

CAPITAL INVESTMENT COMMITTEE

MINUTES

Representative Mary Murphy, Vice Chair of the Capital Investment Committee, called the remote meeting to order at 8:30 A.M. on March 22, 2022, pursuant to House rule 10.01. The meeting was conducted over Zoom and broadcast via House Public Information Services, Facebook Live, and YouTube live streaming.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

Members present:

LEE, Fue (Chair)
MURPHY, Mary (Vice Chair)
URDAHL, Dean (Lead)
AGBAJE, Esther
BERG, Kaela
DAVIDS, Greg
FRANKE, Keith
FREIBERG, Mike
HANSEN, Rick
HUOT, John
LILLIE, Leon
LUCERO, Eric
MORAN, Rena
PIERSON, Nels
RALEIGH, Donald
RASMUSSEN, Jordan
REYER, Liz
WEST, Nolan
XIONG, Jay

A quorum was present.

Vice-Chair Murphy moved to approve the minutes from March 10, 2022. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

HF 3918 (Hassan) Urban Indigenous Legacy Initiative funding provided, and money appropriated.

Presenters:

- Dr. Joe Hobot, CEO, American Indian OIC
- Marisa Miakonda Cummings, President/CEO, Minnesota Indian Women's Resource Center

HF 3908 (Pinto) Ethiopian Community Center funding provided, and money appropriated.

Presenters:

- Girma Yismaw, Chair of the Building Committee, Ethiopian Community in Minnesota

HF 4100 (Vang) Brooklyn Center; facility acquisition and renovation funding provided to provide assistance to South Asians.

Presenters:

- Raj Chaudhary, Executive Director, SEWA-AIFW

HF 4101 (Vang) Brooklyn Center; economic development hubs funding provided for Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC); bonds issued; and money appropriated.

Presenters:

- Nelima Sitati Munene, Executive Director, African Career, Education & Resources, Inc.
- Meg Beekman, Economic Development Director, Brooklyn Center

HF 4197 (Moran) St. Paul; Walker West Music Academy grant funding provided to acquire and improve property to support youth music education, and money appropriated.

Presenters:

- Braxton Haulcy, Executive Director, Walker West Music Academy

HF 2855 (Moran) Penumbra Center for Racial Healing funding provided, and money appropriated.

Presenters:

- Sarah Bellamy, President, Penumbra Theatre
- Amy Thomas, Chief Operating Officer, Penumbra Theatre

HF 4097 (Moran) St. Paul; Hallie Q. Brown Community Center funding provided, and money appropriated.

Presenters:

- Jonathan Palmer, Executive Director, Hallie Q. Brown Community Center

HF 3973 (Xiong, J.) St. Paul; PROCEED grant funding provided for a community center, and money appropriated.

Presenters:

- Duane Dutrieuille, Principal, Hazel Park Preparatory Academy
- Douglas Hill, Representing, PROCEED, Inc.

HF 4040 (Agbaje) Minneapolis; Northside Economic Opportunity Network grant for food business incubator funding provided, and money appropriated.

Presenters:

- Warren McLean, President/CEO, Northside Economic Opportunity Network

HF 3797 (Agbaje) Public housing funding provided, and money appropriated.

Presenters:

- Claudia Brodie, Senior Vice President, McCormack Baron Salazar
- Thomas Redd, Resident Community Leader, Heritage Park

HF 3927 (Gomez) Pillsbury United Communities grant funding provided for Pillsbury House Theater, and money appropriated.

Presenters:

- Adair Mosley, President and Chief Executive Officer, Pillsbury United Communities

The meeting was adjourned at 9:57 A.M.

Representative Fue Lee, Chair

Seth Gellman, Committee Legislative Assistant
