

PROPERTY TAX DIVISION

MINUTES

Representative Youakim, Chair of the Property Tax Division, called the remote meeting to order at 3:00 P.M. on February 17, 2021, pursuant to House Rule 10.01. The meeting is being broadcast via Zoom and House Public Information Services.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members Present:

YOUAKIM, Cheryl (Chair)  
GOMEZ, Aisha (Vice-Chair)  
HERTAUS, Jerry (GOP-Lead)  
ANDERSON, Paul  
BECKER-FINN, Jamie  
GREEN, Steve  
HASSAN, Hodan  
HER, Kaohly  
MARQUART, Paul  
MORTENSEN, Erik  
PELOWSKI, Gene  
TORKELSON, Paul

Members Excused:

FISCHER, Peter

A quorum was present.

Representative Becker-Finn moved the approval of the February 10, 2021 minutes. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Office of the State Auditor Presentation on Tax Increment Financing Legislative Report

Jason Nord, Assistant State Auditor

HF 618 (Berg) Burnsville; tax increment financing districts authorized

Representative Hertaus moved that HF 618 be laid over for possible inclusion in the Property Tax Division Report.

Representative Berg presented the bill.

Public Testimony:

Elizabeth Kautz, Burnsville Mayor  
Melanie Mesko Lee, Burnsville City Manager

Representative Hertaus renewed his motion that HF 618 be laid over for possible inclusion in the Property Tax Division Report.

HF 736 (O'Driscoll) Sartell; food and beverage tax modified

Representative Hertaus moved that HF 736 be laid over for possible inclusion in the Property Tax Division Report.

Representative Hertaus presented the bill.

Public Testimony:

Ryan Fitzhum, Sartell Mayor

Representative Hertaus renewed his motion that HF 736 be laid over for possible inclusion in the Property Tax Division Report.

HF 551 (Klevorn) Plymouth; local lodging tax expiration date removed

Representative Becker-Finn moved that HF 551 be laid over for possible inclusion in the Property Tax Division Report.

Representative Klevorn presented the bill.

Public Testimony:

Jeffry Wosje, Plymouth Mayor

Dave Callister, Plymouth City Manager

Tony Kwilas, Minnesota Visitors & Convention Bureau

Ben Wogsland, Hospitality Minnesota

Representative Becker-Finn renewed her motion that HF 551 be laid over for possible inclusion in the Property Tax Division Report

HF 759 (Petersburg) Homestead determination provisions modified

Representative Hertaus moved that HF 759 be laid over for possible inclusion in the Property Tax Division Report.

Representative Petersburg presented the bill.

Representative Hertaus renewed his motion that HF 759 be laid over for possible inclusion in the Property Tax Division Report.

The committee adjourned at 4:12 P.M

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Representative Cheryl Youakim, Chair

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Eric Petersen, Committee Legislative Assistant