Lucero, Newberger and Garofalo introduced:

H. F. No. 1400, A bill for an act relating to energy; abolishing prohibition on issuing certificate of need for new nuclear power plant; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 216B.243, subdivision 3b.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Erickson introduced:

H. F. No. 1401, A bill for an act relating to education; requiring school districts to unseal expunged criminal records for prospective teachers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 122A.18, subdivision 8; 123B.03, subdivisions 1, 1a; 609A.03, subdivision 7a.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

Erickson introduced:

H. F. No. 1402, A bill for an act relating to education; modifying certain school calendar provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 120A.40.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

Erickson and Theis introduced:

H. F. No. 1403, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; allowing a person age 90 or older to take deer without a license; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 97A.451, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Mining and Outdoor Recreation Policy.
Dehn, R., introduced:

H. F. No. 1404, A bill for an act relating to prisoners with mental illness; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 641.15, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Crime Prevention Policy and Finance.

Metsa introduced:

H. F. No. 1405, A bill for an act relating to employment; appropriating money for employment support services to persons with mental illness.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Hackbarth introduced:

H. F. No. 1406, A bill for an act relating to natural resources; modifying certain authorities; extending expiration of citizen oversight committees; providing for compliance with federal law; modifying enforcement provisions; modifying provisions to take, possess, and transport wild animals; providing for certain licenses; modifying landowner's bill of rights; providing criminal penalties; requiring rulemaking; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 84.027, subdivision 13a; 84.0274, subdivisions 3, 5; 84D.03, subdivision 3; 97A.045, subdivision 11; 97A.055, subdivision 4b; 97A.057, subdivision 1; 97A.211, subdivisions 1, 2; 97A.255, subdivision 4; 97A.425, subdivisions 1, 2; 97A.435, subdivision 4; 97A.475, subdivision 21, by adding a subdivision; 97B.001, subdivision 7; 97B.081, subdivision 3; 97B.085, subdivision 2; 97B.668; 97B.701, by adding a subdivision; 97B.905, subdivision 1; 97B.931, subdivision 2; 97C.005, subdivision 3; 97C.301, by adding a subdivision; 97C.345, by adding a subdivision; 97C.501, subdivision 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 97A; 97B; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 97A.475, subdivision 25; 97B.905, subdivision 3; Minnesota Rules, part 6264.0400, subparts 27, 28.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Mining and Outdoor Recreation Policy.

Hackbarth introduced:

H. F. No. 1407, A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; providing that wine produced by a farm winery is an agricultural product for property tax classification purposes; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 273.13, subdivision 23.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Policy.

O'Driscoll, Hoppe and Atkins introduced:

H. F. No. 1408, A bill for an act relating to construction codes; modifying water conditioning installation requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 326B.50, subdivisions 3, 4, by adding subdivisions; 326B.55; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 326B.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.
Mullery introduced:

H. F. No. 1409, A bill for an act relating to education; appropriating money for the Northside Achievement Zone program.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Dill, Fabian, Anzelc, Lueck, Persell and Kiel introduced:

H. F. No. 1410, A bill for an act relating to taxation; Sustainable Forest Incentive Act; transferring powers from the commissioner of revenue to the commissioner of natural resources; providing rules for transfer of ownership; providing additional eligibility, certification, and notification requirements; making clarifying changes; repealing obsolete provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 290C.01; 290C.02, subdivisions 1, 2, 3, 4, 7; 290C.03; 290C.05; 290C.08; 290C.09; 290C.10; 290C.11; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 290C; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 290C.02, subdivisions 5, 9; 290C.06.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Hornstein introduced:

H. F. No. 1411, A bill for an act relating to metropolitan government; establishing a task force to study and make recommendations on metropolitan governance.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Hornstein introduced:

H. F. No. 1412, A bill for an act relating to environment; modifying electronic waste management provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 115A.1310, subdivisions 4, 7, 14, 15, 20, by adding subdivisions; 115A.1312; 115A.1314; 115A.1316; 115A.1318; 115A.1320; 115A.1322; 115A.1323; 115A.1328; 115A.9565; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 115A.1310, subdivisions 8, 12.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Johnson, C., and Considine introduced:

H. F. No. 1413, A bill for an act relating to taxation; sales and use; modifying the local sales tax authorities for the cities of Mankato and North Mankato; amending Laws 1991, chapter 291, article 8, section 27, subdivisions 3, as amended, 4, as amended, 5, 6; Laws 2008, chapter 366, article 7, section 20.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Hancock and Miller introduced:

H. F. No. 1414, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for veterans homes in Montevideo and Bemidji; allowing for nonstate contributions; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Government Finance.
Torkelson introduced:

H. F. No. 1415, A bill for an act relating to transportation; modifying particular use access to certain roadways; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 160.18, subdivision 3.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Policy.

Smith, O'Neill, Albright, Baker, Applebaum and Rosenthal introduced:

H. F. No. 1416, A bill for an act relating to economic development; reducing the unemployment insurance employer tax rate under certain conditions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 268.035, subdivision 24; 268.051, subdivision 2, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Kahn; Murphy, E.; Hornstein and Freiberg introduced:

H. F. No. 1417, A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money for African culture, heritage, and arts grants through the Minnesota Humanities Center.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Legacy Funding Finance.

Murphy, M.; Carlson; Clark; Metsa; Murphy, E., and Dehn, R., introduced:


The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Garofalo, O'Neill and Pelowski introduced:

H. F. No. 1419, A bill for an act relating to employment; eliminating the minimum wage inflation escalator; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 177.24, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Metsa, Melin, Newberger and Simonson introduced:

H. F. No. 1420, A bill for an act relating to energy; providing factors to be considered in approving solar photovoltaic modules for a public utility solar project; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Veterans Affairs Division.
Swedzinski introduced:

H. F. No. 1421, A bill for an act relating to energy; allowing inclusion of supply-side savings in meeting conservation improvement goals; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 216B.241, subdivisions 1, 1c, 10.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Swedzinski introduced:

H. F. No. 1422, A bill for an act relating to transportation; providing that bus driver is not subject to seat belt fines arising out of violations by certain passengers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 169.686, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Policy and Finance.

Petersburg; Anderson, M.; Anderson, S.; Koznick; Simonson and Isaacson introduced:

H. F. No. 1423, A bill for an act relating to taxes; motor fuels and sales and use; exempting special fuels for certain off-road uses; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 296A.16, subdivision 2; 297A.68, subdivision 19.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Policy and Finance.

McNamara and Marquart introduced:

H. F. No. 1424, A bill for an act relating to employment; modifying prevailing hours of labor requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 177.42, subdivision 4.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Greater Minnesota Economic and Workforce Development Policy.

Daniels; Norton; Bly; Zerwas; Barrett; Franson; Rosenthal; Anderson, P.; Isaacson; Applebaum; Smith; Simonson and Fenton introduced:

H. F. No. 1425, A bill for an act relating to employment; creating a pilot program to provide, repair, and maintain motor vehicles for commuting to work; appropriating money.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Isaacson, Gunther, O’Neill, Schomacker, Mahoney, Barrett, Swedzinski, Heintzeman and Lien introduced:

H. F. No. 1426, A bill for an act relating to workforce development; economic development; providing for customized training for skilled manufacturing industries; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116L.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education Policy and Finance.
Daniels introduced:

H. F. No. 1427, A bill for an act relating to local government; changing the meeting requirement for the District 1 Hospital Board; amending Laws 1963, chapter 118, section 4, as amended.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Moran, Barrett, Davnie, Nornes and Urdahl introduced:

H. F. No. 1428, A bill for an act relating to education; qualifying certain homeless children for early educational services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 125A.02, subdivision 1a.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

Dill introduced:

H. F. No. 1429, A bill for an act relating to state lands; providing for public and private sales of certain state land.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Mining and Outdoor Recreation Policy.

Dill introduced:

H. F. No. 1430, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the International Wolf Center in Ely; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Swedzinski introduced:

H. F. No. 1431, A bill for an act relating to education; creating choice scholarships for students who have dropped out of high school; authorizing rulemaking; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 124D.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

Green, Scott, Sundin, Cornish and Schoen introduced:

H. F. No. 1432, A bill for an act relating to public safety; requiring the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension to do background checks at the request of Indian tribes; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 299C.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Crime Prevention Policy and Finance.
Hilstrom and Cornish introduced:

H. F. No. 1433, A bill for an act relating to public safety; prohibiting the creation of a video record in restrooms, locker rooms, and changing rooms; requiring predatory offender registration; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 243.166, subdivision 1b; 609.746, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Crime Prevention Policy and Finance.

Anderson, M.; Dill; Cornish; Metsa; Swedzinski; Rarick; Anzelc; Fabian; Gunther; Baker; Franson; Newberger; Scott; Albright; Nash; Howe; Drazkowski; Gruenhagen; Lucero; Johnson, B.; Schomacker; Loonan and Poppe introduced:

H. F. No. 1434, A bill for an act relating to firearms; repealing prohibitions on the possession and use of suppressors; requiring chief law enforcement officers to complete federal certifications relating to suppressors in a timely manner; providing for an appeal process for denial of certification; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 97B.031, subdivision 4; 609.66, subdivision 1a, by adding a subdivision; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 609.66, subdivision 1h.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Crime Prevention Policy and Finance.

Anzelc introduced:

H. F. No. 1435, A bill for an act relating to capital investment; appropriating money for renovation of the Itasca Recreation Association Civic Center in Grand Rapids; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Quam; Drazkowski; Wills; Newberger; Johnson, B.; Anderson, M.; Erickson and Gruenhagen introduced:

H. F. No. 1436, A bill for an act relating to education; establishing basic needs revenue; reserving revenue for essential uses identified by school boards; providing limited-term relief from state mandates.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Hamilton introduced:

H. F. No. 1437, A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money for agriculture, animal health, and agricultural utilization research; providing retail food establishment and food handler license fees; making policy and technical changes to various agricultural related provisions, including provisions related to pesticide control, plant protection, nursery law, seeds, food handlers, food, farmland, farming, and loans; establishing the farm opportunity loan program; modifying fees and surcharges; creating accounts; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 13.643, subdivision 1; 18B.01, subdivisions 28, 29; 18B.32, subdivision 1; 18B.33, subdivision 1; 18B.34, subdivision 1; 18C.425, subdivision 6; 18G.10, subdivisions 3, 4, 5; 18H.02, subdivision 20, by adding subdivisions; 18H.06, subdivision 2; 18H.07, 21.81, by adding subdivisions; 21.82, subdivisions 2, 4; 21.85, subdivision 2, by adding a subdivision; 21.89, subdivision 2; 21.891, subdivisions 2,
The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Finance.

Hamilton and Schomacker introduced:

H. F. No. 1438, A bill for an act relating to economic development; Lewis and Clark Regional Water System Project; modifying debt service aid formula and reinstating local taxing authority; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 469.194, subdivision 1; 477A.20; Laws 2014, chapter 308, article 7, section 7.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Greater Minnesota Economic and Workforce Development Policy.

Loeffler introduced:

H. F. No. 1439, A bill for an act relating to human services; increasing medical assistance reimbursement rate for critical access mental health services; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 256B.763.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Finance.

Schultz, Loeffler, Liebling and Zerwas introduced:

H. F. No. 1440, A bill for an act relating to insurance; expanding health insurance coverage for hearing aids; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 62Q.675.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Loeffler introduced:

H. F. No. 1441, A bill for an act relating to human services; providing for a rate increase for certain providers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 256B.0625, subdivision 38; 256B.763.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Howe introduced:

H. F. No. 1442, A bill for an act relating to clean water; appropriating money for a grant for water treatment equipment.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Legacy Funding Finance.
Mack, Zerwas, Liebling and Loeffler introduced:

H. F. No. 1443, A bill for an act relating to human services; simplifying the treatment of income for public assistance programs; simplifying requirements for reporting income and changes and for correcting overpayments and underpayments; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 119B.011, subdivision 15; 119B.025, subdivision 1; 119B.035, subdivision 4; 119B.09, subdivision 4; 256D.01, subdivision 1a; 256D.02, subdivision 8, by adding a subdivision; 256D.06, subdivision 1; 256D.07, subdivision 3; 256I.03, subdivision 7, by adding a subdivision; 256I.04, subdivision 1; 256I.06, subdivision 6; 256J.08, subdivisions 26, 86; 256J.30, subdivisions 1, 9; 256J.40; 256J.95, subdivision 19; 256P.001; 256P.01, subdivision 3, by adding subdividerions; 256P.02, by adding a subdivision; 256P.03, subdivision 1; 256P.04, subdivisions 1, 4; 256P.05, subdivision 1; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256P; repealing Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 256D.0513; 256J.38; Minnesota Rules, part 3400.0170, subparts 5, 6, 12, 13.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Davnie, Halverson, Bernardy and Kresha introduced:

H. F. No. 1444, A bill for an act relating to education; directing the Board of Teaching to adopt standards for an endorsement enabling licensed high school teachers to provide dual enrollment instruction at a high school; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 122A.09, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

Selcer; Murphy, M.; Moran; Newton; Winkler and Marquart introduced:

H. F. No. 1445, A bill for an act relating to education; expanding the list of offenses that authorizes the Board of Teaching or Board of School Administrators to deny or revoke a teaching license; conforming the list of offenses with grounds for immediate discharge; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 122A.20, subdivision 1; 122A.40, subdivision 13; 122A.41, subdivision 6.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Innovation Policy.

Selcer, Marquart, Moran, Newton and Murphy, M., introduced:

H. F. No. 1446, A bill for an act relating to education; appropriating money for school districts to develop science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) based courses.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Kiel introduced:

H. F. No. 1447, A bill for an act relating to health; implementing investment priorities of the Legislative Health Care Workforce Council; establishing a grant program to expand clinical training of advanced practice registered nurses, physician assistants, and mental health professionals; establishing a grant program to expand primary care residency training; providing an incentive payment for health professions student preceptors and medical resident preceptors; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 144.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.
Anderson, M.; Drazkowski; Newberger; McDonald and Quam introduced:

H. F. No. 1448, A bill for an act relating to state lands; requiring sale of certain donated land.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Mining and Outdoor Recreation Policy.

Schultz; Winkler; Selcer; Slocum; Johnson, C., and Lesch introduced:

H. F. No. 1449, A bill for an act relating to elections; providing for automatic voter registration of applicants for a driver's license, instruction permit, or identification card; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 13.607, by adding a subdivision; 201.161.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.

Drazkowski and Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 1450, A bill for an act relating to transportation; establishing a small cities assistance grant program; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 162.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Greater Minnesota Economic and Workforce Development Policy.

Miller; Anderson, P.; Lueck and Johnson, C., introduced:

H. F. No. 1451, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; requiring a livestock industry study.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Policy.

Marquart, Backer, Kiel and Fabian introduced:

H. F. No. 1452, A bill for an act relating to appropriations; appropriating money for construction of ring levees.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance.

Isaacson introduced:

H. F. No. 1453, A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing an enhanced asthma care services benefit for medical assistance; providing for medical assistance coverage of certain products to reduce asthma triggers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 256B.0625, subdivision 31, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Pugh, Vogel, Loon, Gruenhagen, Daniels, Nash, Albright, Smith, Fenton and Wills introduced:

H. F. No. 1454, A bill for an act relating to the Metropolitan Council; modifying the membership of the Metropolitan Council to include local elected officials; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 473.123, subdivisions 2a, 3, 4.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Elections Policy.
Bly and Hamilton introduced:

H. F. No. 1455, A bill for an act relating to taxation; income and corporate franchise; providing a tax credit for certain energy improvements; allowing cooperative and municipal utilities to recover certain expenses; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 290.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance.

Bly introduced:

H. F. No. 1456, A bill for an act relating to agriculture; establishing a perennial feedstock program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 41A.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Agriculture Policy.

Slocum; Murphy, E.; Zerwas and Sundin introduced:

H. F. No. 1457, A bill for an act relating to education; appropriating money to develop a consent curriculum.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Education Finance.

Liebling, Lillie and Freiberg introduced:

H. F. No. 1458, A bill for an act relating to insurance; modifying basic economic loss benefits to include losses to a Good Samaritan; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 65B.43, by adding a subdivision; 65B.44, subdivision 1.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Regulatory Reform.

Drazkowski and Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 1459, A bill for an act relating to taxation; property; providing that statements of proposed taxes be mailed in October; modifying other deadlines within the property tax system; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, sections 275.065, subdivisions 1, 1a, 1c, 3; 276A.03; 276A.04; 276A.05, subdivisions 1, 2, 5; 276A.06, subdivisions 3, 5; 473.249, subdivision 2; 473.446, subdivision 8; 473.711, subdivision 5; 473F.05; 473F.06; 473F.07, subdivisions 1, 2, 5; 473F.08, subdivisions 3, 5.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Taxes.

Drazkowski and Davids introduced:

H. F. No. 1460, A bill for an act relating to human services; requiring the commissioner of human services to contract with a vendor to verify the eligibility of medical assistance and MinnesotaCare enrollees; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 256B.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.
Atkins and Hansen introduced:

H. F. No. 1461, A bill for an act relating to transportation; designating a segment of signed Trunk Highway 149 in Mendota Heights as Officer Scott Patrick Memorial Highway; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 161.14, by adding a subdivision.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Policy and Finance.

Davnie introduced:

H. F. No. 1462, A bill for an act relating to mental health; appropriating money for school-linked mental health grants and mental health services provided to homeless youth.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Reform.

Newberger introduced:

H. F. No. 1463, A bill for an act relating to taxation; individual income; allowing a subtraction for meal expenses of first responders; amending Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 290.01, subdivision 19b.

The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Crime Prevention Policy and Finance.