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New majority lays out committee structure

DFL leadership announced the chairs and committee structure for the 88th biennium scheduled to convene Jan. 8.

The 2013-2014 House committee structure and chairs are as follows:

Agriculture Policy ... Rep. Jeanne Poppe (DFL-Austin)
Capital Investment ... Rep. Alice Hausman (DFL-St. Paul)
Civil Law ... Rep. John Lesch (DFL-St. Paul)
Commerce and Consumer Protection Finance and Policy ... Rep. Joe Atkins (DFL-Inver Grove Heights)
Early Childhood and Youth Development Policy ... Rep. Joe Mullery (DFL-Mpls)
Education Finance ... Rep. Paul Marquart (DFL-Dilworth)
Education Policy ... Rep. Carlos Mariani (DFL-St. Paul)
Elections ... Rep. Steve Simon (DFL-St. Louis Park)
Energy Policy ... Rep. Melissa Hortman (DFL-Brooklyn Park)
Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture Finance ... Rep. Jean Wagenius (DFL-Mpls)
Environment and Natural Resources Policy ... Rep. David Dill (DFL-Crane Lake)
Ethics ... *Rep. Jim Davnie (DFL-Mpls)*
Government Operations ... Rep. Michael Nelson (DFL-Brooklyn Park)
Health and Human Services Finance ... Rep. Tom Huntley (DFL-Duluth)
Health and Human Services Policy ... Rep. Tina Liebling (DFL-Rochester)
Higher Education Finance and Policy ... Rep. Gene Pelowski (DFL-Winona)
Housing Finance and Policy ... Rep. Karen Clark (DFL-Mpls)
Jobs and Economic Development Finance and Policy ... Rep. Tim Mahoney (DFL-St. Paul)
Judiciary Finance and Policy ... Rep. Debra Hilstrom (DFL-Brooklyn Center)
Labor, Workplace and Regulated Industries ... Rep. Sheldon Johnson (DFL-St. Paul)
Legacy ... Rep. Phyllis Kahn (DFL-Mpls)
Public Safety Finance and Policy ... Rep. Michael Paymar (DFL-St. Paul)
Rules and Legislative Administration ... Rep. Erin Murphy (DFL-St. Paul)
State Government Finance and Veterans Affairs ... Rep. Mary Murphy (DFL-Hermantown)
Taxes ... Rep. Ann Lenczewski (DFL-Bloomington)
 Property and Local Tax Division ... Rep. Jim Davnie (DFL-Mpls)
Transportation Finance ... Rep. Frank Hornstein (DFL-Mpls)
Transportation Policy ... Rep. Ron Erhardt (DFL-Edina)
Ways and Means ... Rep. Lyndon Carlson, Sr. (DFL-Crystal)