

**CLIMATE AND ENERGY FINANCE AND POLICY MINUTES**

Representative Jamie Long, Chair of the Committee on Climate and Energy Finance and Policy, called the virtual meeting to order at 10:30 AM on January 19th, 2021 pursuant to House rule 10.01. The meeting was broadcast via Zoom and House Public Information Services.

The Committee Legislative Assistant noted the roll.

**Members present:**

Long, Jamie, Chair  
Acomb, Patty, Vice Chair  
Swedzinski, Chris, Republican Lead  
Bierman, Robert  
Boe, Greg  
Christensen, Shelly  
Franson, Mary  
Gruenhagen, Glenn  
Hollins, Athena  
Hornstein, Frank  
Igo, Spencer  
Lee, Fue  
Lippert, Todd  
Lislegard, Dave  
Mekeland, Shane  
Munson, Jeremy  
Stephenson, Zack

A quorum was present.

Vice Chair Acomb moved that the minutes of January 12, 2021, be adopted. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Vice Chair Acomb moved that the minutes of January 14, 2021, be adopted. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Presentations were made on Minnesota's Biennial Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reduction Report Testifying:

- Frank Kohlasch, Climate Director, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency
- Jessica Burdette, Division of Energy Resources, Minnesota Department of Commerce

A presentation was made on Energy Innovation's energy policy simulator

Testifying:

- Robbie Orvis, Director of Energy Policy Design, Energy Innovation

The meeting was adjourned 12:05 PM.

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Representative Jamie Long, Chair

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Mike Hermanson, Committee Legislative Assistant