of any

amount deriving from the result or findings of a decision or determination of the board. For purposes of this section, a financial benefit includes honoraria, fees, stock, the value of the member's, immediate family member's, or in-law's stock holdings, and any direct financial benefit deriving from the finding of a review conducted under sections 62J.85 to 62J.95. Ownership of securities is not a conflict of interest if the securities are: (1) part of a diversified mutual or exchange traded fund; or (2) in a tax-deferred or tax-exempt retirement account that is administered by an independent trustee.

Subd. 2. **General.** (a) Prior to the acceptance of an appointment or employment, or prior to entering into a contractual agreement, a board or advisory council member, board staff member, or third-party contractor must disclose to the appointing authority or the board any conflicts of interest. The information disclosed must include the type, nature, and magnitude of the interests involved.

(b) A board member, board staff member, or third-party contractor with a conflict of interest with regard to any prescription drug product under review must recuse themselves from any discussion, review, decision, or determination made by the board relating to the prescription drug product.

(c) Any conflict of interest must be disclosed in advance of the first meeting after the conflict is identified or within five days after the conflict is identified, whichever is earlier.

Subd. 3. **Prohibitions.** Board members, board staff, or third-party contractors are prohibited from accepting gifts, bequeaths, or donations of services or property that raise the specter of a conflict of interest or have the appearance of injecting bias into the activities of the board.

Sec. 12. **[62J.90] PRESCRIPTION DRUG PRICE INFORMATION; DECISION TO CONDUCT COST REVIEW.**

Subdivision 1. **Drug price information from the commissioner of health and other sources.**

(a) The commissioner of health shall provide to the board the information reported to the commissioner by drug manufacturers under section 62J.84, subdivisions 3, 4, and 5. The commissioner shall provide this information to the board within 30 days of the date the information is received from drug manufacturers.

(b) The board may subscribe to one or more prescription drug pricing files, such as Medispan or FirstDatabank, or as otherwise determined by the board.

Subd. 2. **Identification of certain prescription drug products.** (a) The board, in consultation with the advisory council, shall identify selected prescription drug products based on the following criteria:

(1) brand name drugs or biologics for which the WAC increases by more than 15 percent or by more than \$3,000 during any 12-month period or course of treatment if less than 12 months, after adjusting for changes in the consumer price index (CPI);

(2) brand name drugs or biologics with a WAC of \$60,000 or more per calendar year or per course of treatment;

(3) biosimilar drugs that have a WAC that is not at least 20 percent lower than the referenced brand name biologic at the time the biosimilar is introduced; and

(4) generic drugs for which the WAC:

(i) is \$100 or more, after adjusting for changes in the CPI, for:

(A) a 30-day supply lasting a patient for 30 consecutive days based on the recommended dosage approved for labeling by the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA);

(B) a supply lasting a patient for fewer than 30 days based on recommended dosage approved for labeling by the FDA; or

(C) one unit of the drug if the labeling approved by the FDA does not recommend a finite dosage; and

(ii) is increased by 200 percent or more during the immediate preceding 12-month period, as determined by the difference between the resulting WAC and the average of the WAC reported over the preceding 12 months, after adjusting for changes in the CPI.

(b) The board, in consultation with the advisory council and the commissioner of health, may identify prescription drug products not described in paragraph (a) that may impose costs that create significant affordability challenges for the state health care system or for patients, including but not limited to drugs to address public health emergencies.

(c) The board shall make available to the public the names and related price information of the prescription drug products identified under this subdivision, with the exception of information determined by the board to be proprietary under the standards developed by the board under section 62J.91, subdivision 3, and information provided by the commissioner of health classified as not public data under section 13.02, subdivision 8a, or as trade secret information under section 13.37, subdivision 1, paragraph (b), or as trade secret information under the Defend Trade Secrets Act of 2016, United States Code, title 18, section 1836, as amended.

Subd. 3. **Determination to proceed with review.** (a) The board may initiate a cost review of a prescription drug product identified by the board under this section.

(b) The board shall consider requests by the public for the board to proceed with a cost review of any prescription drug product identified under this section.

(c) If there is no consensus among the members of the board on whether to initiate a cost review of a prescription drug product, any member of the board may request a vote to determine whether to review the cost of the prescription drug product.

Sec. 13. **[62J.91] PRESCRIPTION DRUG PRODUCT REVIEWS.**

Subdivision 1. **General.** Once a decision by the board has been made to proceed with a cost review of a prescription drug product, the board shall conduct the review and make a determination as to whether appropriate utilization of the prescription drug under review, based on utilization that is consistent with the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) label or standard medical practice, has led or will lead to affordability challenges for the state health care system or for patients.

Subd. 2. **Review considerations.** In reviewing the cost of a prescription drug product, the board may consider the following factors:

- (1) the price at which the prescription drug product has been and will be sold in the state;
- (2) manufacturer monetary price concessions, discounts, or rebates, and drug-specific patient assistance;
- (3) the price of therapeutic alternatives;
- (4) the cost to group purchasers based on patient access consistent with the FDA-labeled indications and standard medical practice;
- (5) measures of patient access, including cost-sharing and other metrics;
- (6) the extent to which the attorney general or a court has determined that a price increase for a generic or off-patent prescription drug product was excessive under sections 62J.842 and 62J.844;
- (7) any information a manufacturer chooses to provide; and
- (8) any other factors as determined by the board.

Subd. 3. Public data; proprietary information. (a) Any submission made to the board related to a drug cost review must be made available to the public with the exception of information determined by the board to be proprietary and information provided by the commissioner of health classified as not public data under section 13.02, subdivision 8a, or as trade secret information under section 13.37, subdivision 1, paragraph (b), or as trade secret information under the Defend Trade Secrets Act of 2016, United States Code, title 18, section 1836, as amended.

(b) The board shall establish the standards for the information to be considered proprietary under paragraph (a) and section 62J.90, subdivision 2, including standards for heightened consideration of proprietary information for submissions for a cost review of a drug that is not yet approved by the FDA.

(c) Prior to the board establishing the standards under paragraph (b), the public shall be provided notice and the opportunity to submit comments.

(d) The establishment of standards under this subdivision is exempt from the rulemaking requirements under chapter 14, and section 14.386 does not apply.

Sec. 14. **[62J.92] DETERMINATIONS; COMPLIANCE; REMEDIES.**

Subdivision 1. Upper payment limit. (a) In the event the board finds that the spending on a prescription drug product reviewed under section 62J.91 creates an affordability challenge for the state health care system or for patients, the board shall establish an upper payment limit after considering:

- (1) extraordinary supply costs, if applicable;
- (2) the range of prices at which the drug is sold in the United States according to one or more pricing files accessed under section 62J.90, subdivision 1, and the range at which pharmacies are reimbursed in Canada; and

(3) any other relevant pricing and administrative cost information for the drug.

(b) An upper payment limit applies to all purchases of, and payer reimbursements for, a prescription drug that is dispensed or administered to individuals in the state in person, by mail, or by other means, and for which an upper payment limit has been established.

Subd. 2. **Implementation and administration of the upper payment limit.** (a) An upper payment limit may take effect no sooner than 120 days following the date of its public release by the board.

(b) When setting an upper payment limit for a drug subject to the Medicare maximum fair price under United States Code, title 42, section 1191(c), the board shall set the upper payment limit at the Medicare maximum fair price.

(c) Health plan companies and pharmacy benefit managers shall report annually to the board, in the form and manner specified by the board, on how cost savings resulting from the establishment of an upper payment limit have been used by the health plan company or pharmacy benefit manager to benefit enrollees, including but not limited to reducing enrollee cost-sharing.

Subd. 3. **Noncompliance.** (a) The board shall, and other persons may, notify the Office of the Attorney General of a potential failure by an entity subject to an upper payment limit to comply with that limit.

(b) If the Office of the Attorney General finds that an entity was noncompliant with the upper payment limit requirements, the attorney general may pursue remedies consistent with chapter 8 or appropriate criminal charges if there is evidence of intentional profiteering.

(c) An entity who obtains price concessions from a drug manufacturer that result in a lower net cost to the stakeholder than the upper payment limit established by the board is not considered noncompliant.

(d) The Office of the Attorney General may provide guidance to stakeholders concerning activities that could be considered noncompliant.

Subd. 4. **Appeals.** (a) Persons affected by a decision of the board may request an appeal of the board's decision within 30 days of the date of the decision. The board shall hear the appeal and render a decision within 60 days of the hearing.

(b) All appeal decisions are subject to judicial review in accordance with chapter 14.

Sec. 15. **[62J.93] REPORTS.**

Beginning March 1, 2024, and each March 1 thereafter, the board shall submit a report to the governor and legislature on general price trends for prescription drug products and the number of prescription drug products that were subject to the board's cost review and analysis, including the result of any analysis as well as the number and disposition of appeals and judicial reviews.

Sec. 16. **[62J.94] ERISA PLANS AND MEDICARE DRUG PLANS.**

(a) Nothing in sections 62J.85 to 62J.95 shall be construed to require ERISA plans or Medicare Part D plans to comply with decisions of the board. ERISA plans or Medicare Part D plans are free to choose to exceed the upper payment limit established by the board under section 62J.92.

(b) Providers who dispense and administer drugs in the state must bill all payers no more than the upper payment limit without regard to whether an ERISA plan or Medicare Part D plan chooses to reimburse the provider in an amount greater than the upper payment limit established by the board.

(c) For purposes of this section, an ERISA plan or group health plan is an employee welfare benefit plan established by or maintained by an employer or an employee organization, or both, that provides employer sponsored health coverage to employees and the employee's dependents and is subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

Sec. 17. **[62J.95] SEVERABILITY.**

If any provision of sections 62J.85 to 62J.94 or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason in a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or any other application of sections 62J.85 to 62J.94 that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application.

Sec. 18. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 151.071, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Forms of disciplinary action.** When the board finds that a licensee, registrant, or applicant has engaged in conduct prohibited under subdivision 2, it may do one or more of the following:

- (1) deny the issuance of a license or registration;
- (2) refuse to renew a license or registration;
- (3) revoke the license or registration;
- (4) suspend the license or registration;

(5) impose limitations, conditions, or both on the license or registration, including but not limited to: the limitation of practice to designated settings; the limitation of the scope of practice within designated settings; the imposition of retraining or rehabilitation requirements; the requirement of practice under supervision; the requirement of participation in a diversion program such as that established pursuant to section 214.31 or the conditioning of continued practice on demonstration of knowledge or skills by appropriate examination or other review of skill and competence;

(6) impose a civil penalty not exceeding \$10,000 for each separate violation, except that a civil penalty not exceeding \$25,000 may be imposed for each separate violation of section 62J.842, the amount of the civil penalty to be fixed so as to deprive a licensee or registrant of any economic advantage gained by reason of the violation, to discourage similar violations by the licensee or registrant or any other licensee or registrant, or to reimburse the board for the cost of the investigation and proceeding, including but not limited to, fees paid for services provided by the Office of Administrative Hearings, legal and investigative services provided by the Office of the Attorney

General, court reporters, witnesses, reproduction of records, board members' per diem compensation, board staff time, and travel costs and expenses incurred by board staff and board members; and

(7) reprimand the licensee or registrant.

Sec. 19. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 151.071, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Grounds for disciplinary action.** The following conduct is prohibited and is grounds for disciplinary action:

(1) failure to demonstrate the qualifications or satisfy the requirements for a license or registration contained in this chapter or the rules of the board. The burden of proof is on the applicant to demonstrate such qualifications or satisfaction of such requirements;

(2) obtaining a license by fraud or by misleading the board in any way during the application process or obtaining a license by cheating, or attempting to subvert the licensing examination process. Conduct that subverts or attempts to subvert the licensing examination process includes, but is not limited to: (i) conduct that violates the security of the examination materials, such as removing examination materials from the examination room or having unauthorized possession of any portion of a future, current, or previously administered licensing examination; (ii) conduct that violates the standard of test administration, such as communicating with another examinee during administration of the examination, copying another examinee's answers, permitting another examinee to copy one's answers, or possessing unauthorized materials; or (iii) impersonating an examinee or permitting an impersonator to take the examination on one's own behalf;

(3) for a pharmacist, pharmacy technician, pharmacist intern, applicant for a pharmacist or pharmacy license, or applicant for a pharmacy technician or pharmacist intern registration, conviction of a felony reasonably related to the practice of pharmacy. Conviction as used in this subdivision includes a conviction of an offense that if committed in this state would be deemed a felony without regard to its designation elsewhere, or a criminal proceeding where a finding or verdict of guilt is made or returned but the adjudication of guilt is either withheld or not entered thereon. The board may delay the issuance of a new license or registration if the applicant has been charged with a felony until the matter has been adjudicated;

(4) for a facility, other than a pharmacy, licensed or registered by the board, if an owner or applicant is convicted of a felony reasonably related to the operation of the facility. The board may delay the issuance of a new license or registration if the owner or applicant has been charged with a felony until the matter has been adjudicated;

(5) for a controlled substance researcher, conviction of a felony reasonably related to controlled substances or to the practice of the researcher's profession. The board may delay the issuance of a registration if the applicant has been charged with a felony until the matter has been adjudicated;

(6) disciplinary action taken by another state or by one of this state's health licensing agencies:

(i) revocation, suspension, restriction, limitation, or other disciplinary action against a license or registration in another state or jurisdiction, failure to report to the board that charges or allegations regarding the person's license or registration have been brought in another state or jurisdiction, or having been refused a license or registration by any other state or jurisdiction. The board may delay

the issuance of a new license or registration if an investigation or disciplinary action is pending in another state or jurisdiction until the investigation or action has been dismissed or otherwise resolved; and

(ii) revocation, suspension, restriction, limitation, or other disciplinary action against a license or registration issued by another of this state's health licensing agencies, failure to report to the board that charges regarding the person's license or registration have been brought by another of this state's health licensing agencies, or having been refused a license or registration by another of this state's health licensing agencies. The board may delay the issuance of a new license or registration if a disciplinary action is pending before another of this state's health licensing agencies until the action has been dismissed or otherwise resolved;

(7) for a pharmacist, pharmacy, pharmacy technician, or pharmacist intern, violation of any order of the board, of any of the provisions of this chapter or any rules of the board or violation of any federal, state, or local law or rule reasonably pertaining to the practice of pharmacy;

(8) for a facility, other than a pharmacy, licensed by the board, violations of any order of the board, of any of the provisions of this chapter or the rules of the board or violation of any federal, state, or local law relating to the operation of the facility;

(9) engaging in any unethical conduct; conduct likely to deceive, defraud, or harm the public, or demonstrating a willful or careless disregard for the health, welfare, or safety of a patient; or pharmacy practice that is professionally incompetent, in that it may create unnecessary danger to any patient's life, health, or safety, in any of which cases, proof of actual injury need not be established;

(10) aiding or abetting an unlicensed person in the practice of pharmacy, except that it is not a violation of this clause for a pharmacist to supervise a properly registered pharmacy technician or pharmacist intern if that person is performing duties allowed by this chapter or the rules of the board;

(11) for an individual licensed or registered by the board, adjudication as mentally ill or developmentally disabled, or as a chemically dependent person, a person dangerous to the public, a sexually dangerous person, or a person who has a sexual psychopathic personality, by a court of competent jurisdiction, within or without this state. Such adjudication shall automatically suspend a license for the duration thereof unless the board orders otherwise;

(12) for a pharmacist or pharmacy intern, engaging in unprofessional conduct as specified in the board's rules. In the case of a pharmacy technician, engaging in conduct specified in board rules that would be unprofessional if it were engaged in by a pharmacist or pharmacist intern or performing duties specifically reserved for pharmacists under this chapter or the rules of the board;

(13) for a pharmacy, operation of the pharmacy without a pharmacist present and on duty except as allowed by a variance approved by the board;

(14) for a pharmacist, the inability to practice pharmacy with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of illness, use of alcohol, drugs, narcotics, chemicals, or any other type of material or as a result of any mental or physical condition, including deterioration through the aging process or loss of motor skills. In the case of registered pharmacy technicians, pharmacist interns, or controlled substance researchers, the inability to carry out duties allowed under this chapter or the rules of the

board with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of illness, use of alcohol, drugs, narcotics, chemicals, or any other type of material or as a result of any mental or physical condition, including deterioration through the aging process or loss of motor skills;

(15) for a pharmacist, pharmacy, pharmacist intern, pharmacy technician, medical gas dispenser, or controlled substance researcher, revealing a privileged communication from or relating to a patient except when otherwise required or permitted by law;

(16) for a pharmacist or pharmacy, improper management of patient records, including failure to maintain adequate patient records, to comply with a patient's request made pursuant to sections 144.291 to 144.298, or to furnish a patient record or report required by law;

(17) fee splitting, including without limitation:

(i) paying, offering to pay, receiving, or agreeing to receive, a commission, rebate, kickback, or other form of remuneration, directly or indirectly, for the referral of patients;

(ii) referring a patient to any health care provider as defined in sections 144.291 to 144.298 in which the licensee or registrant has a financial or economic interest as defined in section 144.6521, subdivision 3, unless the licensee or registrant has disclosed the licensee's or registrant's financial or economic interest in accordance with section 144.6521; and

(iii) any arrangement through which a pharmacy, in which the prescribing practitioner does not have a significant ownership interest, fills a prescription drug order and the prescribing practitioner is involved in any manner, directly or indirectly, in setting the price for the filled prescription that is charged to the patient, the patient's insurer or pharmacy benefit manager, or other person paying for the prescription or, in the case of veterinary patients, the price for the filled prescription that is charged to the client or other person paying for the prescription, except that a veterinarian and a pharmacy may enter into such an arrangement provided that the client or other person paying for the prescription is notified, in writing and with each prescription dispensed, about the arrangement, unless such arrangement involves pharmacy services provided for livestock, poultry, and agricultural production systems, in which case client notification would not be required;

(18) engaging in abusive or fraudulent billing practices, including violations of the federal Medicare and Medicaid laws or state medical assistance laws or rules;

(19) engaging in conduct with a patient that is sexual or may reasonably be interpreted by the patient as sexual, or in any verbal behavior that is seductive or sexually demeaning to a patient;

(20) failure to make reports as required by section 151.072 or to cooperate with an investigation of the board as required by section 151.074;

(21) knowingly providing false or misleading information that is directly related to the care of a patient unless done for an accepted therapeutic purpose such as the dispensing and administration of a placebo;

(22) aiding suicide or aiding attempted suicide in violation of section 609.215 as established by any of the following:

(i) a copy of the record of criminal conviction or plea of guilty for a felony in violation of section 609.215, subdivision 1 or 2;

(ii) a copy of the record of a judgment of contempt of court for violating an injunction issued under section 609.215, subdivision 4;

(iii) a copy of the record of a judgment assessing damages under section 609.215, subdivision 5; or

(iv) a finding by the board that the person violated section 609.215, subdivision 1 or 2. The board must investigate any complaint of a violation of section 609.215, subdivision 1 or 2;

(23) for a pharmacist, practice of pharmacy under a lapsed or nonrenewed license. For a pharmacist intern, pharmacy technician, or controlled substance researcher, performing duties permitted to such individuals by this chapter or the rules of the board under a lapsed or nonrenewed registration. For a facility required to be licensed under this chapter, operation of the facility under a lapsed or nonrenewed license or registration; ~~and~~

(24) for a pharmacist, pharmacist intern, or pharmacy technician, termination or discharge from the health professionals services program for reasons other than the satisfactory completion of the program; and

(25) for a manufacturer, a violation of section 62J.842 or section 62J.845.

Sec. 20. **APPROPRIATION.**

\$..... in fiscal year 2024 and \$..... in fiscal year 2025 are appropriated from the general fund to the Prescription Drug Affordability Board established under Minnesota Statutes, section 62J.87, for implementation of the Prescription Drug Affordability Act."

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Carlson from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1943: A bill for an act relating to campaign finance; modifying certain campaign finance provisions; providing civil penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 10A.01, subdivision 26; 10A.022, subdivision 3; 10A.121, subdivision 2; 10A.15, subdivision 5, by adding a subdivision; 10A.20, subdivision 2a; 10A.271, subdivision 1; 10A.275, subdivision 1; 10A.38.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, delete section 1

Re-number the sections in sequence

Amend the title numbers accordingly

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Carlson from the Committee on Elections, to which was referred

S.F. No. 749: A bill for an act relating to elections; modifying requirements related to the ordering of candidates for partisan offices on the state general election ballot; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 204D.08, subdivision 5; 204D.14, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 204D.13, subdivision 2.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 204D.13, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Order of ~~political parties~~ candidates for president and vice president.** The first name printed for ~~each partisan office~~ president and vice president of the United States on the state general election ballot shall be that of the candidate of the major political party that received the smallest average number of votes at the last state general election. The succeeding names shall be those of the candidates of the other major political parties that received a succeeding higher average number of votes respectively. For the purposes of this subdivision, the average number of votes of a major political party shall be computed by dividing the total number of votes counted for all of the party's candidates for statewide office at the state general election by the number of those candidates at the election. The names of candidates nominated by petition for president and vice president shall be placed on the state general election ballot after the names of the candidates for that office who were nominated by major political parties. No later than 11 weeks before the state general election, the secretary of state shall determine by lot the order of candidates nominated by petition. The drawing of lots must be by political party or principle.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 204D.13, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 2a. **Rotation of names; other partisan offices.** Except as provided in subdivision 2, the names of candidates for partisan offices on the state general election ballot shall be rotated in the manner provided for rotation of names on state partisan primary ballots by section 204D.08, subdivision 3.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 204D.13, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **Nominees by petition; ~~placement on ballot~~ political party or principle.** ~~The names of candidates nominated by petition for a partisan office voted on at the state general election shall be placed on the state general election ballot after the names of the candidates for that office who were nominated at the state primary. No later than 11 weeks before the state general election, the secretary of state shall determine by lot the order of candidates nominated by petition. The drawing of lots must be by political party or principle.~~ For candidates nominated by petition for partisan office, the political party or political principle of the a candidate as stated on the petition shall be placed after the name of a candidate nominated by petition. The word "nonpartisan" shall not be used to designate any partisan candidate whose name is placed on the state general election ballot by nominating petition.

Amend the title numbers accordingly

And when so amended the bill do pass. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Hawj from the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1608: A bill for an act relating to environment; increasing the maximum amount of a watershed district general fund tax levy; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 103D.905, subdivision 3.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 8, strike "0.048" and insert "0.096"

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Taxes. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Fateh from the Committee on Higher Education, to which was referred

S.F. No. 1986: A bill for an act relating to higher education; creating a free college grant program to cover the full cost of tuition and fees at state colleges; requiring a report; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 136A.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. [136A.1465] MINNESOTA COMMITMENT TO HIGHER EDUCATION ACT.

Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** The following terms have the meanings given:

(1) "eligible student" means a resident student under section 136A.101, subdivision 8, who is enrolled in any public postsecondary educational institution or Tribal college;

(2) "office" means the Office of Higher Education;

(3) "public postsecondary educational institution" means an institution operated by this state, the Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota, or a Tribal college;

(4) "scholarship" means funds to pay 100 percent of tuition and fees remaining after deducting grants and other scholarships, except for the Pell grant; and

(5) "Tribal college" means a college defined in section 136A.1796, subdivision 1, paragraph (c).

Subd. 2. **Conditions for eligibility.** A scholarship may be awarded to an eligible student who:

(1) has completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or the state aid application;

- (2) has an adjusted gross household income below \$120,000;
- (3) has not earned a baccalaureate degree at the time the scholarship is awarded;
- (4) is enrolled in at least one credit per fall, spring, or summer semester; and
- (5) is meeting satisfactory academic progress as defined in section 136A.101, subdivision 10.

Subd. 3. **Scholarship.** Beginning in the 2024-2025 academic year, scholarships shall be awarded to eligible students in an amount not to exceed 100 percent of tuition and fees after grants and other scholarships are deducted, except for the Pell grant.

Subd. 4. **Duration of scholarship authorized.** (a) Each scholarship is for a period of one semester. A scholarship may be renewed provided that the eligible student continues to meet the conditions of eligibility.

(b) Scholarships may be provided to an eligible student for up to 60 credits for the completion of a certificate or an associate degree and up to 120 credits for the completion of a bachelor's degree. The maximum credits for which a student is eligible is a total of 120 credits.

(c) The commissioner shall determine a time frame by which the eligible student must complete the credential.

Subd. 5. **Termination of scholarship authorized.** A scholarship is terminated upon occurrence of:

- (1) failure to meet satisfactory academic progress as defined in section 136A.101, subdivision 10; or
- (2) substantial noncompliance by the eligible student with the requirements of the program.

Subd. 6. **Account established; appropriation.** An account is created in the special revenue fund for receiving money to provide scholarship awards. Money deposited in the account is appropriated to the commissioner of the Office of Higher Education for scholarship awards.

Subd. 7. **Office administration.** The office is authorized to administer the program. The office shall calculate the scholarship amount and determine tuition and fees for each eligible institution. If funds are insufficient, the office shall determine the scholarship amount or number of scholarships awarded. The office may determine the order in which other grants and scholarships are deducted when determining the scholarship amount. If a student withdraws or is no longer enrolled during a semester in which a scholarship was awarded, the office may determine how this will affect the scholarship.

Subd. 8. **Report.** Beginning in 2025, the office shall report by January 15 of each year to the legislative committees with jurisdiction over higher education on the:

- (1) status of the scholarship fund; and
- (2) Minnesota Commitment to Higher Education Act participation data aggregated for each eligible institution to show the:

- (i) number of eligible students who received scholarships in the prior academic year;
- (ii) total number of students enrolled in eligible institutions in the prior academic year; and
- (iii) number of eligible students who graduated with a degree and, for each eligible student, the number of consecutive semesters and nonconsecutive semesters attended prior to graduation.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective July 1, 2024.

Sec. 2. **TRANSFER.**

\$316,893,000 in fiscal year 2025 is transferred from the general fund to the account in the special revenue fund under Minnesota Statutes, section 136A.1465, subdivision 6. The base for the transfer under this section is \$316,893,000 in fiscal year 2026 and later.

Sec. 3. **APPROPRIATION.**

\$230,000 in fiscal year 2024 and \$130,000 in fiscal year 2025 are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of the Office of Higher Education for administrative expenses to implement and direct the scholarship awards under Minnesota Statutes, section 136A.1465."

Amend the title as follows:

Page 1, line 2, delete everything after the semicolon and insert "establishing the tuition free Minnesota Commitment to Higher Education Act"

Page 1, line 3, delete everything before the first semicolon

Amend the title numbers accordingly

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Murphy from the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 658: A bill for an act relating to public utilities; providing a procedure to resolve disputes between public utilities and residential customers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 216B.17, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 216B.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety. Report adopted.

Senator Murphy from the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans, to which was re-referred

S.F. No. 439: A bill for an act relating to health care facility finance; restructuring and renaming the Minnesota Higher Education Facilities Authority as the Minnesota Health and Education Facilities Authority; authorizing the authority to construct and finance health care facilities; increasing bonding capacity; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 3.732, subdivision 1; 10A.01, subdivision

35; 136A.25; 136A.26; 136A.27; 136A.28; 136A.29, subdivisions 1, 3, 6, 9, 10, 14, 19, 20, 21, 22, by adding a subdivision; 136A.32, subdivisions 1, 4; 136A.33; 136A.34, subdivisions 3, 4; 136A.36; 136A.38; 136A.41; 136A.42; 136F.67, subdivision 1; 354B.20, subdivision 7; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 136A.29, subdivision 4.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass. Report adopted.

Senator Dzedzic, from the Committee on Rules and Administration, to which was referred

H.F. No. 56 for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found identical and recommends the House File be given its second reading and substituted for its companion Senate File as follows:

GENERAL ORDERS		CONSENT CALENDAR		CALENDAR	
H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.
56	259				

and that the above Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 45, this report was prepared and submitted by the Secretary of the Senate on behalf of the Committee on Rules and Administration. Report adopted.

Senator Dzedzic, from the Committee on Rules and Administration, to which was referred

H.F. No. 16 for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

GENERAL ORDERS		CONSENT CALENDAR		CALENDAR	
H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.	H.F. No.	S.F. No.
16	23				

Pursuant to Rule 45, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 16 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 16, the third engrossment; and insert the language after the enacting clause of S.F. No. 23, the first engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 16, the third engrossment; and insert the title of S.F. No. 23, the first engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 16 will be identical to S.F. No. 23, and further recommends that H.F. No. 16 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 23, and that the Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 45, this report was prepared and submitted by the Secretary of the Senate on behalf of the Committee on Rules and Administration. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Dzedzic, from the Committee on Rules and Administration, to which was referred

H.F. No. 30 for comparison with companion Senate File, reports the following House File was found not identical with companion Senate File as follows:

GENERAL ORDERS

H.F. No.	S.F. No.
30	5

CONSENT CALENDAR

H.F. No.	S.F. No.
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Pursuant to Rule 45, the Committee on Rules and Administration recommends that H.F. No. 30 be amended as follows:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause of H.F. No. 30, the second engrossment; and insert the language after the enacting clause of S.F. No. 5, the third engrossment; further, delete the title of H.F. No. 30, the second engrossment; and insert the title of S.F. No. 5, the third engrossment.

And when so amended H.F. No. 30 will be identical to S.F. No. 5, and further recommends that H.F. No. 30 be given its second reading and substituted for S.F. No. 5, and that the Senate File be indefinitely postponed.

Pursuant to Rule 45, this report was prepared and submitted by the Secretary of the Senate on behalf of the Committee on Rules and Administration. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Pappas from the Committee on Capital Investment, to which was referred

S.F. No. 677: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the library construction grant program; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"Section 1. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS.

The sums shown in the column under "Appropriations" are appropriated from the general fund in fiscal year 2024 to the state agencies or officials indicated, to be spent for public purposes. These are onetime appropriations. Money appropriated in this act is available until the project is completed or abandoned, subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642.

APPROPRIATIONS**Sec. 2. EDUCATION****\$ 185,000,000**

To the commissioner of education for library construction grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 134.45.

Sec. 3. DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES**Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation****\$ 5,501,000**

To the commissioner of natural resources for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Moorhead; Flood Hazard Mitigation **3,626,000**

For a grant to the city of Moorhead to design, construct, and equip flood mitigation infrastructure. This appropriation includes money for Phase 2 of the North Moorhead levee project, the relocation of sanitary lift station #2, and a levee project along First Avenue North.

Subd. 3. Rochester; Willow Creek Trail **1,875,000**

For a grant to the city of Rochester to predesign, design, engineer, construct, furnish, and equip a paved trail to extend the Rochester Trail network approximately 2.5 miles from 28th Street SE to Gamehaven Regional Park and the future extension of the Bluestem Trail to Stewartville. This project includes a trail crossing under U.S. Highway 52, property/easement acquisition, trail rehabilitation, creek crossing, trail construction, installation of trail wayfinding and rest areas, and a trailhead located at Gamehaven Regional Park.

Sec. 4. AMATEUR SPORTS COMMISSION **\$ 4,000,000**

To the Minnesota Amateur Sports Commission for grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 240A.20, subdivision 2, clause (2), to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip skate parks. Design work must be by designers with expertise in the field of skate park design. Construction must be of a skate park designed by designers with expertise in the field of skate park design.

Sec. 5. PUBLIC SAFETY.

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation **\$ 1,350,000**

To the commissioner of administration for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Edina; South Metro Public Safety Center1,000,000

For a grant to the city of Edina for the South Metro Public Safety Training Facility project. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 15, subdivision 6, for the same purpose.

Subd. 3. Minnesota State Patrol Headquarters350,000

To the commissioner of administration to predesign a Minnesota State Patrol headquarters building and related storage and training facilities.

Sec. 6. TRANSPORTATION**\$ 1,400,000**

To the commissioner of transportation for a grant to the city of Biwabik to design and construct Phase 6 of the city's infrastructure improvement project. This appropriation includes money for the full reconstruction of Fifth Avenue North; First Street North, from First Avenue North to Sixth Avenue North; and Sixth Avenue South, including all associated utilities and other capital improvements.

Sec. 7. METROPOLITAN COUNCIL**Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation****\$ 29,355,000**

To the Metropolitan Council for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. St. Paul; Lower Phalen Creek Project2,500,000

For a grant to the Lower Phalen Creek Project to construct the Wakan Tipi Center in St. Paul, including construction of a reception area, classrooms, permanent and temporary exhibit space, community gathering area, and gallery space. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 17, subdivision 11, for the same purpose.

Subd. 3. Dakota County; Minnesota River Greenway5,000,000

For a grant to Dakota County for right-of-way acquisition and for predesign, design, engineering, and construction of pedestrian safety-related improvements, including grade-separated crossings of railroads and multilane highways in Dakota County. This appropriation includes money for the Minnesota River Regional Greenway in Fort Snelling State Park.

Subd. 4. Minneapolis Park Board; Grand Rounds Missing Link6,000,000

For a grant to the Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board to design and construct trail connections for the Grand Rounds Missing Link on the east side of Minneapolis between East River Road and St. Anthony Parkway.

Subd. 5. Minnetonka; Hopkins Crossroad Trail1,635,000

For a grant to the city of Minnetonka to acquire property, complete predesign and design, construct, furnish, and equip a new off-street, multiuse trail along County State Aid Highway 73, Hopkins Crossroad, from Cedar Lake Road to Wayzata Boulevard and Hillside Lane east of Hopkins Crossroad. This appropriation may be used for utility relocation to accommodate the trail.

Subd. 6. Minnetonka; Opus Public Space725,000

For a grant to the city of Minnetonka to acquire property, predesign, and design a public space including a linear plaza, an interactive art and play area, a splash pad, a dog park, a great lawn, an amphitheater, shelters, trail connections, a bike share space, a bike parking space, and an overlook at a site adjacent to the Southwest Light Rail Transit Opus station.

Subd. 7. Ramsey County; Bruce Vento Regional Trail5,000,000

For a grant to Ramsey County to construct a 2.7-mile extension of the Bruce Vento

Regional Trail between Buerkle Road and the intersection of Hoffman Road/Trunk Highway 61 in the city of White Bear Lake.

Subd. 8. Ramsey County; Park at Riversedge 6,220,000

For a grant to Ramsey County to predesign and design a public realm in the city of St. Paul over a portion of Shepard Road and adjacent rail lines, including related infrastructure.

Subd. 9. Three Rivers Park District; Mississippi Gateway Regional Park 3,000,000

For a grant to the Three Rivers Park District to design, engineer, construct, furnish, and equip the Mississippi Gateway Regional Park development, including playground development, pedestrian trail connections, landscape restoration and enhancements, habitat restoration, visitor center, classroom space, and site amenities. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation under Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 17, subdivision 12.

Sec. 8. HUMAN SERVICES

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation **\$ 24,956,000**

To the commissioner of administration, or other named entity, for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. St. Peter Regional Treatment Center Campus; Phase 2 21,568,000

To design, renovate, construct, furnish, and equip the second phase of a multiphase project to develop additional residential, program, activity, and ancillary facilities for the Minnesota sex offender program on the lower campus of the St. Peter Regional Treatment Center. This appropriation includes money to design, renovate, construct, furnish, and equip the west, south, and north wings of Sunrise and the Tomlinson Building. This appropriation also

includes money to: replace or renovate HVAC, plumbing, electrical, security, and life safety systems; address fire and life safety, and other building code deficiencies; replace windows and doors; tuck-point exterior building envelopes; reconfigure and remodel space; design and abate asbestos and other hazardous materials; remove or demolish nonfunctioning building components; and complete site work necessary to support the programmed use of the buildings.

Subd. 3. Harriet Tubman Center East Renovation

3,388,000

To the commissioner of human services for a grant to Tubman to design, construct, renovate, furnish, and equip capital improvements to the Harriet Tubman Center East building in the city of Maplewood. This appropriation includes money for installation of a public elevator, partial replacement of the roof, electrical system improvements, window replacement, and the completion of a fire sprinkling system.

Any unspent portion of this appropriation remaining after completion of the projects listed in this subdivision, after written notice to the commissioner of human services, is available for additional improvements and betterments of a capital nature at the Harriet Tubman Center East building.

Sec. 9. EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation

\$ 141,357,000

To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Apple Valley; Inclusive Playground

1,382,000

For a grant to the city of Apple Valley to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip an inclusive and accessible playground in the city of Apple Valley. "Inclusive and

accessible playground" as used in this subdivision means a playground, planned and designed in partnership with community stakeholders, designed to be safe and accessible to all children including those with intellectual, developmental, or physical disabilities.

Subd. 3. Aurora; Community Center

630,000

For a grant to the city of Aurora to construct improvements and betterments of a capital nature to the community center facility. This appropriation includes major projects to preserve or replace windows, roofing, mechanical or electrical systems, utility infrastructure, safety systems, and site renovations to support ongoing operations including energy conservation and accessibility improvements.

Subd. 4. Bloomington; Public Health Facility

1,800,000

For a grant to the city of Bloomington to design a public health facility in the city of Bloomington to serve people who live and work in the cities of Bloomington, Edina, and Richfield.

Subd. 5. Champlin; Mississippi Crossings

1,000,000

For a grant to the city of Champlin to design, construct, and equip a parking area, including related site improvements and infrastructure, for Mississippi Crossings. This appropriation includes money for charging stations for electric vehicles, an ADA-compliant trail, an event space, an outdoor performance area, and a municipal dock system.

Subd. 6. Champlin; Park Land Acquisition

1,250,000

For a grant to the city of Champlin for the acquisition of real property, as part of the city's parks and conservation initiative, along the Elm Creek Greenway Trail Corridor and adjacent to the Champlin Mill Pond.

Subd. 7. Chisholm; Ice Arena and Curling Club**3,000,000**

For a grant to the city of Chisholm to predesign, design, and construct capital improvements to the existing Sports Arena and Curling Club, located in Chisholm, including replacing an existing ice plant serving both the hockey arena and the curling club, adding new heating mains and replacing curling mains, replacing the floor systems in both the hockey arena and the curling club, and installing dehumidification systems in both the hockey arena and the curling club.

Subd. 8. Duluth; Entertainment and Convention Center**5,000,000**

For a grant to the Duluth Entertainment and Convention Center Authority to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip capital improvements and renovations to the Duluth Entertainment and Convention Center facility. This appropriation includes money for replacement of or improvements to mechanical, electrical, heating, ventilating, and air conditioning systems; life safety improvements; and improvements to the building's exterior envelope.

Subd. 9. Duluth; Spirit Mountain**13,000,000**

For a grant to the city of Duluth to design and construct new facilities and to renew, replace, and repair existing facilities at the Spirit Mountain Recreation Area.

Subd. 10. Hermantown; Ice Arena**7,475,000**

For a grant to the city of Hermantown to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip an expansion and improvements to the hockey arena in the city of Hermantown, including adding a second sheet of indoor ice, locker rooms, dry land training area, ice plant, Zamboni room, and mezzanine, and renovating and reconfiguring existing space.

Subd. 11. Inver Grove Heights; Heritage Village Park2,000,000

For a grant to the city of Inver Grove Heights to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip an inclusive accessible play structure for children and to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip accessible restrooms, water fountains, and a fixed-shade structure, at Heritage Village Park.

Subd. 12. Mendota Heights; Pilot Knob1,836,000

For a grant to the city of Mendota Heights for Oheyawahe (Pilot Knob), a culturally, historically, and environmentally important site and Dakota sacred site located at 2100 Pilot Knob Road in Mendota Heights, overlooking the confluence of the Mississippi and Minnesota Rivers, which is included on the National Register of Historic Places. This appropriation includes money to design and construct: multipurpose gathering spaces, interpretation structures, trail connections and walkways, parking, and other visitor amenities and infrastructure; grading, landscaping, and other site and natural resource improvements including the planting and restoration of native vegetation; and other betterments necessary to provide safe and improved visitor access and preserve the site as a public natural area.

Subd. 13. Minneapolis; Central City Storm Tunnel9,900,000

For a grant to the city of Minneapolis for construction necessary to expand the Central City Storm Tunnel in Minneapolis. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 21, subdivision 26, for the same purpose.

Subd. 14. Oak Park Heights; Redevelopment2,190,000

For a grant to the city of Oak Park Heights to acquire property and to predesign and design public infrastructure for development of the Allen S. King power plant site in the city. Public infrastructure includes clean

water systems, sanitary sewer systems, stormwater systems, roads, trails, and sidewalks.

Subd. 15. Richfield; Wood Lake Nature Center 12,000,000

For a grant to the city of Richfield to predesign and design a new nature center building, and for the renovation of the site and trails at Wood Lake Nature Center. This appropriation may also be used for demolition costs associated with completing the project described in this subdivision.

Subd. 16. St. Paul; North End Community Center 6,000,000

For a grant to the city of St. Paul for site preparation, park enhancements, and to construct, furnish, and equip a community center in the city's North End neighborhood.

Subd. 17. St. Paul; Conway Recreation Center 2,500,000

For a grant to the city of St. Paul for the repair, upgrade, and renovation of the existing structure; design, site preparation, and preconstruction services for an auxiliary storage facility; and improvements to increase security and safety at the Conway Community Recreation Center in the city of St. Paul.

Subd. 18. 30,000 Feet; Technical Training Center 3,500,000

For a grant to 30,000 Feet to construct a Black Arts and Tech Center in the city of St. Paul to increase the number of African American youth and families served through culturally responsive arts and technology education, social-emotional learning, and African American history and culture.

Subd. 19. Ain Dah Yung Center 2,200,000

For a grant to the Ain Dah Yung (Our Home) Center to construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of the emergency shelter and youth lodge in the city of St. Paul. The renovations include tuckpointing, electric upgrades, ADA access, emergency fire escape, and bathroom renovation for the

emergency shelter. This appropriation also includes money for roof replacement, electric upgrades, and ADA access for the youth lodge.

Subd. 20. Hope 4 Youth

8,000,000

For a grant to HOPE 4 Youth to acquire property, predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip a youth homeless drop-in center in Anoka County.

Subd. 21. Appetite For Change

1,500,000

For a grant to Appetite for Change to acquire property, predesign, and design a facility that will provide access to food, workforce development, urban agriculture, and health and wellness services in the city of Minneapolis.

Subd. 22. Avenues For Youth

2,073,000

For a grant to Avenues for Youth to acquire property, predesign, and design a new expanded facility in North Minneapolis to provide space for the organization's existing North Minneapolis emergency shelter and transitional housing program, provide affordable housing for youth, and serve as the new administrative headquarters for Avenues for Youth.

Subd. 23. Comunidades Latinas Unidas en Servicio (CLUES)

3,500,000

For a grant to Comunidades Latinas Unidas en Servicio (CLUES) to acquire property and predesign a new Latino outreach facility at 2800 East Lake Street, Minneapolis. The new Economic Opportunity and Wellness Hub will provide workforce training, business incubators and technical assistance, a youth technology center, behavioral health clinics, a food shelf, child care, and other high-demand community supports.

Subd. 24. Cultural Wellness Center

3,000,000

For a grant to the Cultural Wellness Center for acquisition of property; site preparation,

including demolition; and improvements and betterments of a capital nature for Dreamland on 38th Street in the city of Minneapolis. This appropriation includes money for HVAC and mechanical system upgrades and storm water utility improvements.

Subd. 25. Armory Arts and Music Center

4,500,000

(a) For a grant to the Armory Arts and Music Center to design, construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of the historic Armory in the city of Duluth.

(b) This appropriation includes money for improvements for the Music Resource Center, the North Country Creative Center, and the Food Enterprise Center; interior building improvements, including structural enhancements to meet current applicable building codes; improvements for compliance with Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) requirements; and building systems, including mechanical, electrical, plumbing, and utility upgrades.

(c) This project must use design and construction methods to maximize consideration of energy efficiency and long-life cycle materials, while meeting the requirements of the federal National Parks Service, Secretary of Interior Standards for Rehabilitation.

(d) Due to the integrated nature of the overall development, public bidding is not required for this project.

Subd. 26. Keystone Community Services

2,300,000

For a grant to Keystone Community Services to renovate, furnish, and equip improvements to existing exterior enclosure, utilities, interior spaces, and other improvements of a capital nature for a new community food site in Ramsey County.

Subd. 27. Irreducible Grace Foundation1,500,000

For a grant to the Irreducible Grace Foundation for demolition of 3,800 square feet of the Black Youth Healing Arts Center, and predesign and design of housing at 643 Virginia St. in St. Paul to be owned and managed by the Irreducible Grace Foundation for youth and young adults.

Subd. 28. Isuroon3,000,000

For a grant to Isuroon to predesign, design, construct, and renovate the property located at 1600 Lake Street, in the city of Minneapolis, to carry out the mission of the organization to support immigrant women and provide mental health counseling.

Subd. 29. Native American Community Clinic4,500,000

(a) For a grant to the Native American Community Clinic for site preparation and construction of an expansion of the clinic in the city of Minneapolis. This appropriation includes money for medical and dental exam rooms, additional laboratory and diagnostic space, and associated capital improvements that will facilitate additional patients.

(b) This appropriation is only for the Native American Community Clinic. The Native American Community Clinic may sell real property interests on the clinic property, the purchase and construction of which were funded by this and earlier appropriations, so long as: (1) the real property interests sold do not include the clinic, and (2) the rights and interests sold will be used for the purpose of developing affordable housing for the populations served by the clinic. In addition, the Native American Community Clinic may retain any sale proceeds so long as the sale proceeds are applied to the construction and expansion of the clinic for which this appropriation is being made.

Subd. 30. Northrup King Building1,720,000

For a grant to the city of Minneapolis for improvement and betterments of a capital nature to renovate and restore the historic Northrup King Building campus in the city of Minneapolis.

Subd. 31. Public Functionary450,000

For a grant to Public Functionary to predesign and design a community arts center in the northeast area of the city of Minneapolis to serve Black, Indigenous, people of color, LGBTQ, and emerging artists and entrepreneurs in a multiuse arts and culture space.

Subd. 32. Somali Museum3,900,000

For a grant to the Somali Museum to predesign and design a facility in the city of Minneapolis to be used for a museum of Somali relics and artifacts, Somali cultural history, and education.

Subd. 33. Southern Anoka Community Assistance2,500,000

For a grant to Southern Anoka Community Assistance to predesign, design, construct, engineer, furnish, and equip a facility in the city of Columbia Heights to provide food shelf services, grocery delivery for seniors and people with disabilities, and basic needs support.

Subd. 34. Great River Children's Museum7,000,000

For a grant to Great River Children's Museum to construct, furnish, and equip capital improvements to renovate and expand a facility and outdoor exhibit space donated to the museum for the purpose of housing a children's museum in the city of St. Cloud.

Subd. 35. V3 Sports, Inc.12,000,000

For a grant to V3 Sports, Inc., to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip a community, aquatic, sports, and event center

with a 50-meter competition swimming pool in the North Minneapolis neighborhood.

Subd. 36. **Walker West Music Academy**

2,526,000

For a grant to Walker West Music Academy to acquire property, predesign, and design a building in the city of St. Paul to support youth music education.

Sec. 10. **CANCELLATION.**

The amount of the general fund appropriations listed in the cancellation report submitted to the legislature in January 2023, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, are canceled on the effective date of this section.

Sec. 11. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This act is effective the day following final enactment."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to capital investment; authorizing spending to acquire and better land and buildings and for other improvements of a capital nature with certain conditions; canceling prior appropriations; appropriating money."

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

Senator Pappas from the Committee on Capital Investment, to which was referred

S.F. No. 676: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the safe routes to school grant program; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill be amended as follows:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

"ARTICLE 1

APPROPRIATIONS

Section 1. **CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS.**

(a) The sums shown in the column under "Appropriations" are appropriated from the bond proceeds fund, or another named fund, to the state agencies or officials indicated, to be spent for public purposes. Appropriations of bond proceeds must be spent as authorized by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, clause (a), to acquire and better public land and buildings and other public improvements of a capital nature, or as authorized by the Minnesota Constitution, article

XI, section 5, clauses (b) to (j), or article XIV. Unless otherwise specified, money appropriated in this act:

(1) may be used to pay state agency staff costs that are attributed directly to the capital program or project in accordance with accounting policies adopted by the commissioner of management and budget;

(2) is available until the project is completed or abandoned subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642;

(3) for activities under Minnesota Statutes, sections 16B.307, 84.946, and 135A.046, should not be used for projects that can be financed within a reasonable time frame under Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.322 or 16C.144;

(4) is subject to the policies and procedures adopted by the commissioner of management and budget or otherwise specified in applicable law; and

(5) is available for a grant to a political subdivision after the commissioner of management and budget determines that an amount sufficient to complete the project as described in this act has been committed to the project, as required by Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.502.

(b) Unless otherwise specified, appropriations in this article from the general fund are made in fiscal year 2024 and are onetime appropriations.

APPROPRIATIONS

Sec. 2. UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation **\$ 132,128,000**

To the Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Higher Education Asset Preservation and Replacement (HEAPR) **39,528,000**

To be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 135A.046.

Subd. 3. Twin Cities - Chemistry Undergraduate Teaching Laboratory **92,600,000**

To construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of and an addition to Fraser Hall for an undergraduate chemistry teaching laboratory facility on the Twin Cities campus. This project includes the demolition of obsolete portions of Fraser Hall.

Subd. 4. University Share

Except for the appropriations for HEAPR, the appropriations in this section are intended to cover approximately two-thirds of the cost of each project. The remaining costs must be paid from university sources.

Subd. 5. Unspent Appropriations

Upon substantial completion of a project authorized in this section and after written notice to the commissioner of management and budget, the Board of Regents must use any money remaining in the appropriation for that project for HEAPR under Minnesota Statutes, section 135A.046. The Board of Regents must report by February 1 of each even-numbered year to the chairs of the house of representatives and senate committees with jurisdiction over capital investment and higher education finance, and to the chairs of the house of representatives Ways and Means Committee and the senate Finance Committee, on how the remaining money has been allocated or spent.

Sec. 3. MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation **\$ 179,752,000**

To the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Higher Education Asset Preservation and Replacement (HEAPR) **44,733,000**

To be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 135A.046.

Subd. 3. Minnesota State University, Moorhead **23,099,000**

To design, renovate, expand, and equip Weld Hall, including the construction of additions to improve building accessibility at Minnesota State University, Moorhead.

Subd. 4. Inver Hills Community College **22,025,000**

To design, renovate, and equip the Technology and Business Center building, including the construction of a link to Heritage Hall at Inver Hills Community College.

Subd. 5. Minneapolis Community and Technical College

20,457,000

To design, renovate, and equip phases 1 and 2 of the Management Education Center shared with Metropolitan State University on the Minneapolis Community and Technical College campus to support baccalaureate programming expansion.

Subd. 6. Pine Technical and Community College

21,468,000

To design, renovate, construct, and equip the renovation of the main building allied health space and an addition of the technical trade and applied learning labs at Pine Technical and Community College.

Subd. 7. Saint Paul College

1,671,000

To design the renovation of classroom, lab, and student services space and design the demolition of the College Learning Center Building which will be replaced by the renovations at the Saint Paul College campus.

Subd. 8. Northeast Higher Education District - Vermilion Community College

3,633,000

To design, renovate, and equip the classroom building and common space at Northeast Higher Education District - Vermilion Community College.

Subd. 9. Central Lakes College

11,591,000

To design, renovate, and equip the student services, academic support areas, and athletics space of the Central Lakes College, Brainerd campus.

Subd. 10. Northland Community and Technical College

3,282,000

To design, renovate, and equip teaching and learning lab space at Northland Community and Technical College, East Grand Forks campus.

Subd. 11. Minnesota State University, Mankato

8,460,000

To design and renovate space in the lower level of the Clinical Sciences Building; to design the demolition and replacement of Armstrong Hall; and to design the partial renovation of Wiecking Center, Performing Arts Center, the Library, and Morris Hall at Minnesota State University, Mankato.

Subd. 12. Winona State University

4,866,000

To design a net zero energy building that will contain flexible classroom space and student support services and to design the demolition of Gildemeister and Watkins Halls which will be replaced by the net zero energy building at Winona State University.

Subd. 13. Lake Superior College

8,316,000

To design the renovation and construction of integrated manufacturing workforce labs and related support space at Lake Superior College.

Subd. 14. Metropolitan State

5,196,000

To design, renovate, and equip space in New Main Hall for the cybersecurity program at Metropolitan State University.

Subd. 15. Alexandria Technical and Community College

955,000

To design the renovation of student services spaces, the demolition of obsolete campus space, which will be replaced by the new renovated student services space and the new Transportation Center, and to design the construction of the Transportation Center at Alexandria Technical and Community College.

Subd. 16. Debt Service

(a) Except as provided in paragraph (b), the Board of Trustees shall pay the debt service on one-third of the principal amount of state bonds sold to finance projects authorized by this section. After each sale of general obligation bonds, the commissioner of management and budget shall notify the board of the amounts assessed for each year for the life of the bonds.

(b) The board need not pay debt service on bonds sold to finance HEAPR. Where a nonstate match is required, the debt service is due on a principal amount equal to one-third of the total project cost, less the match committed before the bonds are sold.

(c) The commissioner of management and budget shall reduce the board's assessment each year by one-third of the net income from investment of general obligation bond proceeds in proportion to the amount of principal and interest otherwise required to be paid by the board. The board shall pay its resulting net assessment to the commissioner of management and budget by December 1 each year. If the board fails to make a payment when due, the commissioner of management and budget shall reduce allotments for appropriations from the general fund otherwise available to the board and apply the amount of the reduction to cover the missed debt service payment. The commissioner of management and budget shall credit the payments received from the board to the bond debt service account in the state bond fund each December 1 before money is transferred from the general fund under Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.641, subdivision 10.

Subd. 17. Unspent Appropriations

(a) Upon substantial completion of a project authorized in this section and after written notice to the commissioner of management and budget, the board must use any money remaining in the appropriation for that project

for HEAPR under Minnesota Statutes, section 135A.046. The Board of Trustees must report by February 1 of each even-numbered year to the chairs of the house of representatives and senate committees with jurisdiction over capital investment and higher education finance and to the chairs of the house of representatives Ways and Means Committee and the senate Finance Committee, on how the remaining money has been allocated or spent.

(b) The unspent portion of an appropriation for a project in this section that is complete is available for HEAPR under this subdivision, at the same campus as the project for which the original appropriation was made and the debt service requirement under this section is reduced accordingly. Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, applies from the date of the original appropriation to the unspent amount transferred.

Sec. 4. **EDUCATION** **\$ 94,000,000**

To the commissioner of education for library construction grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 134.45.

Sec. 5. **MINNESOTA STATE ACADEMIES**

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation **\$ 9,037,000**

To the commissioner of administration for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Asset Preservation **1,200,000**

For capital asset preservation improvements and betterments on both campuses of the Minnesota State Academies, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

Subd. 3. Dorm Renovations and Predesign **7,837,000**

To predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of Kramer Hall, Brandeen Hall, and Rode Hall Dorms on the

Blind School Campus, including but not limited to abatement of asbestos and hazardous materials, construction, and renovations required to improve safety and security for occupants, meet ADA requirements, meet energy saving requirements, and improve indoor air quality standards. This appropriation also includes money to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of Pollard Hall Dorm on the Deaf School Campus, including but not limited to abatement of asbestos and hazardous materials, construction, and renovations required to improve safety and security for occupants, meet ADA requirements, meet energy saving requirements, and improve indoor air quality standards.

Sec. 6. PERPICH CENTER FOR ARTS EDUCATION

\$ 900,000

To the commissioner of administration for capital asset preservation improvements and betterments at the Perpich Center for Arts Education, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

Sec. 7. NATURAL RESOURCES

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation

\$ 173,254,000

(a) To the commissioner of natural resources for the purposes specified in this section.

(b) The appropriations in this section are subject to the requirements of the natural resources capital improvement program under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.12, unless this section or the statutes referred to in this section provide more specific standards, criteria, or priorities for projects than Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.12.

Subd. 2. Natural Resources Asset Preservation

36,000,000

For the preservation and replacement of state-owned facilities and recreational assets

operated by the commissioner of natural resources to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 84.946.

Subd. 3. Betterment of Buildings

30,000,000

For acquisition, predesign, design, and construction to replace existing facilities that no longer meet the business needs of the department or to acquire or construct new facilities. This appropriation includes money for the predesign, design, and construction of facility capital improvements and associated facility components at the Badoura State Forest Nursery and the Waterville fish hatchery.

Subd. 4. Wildfire Aviation Infrastructure

6,360,000

For site preparation, predesign, design, engineering, demolition, construction, furnishing, and equipping new public safety facilities for aerial wildfire suppression, which may include grants to airport authorities. This appropriation includes money for the Hibbing airport and air tanker base buildings and associated utilities and systems.

Subd. 5. Accessibility

1,200,000

For the design and construction of accessibility improvements at state parks, recreation areas, and wildlife management areas.

Subd. 6. Dam Renovation, Repair, Removal

4,000,000

(a) For design, engineering, and construction to repair, reconstruct, or remove publicly owned dams and respond to dam safety emergencies on publicly owned dams. The commissioner shall determine project priorities as appropriate under Minnesota Statutes, sections 103G.511 and 103G.515.

(b) If the commissioner determines that a project is not ready to proceed, this appropriation may be used for other projects on the commissioner's priority list.

Subd. 7. Flood Hazard Mitigation27,374,000

(a) For the state share of flood hazard mitigation grants for publicly owned capital improvements to prevent or alleviate flood damage under Minnesota Statutes, section 103F.161. To the extent practical, levee projects shall meet the state standard of three feet above the 100-year flood elevation.

(b) Project priorities shall be determined by the commissioner as appropriate, based on need and consideration of available leveraging of federal, state, and local funds.

(c) Notwithstanding paragraph (b), \$5,000,000 of this appropriation is for a grant to the Red River Watershed Management Board for flood mitigation projects in watersheds under the board's management and is not for projects in the city of Moorhead.

(d) Notwithstanding paragraph (b), \$7,374,000 is for a grant to the city of Moorhead to design, construct, and equip flood mitigation infrastructure. This appropriation includes money for Phase 2 of the North Moorhead levee project, the relocation of sanitary lift station #2, and a levee project along First Avenue North.

(e) To the extent practicable and consistent with the project, recipients of appropriations for flood control projects in this subdivision shall create wetlands that are eligible for wetland replacement credit to replace wetlands drained or filled as the result of repair, reconstruction, replacement, or rehabilitation of an existing public road under Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.222, subdivision 1, paragraphs (l) and (m).

(f) To the extent that the cost of a municipal project exceeds two percent of the median household income in the municipality multiplied by the number of households in

the municipality, this appropriation is also for the local share of the project.

Subd. 8. Lake Vermilion-Soudan Underground Mine State Park

11,000,000

For the design and construction of a visitor center, camping facilities and boardwalk, hiking and biking trails, dock and fishing pier, and related infrastructure; the design of the Mattson Bay Camp and Soudan Heritage and Science Center; and the rehabilitation of a fire tower at Lake Vermilion-Soudan Underground Mine State Park.

Subd. 9. Parks and Trails Local and Regional Recreation Grants

2,000,000

For matching grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 85.019.

Subd. 10. Community Tree Planting Grants

8,400,000

For grants to cities, counties, townships, and park and recreation boards in cities of the first class, to remove and plant shade trees on public land to provide environmental benefits; to replace trees lost to forest pests, disease, or storm; or to establish a more diverse community forest better able to withstand disease and forest pests. For purposes of this appropriation, "shade tree" means a woody perennial grown primarily for aesthetic or environmental purposes with minimal to residual timber value. Any tree planted with money under this subdivision must be a climate-adapted species to Minnesota.

Subd. 11. Canisteo Legacy Mine Pit Complex

6,600,000

(a) For the acquisition of land or interests in land, and for construction of publicly owned infrastructure to mitigate the imminent threat to public safety, property, and regional water quality from the rising water at the Canisteo legacy mine pit complex.

(b) Upon substantial completion of the project authorized in this subdivision and

after written notice to the commissioner of management and budget, the commissioner of natural resources may use any money remaining in this appropriation to design, engineer, and construct publicly owned water mitigation infrastructure at the Hill Annex open pit mining complex.

Subd. 12. St. James Open Pit Mine Complex

2,500,000

For predesign, design, and engineering of capital improvement projects to mitigate the imminent threat to public safety, property, and regional water quality from the rising water levels at the St. James open pit mine complex.

Subd. 13. Reforestation

6,000,000

For reforestation and stand improvement on state forest lands to meet the reforestation requirements of Minnesota Statutes, section 89.002, subdivision 2, including purchasing native seeds and native seedlings, planting, seeding, site preparation, and protection on state lands administered by the commissioner.

Subd. 14. State Trail Maintenance

1,200,000

To renovate paved and unpaved state trails established under Minnesota Statutes, section 85.015, according to the commissioner's priorities and as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 84.946.

Subd. 15. Casey Jones State Trail

1,320,000

For acquisition, design, engineering, and construction of the Casey Jones State Trail under Minnesota Statutes, section 85.015, subdivision 2. The Casey Jones State Trail must be established as a primary, not a secondary trail.

Subd. 16. Gitchi Gami State Trail

4,000,000

For acquisition, design, engineering, and construction of the Gitchi Gami State Trail priority segments: Lutsen from Ski Hill Road, Tofte, Silver Bay to Tettegouche State

Park, and Two Harbors to Flood Bay State Wayside.

Subd. 17. Heartland State Trail

2,950,000

(a) For capital improvements to the Heartland State Trail. Of this amount, (1) \$550,000 is for construction of a trail segment of the Heartland State Trail between Detroit Lakes and Frazee; and (2) \$2,400,000 is for the environmental review, predesign, design, and construction of a paved multiple-use trail to connect Itasca State Park to the Heartland State Trail beginning from the park contact station to the park's southeast boundary and through a Phase 1 tunnel to be constructed under marked U.S. Highway 71, and continuing from there for about two miles.

(b) This appropriation is in addition to the appropriations in Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 6, subdivision 6, and Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 7, subdivision 12.

Subd. 18. Mill Towns State Trail

8,190,000

For land acquisition, predesign, design, and construction of the Mill Towns State Trail between Riverside Park in the city of Northfield and the Waterford Historic Bridge in Waterford Township.

Subd. 19. Root River State Trail; Preston to Carimona

2,000,000

For acquisition of property, design, and engineering of the Root River State Trail under Minnesota Statutes, section 85.015, from the city of Preston to the city of Carimona.

Subd. 20. Glendalough State Park

900,000

To complete the paved multipurpose trail from the bridge at the northwest corner of Annie Battle Lake to the park entrance at Glendalough State Park.

**Subd. 21. Upper Sioux Agency State Park Bond
Defeasance**250,000

From the general fund to the commissioner of management and budget to prepay and defease any outstanding state general obligation bonds used for improvements and betterments at Upper Sioux Agency State Park, including Minnesota Historical Society property located within the park's boundaries, and other associated financing costs. This amount may be deposited, invested, and applied to accomplish the purposes of this section as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 475.67, subdivisions 5 to 10 and 13. Upon the prepayment and defeasance of all associated debt on the real property and improvements, all conditions set forth in Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695, subdivision 3, shall be deemed to have been satisfied and the real property and improvements shall no longer constitute state bond financed property under Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695.

**Subd. 22. Lower Minnesota River Watershed
District; Minnesota River Riverbank Stabilization**2,750,000

For a grant to the Lower Minnesota River Watershed District for final design and construction of capital improvements necessary to stabilize the riverbank, prevent erosion, and prevent future degradation of the water quality of the Minnesota River resulting from Area 3 bank erosion in the city of Eden Prairie.

**Subd. 23. Shakopee; Minnesota River Riverbank
Stabilization**8,260,000

For a grant to the city of Shakopee to predesign, design, and construct the restoration of the Minnesota River riverbank from the western edge of downtown Shakopee to The Landing in the Three Rivers Park District.

Subd. 24. Unspent Appropriations

The unspent portion of an appropriation for a project in this section that is complete, upon written notice to the commissioner of management and budget, is available for asset preservation under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.946. Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, applies from the date of the original appropriation to the unspent amount transferred.

Sec. 8. **POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY** **\$ 10,000,000**

To the Pollution Control Agency for a capital assistance grant to Olmsted County under Minnesota Statutes, section 115A.54, to design, construct, and equip a new materials recovery facility which will expand upon the county's current integrated solid waste management system by reclaiming materials and removing problematic items from the waste stream. This appropriation is notwithstanding the maximum amount of grant assistance for a project under Minnesota Statutes, section 115A.54.

Sec. 9. BOARD OF WATER AND SOIL RESOURCES

Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation** **\$ 22,700,000**

To the Board of Water and Soil Resources for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. **Local Government Roads Wetland Replacement Program** **12,000,000**

To acquire land or permanent easements and to restore, create, enhance, and preserve wetlands to replace those wetlands drained or filled as a result of the repair, reconstruction, replacement, or rehabilitation of existing public roads as required by Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.222, subdivision 1, paragraphs (l) and (m). Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.222, subdivision 3, the board may

implement the wetland replacement program consistent with section 404 of the federal Clean Water Act. The purchase price paid for acquisition of land or perpetual easement must be a fair market value as determined by the board. The board may enter into agreements with the federal government, other state agencies, political subdivisions, nonprofit organizations, fee title owners, or other qualified private entities to acquire wetland replacement credits in accordance with Minnesota Rules, chapter 8420. Up to five percent of this appropriation may be used for restoration and enhancement.

Subd. 3. Reinvest in Minnesota (RIM) Reserve Program

10,700,000

To acquire conservation easements from landowners to preserve, restore, create, and enhance wetlands and associated uplands of prairie and grasslands, and to restore and enhance rivers and streams, riparian lands, and associated uplands of prairie and grasslands, in order to protect soil and water quality, support fish and wildlife habitat, reduce flood damage, and provide other public benefits. The provisions of Minnesota Statutes, section 103F.515, apply to this program. The board shall give priority to leveraging federal money by enrolling targeted new lands or enrolling environmentally sensitive lands that have expiring federal conservation agreements. The board is authorized to enter into new agreements and amend past agreements with landowners as required by Minnesota Statutes, section 103F.515, subdivision 5, to allow for restoration. Up to five percent of this appropriation may be used for restoration and enhancement.

Sec. 10. AGRICULTURE

\$ 380,000

To the commissioner of administration to design, construct, and equip the renovation and repair of the plant protection division's potato inspection facility located in East

Grand Forks. This appropriation may also be used to design and complete hazardous materials abatement.

Sec. 11. MINNESOTA ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation \$ 18,025,000

To the Minnesota Zoological Board for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Asset Preservation 16,800,000

For capital asset preservation improvements and betterments to infrastructure and exhibits at the Minnesota Zoo, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307. Notwithstanding the specified uses of money under Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307, this appropriation may be used to replace buildings that are in poor condition, outdated, and no longer support the work of the Minnesota Zoological Garden; to construct and renovate trails and roads on the Minnesota Zoological Garden site; and to replace the lakeside plaza infrastructure, including the stairs and ramp to the upper plaza, and to design, construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of related animal holding and mechanical spaces.

Subd. 3. Animal Hospital Renovation 1,225,000

To design a new or renovated animal hospital building at the Minnesota Zoological Garden.

Sec. 12. ADMINISTRATION

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation \$ 22,465,000

To the commissioner of administration for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Capital Asset Preservation and Replacement Account 9,000,000

To be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.632.

**Subd. 3. Capitol Complex - Physical Security
Upgrades Phase II**9,093,000

For the continuation of the design, construction, and equipping required to upgrade the physical security elements and systems for the Capitol Mall and the buildings listed in this subdivision, their attached tunnel systems, their surrounding grounds, and parking facilities as identified in the 2017 Minnesota State Capitol Complex Physical Security Predesign completed by Miller Dunwiddie and an updated assessment completed in 2022. Upgrades include but are not limited to the installation of bollards, blast protection, infrastructure security screen walls, door access controls, emergency call stations, surveillance systems, security kiosks, locking devices, and traffic and crowd control devices. This appropriation includes money for work associated with the following buildings: Administration, Ag/Health Lab, Capitol, Centennial, Governor's Residence, Judicial Center, Minnesota History Center, Capitol Complex Power Plant and Shops, Stassen, State Office, and Veterans Service.

Subd. 4. Ford Building4,372,000

To complete design and abatement of hazardous materials and demolition of the Ford Building and associated infrastructure located on the Capitol Complex as the first phase of overall site redevelopment. This appropriation may also be used to construct and equip improvements to maintain access to the Capitol Complex tunnel system as well as to provide security, irrigation, and landscaping for the site. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, chapter 15B, or the Comprehensive Plan for the Minnesota State Capitol Area, no additional study shall be required prior to a building permit being issued for the work authorized in this appropriation or to proceed with such work.

Sec. 13. AMATEUR SPORTS COMMISSION \$ 9,600,000

To the Minnesota Amateur Sports Commission for asset preservation improvements and betterments of a capital nature at the National Sports Center in Blaine, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

Sec. 14. MILITARY AFFAIRS

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation \$ 31,487,000

To the adjutant general for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Rosemount Readiness Center 25,080,000

(a) To construct and equip the renovation of existing space at the Rosemount Readiness Center, including mechanical, electrical, building envelope, energy efficiency, and life safety improvements.

(b) \$360,000 of this appropriation is in addition to the appropriation for the same purpose in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 14, subdivision 2.

Subd. 3. Fergus Falls Readiness Center 800,000

This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation for the same purpose in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 14, subdivision 3.

Subd. 4. Moorhead Readiness Center 855,000

This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation for the same purpose in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 14, subdivision 4.

Subd. 5. Marshall Readiness Center 4,752,000

This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation for the same purpose in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 14, subdivision 5.

Sec. 15. PUBLIC SAFETY

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation \$ 17,425,000

To the commissioner of administration for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. State Emergency Operations Center 11,392,000

For the state emergency operations center. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation for the same purpose in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 15, subdivision 2.

Subd. 3. BCA Maryland Building 6,033,000

To design, construct, renovate, equip, and furnish unfinished space in the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension building in St. Paul to provide new offices and to design, construct, and equip a new perimeter security fence and access controls at this site.

Sec. 16. TRANSPORTATION

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation \$ 245,157,000

To the commissioner of transportation for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Local Road Improvement Program 85,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for eligible improvements on trunk highway corridor projects under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.52, subdivision 2; for construction and reconstruction of local roads with statewide or regional significance under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.52, subdivision 4; or for grants to counties to assist in paying the costs of rural road safety capital improvement projects on county state-aid highways under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.52, subdivision 4a. \$6,000,000 of this appropriation is for grants to townships for capital improvements to township roads.

Subd. 3. Local Bridge Replacement Program67,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund to match federal money and to replace or rehabilitate local deficient bridges as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50.

Subd. 4. Highway Rail Grade Crossings3,600,000

To design, construct, and equip the replacement of active highway rail grade warning devices that have reached the end of their useful life or new highway rail grade warning devices.

Subd. 5. Port Development Assistance Program18,097,000

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 457A. Any improvements made with the proceeds of these grants must be publicly owned.

Subd. 6. Safe Routes to School2,400,000

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.40.

Subd. 7. Active Transportation1,200,000

For grants and financial assistance under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.38.

Subd. 8. Minnesota Rail Service Improvement Program9,600,000

For rail service improvement grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 222.50.

Subd. 9. Greater Minnesota Transit3,000,000

For capital assistance for publicly owned greater Minnesota transit systems to acquire property and to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip transit capital facilities under Minnesota Statutes, section 174.24, subdivision 3c.

Subd. 10. Carver County; CSAH 183,760,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota

Statutes, section 174.50, for one or more grants to the cities of Victoria, Chaska, or Chanhassen or Carver County, or any combination of these entities, for property or permanent easement acquisition, predesign, and design of construction of improvements to Carver County State-Aid Highway 18, known as West 82nd Street, from Bavaria Road to marked Trunk Highway 41. This project includes cross streets, off-street trails, a bridge over a ravine and trail, and utility relocations, installations, and connections.

Subd. 11. Fridley; Northtown Rail Yard Overpass

4,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city of Fridley to design the extension of 57th Avenue NE, including public utilities as necessary and a bridge and approach walls, across the BNSF Northtown Rail Yard from Main Street NE (Anoka County State-Aid Highway 102) westward to East River Road (Anoka County State-Aid Highway 1) in Fridley.

Subd. 12. Hennepin County; Hennepin Avenue Bridge

3,500,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to Hennepin County for predesign and design of reconstruction of the iconic and historic Hennepin Avenue Suspension Bridge and approach bridges in the city of Minneapolis.

Subd. 13. Inver Grove Heights; 117th Street Reconstruction

5,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for one or more grants to the city of Inver Grove Heights, Dakota County, or both, to perform final design, acquire right-of-way, acquire easements, and reconstruct 117th Street from Rich Valley Boulevard (Dakota County Road

71), including intersection improvements thereto in both directions up to 1,500 feet, to approximately 800 feet east of U.S. Highway 52 to improve safety, mobility, and traffic conditions. This appropriation includes the cost for relocation and construction of public utilities on 117th Street, including sanitary sewer, water main, and storm sewer facilities.

Subd. 14. Plymouth; Chankahda Trail

6,200,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city of Plymouth for property acquisition and design of construction of roadway, utility, drainage, pedestrian facilities, and associated appurtenances, on Chankahda Trail, formerly known as Hennepin County Road 47, from Hennepin County State-Aid Highway 101 to Hennepin County State-Aid Highway 61.

Subd. 15. Savage; Road and Bridge Improvements

800,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city of Savage to predesign and design the expansion of Quentin Avenue and reconstruction of two railroad bridges that pass over Quentin Avenue. The project area for this project is from approximately 600 feet to the south to approximately 600 feet to the north of the two railroad bridges that pass over Quentin Avenue.

Subd. 16. St. Paul; Third Street/Kellogg Boulevard Bridge and BRT Gold Line Readiness

25,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city of St. Paul for the Third Street/Kellogg Boulevard bridge project. This appropriation is in addition to the appropriation for the same purpose in Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 16, subdivision 19.

Subd. 17. St. Paul Park; Third Street Collector Roadway

7,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city of St. Paul Park to predesign, design, engineer, construct, and equip the Third Street Collector Roadway Improvements Project. This appropriation includes money for the construction and reconstruction of Third Street from Broadway Avenue to 14th Avenue, pedestrian and bicycle safety improvements, and sanitary sewer, drinking water, and storm water management infrastructure.

Sec. 17. METROPOLITAN COUNCIL

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation

\$ 108,620,000

To the Metropolitan Council for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Inflow and Infiltration Grants

12,000,000

For grants to cities within the metropolitan area, as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 473.121, subdivision 2, for capital improvements in municipal wastewater collection systems to reduce the amount of inflow and infiltration to the Metropolitan Council's metropolitan sanitary sewer disposal system. The council must award grants based on applications from cities that identify eligible capital costs and include a timeline for inflow and infiltration mitigation construction, pursuant to guidelines established by the council.

Subd. 3. Metropolitan Regional Parks and Trails

16,620,000

For the cost of improvements and betterments of a capital nature and acquisition by the council and metropolitan parks implementing agencies as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 473.351, of regional recreational open-space lands in accordance with the council's policy plan as provided in

Minnesota Statutes, section 473.147. This appropriation must not be used to purchase easements.

Subd. 4. Arterial Bus Rapid Transit

72,000,000

For real property acquisition, predesign, design, engineering, and construction of arterial bus rapid transit, including utility relocation, demolition, and furnishing and equipping facilities for arterial bus rapid transit projects. The council must allocate the money among projects based on criteria in its transitway capital improvement plan including: consistency with the council's transportation policy plan; project readiness; potential current and forecasted ridership; expansion of the bus rapid transit system; availability of federal or other matching funds; coordination with other major projects; and additional criteria for priorities otherwise specified in state law or rule applicable to bus rapid transit, including state law authorizing state bond fund appropriations for a bus rapid transit project.

Subd. 5. St. Paul; Mississippi River Learning Center

8,000,000

For a grant to the city of St. Paul for design of a Mississippi River Learning Center that will be located on a site in Crosby Farm Regional Park that includes the Watergate Marina site.

Sec. 18. HUMAN SERVICES

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation

\$ 19,150,000

To the commissioner of administration, or other named entity, for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Asset Preservation

7,200,000

For asset preservation improvements and betterments of a capital nature at Department of Human Services facilities statewide, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

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Subd. 3. St. Peter Water and Sewer Upgrades

1,050,000

To design upgrades and the replacement of water, sanitary, and storm sewer infrastructure at the St. Peter Campus.

Subd. 4. Early Childhood Learning and Child Protection Facilities

900,000

To the commissioner of human services for grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 256E.37, to predesign, design, construct, renovate, furnish, and equip early childhood learning facilities.

Subd. 5. Regional Behavioral Health Crisis Facilities

10,000,000

To the commissioner of human services, for grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 245G.011.

Sec. 19. VETERANS AFFAIRS

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation

§ 90,125,000

To the commissioner of administration for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Asset Preservation

12,360,000

For asset preservation improvements and betterments of a capital nature at the veterans homes in Minneapolis, Hastings, Fergus Falls, Silver Bay, Luverne, and the state veterans cemeteries at Little Falls, Preston, and Duluth, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

Subd. 3. Hastings Veterans Home Campus Upgrade

77,765,000

To predesign, design, construct, and equip the replacement of administrative and residential buildings and infrastructure at the Minnesota Veterans Home - Hastings Campus. This appropriation includes money to design and complete demolition of all or portions of buildings and other structures deemed unnecessary or undesirable for the development of the project, site preparation, asbestos removal and hazardous materials

abatement, and the furnishing and equipping of the new buildings. The commissioner of veterans affairs may apply for federal funding for this project.

Sec. 20. **CORRECTIONS**

Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation**

\$ 34,292,000

To the commissioner of administration for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. **Asset Preservation**

33,800,000

For asset preservation improvement and betterments of a capital nature at the Minnesota correctional facilities statewide to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

Subd. 3. **Minnesota Correctional Facility - Lino Lakes**

492,000

To design renovations to an existing building, including but not limited to building system upgrades and hazardous materials abatement, at the Minnesota Correctional Facility - Lino Lakes for an incarcerated persons programming and support space.

Subd. 4. **Unspent Appropriations**

The unspent portion of an appropriation for a Department of Corrections project in this section that is complete, upon written notice to the commissioner of management and budget, is available for asset preservation under Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307. Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, applies from the date of the original appropriation to the unspent amount transferred.

Sec. 21. **EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation**

\$ 16,900,000

To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section.

**Subd. 2. Greater Minnesota Business Development
Public Infrastructure**

8,500,000

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section
116J.431.

**Subd. 3. Innovative Business Development Public
Infrastructure**

1,500,000

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section
116J.435.

**Subd. 4. Transportation Economic Development
Infrastructure**

3,000,000

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section
116J.436.

Subd. 5. Greater Minnesota Housing Infrastructure

3,000,000

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section
116J.4315.

Subd. 6. Greater Minnesota Child Care Facilities

900,000

For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section
116J.417.

**Sec. 22. IRON RANGE RESOURCES AND
REHABILITATION**

\$ 12,229,000

To the Department of Iron Range Resources
and Rehabilitation to acquire, upgrade,
construct, and install a snowmaking
infrastructure system, including associated
equipment, that will replace aging water lines
at Giants Ridge and aid in fire suppression.

Sec. 23. PUBLIC FACILITIES AUTHORITY

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation

\$ 235,390,000

To the Public Facilities Authority for the
purposes specified in this section.

**Subd. 2. State Match for Federal Grants to State
Revolving Loan Programs**

41,000,000

To match federal capitalization grants for the
clean water revolving fund under Minnesota
Statutes, section 446A.07, and the drinking

water revolving fund under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.081. This appropriation must be used for qualified capital projects.

Subd. 3. Water Infrastructure Funding Program

87,200,000

(a) For grants to eligible municipalities under the water infrastructure funding program under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.072.

(b) \$52,000,000 is for wastewater projects listed on the Pollution Control Agency's project priority list in the fundable range under the clean water revolving fund program.

(c) \$35,200,000 is for drinking water projects listed on the commissioner of health's project priority list in the fundable range under the drinking water revolving fund program.

(d) After all eligible projects under paragraph (b) or (c) have been funded in a fiscal year, the Public Facilities Authority may transfer any remaining, uncommitted money to eligible projects under a program defined in paragraph (b) or (c) based on that program's project priority list.

Subd. 4. Point Source Implementation Grants Program

80,000,000

For grants to eligible municipalities under the point source implementation grants program under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.073. This appropriation must be used for qualified capital projects.

Subd. 5. Lead Service Line Replacement

10,000,000

For grants to replace the publicly owned portion of drinking water lead service lines under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.077.

Subd. 6. Arden Hills; Water and Sewer Improvements

510,000

For a grant to the city of Arden Hills to construct water main and sanitary sewer

replacement and improvements at the intersection of County Road E and Old Highway 10 (also known as Snelling Avenue North or County State-Aid Highway 76).

Subd. 7. Mankato; Water Treatment 11,580,000

For a grant to the city of Mankato for site preparation and to construct upgrades to the city's regional water resource recovery facility, including the disinfection upgrades improving water quality of the discharge to the Minnesota River.

Subd. 8. Medicine Lake; Public Water System 3,500,000

For a grant to the city of Medicine Lake to design and construct capital improvements to the Medicine Lake public water system to meet Department of Health drinking water standards. This appropriation includes construction and reconstruction of drinking water and wastewater collection systems, associated street improvements, and improvements for hydrant fire safety and suppression.

Subd. 9. Osseo; Lift Stations 1,600,000

For a grant to the city of Osseo to predesign, design, construct, and equip the renovation of three lift stations in the city of Osseo, including replacement of the HVAC systems, replacement of and upgrades to the equipment, and improvements to ensure the structural soundness of the lift stations.

Sec. 24. MINNESOTA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY \$ 72,000,000

To the Minnesota Housing Finance Agency for transfer to the housing development fund to finance the costs of rehabilitation to preserve public housing under Minnesota Statutes, section 462A.202, subdivision 3a. For purposes of this section, "public housing" means housing for low-income persons and households financed by the federal government and publicly owned. Priority

may be given to proposals that maximize nonstate resources to finance the capital costs and requests that prioritize health, safety, and energy improvements. The priority in Minnesota Statutes, section 462A.202, subdivision 3a, for projects to increase the supply of affordable housing and the restrictions of Minnesota Statutes, section 462A.202, subdivision 7, do not apply to this appropriation.

Sec. 25. **MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation **\$ 6,000,000**

To the Minnesota Historical Society for the purposes specified in this section.

Subd. 2. Historic Sites Asset Preservation **5,000,000**

For capital improvements and betterments at state historic sites, buildings, landscaping at historic buildings, exhibits, markers, and monuments, to be spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307. The society shall determine project priorities as appropriate based on need.

Subd. 3. County and Local Preservation Grants **1,000,000**

For grants to county and local jurisdictions as matching money for historic preservation projects of a capital nature, as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 138.0525.

Sec. 26. **BOND SALE EXPENSES** **\$ 1,564,000**

To the commissioner of management and budget from the bond proceeds fund for bond sale expenses under Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.641, subdivision 8.

Sec. 27. **BOND SALE AUTHORIZATION.**

Subdivision 1. **Bond proceeds fund.** To provide the money appropriated in this act from the bond proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue bonds of the state in an amount up to \$1,372,535,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

Subd. 2. **Transportation fund.** To provide the money appropriated in this act from the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue bonds of the state in an amount up to \$195,000,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

Sec. 28. CANCELLATIONS; BOND SALE AUTHORIZATION REDUCTIONS.

The amounts of the general obligation bond proceeds appropriations listed in the cancellation report submitted to the legislature in January 2023, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, are canceled on the effective date of this section, with the exception of appropriations and related bond sale authorizations that are extended in article 2. The corresponding bond sale authorizations are reduced by the same amounts.

Sec. 29. BOND SALE SCHEDULE.

The commissioner of management and budget shall schedule the sale of state general obligation bonds so that, during the biennium ending June 30, 2025, no more than \$1,188,684,000 will need to be transferred from the general fund to the state bond fund to pay principal and interest due and to become due on outstanding state general obligation bonds. During the biennium, before each sale of state general obligation bonds, the commissioner of management and budget shall calculate the amount of debt service payments needed on bonds previously issued and shall estimate the amount of debt service payments that will be needed on the bonds scheduled to be sold. The commissioner shall adjust the amount of bonds scheduled to be sold so as to remain within the limit set by this section. The amount needed to make the debt service payments is appropriated from the general fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.641.

Sec. 30. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This article is effective the day following final enactment.

ARTICLE 2

MISCELLANEOUS

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 16A.966, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. Authorization to issue appropriation bonds. (a) Subject to the limitations of this subdivision, the commissioner may sell and issue appropriation bonds of the state under this section for public purposes as provided by law, including for the purposes of financing the cost of implementing removal or remedial actions permitted under section 115B.17 and further subject to the conditions in chapter 115B to address risks to human health and the environment at contaminated sites. Appropriation bonds may be sold and issued in amounts that, in the opinion of the commissioner, are necessary to provide sufficient money to the commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency under subdivision 7, not to exceed \$30,400,000 net of costs of issuance, for the purposes as provided under this subdivision, and to pay debt service including capitalized interest, costs of issuance, costs of credit enhancement, or make payments under other agreements entered into under paragraph (d). Notwithstanding section 115B.17, subdivision 6 or 16, any money recovered in a civil action or any money received from the disposition of property acquired for a response action and financed with

bonds under this section shall be transferred to the commissioner and applied toward principal and interest on outstanding bonds.

(b) Proceeds of the appropriation bonds must be credited to a special appropriation state response to releases bond proceeds fund in the state treasury. All income from investment of the bond proceeds, as estimated by the commissioner, is appropriated to the commissioner for the payment of principal and interest on the appropriation bonds.

(c) Appropriation bonds may be issued in one or more issues or series on the terms and conditions the commissioner determines to be in the best interests of the state, but the term on any series of appropriation bonds may not exceed 21 years. The appropriation bonds of each issue and series thereof shall be dated and bear interest, and may be includable in or excludable from the gross income of the owners for federal income tax purposes.

(d) At the time of, or in anticipation of, issuing the appropriation bonds, and at any time thereafter, so long as the appropriation bonds are outstanding, the commissioner may enter into agreements and ancillary arrangements relating to the appropriation bonds, including but not limited to trust indentures, grant agreements, lease or use agreements, operating agreements, management agreements, liquidity facilities, remarketing or dealer agreements, letter of credit agreements, insurance policies, guaranty agreements, reimbursement agreements, indexing agreements, or interest exchange agreements. Any payments made or received according to the agreement or ancillary arrangement shall be made from or deposited as provided in the agreement or ancillary arrangement. The determination of the commissioner included in an interest exchange agreement that the agreement relates to an appropriation bond shall be conclusive.

(e) The commissioner may enter into written agreements or contracts relating to the continuing disclosure of information necessary to comply with or facilitate the issuance of appropriation bonds in accordance with federal securities laws, rules, and regulations, including Securities and Exchange Commission rules and regulations in Code of Federal Regulations, title 17, section 240.15c 2-12. An agreement may be in the form of covenants with purchasers and holders of appropriation bonds set forth in the order or resolution authorizing the issuance of the appropriation bonds, or a separate document authorized by the order or resolution.

(f) The appropriation bonds are not subject to chapter 16C.

(g) Notwithstanding section 16A.642, the bond authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2027.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 116J.417, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Creation of accounts.** Two greater Minnesota child care facility capital grant accounts are created. One account is created in the ~~special revenue~~ general fund and one in the bond proceeds fund. Money in the accounts is appropriated to the commissioner to make grants under this section. Money in the greater Minnesota child care facility capital grant accounts is available until encumbered or spent subject to section 16A.642.

Sec. 3. **[116J.4315] GREATER MINNESOTA HOUSING INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT PROGRAM.**

Subdivision 1. **Grant program established.** The commissioner may make grants to counties and cities to provide up to 50 percent of the capital costs of public infrastructure necessary for an eligible workforce housing development project. The commissioner may make a grant award only after determining that nonstate resources are committed to complete the project. The nonstate contribution may be either cash or in kind. In-kind contributions may include the value of the site.

Subd. 2. **Definitions.** (a) For purposes of this section, the following terms have the meanings given.

(b) "City" means a statutory or home rule charter city located outside the metropolitan area, as defined in section 473.121, subdivision 2.

(c) "County" means a county located outside the metropolitan area, as defined in section 473.121, subdivision 2.

(d) "Public infrastructure" means publicly owned physical infrastructure necessary to support housing development projects, including but not limited to sewers, water supply systems, utility extensions, streets, wastewater treatment systems, storm water management systems, and facilities for pretreatment of wastewater to remove phosphorus.

Subd. 3. **Eligible projects.** Public infrastructure eligible for a grant under this section may be single-family or multifamily housing developments, owner-occupied or rental.

Subd. 4. **Application.** (a) The commissioner must develop forms and procedures for soliciting and reviewing applications for grants under this section. At a minimum, a county or city must include in its application a resolution of the county or city council certifying that the required nonstate match is available. The commissioner must evaluate complete applications for funding for eligible projects to determine that:

(1) the project is necessary to increase sites available for housing development that will provide adequate housing stock for the current or future workforce; and

(2) the increase in workforce housing will result in substantial public and private capital investment in the county or city in which the project would be located.

(b) The determination of whether to make a grant for a site is within the discretion of the commissioner, subject to this section. The commissioner's decisions and application of the criteria are not subject to judicial review, except for abuse of discretion.

Subd. 5. **Maximum grant amount.** A county or city may receive no more than \$20,000 per lot for single-family, duplex, triplex, or four-plex housing developed, and no more than \$50,000 per lot for multifamily housing with more than four units per building. A county or city may receive no more than \$500,000 in two years for one or more housing developments.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 134.45, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. **Qualification; accessibility grants.** A public library jurisdiction may apply for a grant in an amount up to ~~\$300,000~~ \$450,000 or 50 percent of the approved costs of removing architectural barriers from a building or site, whichever is less. Grants may be made only for projects in existing

buildings used as a library, or to prepare another existing building for use as a library. Renovation of an existing building may include an addition to the building if the additional space is necessary to provide accessibility or if relocating public spaces to the ground level provides improved overall accessibility. Grants must not be used to pay part of the cost of meeting accessibility requirements in a new building.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 174.38, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** (a) For purposes of this section, the following terms have the meanings given them.

(b) "Active transportation" means bicycling, pedestrian activities, and other forms of nonmotorized transportation.

(c) "Bond-eligible costs" means expenditures under subdivision 6, clause (1), for publicly owned infrastructure in this state with a useful life of at least ten years.

~~(e)~~ (d) "Commissioner" means the commissioner of transportation.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 174.38, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **Active transportation account.** (a) An active transportation account is established in the special revenue fund. The account consists of funds provided by law and any other money donated, allotted, transferred, or otherwise provided to the account. Money in the account must be expended only on a project that receives financial assistance under this section.

(b) An active transportation account is established in the bond proceeds fund. The account consists of state bond proceeds appropriated to the commissioner. Money in the account may only be expended on bond-eligible costs of a project receiving financial assistance as provided under this section. Money in the account may only be expended on a project that is publicly owned.

(c) An active transportation account is established in the general fund. The account consists of money as provided by law and any other money donated, allotted, transferred, or otherwise provided to the account. Money in the account may only be expended on a project receiving financial assistance as provided under this section.

Sec. 7. **[446A.077] LEAD SERVICE LINE REPLACEMENT GRANT PROGRAM.**

Subdivision 1. **Establishment.** The authority must establish a program to provide grants to eligible recipients for lead service line replacement, subject to the limitations in this section.

Subd. 2. **Eligible recipients.** (a) The following are eligible recipients of funds in the program:

(1) community public water suppliers of a community water system as defined in Code of Federal Regulations, title 40, section 141.2, as amended;

(2) municipalities;

(3) suppliers of other residential drinking water systems; and

(4) any applicant eligible for loans and grants under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act.

(b) An eligible recipient of a grant provided under this program funded with money appropriated from the bond proceeds fund must be a political subdivision of the state.

Subd. 3. **Eligible uses.** (a) An eligible recipient may use a grant provided under this program for:

(1) removing and replacing lead drinking water service lines; or

(2) performing necessary construction activities required for and associated with the removal and replacement of lead service lines.

(b) A grant provided under this program funded with money appropriated from the bond proceeds fund must only be used for publicly owned property.

Subd. 4. **Required removal or replacement of privately owned lead service lines.** (a) At least 70 percent of the funds made available under a grant must be used for the purposes of removing privately owned portions of lead drinking water service lines or installing privately owned portions of drinking water service lines.

(b) A grant under the program funded with money appropriated from the bond proceeds fund is not subject to the limitations under paragraph (a).

Subd. 5. **Grant priorities.** In prioritizing the expenditure of grant money received under this section, the authority must give priority to applications that utilize the funds as part of a plan to remove all lead service lines within a municipality or residential drinking water system.

Subd. 6. **Report.** By March 30, 2024, the authority shall submit a report on this grant program to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over capital investment, health, and environment. The report must include, at a minimum, details about awards made, applications submitted, and lead service lines removed.

Sec. 8. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 7, subdivision 7, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. Chester Woods State Trail 2,500,000

To complete construction and paving of phase one of the Chester Woods State Trail from the city of Rochester to Chester Woods Park in Olmsted County. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds in this subdivision are available until December 31, 2026.

Sec. 9. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 7, subdivision 9, is amended to read:

Subd. 9. Glendalough State Park 750,000

To predesign, design, and construct a Visitor and Trail Center in Glendalough State Park. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2023.

Sec. 10. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 7, subdivision 11, is amended to read:

Subd. 11. **Mill Towns State Trail** 500,000

For acquisition ~~and~~ design, and construction of the Mill Towns State Trail between the cities of Faribault and Waterford. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2026.

Sec. 11. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 7, subdivision 18, is amended to read:

Subd. 18. **St. Louis and Lake Counties Regional Railroad Authority - Mesabi Trail** 1,138,000

For a grant to the St. Louis and Lake Counties Regional Railroad Authority to continue construction of the Mesabi Trail, starting near Whalston Road and going toward the city of Tower for approximately ~~4.5~~ 2.0 miles. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2026.

Sec. 12. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 16, subdivision 14, is amended to read:

Subd. 14. **Wadena - U.S. Highway 10 Environmental Cleanup** 5,000,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city of Wadena for environmental analysis and environmental cleanup and construction of storm water drainage within the marked U.S. Highway 10 corridor in the city of Wadena. Notwithstanding Minnesota

Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2026.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.

Sec. 13. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 17, subdivision 7, as amended by Laws 2019, chapter 2, article 2, section 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. White Bear Lake Trail and Route

4,000,000

(a) To the Metropolitan Council for grants to complete design and construction of a multiuse paved trail and route for pedestrians, bicycles, and wheelchairs around White Bear Lake in Ramsey and Washington Counties.

(b) \$2,600,000 of this appropriation is for a grant to Ramsey County to design and construct trail improvements, consistent with the completed preliminary engineering, along South Shore Boulevard between White Bear Avenue and marked Trunk Highway 120 and to pave an existing dirt path within the Ramsey County Beach and Water Park from the entrance to the park at Highway 96 to the northeast edge of the park.

(c) \$1,400,000 of this appropriation is for a grant to the city of Mahtomedi to design, construct, and equip elements of the trail and route along or proximate to Birchwood Road, Wildwood Beach Road, and on or in the proximity of Briarwood Road, consistent with the completed preliminary engineering, and final design and specification, subject to approval of the commissioner of transportation with regard to elements of the trail and route that are within or adjacent to the right-of-way of marked Trunk Highway 244.

(d) Up to \$70,000 of the amount remaining after substantial completion of the project described in paragraph (c) is for a grant to the city of Birchwood Village to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip a Lake Links Trail segment extending through the

city of Birchwood Village and connecting to Lakes Links Trail segments in adjacent communities to complete a loop around White Bear Lake.

(e) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for these projects are available until December 31, 2024.

Sec. 14. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 18, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. Regional Behavioral Health Crisis Facility Grants

28,100,000

To the commissioner of human services for behavioral health crisis program facilities grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 245G.011. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this appropriation are available until December 31, 2024.

Sec. 15. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 21, subdivision 17, is amended to read:

Subd. 17. Minneapolis - American Indian Center

5,000,000

From the general fund in fiscal year 2019 for a grant to the Minneapolis American Indian Center to design, construct, furnish, and equip the renovation and expansion of the center on Franklin Avenue. This project includes: demolition work; improvements and additions to, or replacement of, the mechanical, electrical, plumbing, heating, ventilating, and air conditioning systems; repairs to the existing roof and exterior enclosure; required site improvements; general renovation of interior spaces; and expansion of the cafe space, the event spaces, and the performance spaces. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2024.

Sec. 16. Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, section 21, subdivision 29, as amended by Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 5, section 34, is amended to read:

**Subd. 29. Wabasha - National Eagle Center and
Wabasha Riverfront Revitalization**

8,000,000

(a) \$1,500,000 of this appropriation is for a grant to the city of Wabasha to predesign the renovation and expansion of the National Eagle Center in order to expand program and exhibit space, and increase aviary space for eagles, and to design and construct improvements to the riverfront in Wabasha for infrastructure, large vessel landing areas and docks, and public access and program areas.

(b) \$2,500,000 of this appropriation is for a grant to the city of Wabasha to acquire land, design, renovate, construct, furnish, and equip the National Eagle Center in order to expand the program space, gift shop, and exhibit space, and increase aviary space for eagles. If the acquisition of land, design, renovation, construction, furnishing, and equipping of the National Eagle Center expansion of its program space, gift shop, exhibit space, and aviary space is complete, the City of Wabasha may use any remaining money from this appropriation toward the renovation of the historical buildings on Main Street.

(c) \$4,000,000 of this appropriation is for a grant to the city of Wabasha to predesign, design, construct, renovate, furnish, and equip the new auditorium, expansion of the Preston Cook Exhibit, and final renovation of the historical buildings on Main Street.

(d) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for the projects described in paragraphs (a) to (c) are available until December 31, 2026.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.

Sec. 17. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 7, subdivision 12, is amended to read:

Subd. 12. Heartland State Trail; Detroit Lakes to Frazee Segment 2,000,000

For land acquisition, final engineering, ~~and design, and construction~~ of the proposed Heartland State Trail between its current terminus at Becker County CSAH 10 and Trunk Highway 87 in Frazee, and for the construction of a trail bridge over Becker County CSAH 10.

Sec. 18. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 7, subdivision 24, is amended to read:

Subd. 24. ~~Scott County~~ McMahan Lake Improvement District; McMahan Lake Flood Mitigation 600,000

For the state share of a flood hazard mitigation grant to ~~Scott County~~ the McMahan Lake Improvement District for publicly owned capital improvements to prevent or alleviate flood damage on McMahan Lake under Minnesota Statutes, section 103F.161, subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695.

Sec. 19. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 15, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

Subd. 6. Edina; South Metro Public Safety Training Facility 1,000,000

For a grant to the city of Edina to predesign, design, construct, expand, renovate, furnish, and equip a tactical training building at the South Metro Public Safety Training Facility to provide year-round flexible space for different training scenarios. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2027.

Sec. 20. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 16, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

**Subd. 4. Anoka County; Marked U.S. Highway
10/169**

8,400,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to Anoka County for environmental analysis, preliminary engineering, ~~and~~ final design, and construction for the interchanges on marked U.S. Highway 10/169 at County State-Aid Highway 56 (Ramsey Boulevard) and County State-Aid Highway 57 (Sunfish Lake Boulevard) and the associated railroad grade separations, frontage roads, backage roads, and connecting local streets to support the U.S. Highway 10/169 improvements in the city of Ramsey.

Sec. 21. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 16, subdivision 11, is amended to read:

**Subd. 11. Ramsey County; I-35E and County Road
J Interchange**

1,500,000

From the bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to Ramsey County to complete the preliminary engineering ~~and~~, environmental analysis, and final design for a full access interchange on County Road J at Interstate Highway 35E and associated improvements on County Road J supporting the interchange from Centerville Road to Otter Lake Road in the cities of North Oaks and Lino Lakes and White Bear Township.

Sec. 22. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 16, subdivision 26, is amended to read:

**Subd. 26. Rochester International Airport Runway
and Associated Improvements**

11,400,000

(a) The following appropriations are for one or more grants to the city of Rochester for improvements to the Rochester International Airport. If any of these appropriations for a specified phase is not needed to complete that phase, the unexpended and

unencumbered amount may be applied to another phase of the Rochester Airport project for which an appropriation is made in this subdivision. Each appropriation for a phase is available when the commissioner of management and budget determines that an amount sufficient to complete that phase is committed to the project.

(b) \$2,900,000 is appropriated for Phase 2, for property acquisition; site mitigation; petroleum pipeline relocation and all associated predesign and design at the Rochester International Airport.

(c) \$460,000 is appropriated for Phase 3, for relocation of 31st Ave. SW and 90th Street; utility relocation; grading and drainage improvements; to modify airport fencing and all associated predesign and design at the Rochester International Airport.

(d) \$1,000,000 is appropriated for Phase 4, for removal of taxiways; reconstruction of the southern portion of Runway 2 and adjacent Taxiway B including paved shoulders; installation of lighting and signage and all associated predesign and design at the Rochester International Airport.

(e) \$1,270,000 is appropriated for Phase 5, to modify airport fencing; construct an extension of Runway 2 and Taxiway B including paved shoulders; construct paved shoulders on the remaining portion of Runway 2 located south of the runway-runway intersection; acquisition and installation of navigational aids; installation of lighting and signage and all associated predesign and design at the Rochester International Airport.

(f) \$3,670,000 is appropriated for Phase 6, to demolish and reconstruct a portion of Taxiway B including paved shoulders; to reposition navigational aids; acquire and install instrument approach improvements; for grading and drainage improvements;

installation of lighting and signage and all associated predesign and design at the Rochester International Airport.

(g) \$2,100,000 is appropriated for Phase 7, to reconstruct taxiway and runway intersections; to remove Taxiways A6, E, F, G and a portion of Runway 20; to reconstruct Taxiway D; for grading and drainage improvements; installation of lighting and signage and all associated predesign and design at the Rochester International Airport.

(h) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for the projects described in paragraphs (a) to (g) are available until December 31, 2028.

Sec. 23. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 17, subdivision 7, is amended to read:

Subd. 7. Dakota County; Veterans Memorial Greenway

5,000,000

For a grant to Dakota County ~~to construct improvements~~ for the acquisition of land and right-of-way, design, engineering, and construction for the Veterans Memorial Greenway, including pedestrian safety-related improvements, memorials, a community gathering space, and a new trail connection between Lebanon Hills Regional Park and the Mississippi River.

Sec. 24. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 20, subdivision 11, is amended to read:

Subd. 11. Prairie Lake Youth JPB; School and Recreation Center

2,500,000

For a grant to the Prairie Lake Youth Joint Powers Board to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip an indoor recreation and educational building adjoining the current building for the Prairie Lakes Youth Program. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond

proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2027.

Sec. 25. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 21, subdivision 46, is amended to read:

**Subd. 46. Western Lake Superior Sanitary District;
Engine Generators**

6,750,000

For a grant to the Sanitary Board of the Western Lake Superior Sanitary District to design and construct engine generators as part of the combined heat and power system to capture and process heat and generate electricity for use at the Western Lake Superior Sanitary District wastewater treatment facilities. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and appropriation of bond proceeds for this project are available until December 31, 2026.

Sec. 26. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 21, subdivision 48, is amended to read:

Subd. 48. Wright County; Dental Care Facility

1,400,000

For a grant to Wright County to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip a dental care facility. The dental care facility will be constructed ~~in~~ within a building ~~constructed for this purpose by the county~~ on the Wright County Government Center campus in the city of Buffalo. The county may enter into an agreement under Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695, for operation of the dental clinic.

Sec. 27. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 22, subdivision 33, as amended by Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 9, section 42, is amended to read:

Subd. 33. Vernon Center; Water Infrastructure Improvements

7,984,000

For a grant to the city of Vernon Center to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and equip ~~water and wastewater treatment facilities,~~ water distribution, sanitary sewer, and storm water collection systems, and related local road improvements.

Sec. 28. Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 3, section 2, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. Hmong American Farmers Association

2,000,000

(a) For a grant to the Hmong American Farmers Association to purchase approximately 155 acres in Dakota County that the association has leased since 2014, including buildings and improvements on the property.

(b) Upon completion of the purchase of the 155 acres in Dakota County, any unspent portion of this appropriation remaining, after written notice to the commissioner of management and budget, is available to purchase additional farmland. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, this appropriation is available until December 31, 2026.

(c) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, a municipality, county, or the state shall not take or condemn land purchased pursuant to this subdivision without the express consent of the property owner.

Sec. 29. Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 14, article 11, section 42, is amended to read:

Sec. 42. APPROPRIATION; MEAT PROCESSING BUSINESSES IN REDEVELOPMENT AREA.

Of an appropriation in fiscal year 2022 for the targeted community capital project grant program under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.9924, the commissioner of employment and economic development must grant \$6,000,000 to the city of South St. Paul for ~~one or more grants to any a grant to a business engaged in the meat processing industry and currently conducting operations in a building or buildings constructed on or before January 1, 1947, and located in a city of the second class that was designated as a redevelopment area by the United States Department of Commerce under the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965, Public Law 89-136, title IV, section 401(a)(4) the city of South St. Paul. This appropriation includes:~~ The grant proceeds may be used for one or more of the following: site acquisition costs; relocation costs; predesign; design; sewer, water, and stormwater infrastructure; site preparation; engineering; and the cost of improvements to real property locally zoned to allow a meat processing land use that are incurred by any qualified business under this section. A grantee under this section must work in consultation with a local government unit with jurisdiction over the area where the property is located on activities funded by the grant. This is a onetime appropriation. A grant issued under this section is not subject to the grant requirements under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.9924.

Sec. 30. **CONVEYANCE AUTHORIZED; TWO HARBORS.**

Subdivision 1. **Conveyance authorized.** (a) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.695, 16B.281 to 16B.287, 92.45, 94.09, and 94.10, any state law, administrative rule, or commissioner's order to the contrary, and the appropriation of state general obligation bond proceeds in Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, section 7, subdivision 24, to the commissioner of natural resources, the parcels described in subdivision 2 may be conveyed for no consideration to the city of Two Harbors for outdoor recreation facilities. The commissioner may convey the parcels described in subdivision 2 subject to the state's reservation of an access easement if the commissioner determines that reservation of an access easement is necessary or beneficial for access to any state-owned or state-administered property. Notwithstanding any provision of this section to the contrary, the real property shall continue to be considered state bond-financed property after the conveyance of the real property to the city of Two Harbors and until all the requirements are satisfied for the real property to no longer be considered state bond-financed property. The city of Two Harbors must operate the state bond-financed property in compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695, all applicable state and federal laws, and in a manner that will not cause the interest on the state general obligation bonds to be subject to federal income taxation for any reason.

(b) The conveyance shall be in a form approved by the attorney general. The attorney general may make changes to the legal description to correct errors and ensure accuracy.

(c) The commissioner of natural resources has determined that the parcels are no longer needed for any state purpose and that the state's interests would best be served if the parcels were conveyed to the city of Two Harbors.

Subd. 2. **Parcels.** The two parcels of property conveyed in subdivision 1 are as follows:

(1) that part of Government Lot 1, Section 1, Township 52 North, Range 11 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, Lake County, Minnesota, lying southerly and easterly of the following described lines: commencing at the center east 1/16 corner; thence along the North-South 1/16 line on an assumed bearing of North 00 degrees 46 minutes 07 seconds East 144.23 feet; thence North 67 degrees 30 minutes 43 seconds West 385.00 feet; thence North 22 degrees 29 minutes 17 seconds East 24.00 feet; thence South 67 degrees 30 minutes 43 seconds East 385.00 feet; thence easterly a distance of 232.90 feet along a tangential curve concave to the North having a radius of 611.85 feet and central angle of 21 degrees 48 minutes 36 seconds; thence South 89 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds East 1,015.67 feet; thence South 00 degrees 40 minutes 41 seconds West 35.00 feet; thence South 89 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds East 73.08 feet to the east line of said Government Lot 1 and the point of beginning of said line; thence North 89 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds West 877.08 feet; thence North 00 degrees 40 minutes 41 seconds East 11.00 feet; thence North 89 degrees 19 minutes 19 seconds West 28.86 feet; thence South 00 degrees 51 minutes 25 seconds West 19.82 feet to a 3/4-inch by 24-inch rebar marked "MN DNR LS 16098" (DNR monument); thence continuing South 00 degrees 51 minutes 25 seconds West 484.06 feet to a DNR monument; thence continuing South 00 degrees 51 minutes 25 seconds West 78 feet, more or less to the shore of Lake Superior and there terminating; containing 14.5 acres, more or less (parcel identification number 23-7600-01415); and

(2) that part of Government Lot 3, Section 6, Township 52 North, Range 10 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, described as follows: commencing at the West Quarter corner of said Section 6 (northwest corner of said Government Lot 3); thence North 88 degrees 43 minutes 09 seconds East along the north line of said Government Lot 3 a distance of 485.19 feet; thence South 00 degrees 20 minutes 34 seconds East a distance of 16 feet, more or less, to the south line of the northerly 16 feet of said Government Lot 3, being the point of beginning of the parcel described herein; thence

continuing South 00 degrees 20 minutes 34 seconds East a distance of 584 feet, more or less, to a line lying within 600 feet and South of the North boundary of said Government Lot 3; thence westerly, along said line, to the west line of said Government Lot 3; thence northerly, along the west line of the said Government Lot 3 to the south line of the northerly 16 feet of said Government Lot 3; thence easterly along the south line of the northerly 16 feet of said Government Lot 3 to the point of beginning; except minerals (parcel identification number 23-7600-06605).

Sec. 31. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This article is effective the day following final enactment."

Delete the title and insert:

"A bill for an act relating to capital investment; authorizing spending to acquire and better public land and buildings and for other improvements of a capital nature with certain conditions; establishing new programs and modifying existing programs; modifying prior appropriations; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds; requiring reports; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 16A.966, subdivision 2; 116J.417, subdivision 2; 134.45, subdivision 5; 174.38, subdivisions 1, 3; Laws 2018, chapter 214, article 1, sections 7, subdivisions 7, 9, 11, 18; 16, subdivision 14; 17, subdivision 7, as amended; 18, subdivision 5; 21, subdivisions 17, 29, as amended; Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, sections 7, subdivisions 12, 24; 15, subdivision 6; 16, subdivisions 4, 11, 26; 17, subdivision 7; 20, subdivision 11; 21, subdivisions 46, 48; 22, subdivision 33, as amended; article 3, section 2, subdivision 2; Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 14, article 11, section 42; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 116J; 446A."

And when so amended the bill do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Amendments adopted. Report adopted.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

S.F. Nos. 749 and 439 were read the second time.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

H.F. Nos. 56, 16, and 30 were read the second time.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

The following bills were read the first time.

Senator Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2048: A bill for an act relating to health; expanding third-party transport of medical cannabis; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 152.29, subdivision 3a.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Duckworth, Jasinski, Hoffman, Seeberger, and Carlson introduced--

S.F. No. 2049: A bill for an act relating to public safety; expanding eligibility for public safety officer survivor benefits; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 299A.41, subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senators Boldon, Mitchell, and Mohamed introduced--

S.F. No. 2050: A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for a grant to the Minnesota Alliance of Boys and Girls Clubs.

Referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Senators Boldon, Westlin, and Port introduced--

S.F. No. 2051: A bill for an act relating to lobbying; expanding lobbying provisions to include all political subdivisions; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 10A.01, subdivision 21; 10A.04, subdivisions 4, 6; 10A.05; 10A.06; 10A.071, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senators Boldon, Mann, Morrison, Klein, and Murphy introduced--

S.F. No. 2052: A bill for an act relating to health; requiring the commissioner of health to award grants to health care entities for staff training on self-defense and de-escalation, infrastructure improvements, and IT system improvements; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Boldon and Nelson introduced--

S.F. No. 2053: A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money for persons experiencing homelessness in Olmsted County.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Kupec and Utke introduced--

S.F. No. 2054: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for capital improvements to the Washington Ballfield and Grandstand; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Champion and Oumou Verbeten introduced--

S.F. No. 2055: A bill for an act relating to public safety; establishing the Clean Slate Act; providing for an automatic expungement process for certain offenders; modifying the waiting periods for expungements that require a petition; amending the offenses that are eligible for expungement; modifying the records received and retained by the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension; requiring

creation of a database; classifying data; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 13.871, subdivision 14; 152.18, subdivision 1; 299C.10, subdivision 1; 299C.111; 299C.17; 609A.01; 609A.02, subdivision 3; 609A.03, subdivisions 5, 7a, 9; 611A.03, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 299C; 609A.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senators Howe and Carlson introduced--

S.F. No. 2056: A bill for an act relating to transportation; establishing a work zone safety pilot program; providing for civil penalties; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Kupec and Utke introduced--

S.F. No. 2057: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a new hospital in the city of Mahanomen; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Weber, Frenz, Kupec, Hoffman, and Kunesh introduced--

S.F. No. 2058: A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for career and technical education consortium grants; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 124D.

Referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Senators Frenz, Latz, Limmer, Mathews, and Pappas introduced--

S.F. No. 2059: A bill for an act relating to public safety; appropriating money for prosecutorial and law enforcement training.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senator Seeberger introduced--

S.F. No. 2060: A bill for an act relating to transportation; appropriating money for street and infrastructure construction between East Point Douglas Road and Washington County State-Aid Highway 19 in the city of Cottage Grove.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senator Seeberger introduced--

S.F. No. 2061: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for street and infrastructure construction between East Point Douglas Road and Washington County State-Aid Highway 19 in the city of Cottage Grove; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Kunesh, Hawj, Abeler, Marty, and Dibble introduced--

S.F. No. 2062: A bill for an act relating to game and fish; prohibiting open season for taking wolves; increasing criminal penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 84.027, subdivision 20; 97A.075, subdivision 7; 97A.451, subdivision 3; 97A.473, subdivisions 3, 5, 5a; 97A.475, subdivisions 2, 3, 20; 97A.485, subdivision 6; 97B.031, subdivisions 1, 2; 97B.035, subdivision 1a; 97B.075; 97B.601, subdivisions 3a, 4; 97B.603; 97B.605; 97B.645, subdivision 9; 97B.648; 97B.901; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 97B.647.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 2063: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for scientific and natural areas.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senators Kupec and Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 2064: A bill for an act relating to insurance; appropriating money for the marketing and reduction of stop loss costs of an agricultural cooperative association health plan.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2065: A bill for an act relating to taxation; authorizing the city of Richfield to impose a local sales and use tax for specified projects.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Pappas introduced--

S.F. No. 2066: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money to renovate The Wellstone Center in the city of St. Paul.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2067: A bill for an act relating to human services; directing commissioner of human services to establish a prescription drug purchasing program; specifying program authority and eligibility requirements; requiring a report; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256B.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senator Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 2068: A bill for an act relating to water; reestablishing Advisory Council on Water Supply Systems and Wastewater Treatment Facilities; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 115.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator Kreun introduced--

S.F. No. 2069: A bill for an act relating to crime; modifying crime of computer theft to include copies of data; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 609.87, by adding a subdivision; 609.89, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senators Dziejic and Mohamed introduced--

S.F. No. 2070: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the new Cedar Riverside Recreation Center; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Johnson introduced--

S.F. No. 2071: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the construction of an airport runway in Karlstad.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senator Johnson introduced--

S.F. No. 2072: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; extending levy authority for the Northwest Minnesota Multi-County Housing and Redevelopment Authority.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Johnson introduced--

S.F. No. 2073: A bill for an act relating to local taxes; authorizing the city of East Grand Forks to impose a local sales and use tax.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Johnson introduced--

S.F. No. 2074: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a grant to Care and Share of Crookston.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Fateh introduced--

S.F. No. 2075: A bill for an act relating to higher education; providing funding and policy related changes for the Office of Higher Education, Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, the University of Minnesota, and the Mayo Clinic; creating and modifying certain scholarships and student aid programs; creating a direct admissions program; requiring reports; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 136A.101, subdivisions 5a, 7; 136A.121, subdivisions 6, 9, 13; 136A.1241, subdivision 5; 136A.125, subdivision 4; 136A.126, subdivision 4; 136A.1312; 136A.1796; 136A.246, subdivisions 5, 6, 8; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 135A; 136A.

Referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

Senators Kunesh and Lucero introduced--

S.F. No. 2076: A bill for an act relating to homeowners' associations; modifying provisions governing attorney fees and assessments; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 515B.3-102; 515B.3-115; 515B.3-1151; 515B.3-116; 582.01, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senators Mathews and Wesenberg introduced--

S.F. No. 2077: A bill for an act relating to state government; requiring the attorney general to reimburse legal costs of Mille Lacs County.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans.

Senators Wesenberg and Mathews introduced--

S.F. No. 2078: A bill for an act relating to taxation; aids to local governments; providing supplemental county program aid payment in 2024.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Marty introduced--

S.F. No. 2079: A bill for an act relating to health care; modifying prompt payment requirements to health care providers; prohibiting discrimination against providers based on geographic location; modifying managed care organization's claims and payments to health care providers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 62Q.735, subdivision 2; 62Q.736; 62Q.75, subdivisions 2, 3, 4; 256B.0625, subdivision 31; 256B.69, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62K.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senator Limmer introduced--

S.F. No. 2080: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; establishing the affordable housing tax capacity reduction program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 276.04, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 273.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Gustafson, Kunesh, Hoffman, and Abeler introduced--

S.F. No. 2081: A bill for an act relating to libraries; establishing a Ramsey County Library Advisory Board; establishing an Anoka County Library Advisory Board; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 134.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans.

Senators Hoffman, Abeler, and Fateh introduced--

S.F. No. 2082: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for improvement and renovation of a building for Isuroon in the city of Minneapolis.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Hoffman, Abeler, and Fateh introduced--

S.F. No. 2083: A bill for an act relating to economic development; appropriating money for Isuroon to staff a crisis nursery.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Development.

Senators Kupec, Rarick, Hoffman, Abeler, and Fateh introduced--

S.F. No. 2084: A bill for an act relating to higher education; appropriating money for a grant to Minnesota Independence College and Community for student scholarships and other specified purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

Senator Kupec introduced--

S.F. No. 2085: A bill for an act relating to workforce development; appropriating money to MICC for workforce development services for adults with autism and learning differences.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Development.

Senator Murphy introduced--

S.F. No. 2086: A bill for an act relating to economic development; appropriating money for the Center for Rural Policy and Development.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Development.

Senator Murphy introduced--

S.F. No. 2087: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; appropriating money for grants to the Center for Rural Policy and Development.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Broadband, and Rural Development.

Senators Abeler, Gustafson, Hoffman, Klein, and Hauschild introduced--

S.F. No. 2088: A bill for an act relating to health and human services; allowing counties to provide in-house training for certain training and technical assistance programs; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256.01, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Abeler and Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 2089: A bill for an act relating to capital improvements; modifying an appropriation for road improvements; amending Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 16, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Morrison, Abeler, and Mann introduced--

S.F. No. 2090: A bill for an act relating to health; appropriating money to the commissioner of health for the fetal alcohol spectrum disorders prevention grants.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senator Koran introduced--

S.F. No. 2091: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for renovation of the Chisago County household hazardous waste facility; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Koran introduced--

S.F. No. 2092: A bill for an act relating to elections; prohibiting local governments from accepting certain contributions for election expenses; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 204B.32, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senator Koran introduced--

S.F. No. 2093: A bill for an act relating to elections; repealing authorization of absentee ballot drop boxes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 203B.08, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 203B.082.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senator Koran introduced--

S.F. No. 2094: A bill for an act relating to elections; classifying data in the statewide voter registration system; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 13.607, by adding a subdivision; 201.022, by adding a subdivision; 201.091, subdivisions 4, 4a, by adding a subdivision; 203B.12,

subdivisions 7, 8; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 13.607, subdivision 6; 201.091, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senator Koran introduced--

S.F. No. 2095: A bill for an act relating to elections; establishing a complaint process for certain election law violations; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 200.04, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senators Dibble, Boldon, Morrison, Kupec, and Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2096: A bill for an act relating to health care; exempting medications for the prevention or treatment of HIV from medical assistance and MinnesotaCare co-payments; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 256B.0631, subdivision 1; 256L.03, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senator Cwodziński introduced--

S.F. No. 2097: A bill for an act relating to early childhood programs; appropriating money for the ParentChild+ program.

Referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Senators Marty and Fateh introduced--

S.F. No. 2098: A bill for an act relating to state finances; providing for a process to refund the state stadium bonds; reducing capital improvement expenses for the city of Minneapolis; repealing the stadium general reserve account; making conforming changes; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 16A.726; 297A.994, subdivision 4; 473J.13, subdivisions 2, 4.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senators Jasinski, Dibble, Lang, Coleman, and Morrison introduced--

S.F. No. 2099: A bill for an act relating to transportation; driver and vehicle services; establishing full-service providers; allowing full-service providers to provide copies of certain driver and vehicle records; increasing filing fees for driver's license applications; eliminating requirement for new Minnesota residents to take written driver's license exam; modifying provisions regarding access to driver and vehicle services information system; making various changes to driver and vehicle services procedures; requiring a report; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 168.002, by adding a subdivision; 168.327, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, by adding a subdivision; 168.345, subdivision 2; 169.09, subdivision 13, by adding a subdivision; 171.01, by adding a subdivision; 171.06, by adding a subdivision; 171.061, subdivision 4; 171.0705, by adding a subdivision; 171.12, subdivision 1a; 171.13, subdivisions 1, 1a; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 171; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 168.345, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senator Jasinski introduced--

S.F. No. 2100: A bill for an act relating to transportation; requiring the advice and consent of the senate for the director of Division of Driver and Vehicle Services in the Department of Public Safety; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 168.325, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senator Mathews introduced--

S.F. No. 2101: A bill for an act relating to consumer protection; prohibiting certain social media algorithms that target children; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 325F.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senator Miller introduced--

S.F. No. 2102: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Mississippi Riverfront Trail in the city of Winona; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Miller and Jasinski introduced--

S.F. No. 2103: A bill for an act relating to human services; authorizing a supplementary services rate for mental health facilities in Winona County and Steele County; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256I.05, by adding subdivisions.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Dahms and Frenz introduced--

S.F. No. 2104: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a gravity sewer flow system and other infrastructure in New Ulm; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Boldon and Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2105: A bill for an act relating to health; specifying coverage for hearing aids; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62Q.675.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Boldon and Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2106: A bill for an act relating to health; adding biological fathers' eligibility to request Minnesota Fathers' Adoption Registry search; adding putative father and legal father to the classification of data on the father's adoption registry; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 259.52, subdivisions 2, 4.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senator Carlson introduced--

S.F. No. 2107: A bill for an act relating to campaign finance; modifying certain economic interest statement provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 10A.01, subdivision 5; 10A.09, subdivision 5, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senators Boldon and Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2108: A bill for an act relating to health; changing provisions for federal compliance for over-the-counter hearing aids; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 148.512, subdivisions 10a, 10b, by adding subdivisions; 148.513, subdivision 2a; 148.515, subdivision 6; 148.5175; 148.5195, subdivision 3; 148.5196, subdivision 1; 148.5197; 148.5198; 153A.13, subdivisions 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, by adding subdivisions; 153A.14, subdivisions 1, 2, 2h, 2i, 2j, 4, 4a, 4b, 4c, 4e, 6, 9, 11; 153A.15, subdivisions 1, 2, 4; 153A.17; 153A.175; 153A.18; 153A.20; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 153A.14, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Hauschild, Farnsworth, and Eichorn introduced--

S.F. No. 2109: A bill for an act relating to Iron Range resources and rehabilitation; providing for separation and retention incentive programs.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Development.

Senators Hauschild and Farnsworth introduced--

S.F. No. 2110: A bill for an act relating to minerals; creating a Giants Ridge account; providing for use of funds; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 298.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Development.

Senators Hauschild, Hawj, and Morrison introduced--

S.F. No. 2111: A bill for an act relating to state lands; modifying requirements for conveying easements and leasing state lands; adding to and deleting from state parks, forests, and waysides; authorizing sale and exchange of certain state lands; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 84.63; 84.631; 84.632; 84.66, subdivision 7; 92.502; 282.04, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 282.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senators Boldon and Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2112: A bill for an act relating to health; adding a definition of replacement for vital records; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 144.212, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senator Xiong introduced--

S.F. No. 2113: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a facility assessment and conceptual design of an expansion of the East Metro Public Safety Training Facility in the city of Maplewood.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Hawj introduced--

S.F. No. 2114: A bill for an act relating to arts and cultural heritage; requiring a report from agencies receiving arts and cultural heritage funding; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 129D.17, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator Hawj introduced--

S.F. No. 2115: A bill for an act relating to legacy; appropriating money to maintain dedicated funding website.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator Hawj introduced--

S.F. No. 2116: A bill for an act relating to game and fish; modifying issuance of big-game license after conviction; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 97A.421, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator Kunesh introduced--

S.F. No. 2117: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a White Earth Area Health and Wellness Center in the city of Mahnomon.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Lang, Mitchell, Jasinski, Anderson, and Murphy introduced--

S.F. No. 2118: A bill for an act relating to veterans; appropriating money for veterans service organizations.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans.

Senators Farnsworth, Eichorn, Hauschild, Hoffman, and Abeler introduced--

S.F. No. 2119: A bill for an act relating to mining; improving coordination, effectiveness, transparency, and accountability of environmental review and permitting process for metallic mineral mining projects; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 93.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senators Farnsworth, Abeler, Housley, Carlson, and Kreun introduced--

S.F. No. 2120: A bill for an act relating to public safety; appropriating money for police officer skills training and provider program grants.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senators Carlson and Koran introduced--

S.F. No. 2121: A bill for an act relating to lobbyists; modifying lobbyist registration and reporting; creating definitions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 10A.01, subdivision 21, by adding subdivisions; 10A.025, subdivision 4; 10A.03, subdivision 2, by adding a subdivision; 10A.04, subdivisions 3, 4, 6, 9; repealing Minnesota Rules, part 4511.0600, subpart 5.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senators Boldon and Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2122: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying provisions for hospital physical environment; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 144.55, subdivision 3; 144.6535, subdivisions 1, 2, 4; repealing Minnesota Rules, parts 4640.1500; 4640.1600; 4640.1700; 4640.1800; 4640.1900; 4640.2000; 4640.2100; 4640.2200; 4640.2300; 4640.2400; 4640.2500; 4640.2600; 4640.2700; 4640.2800; 4640.2900; 4640.3000; 4640.3100; 4640.3200; 4640.3300; 4640.3400; 4640.3500; 4640.3600; 4640.3700; 4640.3800; 4640.3900; 4640.4000; 4640.4100; 4640.4200; 4640.4300; 4640.6100; 4640.6200; 4640.6300; 4640.6400; 4645.0300; 4645.0400; 4645.0500; 4645.0600; 4645.0700; 4645.0800; 4645.0900; 4645.1000; 4645.1100; 4645.1200; 4645.1300; 4645.1400; 4645.1500; 4645.1600; 4645.1700; 4645.1800; 4645.1900; 4645.2000; 4645.2100; 4645.2200; 4645.2300; 4645.2400; 4645.2500; 4645.2600; 4645.2700; 4645.2800; 4645.2900; 4645.3000; 4645.3100; 4645.3200; 4645.3300; 4645.3400; 4645.3500; 4645.3600; 4645.3700; 4645.3800; 4645.3805; 4645.3900; 4645.4000; 4645.4100; 4645.4200; 4645.4300; 4645.4400; 4645.4500; 4645.4600; 4645.4700; 4645.4800; 4645.4900; 4645.5100; 4645.5200.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Champion, Utke, and Kupec introduced--

S.F. No. 2123: A bill for an act relating to health; prohibiting the sale or offer for sale of flavored products; authorizing penalties; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 461.12, subdivision 2; 461.19; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 461.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Rest, Klein, Nelson, and Weber introduced--

S.F. No. 2124: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; expanding the sales tax exemption for certain capital equipment purchases; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 297A.68, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Rasmusson introduced--

S.F. No. 2125: A bill for an act relating to taxation; individual income; modifying tax rates; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 290.06, subdivisions 2c, 2d.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Howe introduced--

S.F. No. 2126: A bill for an act relating to public safety; modifying the permit to carry application and renewal process; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 624.714, subdivision 3.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senator Rasmusson introduced--

S.F. No. 2127: A bill for an act relating to local taxes; modifying the local sales and use tax for the city of Fergus Falls; amending Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 14, article 8, section 6, subdivisions 2, 3.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Putnam introduced--

S.F. No. 2128: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; modifying restricted species provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 17.457.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Broadband, and Rural Development.

Senator Green introduced--

S.F. No. 2129: A bill for an act relating to animal health; modifying qualifications for certain board members; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 35.02, subdivision 2, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Broadband, and Rural Development.

Senator Green introduced--

S.F. No. 2130: A bill for an act relating to game and fish; requiring annual open season for wolves; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 97B.645, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator Green introduced--

S.F. No. 2131: A bill for an act relating to environment; appropriating money to demolish and remediate abandoned Williams School building.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senators Coleman, Lang, Utke, Rarick, and Jasinski introduced--

S.F. No. 2132: A bill for an act relating to transportation; authorizing the use of ground lights on motorcycles to increase visibility at night; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 169.56, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Coleman, Lang, and Jasinski introduced--

S.F. No. 2133: A bill for an act relating to transportation; renaming the Division of Driver and Vehicle Services within the Department of Public Safety; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 168.325, subdivision 1; 171.168, subdivision 1; 171.3215, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Gustafson, Housley, Hauschild, Carlson, and Coleman introduced--

S.F. No. 2134: A bill for an act relating to transportation; authorizing teleconference driver education; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 171.05, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 171; repealing Minnesota Rules, parts 7411.0530; 7411.0535.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Dibble, Hawj, Kunesh, McEwen, and Morrison introduced--

S.F. No. 2135: A bill for an act relating to environment; clarifying that Pollution Control Agency has authority to regulate greenhouse gas emissions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 116.06, by adding a subdivision; 116.07, subdivisions 2, 4, 4a.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2136: A bill for an act relating to health; modifying provisions for Tribal medical cannabis program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 152.22, by adding subdivisions; 152.29, by adding a subdivision; 152.30; 152.32; 152.33, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 152.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Gustafson, Hauschild, Putnam, Mitchell, and Farnsworth introduced--

S.F. No. 2137: A bill for an act relating to public safety; appropriating money to the Department of Corrections for additional correctional officers and increased salaries.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senators Kreun, Abeler, Housley, Limmer, and Latz introduced--

S.F. No. 2138: A bill for an act relating to public safety; providing the same weight threshold and penalty for fentanyl as is for heroin; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 152.01, by

adding a subdivision; 152.021, subdivisions 1, 2; 152.022, subdivisions 1, 2; 152.023, subdivision 2; 152.025, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senators Morrison, Mann, and Abeler introduced--

S.F. No. 2139: A bill for an act relating to behavioral health; establishing the Task Force on Pregnancy Health and Substance Use Disorders; requiring reports; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Human Services.

Senators Seeberger, Frentz, and Howe introduced--

S.F. No. 2140: A bill for an act relating to retirement; Public Employees Retirement Association; permitting the transfer of service credit from the general employees retirement plan to the police and fire retirement plan for two employees of the Metropolitan Airports Commission.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans.

Senators Mitchell, Hoffman, Pratt, and Port introduced--

S.F. No. 2141: A bill for an act relating to human services; directing the commissioner of human services to study and make recommendations for paperwork reduction relating to child protection cases; requiring a report.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Mann, Port, and Fateh introduced--

S.F. No. 2142: A bill for an act relating to health; increasing application and renewal fees for opiate drug wholesalers; establishing an opiate product fee for certain opiate drug wholesalers; eliminating the sunset for opioid fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 151.065, subdivisions 1, 3, 7; 151.066, subdivisions 3, 4; 151.47, subdivision 1a; 256.043, subdivision 1; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256.043, subdivision 4.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Mann and Latz introduced--

S.F. No. 2143: A bill for an act relating to taxes; sales and use; providing a refundable sales tax exemption for construction materials for the renovation of Fire Station No. 2 in the city of Edina; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Hoffman, Maye Quade, Fateh, Mann, and Abeler introduced--

S.F. No. 2144: A bill for an act relating to elections; appropriating money for grants to improve access to polling places.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senators Hoffman, Abeler, Xiong, Kupec, and Mohamed introduced--

S.F. No. 2145: A bill for an act relating to health; clarifying terms for certain members of the Palliative Care Advisory Council; eliminating the sunset on the Palliative Care Advisory Council; requiring a report; appropriating money; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 144.059, subdivision 10.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Abeler, Mohamed, Hoffman, Maye Quade, and Fateh introduced--

S.F. No. 2146: A bill for an act relating to health; establishing an addiction and recovery office in the Department of Health; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

Referred to the Committee on Human Services.

Senators Oumou Verbeten, Kunesh, and Cwodziński introduced--

S.F. No. 2147: A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for the Sanneh Foundation.

Referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Senators Oumou Verbeten, Pappas, Hawj, and Marty introduced--

S.F. No. 2148: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for an animal care campus.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Oumou Verbeten, Hauschild, Cwodziński, and Kunesh introduced--

S.F. No. 2149: A bill for an act relating to education; modifying after-school community learning programs; requiring a report; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 124D.2211.

Referred to the Committee on Education Policy.

Senators Oumou Verbeten, Pappas, Seeberger, and Carlson introduced--

S.F. No. 2150: A bill for an act relating to public safety; providing for more comprehensive use of the Criminal and Juvenile Justice Information Advisory Group in its review of Bureau of Criminal Apprehension issues; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 299C.46, subdivision 1; 299C.65, subdivisions 1a, 3a.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senators Kreun and Lieske introduced--

S.F. No. 2151: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; establishing an Air Medal special veterans license plate; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 168.123, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Mann, Wiklund, and Morrison introduced--

S.F. No. 2152: A bill for an act relating to health; appropriating money for local public health emergency preparedness and response capabilities.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Mann and Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2153: A bill for an act relating to health; repealing all-payer claims database sunset; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62U.04, subdivision 11.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Kupec, Johnson, Kunesh, Rarick, and Putnam introduced--

S.F. No. 2154: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; establishing a program to provide grants to prevent wolf-livestock conflict; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Broadband, and Rural Development.

Senators Rarick, Kunesh, Putnam, and Duckworth introduced--

S.F. No. 2155: A bill for an act relating to higher education; appropriating money for a grant to Teach for America.

Referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

Senators Murphy and Dibble introduced--

S.F. No. 2156: A bill for an act relating to state purchasing; requiring the establishment of global warming impact standards for certain construction materials used in state buildings and roads; integrating those global warming standards into the procurement process; establishing pilot programs to report greenhouse gas emissions from the manufacture of certain products; establishing a grant program; establishing a technical advisory committee; requiring reports; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16B.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator Xiong introduced--

S.F. No. 2157: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for planning and design of a grade separated interchange at Trunk Highway 36 and Trunk Highway 120.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Gustafson and Putnam introduced--

S.F. No. 2158: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; establishing a farm-to-school program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 17.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Broadband, and Rural Development.

Senators Fateh and Xiong introduced--

S.F. No. 2159: A bill for an act relating to metropolitan government; clarifying application of environmental review statutes to regional and local comprehensive land use planning; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 473.145; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 473.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans.

Senators Morrison and Marty introduced--

S.F. No. 2160: A bill for an act relating to taxation; revenue recapture; disallowing claims from certain hospitals and ambulance services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 270A.03, subdivision 2; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 270A.04, subdivision 5.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Champion introduced--

S.F. No. 2161: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a grant to The Camden Social.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Champion introduced--

S.F. No. 2162: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a grant to Turning Point.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Champion introduced--

S.F. No. 2163: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Northside Epicenter.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Hauschild, Murphy, and McEwen introduced--

S.F. No. 2164: A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money for state employee salaries in the event of nonappropriation; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 16A.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans.

Senator Dibble introduced--

S.F. No. 2165: A bill for an act relating to Hennepin County; dissolving the Municipal Building Commission; authorizing the transfer of property, assets, and obligations of the Municipal Building Commission to the city of Minneapolis; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 383B.75; 383B.751; 383B.752; 383B.753; 383B.754.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans.

Senator Xiong introduced--

S.F. No. 2166: A bill for an act relating to energy; authorizing natural gas utilities to sell extraordinary event bonds under certain circumstances; establishing an account; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 216B.

Referred to the Committee on Energy, Utilities, Environment, and Climate.

Senators Duckworth and Gustafson introduced--

S.F. No. 2167: A bill for an act relating to education; establishing a tutoring grant program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 124D.

Referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Senator Frentz introduced--

S.F. No. 2168: A bill for an act relating to insurance; regulating certain coverage exclusions; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 60A.

Referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Protection.

Senators Seeberger, Westrom, Putnam, Hauschild, and Kupec introduced--

S.F. No. 2169: A bill for an act relating to broadband; modifying the border-to-border broadband grant program; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 116J.395, subdivision 7.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Broadband, and Rural Development.

Senators Wesenberg, Eichorn, and Farnsworth introduced--

S.F. No. 2170: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for Northwoods Regional ATV Trail System.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator Rest introduced--

S.F. No. 2171: A bill for an act relating to metropolitan government; providing for redistricting of the Metropolitan Council districts; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 473.123, by adding a subdivision; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 473.123, subdivision 3e.

Referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senators Dornink and Lucero introduced--

S.F. No. 2172: A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; establishing a senior citizens' property tax credit; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 273.1393; 275.065, subdivision 3; 276.04, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 273.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Dornink and Lucero introduced--

S.F. No. 2173: A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article VII, section 1; allowing agricultural land, nonhomesteaded, noncommercial real property owners, and small business property owners to vote on bonding and property tax questions where the property is located; providing implementing language; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 204B.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Dornink and Lucero introduced--

S.F. No. 2174: A bill for an act relating to education; prohibiting certain material in school libraries; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 134.31, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Education Policy.

Senators Dornink and Lucero introduced--

S.F. No. 2175: A bill for an act relating to public safety; establishing the crime of unauthorized possession of a catalytic converter; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 609.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senator Dornink introduced--

S.F. No. 2176: A bill for an act relating to taxation; dedicating a portion of local government aid to create a loan program to renovate rural municipal water treatment facilities; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 477A.013, subdivisions 8, 9; 477A.03, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 446A.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Kupec introduced--

S.F. No. 2177: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; providing an exemption for construction materials for certain projects in the city of Moorhead; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 297A.71, subdivision 52.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Howe introduced--

S.F. No. 2178: A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; amending the surcharge on all-electric vehicles; imposing surcharges on plug-in hybrid electric vehicles, electric motorcycles, and plug-in hybrid electric motorcycles; defining types of electric motorcycles; requiring surcharge rate adjustment; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 168.013, subdivision 1m, by adding subdivisions; 169.011, by adding subdivisions.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Howe and Duckworth introduced--

S.F. No. 2179: A bill for an act relating to education; prohibiting admission fees at public school events; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 123B.

Referred to the Committee on Education Policy.

Senators Fateh, McEwen, Oumou Verbeten, Pappas, and Dibble introduced--

S.F. No. 2180: A bill for an act relating to transportation; appropriating money for a feasibility study of a highway-to-boulevard conversion of marked Interstate Highway 94.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Senators Howe, Mitchell, Jasinski, Cwodzinski, and Lang introduced--

S.F. No. 2181: A bill for an act relating to veterans; appropriating money for the Minnesota Military and Veterans Museum.

Referred to the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans.

Senators Coleman, Housley, Pratt, Rasmusson, and Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 2182: A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; expanding the exemption for certain baby products; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 297A.67, subdivision 9.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Limmer introduced--

S.F. No. 2183: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for improvements to Greenfield Road in the city of Greenfield; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Bahr introduced--

S.F. No. 2184: A bill for an act relating to taxation; providing special tax increment financing authority to the city of Ramsey; amending Laws 2021, First Special Session chapter 14, article 9, section 10.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senators Nelson and Miller introduced--

S.F. No. 2185: A bill for an act relating to economic development; appropriating money for rural economic development technical assistance grants.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Development.

Senators Gustafson, Seeberger, and Draheim introduced--

S.F. No. 2186: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; adding an additional qualifying expenditure to the livestock investment grant program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 17.118, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Broadband, and Rural Development.

Senator McEwen introduced--

S.F. No. 2187: A bill for an act relating to economic development; establishing an accessibility for the arts and cultural economy capital grant program; requiring a report; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Development.

Senator McEwen introduced--

S.F. No. 2188: A bill for an act relating to greenhouse gas emissions; amending the state greenhouse gas emissions reduction goals; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 216H.02, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senators McEwen and Hauschild introduced--

S.F. No. 2189: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for capital improvements at the Duluth International Airport; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator McEwen introduced--

S.F. No. 2190: A bill for an act relating to clean water; appropriating money for the reinvest in Minnesota reserve program.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator McEwen introduced--

S.F. No. 2191: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money to develop a statewide drinking water safety action plan; requiring a report.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator McEwen introduced--

S.F. No. 2192: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money to protect lakes and acquire forest lands in upper Mississippi River basin; requiring a report.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senators McEwen and Hauschild introduced--

S.F. No. 2193: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; extending availability of an appropriation; appropriating money for improvements to secondary clarifiers in the Western Lake Superior Sanitary District; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds; amending Laws 2020, Fifth Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 21, subdivision 46.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Klein introduced--

S.F. No. 2194: A bill for an act relating to arts and cultural heritage; appropriating money to the Dakota County Historical Society for the Lawshe Memorial Museum.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator Klein introduced--

S.F. No. 2195: A bill for an act relating to air quality; prohibiting emission of objectionable odors; requiring testing based on odor complaints; requiring odor-management plans under certain circumstances; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator Draheim introduced--

S.F. No. 2196: A bill for an act relating to taxation; income and corporate franchise; establishing a tax credit for employer-provided child care expenses; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 290.

Referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Senator Kunesh introduced--

S.F. No. 2197: A bill for an act relating to human services; modifying the medical assistance payment rate for a dually certified organization serving American Indians and Alaska Natives; providing a grant to the Indian Health Board; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256B.0625, subdivisions 30, 34.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senator Port introduced--

S.F. No. 2198: A bill for an act relating to public safety; appropriating money for the replacement of fire department radios in the city of Savage.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senator Port introduced--

S.F. No. 2199: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for turf replacement and drainage improvements at the Savage Sports Center.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senator Port introduced--

S.F. No. 2200: A bill for an act relating to economic development; appropriating money to WomenVenture to establish a business expansion program for women food entrepreneurs.

Referred to the Committee on Jobs and Economic Development.

Senators Dibble and Port introduced--

S.F. No. 2201: A bill for an act relating to energy; requiring energy guidelines for state buildings to incorporate provisions that address resiliency with respect to climate change; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 16B.325, subdivision 2.

Referred to the Committee on Energy, Utilities, Environment, and Climate.

Senator Port introduced--

S.F. No. 2202: A bill for an act relating to public safety; appropriating money for permanent fencing around the Savage Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety.

Senators Hoffman and Abeler introduced--

S.F. No. 2203: A bill for an act relating to education; establishing a fund to promote healthy environments for learning and teaching; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Senator Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 2204: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; establishing Minnesota Swan Protection Act; allowing designation of swan resting areas; providing criminal penalties; requiring rulemaking; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 97A.015, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 97A; 97B.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senator Hoffman introduced--

S.F. No. 2205: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; increasing per diems for certain boards, councils, and commissions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 85.536, subdivision 2; 85A.01, subdivision 1; 89A.03, subdivision 5; 97A.056, subdivision 2; 103B.101, subdivision 2; 114D.30, subdivision 4; 116C.03, subdivision 2a; 116P.05, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senators Hoffman, Eichorn, Lang, Hawj, and Hauschild introduced--

S.F. No. 2206: A bill for an act relating to natural resources; appropriating money for shooting sports facility grants.

Referred to the Committee on Environment, Climate, and Legacy.

Senators Hoffman, Bahr, Gustafson, Kunesh, and Abeler introduced--

S.F. No. 2207: A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for an interchange project on East River Road at marked Trunk Highway 610 in the city of Coon Rapids; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Kreun, Gustafson, Hoffman, Abeler, and Kunesh introduced--

S.F. No. 2208: A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money to the Minnesota Amateur Sports Commission to support upgrades to the roof of the ice arena complex at the National Sports Center.

Referred to the Committee on Capital Investment.

Senators Dibble, Oumou Verbeten, Marty, Murphy, and Frentz introduced--

S.F. No. 2209: A bill for an act relating to health care; clarifying that health plans must cover gender-affirming care; clarifying that medical assistance covers gender-affirming care; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256B.0625, subdivision 3a; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Wiklund and Mann introduced--

S.F. No. 2210: A bill for an act relating to health; changing health care capital expenditure notification and reporting; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 62J.17, subdivision 5a.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Wiklund and Mann introduced--

S.F. No. 2211: A bill for an act relating to health; adding use of electronic identity verification for vital records; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 144.212, by adding a subdivision; 144.225, by adding a subdivision.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senator Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2212: A bill for an act relating to health; changing provisions in vital records for stillbirths; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 144.2151; 144.222.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Boldon and Wiklund introduced--

S.F. No. 2213: A bill for an act relating to human services; adding definition for medical assistance room and board rate; modifying eligible grant fund uses; creating a cultural and ethnic minority infrastructure grant program; creating mental health grant programs; creating a transition from homelessness program; creating a housing supports for adults with serious mental illness program; modifying the definition of supportive housing; modifying application requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 245.4661, subdivision 9; 245.469, subdivision 3; 256.478, by adding subdivisions; 256B.056, by adding a subdivision; 256B.0622, subdivision 8; 256B.0946, subdivision 6; 256B.0947, subdivision 7a; 256D.02, by adding a subdivision; 256D.07; 256I.03, subdivision 15, by adding a subdivision; 256I.04, subdivision 2; 256I.06, subdivision 3; 256I.09; 256J.08, subdivision 21; 256J.09, subdivision 3; 256J.95, subdivision 5; 256P.01, by adding a subdivision; 256P.04, by adding a subdivision; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 245; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 256I.03, subdivision 6.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Boldon, Port, Housley, Draheim, and Dzedzic introduced--

S.F. No. 2214: A bill for an act relating to housing; establishing a homeownership investment grants program; requiring reports; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Housing and Homelessness Prevention.

Senators Boldon, Wiklund, Kupec, and Hauschild introduced--

S.F. No. 2215: A bill for an act relating to health and human services; modifying the child care assistance program; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 119B.011, subdivisions 2, 5, 13; 119B.09, subdivision 1; 119B.12, subdivision 1; 119B.13, subdivision 1.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Senators Mann, Seeberger, and Fateh introduced--

S.F. No. 2216: A bill for an act relating to employment; prohibiting restrictive franchise agreements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 177.27, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 181.

Referred to the Committee on Labor.

Senators Abeler, Hoffman, Gustafson, and Kupec introduced--

S.F. No. 2217: A bill for an act relating to higher education; establishing a scholarship program for Minnesota State High School Mathematics League students; appropriating money.

Referred to the Committee on Higher Education.

Senator Kupec introduced--

S.F. No. 2218: A bill for an act relating to agriculture; establishing the grain indemnity account; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 223.17, subdivisions 7, 7a; 223.175; 223.19; 232.22, subdivision 5; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 223; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 223.17, subdivisions 4, 8; 232.22, subdivisions 4, 6, 6a, 7.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Broadband, and Rural Development.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Senator Rest moved that her name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 9. The motion prevailed.

Senator McEwen moved that the name of Senator Boldon be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 30. The motion prevailed.

Senator Rarick moved that the names of Senators Draheim, Mathews, and Frenz be added as co-authors to S.F. No. 116. The motion prevailed.

Senator Howe moved that the name of Senator Duckworth be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 138. The motion prevailed.

Senator Nelson moved that her name be stricken as a co-author to S.F. No. 173. The motion prevailed.

Senator Draheim moved that the name of Senator Rasmusson be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 234. The motion prevailed.

Senator Coleman moved that the name of Senator Hoffman be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 279. The motion prevailed.

Senator Champion moved that the name of Senator Oumou Verbeten be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 528. The motion prevailed.

Senator Maye Quade moved that the name of Senator Marty be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 579. The motion prevailed.

Senator Boldon moved that the name of Senator Mann be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 610. The motion prevailed.

Senator Kunesh moved that the name of Senator Mann be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 620. The motion prevailed.

Senator Morrison moved that the name of Senator Limmer be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 670. The motion prevailed.

Senator Dibble moved that the name of Senator Kunesh be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 672. The motion prevailed.

Senator Pappas moved that the name of Senator Rest be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 689. The motion prevailed.

Senator Hawj moved that the name of Senator Jasinski be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 718. The motion prevailed.

Senator Mann moved that the name of Senator Morrison be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 868. The motion prevailed.

Senator Morrison moved that the name of Senator Mann be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 911. The motion prevailed.

Senator Gustafson moved that the name of Senator Housley be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 921. The motion prevailed.

Senator Jasinski moved that the name of Senator Nelson be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 968. The motion prevailed.

Senator Morrison moved that the name of Senator Boldon be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1029. The motion prevailed.

Senator Hauschild moved that the name of Senator Gustafson be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1080. The motion prevailed.

Senator Frentz moved that the name of Senator Rest be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1096. The motion prevailed.

Senator Dibble moved that the name of Senator Duckworth be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1136. The motion prevailed.

Senator Morrison moved that the name of Senator Mann be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1174. The motion prevailed.

Senator Putnam moved that the name of Senator Duckworth be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1240. The motion prevailed.

Senator Cwodzinski moved that the name of Senator Mann be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1270. The motion prevailed.

Senator Pappas moved that the name of Senator Rasmusson be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1393. The motion prevailed.

Senator McEwen moved that the name of Senator Mann be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1416. The motion prevailed.

Senator Rasmusson moved that the name of Senator Draheim be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1422. The motion prevailed.

Senator Boldon moved that her name be stricken as chief author, shown as a co-author, and the name of Senator Westlin be added as chief author to S.F. No. 1434. The motion prevailed.

Senator Kunesh moved that the name of Senator McEwen be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1573. The motion prevailed.

Senator Fateh moved that the name of Senator Maye Quade be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1637. The motion prevailed.

Senator Johnson moved that his name be stricken as chief author, shown as a co-author, and the name of Senator Lang be added as chief author to S.F. No. 1711. The motion prevailed.

Senator Lang moved that the name of Senator Draheim be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1711. The motion prevailed.

Senator Gustafson moved that the name of Senator Oumou Verbeten be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1727. The motion prevailed.

Senator Murphy moved that the name of Senator McEwen be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1744. The motion prevailed.

Senator Putnam moved that the name of Senator Seeberger be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1749. The motion prevailed.

Senator Dibble moved that the name of Senator Mitchell be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1839. The motion prevailed.

Senator McEwen moved that the name of Senator Mitchell be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1903. The motion prevailed.

Senator Frenz moved that the name of Senator Mitchell be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1904. The motion prevailed.

Senator Maye Quade moved that the name of Senator Nelson be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1925. The motion prevailed.

Senator Dibble moved that the name of Senator Kunesh be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1944. The motion prevailed.

Senator Dibble moved that the name of Senator Nelson be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1959. The motion prevailed.

Senator Champion moved that the name of Senator Mitchell be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1981. The motion prevailed.

Senator Frentz moved that the name of Senator Boldon be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 1984. The motion prevailed.

Senator Port moved that the name of Senator Maye Quade be added as a co-author to S.F. No. 2003. The motion prevailed.

Senator Port moved that her name be stricken as chief author, shown as a co-author, and the name of Senator Rest be added as chief author to S.F. No. 1372. The motion prevailed.

Senator Hawj moved that S.F. No. 1336, No. 24 on General Orders, be stricken and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety. The motion prevailed.

Senator Hauschild moved that S.F. No. 1632 be withdrawn from the Committee on Labor and re-referred to the Committee on Education Policy. The motion prevailed.

Senator Fateh moved that S.F. No. 1697 be withdrawn from the Committee on Education Policy and re-referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services. The motion prevailed.

Senator Dahms moved that S.F. No. 1729 be withdrawn from the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans and re-referred to the Committee on Taxes. The motion prevailed.

Senator Murphy moved that S.F. No. 1815 be withdrawn from the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans and re-referred to the Committee on Taxes. The motion prevailed.

Senator Putnam moved that S.F. No. 1955 be withdrawn from the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans and re-referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Broadband, and Rural Development. The motion prevailed.

Senator Oumou Verbeten moved that S.F. No. 1213 be withdrawn from the Committee on State and Local Government and Veterans, given a second reading, and placed on General Orders. The motion prevailed.

S.F. No. 1213 was read the second time.

Senator Carlson moved that S.F. No. 1338 be withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety, given a second reading, and placed on General Orders. The motion prevailed.

S.F. No. 1338 was read the second time.

Senator Lieske moved that S.F. No. 1499 be withdrawn from the Committee on Taxes, given a second reading, and placed on General Orders.

The question was taken on the adoption of the motion.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 32 and nays 34, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler	Dahms	Duckworth	Housley	Koran
Anderson	Dornink	Farnsworth	Howe	Kreun
Bahr	Draheim	Green	Jasinski	Lang
Coleman	Drazkowski	Gruenhagen	Johnson	Lieske

Limmer
Lucero
Mathews

Miller
Nelson
Pratt

Rarick
Rasmusson
Utke

Weber
Wesenberg
Westrom

Those who voted in the negative were:

Boldon
Carlson
Champion
Cwodzinski
Dibble
Dziedzic
Fateh

Frentz
Gustafson
Hauschild
Hawj
Hoffman
Klein
Kunesh

Kupec
Latz
Mann
Marty
Maye Quade
McEwen
Mitchell

Mohamed
Morrison
Murphy
Oumou Verbeten
Pappas
Pha
Port

Putnam
Rest
Seeberger
Westlin
Wiklund
Xiong

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Boldon cast the negative vote on behalf of the following Senator:
Pha.

The motion did not prevail.

SPECIAL ORDERS

Pursuant to Rule 26, Senator Dziedzic, Chair of the Committee on Rules and Administration, designated the following bills a Special Orders Calendar to be heard immediately:

S.F. No. 667 and H.F. No. 213.

SPECIAL ORDER

S.F. No. 667: A bill for an act relating to children; making changes to the Minnesota Indian Family Preservation Act; amending Minnesota Statutes 2022, sections 260.753; 260.755, subdivisions 1a, 3, 20, 22, by adding subdivisions; 260.761; 260.7611; 260.762; 260.765, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, by adding subdivisions; 260.771; 260.781; 260.785, subdivision 2; 260.791; 260.795, subdivision 1; 260.805; 260.821, subdivision 2; 260.835, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 260; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 260.755, subdivision 17.

Senator Kunesh moved to amend S.F. No. 667 as follows:

Page 3, line 1, strike ", according to section 260.762"

Page 5, line 22, delete "serious"

Page 9, line 6, after "telephone" insert "or video conference"

Page 9, line 15, after "Tribe" insert ", the Indian child's parents, or the Indian custodian"

Page 9, line 17, delete "child's Indian" and insert "Indian child's"

Page 10, line 4, strike everything after "manner"

Page 10, line 5, strike everything before the period

Page 10, line 6, strike "ten" and insert "20"

Page 11, line 23, after "agencies" insert "and individual petitioners"

Page 11, line 24, after "agency" insert "or individual petitioner"

Page 12, line 29, strike "the Indian"

Page 12, line 30, strike everything before the second "section"

Page 16, line 32, before "parent" insert "child's"

Page 19, line 13, strike "by"

Page 19, line 14, strike everything before the fourth comma and insert "in section 260.755, subdivision 3"

Page 20, line 8, strike "custody" and insert "placement"

Page 20, lines 23 and 24, delete "proceedings" and insert "proceeding"

Page 21, line 1, strike "custody" and insert "placement"

Page 25, lines 18 and 19, after "parent" insert "or Indian custodian"

The question was taken on the adoption of the amendment.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 62 and nays 0, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler	Duckworth	Johnson	McEwen	Rasmusson
Anderson	Dziedzic	Klein	Miller	Rest
Bahr	Farnsworth	Koran	Mitchell	Seeberger
Boldon	Fateh	Kunesh	Mohamed	Utke
Carlson	Frentz	Kupec	Morrison	Weber
Champion	Green	Lang	Murphy	Wesenberg
Coleman	Gruenhagen	Latz	Oumou Verbeten	Westlin
Cwodzinski	Gustafson	Lieske	Pappas	Westrom
Dahms	Hauschild	Lucero	Pha	Wiklund
Dibble	Hawj	Mann	Port	Xiong
Dornink	Hoffman	Marty	Pratt	
Draheim	Housley	Mathews	Putnam	
Drazkowski	Jasinski	Maye Quade	Rarick	

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Boldon cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senator: Pha.

The motion prevailed. So the amendment was adopted.

S.F. No. 667 was read the third time, as amended, and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill, as amended.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 66 and nays 1, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler	Eichorn	Klein	McEwen	Rasmusson
Anderson	Farnsworth	Koran	Miller	Rest
Bahr	Fateh	Kreun	Mitchell	Seeberger
Boldon	Frentz	Kunesh	Mohamed	Utke
Carlson	Green	Kupec	Morrison	Weber
Champion	Gruenhagen	Lang	Murphy	Wesenberg
Coleman	Gustafson	Latz	Nelson	Westlin
Cwodzinski	Hauschild	Lieske	Oumou Verbeten	Westrom
Dahms	Hawj	Limmer	Pappas	Wiklund
Dibble	Hoffman	Lucero	Pha	Xiong
Dornink	Housley	Mann	Port	
Draheim	Howe	Marty	Pratt	
Duckworth	Jasinski	Mathews	Putnam	
Dziedzic	Johnson	Maye Quade	Rarick	

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Boldon cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senator: Pha.

Those who voted in the negative were:

Drazkowski

So the bill, as amended, was passed and its title was agreed to.

SPECIAL ORDER

H.F. No. 213: A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money for food shelf programs.

H.F. No. 213 was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

The question was taken on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called, and there were yeas 60 and nays 7, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Abeler	Dziedzic	Johnson	Maye Quade	Pratt
Anderson	Eichorn	Klein	McEwen	Putnam
Boldon	Farnsworth	Koran	Miller	Rarick
Carlson	Fateh	Kreun	Mitchell	Rasmusson
Champion	Frentz	Kunesh	Mohamed	Rest
Coleman	Gruenhagen	Kupec	Morrison	Seeberger
Cwodzinski	Gustafson	Lang	Murphy	Utke
Dahms	Hauschild	Latz	Nelson	Weber
Dibble	Hawj	Limmer	Oumou Verbeten	Westlin
Dornink	Hoffman	Mann	Pappas	Westrom
Draheim	Housley	Marty	Pha	Wiklund
Duckworth	Jasinski	Mathews	Port	Xiong

Pursuant to Rule 40, Senator Boldon cast the affirmative vote on behalf of the following Senator: Pha.

Those who voted in the negative were:

Bahr	Green	Lieske	Wesenberg
Drazkowski	Howe	Lucero	

So the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Senator Housley was excused from the Session of today from 11:00 to 11:30 a.m. Senator Eichorn was excused from the Session of today from 11:00 to 11:45 a.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Dziezic moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 1, 2023. The motion prevailed.

Thomas S. Bottern, Secretary of the Senate

