STATE OF MINNESOTA

NINETY-FIRST SESSION — 2019

FIRST DAY

SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA, TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 2019

In accordance with the Constitution and the Laws of the State of Minnesota, the members-elect of the House of Representatives assembled in the Chamber of the House of Representatives in the Capitol in Saint Paul on Tuesday, the eighth day of January 2019.

At the hour of twelve o’clock noon and pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 2018, Section 3.05, the Honorable Steve Simon, Secretary of State, called the members-elect to order and appointed the Honorable Paul Marquart from District 4B as Clerk pro tempore.

Prayer was offered by Dr. Cynthia Bailey Manns, St. Joan of Arc Catholic Community, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

IN MEMORIAM


The members-elect of the House gave the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

The Clerk pro tempore called the roll by legislative district in numerical order, and the following members-elect presented proof of their eligibility to be sworn in and seated as members of the House of Representatives:

1A ................. Dan Fabian
1B .................. Debra (Deb) Kiel
2A .................. Matthew J. Grossell
2B .................. Steve Green
3A .................. Rob Ecklund
3B .................. Mary Murphy
4A .................. Ben Lien
4B .................. Paul Marquart
5A .................. John Persell
5B .................. Sandy Layman
6A .................. Julie Sandstede
6B .................. Dave Lislegard
7A .................. Jennifer Schultz
7B .................. Liz Olson
8A .................. Bud Nornes
8B .................. Mary Franson
9A .................. John M. Poston
9B .................. Ron Kresha
10A ................ Josh Heintzeman
10B ................ Dale K. Lueck
11A .......... Mike Sundin
11B .......... Jason Rarick
12A .......... Jeff Backer
12B .......... Paul H. Anderson
13A .......... Lisa Demuth
13B .......... Tim O'Driscoll
14A .......... Tama Theis
14B .......... Dan Wolgamott
15A .......... Sondra Erickson
15B .......... Shane Mekeland
16A .......... Chris Swedzinski
16B .......... Paul Torkelson
17A .......... Tim Miller
17B .......... Dave Baker
18A .......... Dean Urdahl
18B .......... Glenn Gruenhagen
19A .......... Jeff Brand
19B .......... Jack Considine
20A .......... Bob Vogel
20B .......... Todd Lippert
21A .......... Barb Haley
21B .......... Steve Drazkowski
22A .......... Joe Schomacker
22B .......... Rod Hamilton
23A .......... Bob Gunther
23B .......... Jeremy Munson
24A .......... John Petersburg
24B .......... Brian Daniels
25A .......... Duane Quam
25B .......... Duane Sauke
26A .......... Tina Liebling
26B .......... Nels T. Pierson
27A .......... Peggy Bennett
27B .......... Jeanne Poppe
28A .......... Gene Pelowski, Jr.
28B .......... Gregory M. Davids
29A .......... Joe McDonald
29B .......... Marion O'Neill
30A .......... Nick Zerwas
30B .......... Eric Lucero
31A .......... Kurt Daudt
31B .......... Calvin (Cal) K. Bahr
32A .......... Brian Johnson
32B .......... Anne Neu
33A .......... Jerry Hertaus
33B .......... Kelly Morrison
34A .......... Kristin Robbins
34B .......... Kristin Bahner
35A .......... John Heinrich
35B .......... Peggy Scott
36A .......... Zack Stephenson
36B .......... Melissa Hortman
37A .......... Erin Koegel
37B .......... Nolan West
38A .......... Linda Runge
38B .......... Ami Wazlawik
39A .......... Bob Dettmer
39B .......... Shelly Christensen
40A .......... Michael V. Nelson
40B .......... Samantha Vang
41A .......... Connie Bernady
41B .......... Mary Kunesh-Podein
42A .......... Kelly Moller
42B .......... Jamie Becker-Finn
43A .......... Peter M. Fischer
43B .......... Leon M. Lillie
44A .......... Ginny Klevorn
44B .......... Patty Acomb
45A .......... Lyndon R. Carlson
45B .......... Mike Freiberg
46A .......... Ryan Winkler
46B .......... Cheryl Youakim
47A .......... Jim Nash
47B .......... Greg Boe
48A .......... Laurie Pryor
48B .......... Carlie Kotyza-Witthuhn
49A .......... Heather Edelson
49B .......... Steve Elkins
50A .......... Michael Howard
50B .......... Andrew Carlson
51A .......... Sandra Masin
51B .......... Laurie Halverson
52A .......... Rick Hansen
52B .......... Ruth Richardson
53A .......... Tou Xiong
53B .......... Steve Sandell
54A .......... Anne Claflin
54B .......... Tony Jurgens
55A .......... Brad Tabke
55B .......... Tony Albright
56A .......... Hunter Cantrell
56B .......... Alice Mann
57A ..........
57B .......... John Huot
58A .......... Jon Koznick
58B .......... Patrick Garofalo
59A .......... Fue Lee
59B .......... Raymond Dehn
60A .......... Diane Loeffler
60B .......... Mohamud Noor
61A .......... Frank Hornstein
61B .......... Jamie Long
133 eligible persons answered to the call by legislative district.

OATH OF OFFICE

The members-elect subscribed to the oath of office as administered to them by the Honorable Associate Justice Paul Thissen.

The members took their seats in the Chamber of the House of Representatives.

The roll was called and the following members were present:

Acomb
Albright
Anderson
Backer
Bahner
Bahr
Baker
Becker-Finn
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Bernardy
Boe
Brand
Cantrell
Carlson, A.
Carlson, L.
Christensen
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Daniels
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Demuth
Dettmer
Drazkowski
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Fabian
Fischer
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Freiberg
Garofalo
Gomez
Green
Grossell
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Halverson
Hamilton
Hansen
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Heinrich
Heintzman
Her
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Lee
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Lislegard
Loeffler
Long
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Lueck
Mahoney
Mann
Marquart
Masin
McDonald
Mekeland
Miller
Moller
Moran
Morrison
Monson
Murphy
Nash
Ne
Noor

Nornes
O'Driscoll
Olson
O'Neill
Pelowski
Persell
Petersburg
Pierson
Pinto
Pryor
Quam
Rarick
Richardson
Robbins
Runbeck
Sandell
Sandstede
Sauke
Schomacker
Schultz
Scott

Stephenson
Sundin
Swedzinski
Tabke
Theis
Torkelson
Urdahl
Vang
Vogel
Wagenius
Wazlawik
West

A quorum was present.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The Secretary of State announced the next order of business to be the election of the Speaker.
The name of Melissa Hortman was placed in nomination by Murphy. The nomination was seconded by Hornstein and Stephenson.

The name of Kurt Daudt was placed in nomination by Haley. The nomination was seconded by Fabian.

There being no further nominations, the Secretary of State declared the nominations closed.

The Clerk pro tempore called the roll on the election of a Speaker.

The following members of the House voted for Hortman:

Acomb  Ecklund  Huot  Long  Pelowski  Vang
Bahner  Edelson  Klevorn  Mahoney  Persell  Wagenius
Becker-Finn  Elkins  Koegel  Mann  Pinto  Wazlawik
Bernardy  Fischer  Kotyza-Witthuhn  Mariani  Poppe  Winkler
Brand  Freiberg  Kunesh-Podein  Marquart  Pryor  Wolgamott
Cantrell  Gomez  Lee  Masin  Richardson  Xiong, J.
Carlson, A.  Halverson  Lesch  Moller  Sandell  Xiong, T.
Carlson, L.  Hansen  Liebling  Moran  Sandstede  Youakim
Christensen  Hassan  Lien  Morrison  Sauge  Lippert  Nelson  Nelson  Murphy  Schultz
Claffin  Her  Lillie  Petersburg  Pierson  Schomacker
Considine  Hornstein  Lippert  Stephenson  Porton  Scott
Davnie  Hortman  Lislegard  Noor  Sundin  Tabke
Dehn  Howard  Loeffler  Olson

Hortman received 73 votes.

The following members of the House voted for Daudt:

Albright  Demuth  Gunther  Koznick  O’Driscoll  Schomacker
Anderson  Detmer  Haley  Kresha  O’Neill  Scott
Backer  Erickson  Hamilton  Layman  Petersburg  Swedzinski
Baker  Fabian  Heinrich  Luck  Pierson  Theis
Bennett  Franson  Heintzman  McDonald  Poston  Torkelson
Boe  Garofalo  Hertaus  Mekeland  Quam  Udahl
Daniels  Green  Johnson  Nash  Rarick  Vogel
Daudt  Grossell  Jurgens  Neu  Robbins  West
Davids  Gruenhagen  Kiel  Nornes  Runbeck  Zerwas

Daudt received 54 votes.

Melissa Hortman, having received a majority of the votes cast, was declared duly elected Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Garofalo, Poppe, Lillie, Hamilton and Loeffler were appointed to escort the Speaker-elect to the rostrum.
OATH OF OFFICE

The oath of office was administered to Speaker-elect Melissa Hortman by the Honorable Associate Justice Paul Thissen. The Speaker expressed her appreciation for the honor bestowed upon her.

The Speaker announced the next order of business to be the election of the Chief Clerk.

The name of Patrick D. Murphy was placed in nomination by Lesch. The nomination was seconded by Daudt.

There being no further nominations, the Speaker declared the nominations closed.

The Clerk pro tempore called the roll on the election of the Chief Clerk and the following voted for Murphy:

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Patrick D. Murphy, having received a majority of the votes cast, was declared duly elected Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

OATH OF OFFICE

The oath of office was administered to the Chief Clerk-elect by the Speaker.

The Speaker announced the next order of business to be the election of other elected officers of the House of Representatives.
Winkler offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

*Resolved,* that the election of other officers, with the exception of the Chief Sergeant at Arms, be made on one roll call unless there should be more than one nomination for any one office.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

Winkler placed the following names in nomination for elected officers of the Minnesota House of Representatives:

- The name of Timothy M. Johnson for First Assistant Chief Clerk.
- The name of Gail C. Romanowski for Second Assistant Chief Clerk.
- The name of Erica Brynildson for Assistant Sergeant at Arms.
- The name of Andrew Olson for Assistant Sergeant at Arms.
- The name of Carl T. Hamre for Index Clerk.

There being no further nominations, the Speaker declared the nominations closed.

The Chief Clerk called the roll on the election of the other officers and the following voted for the other officers:

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The nominees, having received a majority of the votes cast, were declared duly elected to their respective offices.
OATH OF OFFICE

The oath of office was administered by the Speaker to those elected to the above offices.

The Speaker announced the next order of business to be the election of the Chief Sergeant at Arms.

The name of Robert Meyerson was placed in nomination by Winkler. The nomination was seconded by Daudt.

There being no further nominations, the Speaker declared the nominations closed.

The Chief Clerk called the roll on the election of the Chief Sergeant at Arms and the following voted for Meyerson:

Acomb  Dehn   Hassan   Lien   Neu   Schomacker
Albright Demuth Hausman Lillie Noor Schultz
Anderson Dettmer Heinrich Lippert Nornes Scott
Backer Drazkowski Heintzman Lislegard O'Driscoll Stephenson
Bahner Ecklund Her Loeffer Olson Sundin
Bahr Edelson Hertaus Long O'Neill Swedzinski
Baker Elkins Hornstein Lucero Pelowski Tabke
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Daudt Halverson Lee Murphy Sandell Youakim
Davids Hamilton Lesch Nash Sandstede Zerwas
Davnie Hansen Liebling Nelson Sauk Spk. Hortman

Robert Meyerson, having received a majority of the votes cast, was declared duly elected Chief Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives.

OATH OF OFFICE

The oath of office was administered to the Chief Sergeant at Arms-elect by the Speaker.

Winkler offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Minnesota that the Temporary Rules of the House for this session, the 91st Regular Session, are the same as the Permanent Rules of the House for the last session, 90th Regular Session, as they existed on Sunday, May 20, 2018, with the following exceptions:
Rule 4.03 shall be amended as follows:

"4.03 WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE; BUDGET RESOLUTION; EFFECT ON EXPENDITURE AND REVENUE BILLS. (a) The Committee on Ways and Means must hold hearings as necessary to determine state expenditures and revenues for the fiscal biennium.

(b) Within 25 days after the last state general fund revenue and expenditure forecast for the next fiscal biennium becomes available during the regular session in the odd-numbered year, the Committee on Ways and Means must adopt a budget resolution. The budget resolution: (1) must set the maximum limit on net expenditures for the next fiscal biennium for the general fund, (2) must set an amount or amounts to be set aside as a budget reserve and a cash flow account, (3) must set net spending limits for each budget category represented by the major finance and revenue bills identified in paragraph (e), and (4) may set limits for expenditures from funds other than the general fund. The budget resolution must not specify, limit, or prescribe revenues or expenditures by any category other than those specified in clauses (1), (2), (3), and (4). After the Committee adopts the budget resolution, the limits in the resolution are effective during the regular session in the year in which the resolution is adopted, unless a different or amended resolution is adopted.

(c) During the regular session in the even-numbered year, before the Committee on Ways and Means reports a bill containing net increases or decreases in expenditures as compared to general fund expenditures in the current fiscal biennium estimated by the most recent state budget forecast, the Committee may adopt a budget resolution. If adopted, the resolution must account for the net changes in expenditures. The resolution may also (1) set limits for changes in net expenditures for each budget category represented by the major finance and revenue bills identified in paragraph (e), and (2) set limits for expenditures from funds other than the general fund.

If the Committee adopts a budget resolution, it is effective during the regular session that year, unless a different or amended resolution is adopted.

(d) The major finance or revenue bills may be combined or separated by a majority vote of either the Committee on Ways and Means or the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration. Combined or separated bills must conform to the limits in the resolution as those limits apply to the accounts in those bills.

(e) Major finance and revenue bills are:

- the agriculture finance bill;
- the capital investment bill;
- the education finance bill;
- the environment and natural resources finance bill;
- the health and human services finance bill;
- the higher education and career readiness finance bill;
- the job growth and energy affordability finance bill;
- the legacy finance bill;
- the public safety and security finance bill;
the state government finance bill;
the tax bill; and
the transportation finance bill.
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the capital investment finance bill;
the education finance bill;
the energy and climate finance bill;
the environment and natural resources bill;
the greater Minnesota jobs and economic development finance bill;
the health and human services finance bill;
the higher education finance bill;
the housing finance bill;
the jobs and economic development finance bill;
the judiciary finance bill;
the legacy finance bill;
the public safety and criminal justice reform finance bill;
the state government finance bill;
the tax bill;
the transportation finance bill; and
the veterans and military affairs finance bill.

(f) After the adoption of a resolution by the Committee on Ways and Means, each finance committee, and the Committee on Taxes must reconcile each bill described in Rule 4.10 with the resolution. When reporting a finance or revenue bill, each committee or division must provide to the Committee on Ways and Means a fiscal statement reconciling the bill with the resolution.

(g) After the adoption of a resolution by the Committee on Ways and Means, the Committee on Ways and Means must reconcile finance and revenue bills with the resolution. When reporting a bill, the chair of the Committee must certify to the House that the Committee has reconciled the bill with the resolution.

(h) After the adoption of a resolution by the Committee on Ways and Means, an amendment to a bill is out of order if it would cause any of the limits specified in the resolution to be exceeded. Whether an amendment is out of order under this Rule is a question to be decided on the Floor by the Speaker or other presiding officer and in
Committee or Division by the person chairing the Committee or Division meeting. In making the determination, the Speaker or other presiding officer or the Committee or Division chair may consider: (1) the limits in a resolution; (2) the effect of existing laws on revenues and expenditures; (3) the effect of amendments previously adopted to the bill under consideration; (4) the effect of bills previously recommended by a Committee or Division or bills previously passed in the legislative session by the House or by the legislature; (5) whether expenditure increases or revenue decreases that would result from the amendment are offset by decreases in other expenditures or increases in other revenue specified by the amendment; and (6) other information reasonably related to expenditure and revenue amounts.

(i) After a resolution is adopted by the Committee on Ways and Means, the Committee must make available a summary of the estimated fiscal effect on the general fund of each bill that has been referred to the Committee on Ways and Means by a finance committee or a division of a finance committee, or the Committee on Taxes and of each bill that has been reported by the Committee on Ways and Means.”

Rule 6.01 shall be amended as follows:

“6.01 COMMITTEES AND DIVISIONS. Standing committees and divisions of the House must be appointed by the Speaker as follows:

Agriculture Finance
Agriculture Policy
Capital Investment
Civil Law and Data Practices Policy
Commerce and Regulatory Reform
Education Finance
Education Innovation Policy
Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance
Government Operations and Elections Policy
Health and Human Services Finance
Health and Human Services Reform
Higher Education and Career Readiness Policy and Finance
Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance
Legacy Funding Finance
Public Safety and Security Policy and Finance
Rules and Legislative Administration
State Government Finance
  Veterans Affairs Division
Taxes
  Property Tax and Local Government Finance Division
Transportation Finance
Transportation and Regional Governance Policy
Ways and Means
Ethics
Commerce
Education Policy
Environment and Natural Resources Policy
Ethics
Government Operations
  Subcommittee on Elections
  Subcommittee on Local Government
Health and Human Services Policy
Labor
Rules and Legislative Administration
  Subcommittee on Legislative Process Reform
Taxes
  Property and Local Tax Division
Ways and Means
  Agriculture and Food Finance and Policy Division
  Capital Investment Division
  Education Finance Division
  Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division
Rule 6.02 shall be amended as follows:

"6.02 COMMITTEE, SUBCOMMITTEE, AND DIVISION MEMBERSHIP. At least 30 days before the start of a regular session of the Legislature, the Speaker-designate must provide the minority political party caucuses with a list of the standing committees, subcommittees, and divisions proposed for the session. The Speaker-designate must prescribe the number of minority caucus members to be appointed to each committee, subcommittee, and division and may require general membership guidelines to be followed in the selection of committee, subcommittee, and division members.

If the minority leader submits to the Speaker-designate, at least 15 days before the start of the session, a list of proposed committee, subcommittee, and division assignments for the minority caucus that complies with the numbers and guidelines provided, the Speaker must make the proposed assignments with the purpose of attaining proportionate representation on the committees, subcommittees, and divisions for the minority caucus.

A committee of the House must not have exclusive membership from one profession, occupation or vocation. Members of a subcommittee of a standing committee or division appointed by the Speaker need not have members exclusively from that standing committee or division.
A member must not serve as the chair of the same standing committee, subcommittee, or division, or a standing committee or division with substantially the same jurisdiction, during more than the three immediately prior consecutive regular biennial sessions. This Rule does not apply to service as chair of the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration.”

The Temporary Rules of the House for the 91st Session shall apply until the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration to be appointed by the Speaker shall have made its report and new Permanent Rules have been adopted.

A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

Daudt moved to amend the proposed Temporary Rules of the House for the 91st Session as follows:

Page 4, delete lines 27 to 29
Page 5, delete lines 1 to 29
Page 6, delete lines 1 to 3 and insert:

"Agriculture and Food Finance and Policy
Capital Investment
Commerce
Education Finance
   Subcommittee on Early Childhood Finance and Policy
Education Policy
Energy and Climate Finance and Policy
Environment and Natural Resources Finance
   Subcommittee on Water
Environment and Natural Resources Policy
Ethics
Government Operations
   Subcommittee on Elections
   Subcommittee on Local Government
Greater Minnesota Jobs and Economic Development Finance
A roll call was requested and properly seconded.

The question was taken on the Daudt amendment to the proposed Temporary Rules of the House for the 91st Session and the roll was called. There were 59 yeas and 74 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Albright  Bahr  Boe  Davids  Drazkowski  Franson
Anderson  Baker  Daniels  Demuth  Erickson  Garofalo
Backer  Bennett  Daudt  Dettmer  Fabian  Green
Those who voted in the negative were:

Acomb     Ecklund     Huot      Long      Pelowski      Vang
Bahner     Edelson     Klevorn   Mahoney   Persell      Wagenius
Becker-Finn Elkins     Koegel    Mann      Pinto       Wazlawik
Bernardy  Fischer     Kotyza-Wittuhn Mariani   Poppe       Winkler
Brand      Freiberg    Kunesh-Podein Marquart  Pryor       Wolgamott
Cantrell  Gomez     Lee       Masin     Richardson  Xiong, J.
Carlson, A. Halverson  Lesch     Moller    Sandell    Xiong, T.
Carlson, L. Hansen    Liebling  Moran    Sandstede  Youakim
Christensen Hassan    Lien      Morrison  Sauer      Spk. Hortman
Claffin    Hausman    Lillie    Murphy    Schultz     Tabke
Considine Her        Lippert   Nelson    Stephenson
Davnie     Hornstein  Lislegard  Noor      Sundin
Dehn      Howard     Loeffler  Olson      Tabke

The motion did not prevail and the amendment to the proposed Temporary Rules was not adopted.

The question recurred on the adoption of the proposed Temporary Rules of the House for the 91st Session and the roll was called. There were 74 yeas and 59 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:

Acomb     Ecklund     Huot      Long      Pelowski      Vang
Bahner     Edelson     Klevorn   Mahoney   Persell      Wagenius
Becker-Finn Elkins     Koegel    Mann      Pinto       Wazlawik
Bernardy  Fischer     Kotyza-Wittuhn Mariani   Poppe       Winkler
Brand      Freiberg    Kunesh-Podein Marquart  Pryor       Wolgamott
Cantrell  Gomez     Lee       Masin     Richardson  Xiong, J.
Carlson, A. Halverson  Lesch     Moller    Sandell    Xiong, T.
Carlson, L. Hansen    Liebling  Moran    Sandstede  Youakim
Christensen Hassan    Lien      Morrison  Sauer      Spk. Hortman
Claffin    Hausman    Lillie    Murphy    Schultz     Tabke
Considine Her        Lippert   Nelson    Stephenson
Davnie     Hornstein  Lislegard  Noor      Sundin
Dehn      Howard     Loeffler  Olson      Tabke

Those who voted in the negative were:

Albright   Daniels    Fabian     Haley      Kiel        Mekeland
Anderson   Daudt      Franson    Hamilton   Koznick    Miller
Backer     Davids     Garofalo   Heinrich   Kresha     Munson
Bahr       Demuth     Green      Heintzeman Layman    Nash
Baker      Dettmer     Grossell  Hertaus    Lucero     Neu
Bennett    Drazkowski Gruenhagen Johnson   Lueck      Nornes
Boe        Erickson    Gunther    Jurgens    McDonald  O'Driscoll
The motion prevailed and the resolution relating to the Temporary Rules of the House for the 91st Session was adopted.

Olson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, that the Chief Clerk be instructed to inform the Senate by message that the House is duly organized pursuant to law.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

Olson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, that the Speaker appoint a committee of five members of the House to notify the Governor that the House of Representatives is now duly organized pursuant to law and ready to receive any message he may desire to give them.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following members to the committee to notify the Governor that the House is now organized and ready to receive any message he may desire to give them:

Becker-Finn; Xiong, T.; Richardson; Robbins and Demuth.

Winkler offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, that necessary employees as directed by the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration be authorized by the House effective today, Tuesday, January 8, 2019, to better expedite the business of the House.

The question was taken on the Winkler motion and the roll was called. There were 130 yeas and 0 nays as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were:
The motion prevailed and the resolution relating to employees was adopted.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker announced the appointment of Representatives Pelowski, Marquart, Poppe, Olson, Halverson and Albright as Speakers pro tempore for the 2019-2020 session.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following members of the House to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration:

Winkler, Chair; Her, Vice Chair; Becker-Finn; Carlson, L.; Freiberg; Hassan; Howard; Lillie; Olson; Pelowski; Pinto; Schultz; Albright; Baker; Daudt; Drazkowski; Garofalo; Neu and O'Neill.

Winkler offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, that the selection of permanent desks shall be as directed by the Speaker as follows:

(1) that the DFL majority caucus shall occupy section 3, seats 60 to 62, and seats 65 to 68; section 4, seats 70 to 97; section 5, seats 99 to 119; and section 6, seats 120 to 138. All members of the majority caucus shall be seated in the manner prescribed by the DFL majority caucus.

(2) that the Republican minority caucus shall occupy section 1, seats 1 to 19; section 2, seats 22 to 39; and section 3, seats 42 to 56, and seats 57 to 59. All members of the minority caucus shall be seated in the manner prescribed by the Republican minority caucus.

(3) that the New House Republican caucus shall occupy section 2, seats 40 and 41; and section 3, seats 63 and 64. All members of the New House Republican caucus shall be seated in the manner prescribed by the New House Republican caucus.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following messages were received from the Senate:

Madam Speaker:

I have the honor to announce that the Senate of the State of Minnesota is now duly organized pursuant to law with the election of the following officers:

Jeremy R. Miller, President
Cal R. Ludeman, Secretary of the Senate
Colleen J. Pacheco, First Assistant Secretary of the Senate
Michael R. Linn, Second Assistant Secretary of the Senate
Melissa G. Mapes, Engrossing Secretary
Sven K. Lindquist, Sergeant at Arms
Marilyn Logan, Assistant Sergeant at Arms
Pastor Mike Smith, Chaplain

CAL R. LUDEMAN, Secretary of the Senate

Madam Speaker:

This is to notify you that the Senate is now duly organized pursuant to the Minnesota Constitution and Minnesota Statutes.

CAL R. LUDEMAN, Secretary of the Senate

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker announced the following House committee assignments and committee meeting schedule for the 2019-2020 session. (NOTE: All scheduled House committee meetings are held in the State Office Building unless otherwise noted.)

2019-2020 HOUSE COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Commerce --
Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 2:30 p.m., Basement

Halverson, Chair
Stephenson, Vice Chair
Carlson, A.
Dehn
Elkins
Howard
Kotyza-Witthuhn
Lesch
Lislegard
Mahoney
Richardson
Tabke

O'Driscoll (GOP Lead)
Davids
Garofalo
Haley
Kresha
O'Neill
Swedzinski
Theis
Education Policy --
Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 2:30 p.m., Room 5

Youakim, Chair
Kunesh-Podein, Vice Chair
Bierman
Christensen
Hassan
Her
Huot
Mariani
Moller
Sandell
Wazlawik

Erickson (GOP Lead)
Bahr
Baker
Bennett
Gruenhagen
Scott
Urdahl

Environment and Natural Resources Policy --
Wednesdays, 9:45 a.m., Room 200

Persell, Chair
Becker-Finn, Vice Chair
Acomb
Claflin
Gomez
Hansen
Lippert
Lislelgard
Wagenius

Lueck (GOP Lead)
Anderson
Boe
Fabian
Green
Heintzman

Ethics --
Call of the Chair

Murphy, Chair
Kunesh-Podein
Carlson, A., Alternate

Erickson (GOP Lead)
Torkelson
Kiel, Alternate

Government Operations --
Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:45 a.m., Basement

Freiberg, Chair
Sauke, Vice Chair
Bahner
Elkins
Gomez
Koegel
Lee
Lillie
Masin
Nelson
Pelowski

Zerwas (GOP Lead)
Heinrich
Layman
Nash
Quam
Theis
Vogel
West
Subcommittee on Elections/Government Operations --
Wednesdays, 9:45 a.m., Basement

Dehn, Chair
Bahner, Vice Chair
Bernardy
Halverson
Mann

Nash (GOP Lead)
Neu
O'Driscoll

Subcommittee on Local Government/Government Operations --
Wednesdays, 9:45 a.m., Basement

Masin, Chair
Elkins, Vice Chair
Freiberg
Lien
Xiong, T.

McDonald (GOP Lead)
Hertaus
Koznick

Health and Human Services Policy --
Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 2:30 p.m., Room 200

Moran, Chair
Morrison, Vice Chair
Bahner
Edelson
Fischer
Freiberg
Liebling
Loeffler
Mann
Pinto
Schultz

Kiel (GOP Lead)
Albright
Backer
Neu
Pierson
Robbins
Schomacker

Labor --
Wednesdays, 2:30 p.m., 120 Capitol

Sundin, Chair
Koegel, Vice Chair
Brand
Claflin
Ecklund
Hornstein
Lippert
Nelson
Persell
Xiong, J.

Rarick (GOP Lead)
Dettmer
Fabian
Mekeland
Vogel
Rules and Legislative Administration --
Call of the Chair

Winkler, Chair
Her, Vice Chair
Becker-Finn
Carlson, L.
Freiberg
Hassan
Howard
Lillie
Olson
Pelowski
Pinto
Schultz

Daudt (GOP Lead)
Albright
Baker
Drazkowski
Garofalo
Neu
O'Neill

Subcommittee on Legislative Process Reform/Rules and Legislative Administration --
Call of the Chair

Pelowski, Chair
Carlson, L.
Freiberg
Murphy
Pinto

Runbeck (GOP Lead)
Gunther
McDonald

Taxes --
Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 8:00 a.m., Room 5

Marquart, Chair
Lislegard, Vice Chair
Becker-Finn
Brand
Carlson, L.
Gomez
Lesch
Lien
Loeffler
Schultz
Xiong, T.
Youakim

Davids (GOP Lead)
Erickson
Fabian
McDonald
O'Neill
Petersburg
Schomacker
Swedzinski

Property and Local Tax Division/Taxes --
Mondays, 12:45 p.m., Room 5

Loeffler, Chair
Vang, Vice Chair
Bernardy
Carlson, A.
Her
Huot
Marquart
Xiong, T.

Hertaus (GOP Lead)
Drazkowski
McDonald
Petersburg
Runbeck
Ways and Means --
Mondays, 9:45 a.m., or Call of the Chair, Room 200

Carlson, L., Chair
Olson, Vice Chair
Bernardy
Davnie
Ecklund
Hansen
Hausman
Hornstein
Liebling
Lillie
Long
Mariani
Marquart
Nelson
Noor
Pelowski
Poppe
Wagenius

Garofalo (GOP Lead)
Albright
Davids
Drazkowski
Hamilton
Hertaus
Kresha
Schomacker
Scott
Torkelson
Vogel

Agriculture and Food Finance and Policy Division/Ways and Means --
Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:45 a.m., Room 200

Poppe, Chair
Brand, Vice Chair
Ecklund
Hansen
Klevorn
Lippert
Tabke
Vang
Wazlawik
Carlson, L., ex-officio

Hamilton (GOP Lead)
Anderson
Kiel
Lueck
Miller
Poston

Capital Investment Division/Ways and Means --
Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8:00 a.m., Room 10

Murphy, Chair
Lee, Vice Chair
Cantrell
Considine
Dehn
Hansen
Lillie
Sandstede
Sauke
Vang
Wolgamott
Carlson, L., ex-officio

Urdahl (GOP Lead)
Bennett
Grossell
Jurgens
Layman
Nornes
Pierson
Torkelson
Education Finance Division/Ways and Means --
Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 9:45 a.m., Room 5

Davnie, Chair
Sandstede, Vice Chair
Edelson
Huot
Kotyza-Witthuhn
Kunesh-Podein
Marquart
Murphy
Pryor
Richardson
Sandell
Youakim
Carlson, L., ex-officio
Kresha (GOP Lead)
Bennett
Daniels
Demuth
Dettmer
Erickson
Jurgens
Nornes

Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division/Education Finance Division/Health
and Human Services Finance Division/Ways and Means --
Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8:00 a.m., 120 Capitol

Pinto, Chair
Kotyza-Witthuhn, Vice Chair
Bahner
Morrison
Pryor
Wazlawik
Franson (GOP Lead)
Demuth
Heintzeman
West

Environment and Natural Resources Finance Division/Ways and Means --
Tuesdays and Thursdays, 12:45 p.m., Room 5

Hansen, Chair
Claflin, Vice Chair
Becker-Finn
Ecklund
Fischer
Lee
Morrison
Persell
Sandell
Sundin
Wagenius
Carlson, L., ex-officio
Fabian (GOP Lead)
Backer
Green
Heintzeman
Lueck
Neu
Rarick

Water Division/Environment and Natural Resources Finance Division/Ways and Means --
Mondays, 12:45 p.m., Basement

Fischer, Chair
Sandell, Vice Chair
Claflin
Morrison
Sandell
Heintzeman (GOP Lead)
Haley
Torkelson
Sundin
Energy and Climate Finance and Policy Division/Ways and Means --
Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:45 a.m., 120 Capitol

Wagenius, Chair                         Swedzinski (GOP Lead)
Long, Vice Chair                        Baker
Acomb                                  Boe
Bierman                                Garofalo
Christensen                            Mekeland
Halverson                              Rarick
Hornstein                              
Mahoney
Stephenson                             
Carlson, L., *ex-officio*

Greater Minnesota Jobs and Economic Development Finance Division/Ways and Means --
Mondays and Wednesdays, 12:45 p.m., Room 10

Pelowski, Chair                        Anderson (GOP Lead)
Lien, Vice Chair                       Bahr
Brand                                  Daniels
Lislegard                              Demuth
Mahoney                                Gunther
Persell                                 Layman
Poppe
Sandstede
Sauke
Carlson, L., *ex-officio*

Health and Human Services Finance Division/Ways and Means --
Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 12:45 p.m., Room 200

Liebling, Chair                        Schomacker (GOP Lead)
Mann, Vice Chair                       Baker
Acomb                                  Franson
Bierman                                Gruenhagen
Cantrell                               Haley
Halverson                              Hamilton
Kunesh-Podein                          Munson
Loeffler                               Zerwas
Moran
Noor
Olson
Schultz
Carlson, L., *ex-officio*

Long-Term Care Division/Health and Human Services Finance Division/Ways and Means --
Mondays, 12:45 p.m., Room 200

Schultz, Chair                         Gruenhagen (GOP Lead)
Lippert, Vice Chair                    Kiel
Klevorn                                Munson
Masin
Olson
Higher Education Finance and Policy Division/Ways and Means --
Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 2:30 p.m., Room 10

Bernardy, Chair
Pryor, Vice Chair
Gomez
Klevorn
Lien
Lillie
Poppe
Vang
Wolgamott
Xiong, T.
Carlson, L., ex-officio

Nornes (GOP Lead)
Daniels
Franson
Layman
Lucero
Quam
Runbeck

Housing Finance and Policy Division/Ways and Means --
Wednesdays, 8:00 a.m., Room 200

Hausman, Chair
Howard, Vice Chair
Bierman
Fischer
Hassan
Her
Hornstein
Poppe
Sauke
Carlson, L., ex-officio

Theis (GOP Lead)
Gunther
Johnson
Jurgens
Munson
Pierson

Jobs and Economic Development Finance Division/Ways and Means --
Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8:00 a.m., Room 200

Mahoney, Chair
Noor, Vice Chair
Claflin
Davnie
Ecklund
Hassan
Koegel
Moran
Stephenson
Sundin
Xiong, J.
Carlson, L., ex-officio

Gunther (GOP Lead)
Backer
Haley
Koznick
Mekeland
Rarick
Robbins
Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Division/Ways and Means --
Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 9:45 a.m., Room 10

Lesch, Chair                            Scott (GOP Lead)
Moller, Vice Chair                       Bahr
Cantrell                                Grossell
Carlson, A.                              Johnson
Considine                               Lucero
Hassan                                   O’Neill
Her                                      Robbins
Liebling
Mariani
Noor
Xiong, J.
Carlson, L., *ex-officio*

Legacy Finance Division/Ways and Means --
Wednesdays, 12:45 p.m., Room 5

Lillie, Chair                            Heintzeman (GOP Lead)
Wazlawik, Vice Chair                     Boe
Hausman                                  Green
Murphy                                   Urdahl
Wagenius
Xiong, J.
Carlson, L., *ex-officio*

Public Safety and Criminal Justice Reform Finance and Policy Division/Ways
and Means --
Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 12:45 p.m., Basement

Mariani, Chair                           Johnson (GOP Lead)
Edelson, Vice Chair                      Grossell
Christensen                              Lucero
Considine                                Miller
Dehn                                     Nash
Howard                                   O’Neill
Lesch                                    Poston
Long
Moller
Pinto
Carlson, L., *ex-officio*

Corrections Division/Public Safety and Criminal Justice Reform Finance and Policy
Division/Ways and Means --
Wednesdays, 8:00 a.m., Room 10

Considine, Chair                         O’Neill (GOP Lead)
Wolgamott, Vice Chair                    Poston
Christensen                              Zerwas
Mariani
Tabke
ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER

In the interest of maintaining order and decorum in the House Chamber and providing an atmosphere of respect and courtesy for members who have the floor, and in accordance with House Rule 7.01, paragraph 2, the following policies will be enforced during the 2019-2020 legislative session:

"Points of Privilege" should not be used to make statements that definitely are not points of privilege. Questions relating to members of the body in their representative capacity are called "Points of Personal Privilege" and should relate to charges against a member’s rights, reputation and conduct, pursuant to section 222 paragraph 1 of Mason’s
Manual of Legislative Procedure. Questions relating to the entire body are called "Points of Privilege of the House" and should relate to charges against the membership of the entire body. Political or congratulatory speeches should not be made under the guise of being a point of privilege. Members should not use this procedure to create a debate on a subject not properly before the body. The appropriate way to recognize events of achievement occurring within one's legislative district are by reserving a room in the State Capitol for a celebration, and inviting fellow members to that room for the celebration under the order of business, "Announcements."

It is not proper procedure to start a debate on a subject not before the body by asking a member to yield to a question under the order of business "Announcements." Section 100 of Mason's Manual states in paragraph 2: "Debate must always have relation to some definite question that is under consideration by the body. There must be a motion or question proposed to the body by the presiding officer for the purpose of ascertaining the will of the body."

House Rule 2.40 provides that certain persons are admitted by Rule to the House Chamber, and other guests "may be issued a permit by the Speaker good for the day, but that person must be seated near the Speaker's rostrum, and must not engage in conversation that disturbs the business of the House." It further provides that, "[f]rom one hour before the time the House is scheduled to convene until one hour after the House adjourns for the day, the retiring room is reserved for the exclusive use of the members and employees of the House." This Rule will be enforced during the orders of business relating to consideration of legislation, such as "Calendar for the Day," "Fiscal Calendar," and "Conference Committee Reports."

Mason's section 121 paragraph 3 states: "A member who resorts to persistent irrelevance or to persistent repetition after the attention of the house has been called to the matter may be directed to discontinue the speech by the presiding officer."

There is no point of order unless a member cites the House Rule, Joint Rule, or section of Mason's being violated. House Rule 5.04 provides that we rely on Mason's Manual of Legislative Procedure if it is not inconsistent with House Rules, Joint Rules, or established custom and usage of the House.

Mason's section 124 paragraph 1 states: "In debate a member must confine remarks to the question before the house, and avoid personalities." The same section, paragraph 3, states: "It is not the person but the measure that is the subject of debate, and it is not allowable to arraign the motives of a member, but the nature or consequences of a measure may be condemned in strong terms."

Alcohol is not to be consumed in the State Office Building in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Minnesota House of Representatives.

Members and staff shall wear appropriate business attire while on the House floor. Business casual is appropriate.

By observing the above Rules and policies, we will have more focus on the people's business on the floor of the House. Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Winkler moved that when the House adjourns today it adjourn until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, January 10, 2019. The motion prevailed.

Winkler moved that the House adjourn. The motion prevailed, and the Speaker declared the House stands adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, January 10, 2019.

PATRICK D. MURPHY, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives