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## HIGHLIGHTS

### Hearing aids

Minnesota would become the 46th state to require licensing of hearing-aid dealers if HF1048 (Frerichs, IR-Rochester) becomes law.

The proposal calls for dealers to pass an examination for a license to legally sell hearing aids in the state. The examination could test fitting, structure, and function of the hearing instruments. It would not apply to doctors and audiologists.

The bill, which got the recommendation of the Commerce and Economic Development Committee on April 18, would require any business or person to put up a surety bond for \$10,000 for every five or fewer of its licensees who dispense hearing aids.

Frerichs says the bill's design is not to hurt or impair the activities of the honest, legitimate dealer. He says it's to get at the door-to-door salespeople who are untrained in proper fitting or selection of hearing instruments and who make profits at the expense of those most vulnerable to high-pressure sales techniques.

### Mosquitos

Summertime's mosquito time in Minnesota, so a bill the Environment and Natural Resources Committee approved on April 18 seems timely. HF840 (Fjoslien, IR-Brandon) would authorize a research program to look at whether state-wide mosquito management programs are necessary.

Rep. Wes Skoglund, another author of the bill, says research would include health, agricultural and animal, and tourism impacts of the pesky bugs.

"We don't really know exactly how much tourism is worth to our economy, but \$10 billion is a figure everybody agrees on as a minimum. If one percent of the people stay away from our state because they don't like mosquitos . . . that's \$100 million.

"The sales taxes alone that people are paying in other states, instead of ours, would pay for this program three times over," says Skoglund.

The committee gave the bill a recommendation to pass, and sent it, along with its \$2.7 million price tag, to the Appropriations Committee.

### Education funding

The Education Division of the Appropriations Committee divided \$1.027 billion this week among four programs.

The Higher Education Coordinating Board (HECB) would get \$133.8 million in state funds over the next two years according to the division's recommendation of April 18. The amount is an 11.4 percent increase over current levels. However, the overall amount available to students in financial assistance is down by \$16 million because of cuts in federal programs.

The state community college system would get almost \$180 million if the April 16 recommendation of the Division stands. The allocation to run the system for the next two years would be \$15 million more than the 1983-1985 allocation, but still \$18 million shy of what the community colleges asked for.

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The state university system's allotment would be \$344.7 million, \$7.5 million less than the governor's recommendation, and 11.4 percent higher than the current level of \$309.4 million.

At an April 15 meeting, the division recommended \$369.1 million for the biennium for state vocational-technical schools, where projections show a small rise in student enrollment (from 38,250 to 40,700). The \$369.1 is a \$36 million increase over the current level of funding.

### Mental anguish damages

Damages for mental anguish over the wrongful loss of a loved one could be a reality in Minnesota under HF568 (Schoenfeld, DFL-Waseca).

On April 18, the Judiciary Committee recommended the bill to pass. It would allow someone who loses a loved one to sue for mental anguish damages.

Present law limits relatives to recovering for pecuniary losses. Courts have interpreted that type of loss to mean financial loss and also loss of advice, comfort, assistance, and protection.

Parents who lose a child or someone who loses an elderly loved one usually do not recover very much in pecuniary damages under the court's interpretation of those damages.

Representatives from the insurance industry opposed the bill saying the change will drive up all types of insurance premiums because it will increase settlements and jury awards.

The bill now goes to the floor of the House.

### Farm products

Buyers of farm products would benefit under a bill the Financial Institutions and Insurance Committee approved on April 17. HF990 (Dimler, IR-Chanhassen) addresses the so-called "double jeopardy issue" which allows lenders to collect from a buyer of farm products if they cannot collect the debt from the farmer and they have recorded their security interest on the farm product.

Supporters of the bill were buyers of farm products. They say it is unfair that they have to pay twice for the farm products — once to the farmers and then again to the lenders when the lenders cannot collect the debt from the farmer.

The bill would set up a buyer registration system which would require buyers of farm products to register in the counties they do business. It would require lenders to notify a buyer of farm products if they have a security interest in the products. The buyers would take the products free of the security interest if the lender fails to notify them.

The bill now goes to the Appropriations Committee.

### Stun guns

HF1525 (Jacobs, DFL-Coon Rapids), a bill to regulate the use of stun guns was before the House Crime and Family Law Committee on April 17. Regulations on sales under the bill would be much the

same as those on mace in current law. That is, people over 18 years old could own and use properly labeled stun guns to defend themselves or their property.

However, people who can't own a pistol under present law, couldn't buy or own a stun gun under this legislation. The list includes: certain felons; the mentally ill; or those convicted of drug offenses, hospitalized for drug use, or committed for chemical dependency. Use of the gun against a peace officer would be a felony.

Local governments would have the authority to license sellers, but the bill provides that state law would supersede any local regulation of possession, use, and sale of the guns.

St. Paul Police Chief William McCutcheon, testifying at the hearing, said the hand-sized gun incapacitates a person with a jolt of electricity to the torso. And although the literature states this effect lasts for up to 15 minutes, McCutcheon says it appears to make someone dysfunctional for about nine seconds, and it's not yet known what the effects are if the jolt is to the head.

Since the committee didn't take a vote on HF1525 on the last day the committee met to take action on bills, it could come up as an amendment to other legislation.

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## Highway contract crime

Contractors, subcontractors, or suppliers guilty of highway construction contract crime would pay the price of one year's debarment under SF43 (Johnson, IR-Caledonia), a bill the Transportation Committee recommended for final passage on April 17.

SF43 would call for the one-year debarment for any contract crimes including bid-rigging, embezzlement, bribery, or forgery, occurring after June 30, 1985. It also prohibits, with some exceptions, local officials and the transportation commissioner (who can terminate a debarment by order) from doing business with a person who is debarred or suspended.

The bill goes next to the full House.

## Jobs program

On April 17, the Human Services Division of the Appropriations Committee voted to recommend \$20 million to the Minnesota Employment and Economic Development Act (MEED), the state jobs program.

MEED is an employer wage subsidy program. The money subsidizes payroll costs for the unemployed who don't receive other jobless benefits. But it also targets Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) recipients and troubled farm families. Seventy-five percent of the recommended funding would go for private sector jobs.

## Vo-tech education

The Board of Vocational-Technical Education presented the state's plan for vo-tech education to the Education Committee April 16. Mel Johnson, from the board, filled committee members in on the direction the system plans to take and some of the challenges it faces.

Johnson said the challenge of matching curriculum planning with the expected labor market demands is ongoing because projecting those demands is a most imprecise science. He said projections are usually based on history, and that's not always the best way to approach measurement of the market.

Johnson said that the vo-tech system will continue to work with the Department of Economic Security, the State Planning Agency, and other offices to help monitor job market developments.

## Farm loan financing

The high cost of credit and capital gains taxes are two of the most critical problems facing Minnesota farmers today, Rep. Merlyn Valan (IR-Moorhead) told the Governmental Operations Committee April 16.

Valan is author of HF1261, a bill he says would help insure the long-term health of the rural economy by providing a form of credit relief and restructuring of capital gains taxes.

HF1261 would allow the state to issue up to \$1 billion in bonds to finance farm loans. Another provision would allow retiring farmers who sell their farms to get an exemption from state income taxes on the capital gains. Interest income on contract-for-deed sales would also be exempt, if the retiring farmer re-invests a portion of the proceeds in the agricultural bonds.

Some members showed concern over how the legislation would affect the state's credit rating, and the possibility the state would have to pay off those bonds if the farm economy doesn't improve and farmers default on the loans.

The committee recommended the bill to pass and rereferred it to the Rules and Legislative Administration Committee.

## Enterprise zone

The city of Cottage Grove lost two-thirds of its industry in the last two years, most of it when the Whirlpool plant near there closed its doors.

But things could get better under HF1213 (Beard, IR-Cottage Grove), a bill the Commerce and Economic Development Committee approved April 16. The bill would add Cottage Grove to the list of sites for state enterprise zones where businesses can get tax breaks if they bring jobs to distressed areas. The city would hope to use the enterprise zone for General Motor's Saturn Auto Plant.

The names of Cottage Grove and Duluth have come up as possible locations for the Saturn Plant which could create nearly 24,000 jobs — 6,000 directly, and 18,000 indirectly.

Author of the legislation, Rep. Pat Beard, says the zone designation would put Cottage Grove on equal footing with Duluth which already has an enterprise zone.

## Business assistance

A bill that would provide financial incentives to attract private investment in medium and large-size manufacturing and industrial businesses won the approval of the Commerce and Economic Development Committee April 16.

The proposed Minnesota Industrial Recovery Act, HF1427 (Carlson, D., IR-Sandstone), would set up an Industrial Development Corporation of government, education, labor, and business leaders.

This group would promote the establishment of new industries or the expansion of existing businesses in distressed areas of the state and tailor financial assistance using resources from an Industrial Recovery Fund.

The fund, also part of the proposed economic development plan, would supplement private investment in new industrial facilities. However, no money from the fund could go to tourism or recreational projects, or to any project that hasn't attracted at least \$2.5 million in private money.

The bill's author, Rep. Doug Carlson, says other states have developed programs that attract private capital investment, and the proposed Minnesota Industrial Recovery Act is similar in many respects to those initiatives.

Rep. Mary Murphy (DFL-Hermantown) urged members to support the bill. She says the program opens doors to both existing and new businesses.

### Tax incentives

HF1265 (Riveness, DFL-Bloomington), a bill creating tax incentives for companies that provide new or expanded manufacturing jobs in greater Minnesota had its first hearing in the Local Government Finance Division of the Taxes Committee on April 15.

Under the proposal, new or expanding companies would pay no corporate, income, or sales taxes for 20 years if they create manufacturing jobs in counties with at least 10 percent unemployment or 10 percent agricultural jobs.

The division plans to take up the proposal again when it considers the omnibus property tax bill.

### Charitable gambling

Charitable organizations wouldn't be able to operate games of chance in commercial bars under a bill recommended to pass by the Taxes Committee on April 15. The bill, HF1055 (Dimler, IR-Chanhassen), would require charitable organizations to have their own liquor license if they want to mix gambling and booze.

Author Rep. Chuck Dimler said the bill would particularly affect charities that have set up pull-tab operations in bars throughout the state. He said the Legislature never authorized such operations.

The measure would also strip the Charitable Gambling Control Board's power to issue gambling licenses, collect taxes, inspect records and regulate distributors. The board could recommend local license suspension or revocation, if local governments fail to act.

The bill now goes to the Appropriations Committee.

### Correction

*In the highlight, "Charity tax deductions," on page 3 of last week's **Session Weekly**, the second paragraph relating to deductions for charitable deductions should read:*

On April 9, the Taxes Committee heard HF246 (McKasy, IR-Mendota Heights), a bill that would let non-itemizers take the same deduction that they get on their federal returns for taxable years 1985 and 1986. For 1985, the deduction would be 50 percent of charitable contributions limited to 50 percent of Federal Adjusted Gross Income (FAGI). For 1986, the deduction would be 100 percent of charitable deductions limited to 50 percent of FAGI.

### Farm financial aid

Assessment of the interest-buydown and debt-restructuring programs the Legislature passed about 30 days ago shows that, to date, loans have gone to over 200 borrowers and a thousand applications are pending.

On April 15, Commerce Commissioner Mike Hatch, whose department administers both programs, gave the Agriculture Committee a rundown on how and who the interest-buydown is helping.

According to Hatch, the average amount for each of the 298 loans was about \$52,000. Interest costs were cut down to about 7-1/2 percent; debt-to-asset ratios balanced out at about 72 percent. About 68 banks are taking part.

Hatch's department, concerned about the low lender participation, surveyed 100 lenders to find out why. Some said the \$3,000 state subsidy is too small for an acceptable cash flow on an operating loan. Others said they need time to adjust to the new program. Others weren't aware of it.

Hatch says the requirement that farmers have a reasonable chance to pay back the money at the lower interest rate may disqualify a number who, due to the economy, couldn't keep operating even if they had the assistance. Also, many lenders misinterpreted this requirement.

Hatch says, after May 1, when most operating loans and federal loans have come through, determining whether the program is addressing the needs of the farmers in the targeted group will be easier. The design of the program is to have banks and the state working together to make spring operating credit available to financially strapped farmers.

### Drinking and boating

Driving a boat while intoxicated (BWI) will carry some stiff penalties if HF456 (Blatz, IR-Bloomington) becomes law. Under the bill, which the House Crime and Family Law Committee recommended to pass April 15, first-time BWI offenders would face misdemeanor penalties that would increase for subsequent offenses. And they'd lose their boat-driving privileges for 90 days.

Refusing a chemical test would carry similar penalties and loss of operating privileges for a year.

Supporting the get-tough-on-boaters-who-drink law at the April 15 meeting was Lois TenEyck who lost her 20-year-old son in a 1983 boating accident. She told the committee that, had it been a car accident that cost her son his life, more action in terms of breath tests and penalties would have come of it.

HF456 would exclude motor-boats securely fastened to a dock, anchored, or drifting with the motor turned off.

### Video for troopers

The age of technology could bring a new twist to court testimony in accident cases. Under the Department of Public Safety (DPS) omnibus bill, HF1128 (Carlson, D., IR-Sandstone), the state would invest \$200,000 in video equipment to allow state troopers to animate their working papers and scale diagrams.

They could then use the tapes as part of their testimony in court proceedings. The bill's author, Rep. Doug Carlson, says it's the most innovative part of the bill which would make numerous changes to department procedures affecting all motorists, including police officers, truckers, and three-wheel vehicle riders.

The Transportation Committee recommended HF1128 to pass April 12 and rereferred it to the Governmental Operations Committee.

### Open meeting law

Minnesota's open meeting law has been on the books since 1957, where it takes up less than two pages in statutes. Supporters of HF529 (Knickerbocker, IR-Hopkins) say the law's vague and leaves much open to interpretation by the public, public bodies, and the courts.

HF529 would give public bodies guidance, or a code to follow, in opening their doors to the public. It would set the civil penalty for violations at a fine of up to \$200, a \$100 increase over what the law says now.

With specific exceptions, all meetings of public bodies would be open to the public, with set requirements for adequate notice.

Closed meetings would include those considering pending or threatened litigation, dealing with specific patients or recipients of welfare, considering allegations or charges of misconduct against public employees, and those considering strategy for labor negotiations.

Exempt from the code would be: the state Legislature, the judiciary, juries, and the board of pardons, the same as in present law.

On April 12, the Governmental Operations Committee recommended HF529 to pass as amended.

### Nursing homes

Minnesota leads the nation in per capita spending on nursing home care, has the fifth highest number of nursing home beds, and the problem's growing. According to Rep. Tony Onnen (IR-Cokato), chair of the Health and Human Services Committee, part of the problem is the number of nursing home beds available and the ease of placing people in nursing homes.

Onnen has introduced HF908, legislation that would expand the 1983 moratorium on nursing home construction to include all expansion, not just that affecting Medicaid patients.

Onnen says the legislation provides mechanisms that will help direct people to alternatives to nursing home care and will save money for individuals and the state. He says Minnesota has seen dramatic improvements in the control of nursing home costs since the 1983 moratorium law went into effect, and this new legislation will continue that movement.

## COMMITTEE ACTION

### AGRICULTURE

Wednesday, April 17

- **Agriculture Department omnibus bill**  
HF687 (Erickson, IR-Hills)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Taxes Committee.
- **Agricultural land preservation program—changes**  
HF1426 (Uphus, IR-Sauk Centre)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
- **Agricultural land—owned by a nursing home**  
HF1570 (Dempsey, IR-New Ulm)—recommended to pass; placed on Consent Calendar.
- **Farm eligibility for economic development loans**  
HF251/SF285\* (Johnson, IR-Caledonia)—recommended to pass.
- **Agricultural input lien—lender's notification response**  
HF1317/SF1118\* (Brinkman, DFL-Richmond)—recommended to pass.
- **Resolution—Minnesota Rural Electric Cooperatives**  
HF10 (Redalen, IR-Fountain)—recommended to pass; rereferred to Rules and Legislative Administration Committee.

### APPROPRIATIONS

Education  
Div./Approp.

Tuesday, April 16

- **SW State University—technology development**  
HF642 (Erickson, IR-Hills)—recommended to pass as amended for inclusion in Education Division omnibus bill.

Wednesday, April 17

- **State University System—parking jurisdiction**  
HF1158 (Piepho, IR-Mankato)—recommended to pass for inclusion in Education Division omnibus bill.

- **Carry-over education funds—exempt**  
HF1414 (Boo, IR-Duluth)—recommended to pass as amended for inclusion in Education Division omnibus bill.
  - **Average cost funding—task force**  
HF1386 (Boo, IR-Duluth)—recommended to pass for inclusion into division omnibus bill.
  - **AVTI's—changes in budget/allocation**  
HF792 (Haukoos, IR-Albert Lea)—recommended to pass as amended for inclusion in Education Division omnibus bill.
  - **Private for-profit schools—consolidation of regulation**  
HF992 (Gruenes, IR-St. Cloud)—recommended to pass as amended for inclusion in Education Division omnibus bill.
  - **Minnesota resident—education definition**  
HF1406 (Kahn, DFL-Mpls)—recommended to pass for inclusion in Education Division omnibus bill.
  - **Eighth graders—information on post secondary education**  
HF878 (Nelson, K., DFL-Mpls)—recommended to pass for inclusion in Education Division omnibus bill.
  - **Financial aid changes—farm/rural business students**  
HF999 (Gruenes, IR-St. Cloud)—recommended to pass as amended for inclusion in Education Division omnibus bill.
  - **Minnesota schools for deaf and blind—study**  
HF1051 (Boo, IR-Duluth)—tabled for interim study.
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- **Part-time students—scholarship grants**  
HF1073 (Boo, IR-Duluth)—recommended to pass as amended for inclusion in Education Division omnibus bill.

## Human Services Div./Approp.

### Wednesday, April 17

- **MEED—state jobs program**  
HF159 (McLaughlin, DFL-Mpls)—recommended to pass as amended for inclusion in Human Services Division omnibus bill.

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## COMMERCE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

### Tuesday, April 16

- **Cottage Grove enterprise zone**  
HF1213 (Beard, DFL-Cottage Grove)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Taxes Committee. (See Highlight)
- **Burnsville—5 more liquor licenses**  
HF1307 (Seaberg, IR-Mendota Heights)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Usury laws—effect of repeal or rate change**  
HF1225 (Carlson, L., DFL-Crystal)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Late payments to farm implement retailers**  
HF43/SF71\* (Johnson, IR-Caledonia)—recommended to pass.
- **Securities/real estate omnibus bill**  
HF842/SF882\* (Marsh, IR-Sauk Rapids)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Liquor licenses—issuance within Indian country**  
HF1343/SF1183\* (Bennett, IR-Shoreview)—recommended to pass.
- **Minnesota Industry Recovery Act of 1985**  
HF1427 (Carlson, D., IR-Sandstone)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Governmental Operations Committee. (See Highlight)

### Thursday, April 18

- **Hearing instrument dispensing—regulation**  
HF1048 (Frerichs, IR-Rochester)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee. (See Highlight)
- **Institute for Invention and Innovation**  
HF976 (Heap, IR-Plymouth)—recommended to pass; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
- **Formaldehyde standards**  
HF1360 (Zaffke, IR-Backus)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Security registration fees**  
HF235 (McKasy, IR-Mendota Heights)—recommended to pass; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
- **Town liquor license moratorium—extended one year**  
HF1233 (Marsh, IR-Sauk Rapids)—heard; laid over until April 19.

## CRIME & FAMILY LAW

### Monday, April 15

- **Boating while intoxicated**  
HF456/SF31 (Blatz, IR-Bloomington)—recommended to pass as amended. (See Highlight)
- **Conservation officers—peace officer authority**  
HF1139/SF569 (Stanisus, IR-White Bear Lake)—rereferred to subcommittee.

- **Indian children—placement**  
HF782/SF691\* (Sviggum, IR-Kenyon)—recommended to pass as amended.

### Wednesday, April 17

- **Assaults—certain penalties increased**  
HF820/SF448\* (Tompkins, IR-Apple Valley)—recommended to repass as amended (committee reconsidered the vote by which they recommended passage on April 8).
- **Health professionals—reporting suspicious wounds**  
HF1029/SF35 (Bennett, IR-Shoreview)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Criminal law—various changes**  
HF851/SF1014 (Marsh, IR-Sauk Rapids)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Psychotherapists—prohibiting sexual relations with patients**  
HF1227/SF1003 (Bishop, IR-Rochester)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Stun guns—regulating use/possession/sale**  
HF1525 (Jacobs, DFL-Coon Rapids)—laid over as amended. (See highlight)
- **Child abuse victims—closed-circuit TV testimony**  
HF466/SF847 (Nelson, K., DFL-Mpls)—amended; laid over for interim study.
- **Domestic abuse act—service by publication**  
HF1205/SF1036 (Greenfield, DFL-Mpls)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Victims rights and compensation**  
HF1231 (Kelly, DFL-St. Paul)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Governmental Operations Committee (HF1131 was amended into HF1231).

## ENVIRONMENT & NATURAL RESOURCES

### Monday, April 15

- **Combined sewage overflow—state financial assistance**  
HF849 (Valento, IR-Little Canada)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Taxes Committee.

### Tuesday, April 16

- **Water management act—local, comprehensive**  
HF961 (Johnson, IR-Caledonia)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Taxes Committee.

- **Todd County hearing unit—payment for legal fees**  
HF1506 (Fjoslien, IR-Brandon)—amended; laid over until April 18.
- Thursday, April 18**
- **Todd County hearing unit—payment for legal fees**  
HF1506 (Fjoslien, IR-Brandon)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
  - **Loggers—emergency aid**  
HF1530 (Neuenschwander, DFL-Int'l Falls)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
  - **Drainage law—recodified**  
HF442 (Jennings, L., DFL-Rush City)—recommended to pass as amended.
  - **St. Louis County—land conveyance**  
HF1497 (Battaglia, DFL-Two Harbors)—recommended to pass.
  - **Koochiching County—land conveyance**  
HF1498 (Neuenschwander, DFL-Two Harbors)—recommended to pass as amended.
  - **Dogs—causing harm to big game or livestock**  
HF366/SF279\* (Hartinger, IR-Coon Rapids)—recommended to pass as amended.
  - **Peat lands—leasing for wild rice farming**  
HF515 (Ogren, DFL-Aitkin)—rereferred to subcommittee.
  - **Mosquito research—statewide program**  
HF840 (Fjoslien, IR-Brandon)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee. (See Highlight)
  - **Water pollution—reimbursement program**  
HF1005 (Valento, IR-Little Canada)—recommended to pass; rereferred to Rules and Legislative Administration Committee.

## FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS & INSURANCE

**Wednesday, April 17**

- **Insolvent insurers—distribution of assets**  
HF857 (Olsen, S., IR-St. Louis Park)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Taxes Committee.
- **Investments in federal debt—mutual funds**  
HF605 (Knickerbocker, IR-Hopkins)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Loan assumptions—extension provided**  
HF1558 (Knickerbocker, IR-Hopkins)—recommended to pass.
- **Housing programs—local, regional review**  
HF1548 (Boo, IR-Duluth)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Taxes Committee.
- **Credit unions—deposit of public funds allowed**  
HF364/SF302\* (Rees, IR-Lakeville)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Taxes Committee
- **Agricultural products—registration system for buyers**  
HF990 (Dimler, IR-Chanhassen)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee. (See Highlight)

## GENERAL LEGISLATION & VETERANS AFFAIRS

**Thursday, April 18**

- **Election officials—testing/training**  
HF1584 (Shaver, IR-Wayzata)—recommended to pass; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
- **Ethics in government act—changes**  
HF1568 (Knickerbocker, IR-Hopkins)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Animals—decompression chambers prohibited**  
HF834 (Kelly, DFL-St. Paul)—recommended to pass.

## GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS

**Friday, April 12**

- **Open meeting law—changes**  
HF529 (Knickerbocker, IR-Hopkins)—recommended to pass as amended. (See Highlight)

**Monday, April 15**

- **Educational institutions—sale of computers**  
HF1338 (Carlson, L., DFL-Crystal)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **State investment board—departmental bill**  
HF817/SF319\* (Knickerbocker, IR-Hopkins)—recommended to pass.
- **Tax investigations—county assistance**  
HF1115 (Kelly, DFL-St. Paul)—laid over.

**Tuesday, April 16**

- **Agricultural finance agency—created**  
HF1261 (Valan, IR-Moorhead)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Rules and Legislative Administration Committee. (See Highlight)

**Wednesday, April 17**

- **Hazardous substances—notice to fire departments**  
HF1546 (Carlson, D., IR-Sandstone)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.

**Thursday, April 18**

- **Council on biotechnology—created**  
HF1274/SF1322 (Piepho, IR-Mankato)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
- **Bilingual services—state/local agencies**  
HF492 (Pappas, DFL-St. Paul)—recommended to pass as amended.

## HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

**Tuesday, April 16**

- **Physical therapy—evaluations and referrals**  
HF346 (Gruenes, IR-St. Cloud)—heard; laid over until April 18.
- **Public guardians—role to be studied**  
HF546 (Sviggum, IR-Kenyon)—recommended to pass.
- **Maternal/child health care—grant distribution**  
HF609 (Sviggum, IR-Kenyon)—recommended to pass; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
- **Day care—setting rates/sliding fee program**  
HF696 (Ozment, IR-Rosemount)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Counties—funds for family reunification**  
HF765 (Sviggum, IR-Kenyon)—recommended to pass; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.

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- **Child support—enforcement incentives**  
HF912 (Clausnitzer, IR-Maple Grove)—recommended to pass as amended.
  - **Programs for nursing home councils**  
HF679/SF251\* (Boo, IR-Duluth)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
  - **Block grant funds—allocations**  
HF828 (Sviggum, IR-Kenyon)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
  - **Mentally retarded—continued commitment**  
HF934 (Long, DFL-Mpls)—recommended to pass as amended.
  - **Poison information—regional centers**  
HF1331/SF1320\* (Onnen, IR-Cokato)—recommended to pass.
- Thursday, April 18**
- **Physical therapy—evaluations and referrals**  
HF346 (Gruenes, IR-St. Cloud)—recommended to pass as amended.
  - **Nursing homes—changes in reimbursement procedures**  
HF769 (Onnen, IR-Cokato)—language from HF1041 amended into the bill; recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
  - **Health expense protection—eligibility changes**  
HF925 (Gruenes, IR-St. Cloud)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
  - **Child support—parental liability**  
HF1018 (Quist, IR-St. Peter)—recommended to pass.
  - **Health care—report on markets**  
HF1134 (Gruenes, IR-St. Cloud)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
  - **Health care program—participation by commissioner**  
HF1049 (Greenfield, DFL-Mpls)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.

- **Neglected children—expanded definition**  
HF1175 (Kiffmeyer, IR-Big Lake)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
- **Regulation of psychotherapists—a legislative study**  
HF1302 (Bishop, IR-Rochester)—recommended to pass.
- **Displaced homemakers—funding for program**  
HF1366 (Boo, IR-Duluth)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
- **Temporary housing—definition**  
HF1391 (Bishop, IR-Rochester)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
- **Brain damaged adults—establishment of services**  
HF1541 (Riveness, DFL-Bloomington)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Medical assistance—to mothers living with parents**  
HF911 (Gruenes, IR-St. Cloud)—recommended to pass.

## JUDICIARY

### Tuesday, April 16

- **Intestate succession—spouses elective share**  
HF661/SF291\* (McKasy, IR-Mendota Heights)—heard as amended; laid over.
- **Uniform conservation easement act**  
HF452/SF455\* (McKasy, IR-Mendota Heights)—heard; laid over.
- **Trade secrets—defined**  
HF1421 (McKasy, IR-Mendota Heights)—recommended to pass.

### Wednesday, April 17

- **Revisor's bill—unconst'l statutes**  
HF1431 (Bishop, IR-Rochester)—recommended to pass as amended.
  - **Contract for deed—notice period**  
HF601 (Halberg, IR-Burnsville)—recommended to pass as amended.
  - **Watercraft titling—security interests**  
HF1014 (Frerichs, IR-Rochester)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
  - **Town cartways—maintenance**  
HF1435 (Quist, IR-St. Peter)—recommended to pass as amended.
  - **Court of Appeals—jurisdiction clarified**  
HF1578 (Bishop, IR-Rochester)—recommended to pass as amended.
  - **Dissolution of marriage—spousal maintenance**  
HF643/SF623\* (Bishop, IR-Rochester)—heard; laid over.
- Thursday, April 18**
- **Dissolution of marriage—spousal maintenance**  
HF643/SF623\* (Bishop, IR-Rochester)—recommended to pass as amended.

- **Multiple defendants—aggregation of damages**  
HF984 (Halberg, IR-Burnsville)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Income taxes—penalty for failure to file**  
HF1405 (Halberg, IR-Burnsville)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Juvenile court records—authority to release**  
HF806 (Kelly, DFL-St. Paul)—recommended to pass.
- **Data privacy**  
HF1589 (Dempsey, IR-New Ulm)—heard.
- **Wrongful death actions—mental anguish damages**  
HF568 (Schoenfeld, DFL-Waseca)—recommended to pass as amended. (See Highlight)
- **Uniform conservation easement act**  
HF452/SF455\* (McKasy, IR-Mendota Heights)—reconsidered and recommended to pass.

## LOCAL & URBAN AFFAIRS

### Tuesday, April 16

- **Solid waste—land disposal prohibited**  
HF939 (Rose, IR-Roseville)—heard; further hearings April 17.

### Wednesday, April 17

- **Minneapolis—establishing special service districts**  
HF384/SF303 (Otis, DFL-Mpls)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Mora/New Ulm/Waseca—special service districts**  
HF592/SF593 (Dempsey, IR-New Ulm)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Municipalities—economic development powers**  
HF922/SF925 (Pauly, IR-Eden Prairie)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Development commissions—providing for dissolutions**  
HF555/SF1165 (Thiede, IR-Pequot Lakes)—laid over until April 18.
- **Local governments—commercial service districts**  
HF975/SF996 (Peterson, DFL-Princeton)—recommended to pass as amended.

- **Firefighters—exemptions from residency requirements**  
HF1282/SF1187 (Blatz, IR-Bloomington)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Dakota County—electronic fund transfers**  
HF1460/SF1404 (Ozment, IR-Rosemount)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Duluth—establishing convention center**  
HF1543/SF1361 (Boo, IR-Duluth)—recommended to pass as amended; referred to Appropriations Committee.
- **Municipal improvements—advertisement of bids**  
HF689/SF542 (Himle, IR-Bloomington)—recommended to pass as amended.

#### Thursday, April 18

- **Fergus Falls—port authority powers**  
HF71/SF63 (Anderson, IR-Ottertail)—recommended to pass.
- **North Mankato—establishes port authority**  
HF693/SF567 (Frederick, IR-Mankato)—recommended to pass.
- **Plymouth—establishes port authority**  
HF743/SF721 (Clausnitzer, IR-Maple Grove)—recommended to pass.
- **Red Wing—establishes port authority**  
HF942/SF904 (Sviggum, IR-Kenyon)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Roseville—powers of port authority**  
HF944 (Valento, IR-Little Canada)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Wadena—establishes port authority**  
HF1309/SF1220 (Richter, IR-Wadena)—recommended to pass.
- **Breckenridge—establishes port authority**  
HF1468/SF1447 (Valan, IR-Moorhead)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Bemidji—community seed capital fund**  
HF1503/SF1411 (Thorson, IR-Bemidji)—recommended to pass.
- **Sheriff's contingency fund—credit amounts increased**  
HF1316/SF1119 (Brinkman, DFL-Richmond)—recommended to pass as amended; placed on Consent Calendar.
- **Lake of the Woods County—public improvement bonds**  
HF584 (Tunheim, DFL-Kennedy)—recommended to pass.
- **Warroad—establishes port authority**  
HF594/SF616 (Tunheim, DFL-Kennedy)—recommended to pass.

## REGULATED INDUSTRIES & ENERGY

### Monday, April 15

- **Local government—energy improvement loan changes**  
HF526 (Solberg, DFL-Bovey)—not recommended to pass.

## RULES & LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATION

### Wednesday, April 17

- **Open meeting law—changes**  
HF529 (Knickerbocker, IR-Hopkins)—recommended to pass; rereferred to Appropriations Committee.
- **Minnesota Zoo—board and funds**  
HF1074 (DenOuden, IR-Prinsburg)—recommended to pass; placed on General Orders.

## TAXES

### Monday, April 15

- **Charitable gambling—changes**  
HF1055 (Dimler, IR-Chanhassen)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Appropriations Committee. (See Highlight)

### Tuesday, April 16

- **Cities, towns—federal payments in lieu of taxes**  
HF610 (Dempsey, IR-New Ulm)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **IDB authority—allocation**  
HF495 (Schreiber, IR-Brooklyn Park)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Combined sewage overflow—state financial assistance**  
HF849 (Valento, IR-Little Canada)—heard; laid over for further action.
- **Non-smoking programs—tax provided**  
HF810 (Quist, IR-St. Peter)—heard; laid over for further action.

## Local Government Finance Div./Taxes

### Monday, April 15

- **Levy base adjustment—loss of federal funds**  
HF1514 (Dempsey, IR-New Ulm)—recommended to pass for inclusion in division's omnibus bill.
- **Opportunity enterprise zones**  
HF1265 (Riveness, DFL-Bloomington)—heard; laid over for further action. (See Highlight)

### Tuesday, April 16

- **Local government aid—towns**  
HF1322 (Omann, IR-St. Joseph)—heard; laid over for further action.
- **Local government aid—formula for cities**  
HF1054 (Tompkins, IR-Apple Valley)—heard; laid over for further action.
- **Local government aid—formula for cities**  
HF1024 (Tomlinson, DFL-St.Paul)—heard; laid over for further action.

- **Local government aid—formula for cities**  
HF1481 (Valento, IR-Little Canada)—heard as amended; laid over for further action.
- **Local government aid—formula for cities**  
HF1567 (Dempsey, IR-New Ulm)—heard; laid over for further action.
- **Local government aid—formula for cities**  
HF1593 (Schreiber, IR-Brooklyn Park)—heard as amended; laid over for further action.

### Thursday, April 18

- **Omnibus property tax bill**  
HFxxx (author)—heard various proposals - some previously adopted by the Division; laid over until April 19.

## TRANSPORTATION

### Friday, April 12

- **Department of Public Safety omnibus bill**  
HF1128 (Carlson, D., IR-Sandstone)—recommended to pass as amended; rereferred to Governmental Operations Committee. (See Highlight)

### Wednesday, April 17

- **Mn/DOT—motor carrier housekeeping bill**  
SF43 (Johnson, IR-Caledonia)—recommended to pass as amended. (See Highlight)
- **Landscape contractors payment**  
HF863/SF833 (Schreiber, IR-Brooklyn Park)—recommended to pass; placed on Consent Calendar.
- **State forest roads**  
HF973 (Carlson, D., IR-Sandstone)—recommended to pass as amended.
- **Resolution—AMTRAK funding**  
HF1413 (Munger, DFL-Duluth)—recommended to pass; rereferred to Rules and Legislative Administration Committee.

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# FLOOR ACTION

## CONSENT CALENDAR

Thursday, April 11

- **Timber harvest informational meeting**  
HF881/SF679\* (Thorson, IR-Bemidji)—passed.
- **St. Louis County—raises emergency fund**  
HF649 (Jaros, DFL-Duluth)—passed.
- **Ramsey County—creation of a personnel system**  
HF907 (Valento, IR-Little Canada)—passed.
- **Retirement—state employees on leave**  
HF1009 (Knickerbocker, IR-Hopkins)—passed.
- **New Brighton—civil service exemptions**  
HF1199 (Knuth, DFL-New Brighton)—passed.
- **White Bear/Ramsey County—land transfer**  
HF1226 (Stanius—IR-Kenyon)—passed.
- **Heartland Trail—land conveyance**  
HF1235 (Zaffke, IR-Backus)—passed.
- **Certified signature on final documents**  
HF1236 (Pauly, IR-Eden Prairie)—passed.
- **Edina firemen's association—general law applies**  
HF1273 (Forsythe, IR-Edina)—passed.
- **Retirement—retirees on firefighters' board**  
HF1336 (Sarna, DFL-Mpls)—passed.
- **Retirement—service credit for disabled officers**  
HF1337 (Sarna, DFL-Mpls)—passed.
- **Retirement—TRA variable participants options**  
HF1404 (Rest, DFL-New Hope)—passed.

Monday, April 15

- **Minneapolis—youth coordination board**  
HF1198/1152 (Nelson, K., DFL-Mpls)—passed.
- **Transcript fees—increased by chief judges**  
HF1382/SF1371 (Cohen, DFL-St. Paul)—passed as amended.
- **Family farm—resolution to preserve**  
HF163 (Krueger, DFL-Staples)—passed.
- **Community development corps—board members' income levels**  
HF580/SF779 (O'Connor, DFL-St. Paul)—passed.
- **Milk requirements—resolution**  
HF1388 (Richter, IR-Wadena)—passed.
- **"Mentally impaired"—definition**  
HF219/SF177\* (Staten, DFL-Mpls)—passed.

## CALENDAR

Thursday, April 11

- **"Star City" signs on interstate highways**  
HF586/SF635\* (McEachern, DFL-St. Michael)—passed as amended.
- **Life insurance companies—funding agreements**  
HF517/SF519 (Knickerbocker, IR-Hopkins)—passed.

Monday, April 15

- **Dept. of Revenue—property taxes**  
HF556/SF472\* (Dempsey, IR-New Ulm)—passed as amended on General Orders.
- **Horseracing—medication/medical testing**  
HF755/SF678 (Carlson, D., IR-Sandstone)—passed as amended on General Orders.
- **Waste disposal facilities/certificate of need**  
HF401/SF617 (Pauly, IR-Eden Prairie)—passed.
- **Corporations—income tax changes**  
HF779/SF822 (McKasy, IR-Mendota Heights)—passed.
- **Dramshop actions—practice/procedure**  
HF255/SF318 (Dempsey, IR-New Ulm)—passed as amended on General Orders.

## CONCURRENCE & REPASSAGE

Tuesday, April 16

- **AVTI—combined districts**  
HF470\*/SF518 (Erickson, IR-Hills)—repassed as amended by the Senate.

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# GOVERNOR

## BILLS THE GOVERNOR SIGNED

Wednesday, April 10

- **PERA reorganization**  
HF110/SF122\* (Knickerbocker)—Chapter 11.
- **Wineries—4 years to use imported grapes**  
HF34\*/SF72 (Redalern)—Chapter 12.
- **Part-time peace officers—requirements**  
HF329\*/SF424 (Olsen, S.)—Chapter 13.
- **Minnesota statutes—copies to libraries**  
HF509\*/SF435 (Ogren)—Chapter 14.
- **Warroad school district—capital loan**  
HF263/SF483\* (Tunheim)—Chapter 15.
- **Registered land surveys/title transfers**  
HF125/SF198\* (Blatz)—Chapter 16.

Tuesday, April 16

- **Veterans of foreign wars—memorial**  
HF177/SF247\* (Valento)—Chapter 17.
- **Hibbing—fixing term of mayor, council**  
HF270/SF287\* (Minne)—Chapter 18.
- **Farm prices intervention—funding/study**  
HF373/SF546\* (McDonald)—Chapter 19.
- **Tree removal—highway right-of-way**  
HF327\*/SF646 (Jennings, L.)—Chapter 20.
- **Mental health—language revisions**  
HF621\*/SF592 (Gruenes)—Chapter 21.
- **Independent telephone company—redefined**  
HF894\*/SF843 (Dyke)—Chapter 22.

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## House of Representatives

### Member directory — office rooms and phone numbers

District	Member	Room*	Phone
10B	Anderson, Bob (IR)	335	296-4946
20A	Anderson, Glen (DFL)	281	296-4228
51A	Backlund, Gordon (IR)	529	296-5510
6A	Battaglia, David (DFL)	231	296-2190
56B	Beard, Patrick W (DFL)	549	296-3135
19A	Becklin, Lynn (IR)	337	296-5364
6B	Begich, Joseph R (DFL)	229	296-5063
53A	Bennett, Tony (IR)	379	296-2907
33B	Bishop, David T (IR)	583	296-0573
41B	Blatz, Kathleen (IR)	509	296-4218
27A	Boerboom, Jim (IR)	423	296-5374
8B	Boo, Ben (IR)	407	296-2228
62B	Brandl, John E (DFL)	311	296-4837
16B	Brinkman, Bernard J (DFL)	251	296-4373
11A	Brown, Charles (DFL)	211	296-4929
43A	Burger, John (IR)	411	296-9188
14B	Carlson, Douglas W (IR)	485	296-4308
9A	Carlson, Joel (IR)	531	296-5515
46B	Carlson, Lyndon R (DFL)	209	296-4255
60A	Clark, Karen (DFL)	225	296-0294
48A	Clausnitzer, Dale A (IR)	523	296-5502
64B	Cohen, Richard J (DFL)	273	296-5931
23A	Dempsey, Terry (IR)	537	296-9303
21B	DenOuden, Gaylin (IR)	381	296-4346
36A	Dimler, Chuck (IR)	539	296-1072
28A	Dyke, Carol (IR)	521	296-5505
5A	Elioff, Dominic J (DFL)	233	296-0170
47B	Ellingson, Bob (DFL)	221	296-3709
27B	Erickson, Wendell O (IR)	563	296-4336
11B	Fjoslien, David (IR)	471	296-4317
42B	Forsythe, Mary M (IR)	365	296-4363
24B	Frederick, Marcel (IR)	525	296-5513
28B	Frederickson, Dennis (IR)	429	296-5373
32A	Frerichs, Don (IR)	367	296-4378
61A	Greenfield, Lee (DFL)	223	296-0173
17B	Gruenes, Dave (IR)	571	296-6316
33A	Gutknecht, Gil (IR)	491	296-9249
38A	Halberg, Charles C (IR)	369	296-4212
50A	Hartinger, John M (IR)	413	296-5369
30A	Hartle, Dean (IR)	421	296-5368
31A	Haukoos, Bob (IR)	371	296-8216
45B	Heap, Jim (IR)	409	296-7026
41A	Himle, John (IR)	453	296-7803
49B	Jacobs, Joel (DFL)	217	296-4231
7B	Jaros, Mike (DFL)	503	296-4246
29A	Jennings, David (IR)	463	296-3240
19B	Jennings, Loren G (DFL)	501	296-0518
34A	Johnson, Virgil J (IR)	487	296-1069
58B	Kahn, Phyllis (DFL)	389	296-4257
29B	Kalis, Henry J (DFL)	277	296-4240
67A	Kelly, Randy C (DFL)	307	296-4277
18B	Kiffmeyer, Ralph R (IR)	431	296-5377
43B	Knickerbocker, Gerald (IR)	443	296-4315
52B	Knuth, Daniel J (DFL)	345	296-0141
54B	Kostohryz, Richard (DFL)	349	296-4936
12B	Krueger, Rick (DFL)	215	296-3201
21A	Kvam, Adolph L (IR)	479	296-4344
55A	Levi, Connie (IR)	459	296-4124
2A	Lieder, Bernie (DFL)	315	296-5091
59A	Long, Dee (DFL)	387	296-0171
17A	Marsh, Marcus (IR)	449	296-7806
35B	McDonald, K J (IR)	437	296-8872
22A	McEachern, Bob (DFL)	203	296-4237
39A	McKasy, Bert J (IR)	403	296-6828
60B	McLaughlin, Peter (DFL)	321	296-7152
55B	McPherson, Harriet (IR)	527	296-5511
39B	Metzen, James (DFL)	545	296-4370

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20B	Miller, Howard (IR)	579	296-5066
5B	Minne, Lona (DFL)	243	296-0172
7A	Munger, Willard M (DFL)	283	296-4282
8A	Murphy, Mary (DFL)	259	296-2676
49A	Nelson, Darby (DFL)	301	296-1729
62A	Nelson, Ken (DFL)	317	296-4244
3A	Neuenschwander, Bob (DFL)	201	296-1188
65A	Norton, Fred C (DFL)	267	296-5158
66B	O'Connor, Rich (DFL)	357	296-7807
14A	Ogren, Paul Anders (DFL)	323	296-7808
44A	Olsen, Sally (IR)	559	296-3964
2B	Olson, Edgar (DFL)	553	296-4265
16A	Omman, Ben (IR)	581	296-6612
22B	Onnen, Tony (IR)	515	296-1534
66A	Osthoff, Tom (DFL)	597	296-4224
59B	Otis, Todd (DFL)	313	296-9281
37B	Ozment, Dennis (IR)	577	296-4306
65B	Pappas, Sandy (DFL)	241	296-9714
42A	Pauly, Sidney (IR)	451	296-7449
18A	Peterson, Jerome (DFL)	253	296-6746
24A	Piepho, Mark (IR)	565	296-3248
31B	Piper, Pat (DFL)	295	296-9248
10A	Popenhagen, Dennis (IR)	401	296-5387
56A	Price, Leonard (DFL)	359	296-3018
50B	Quinn, Joe (DFL)	261	296-2439
23B	Quist, Allen (IR)	567	296-7065
32B	Redalen, Elton R (IR)	591	296-9278
36B	Rees, Tom (IR)	439	296-6926
46A	Rest, Ann H (DFL)	213	296-4176
57A	Rice, James I (DFL)	245	296-4262
12A	Richter, Don (IR)	575	296-4293
40B	Riveness, Phillip J (DFL)	327	296-7158
25B	Rodosovich, Peter (DFL)	551	296-8237
63A	Rose, John (IR)	585	296-4342
58A	Sarna, John (DFL)	353	296-4219
35A	Schafer, Gary L (IR)	557	296-8634
47A	Scheid, Linda (DFL)	593	296-3751
30B	Schoenfeld, Jerry (DFL)	207	296-8635
48B	Schreiber, William (IR)	543	296-4128
38B	Seaberg, Arthur W (IR)	377	296-3533
44B	Segal, Gloria (DFL)	393	296-9889
45A	Shaver, Craig (IR)	331	296-9934
34B	Sherman, Tim (IR)	477	296-8637
51B	Simoneau, Wayne (DFL)	239	296-4331
61B	Skoglund, Wes (DFL)	507	296-4330
3B	Solberg, Loren (DFL)	227	296-2365
1B	Sparby, Wally (DFL)	351	296-9918
53B	Stanius, Brad (IR)	329	296-5363
57B	Staten, Randolph W (DFL)	289	296-8659
26A	Sviggum, Steve (IR)	417	296-2273
13A	Thiede, Paul M (IR)	473	296-4333
4A	Thorson, Ted (IR)	533	296-5516
40A	Tjornhom, Chris (IR)	415	296-5375
67B	Tomlinson, John D (DFL)	303	296-4259
37A	Tompkins, Eileen (IR)	517	296-5506
1A	Tunheim, Jim (DFL)	287	296-9635
15A	Uphus, Sylvester (IR)	433	296-5185
9B	Valan, Merlyn O (IR)	375	296-8829
54A	Valento, Don (IR)	343	296-7153
25A	Vanasek, Robert E (DFL)	237	296-4229
64A	Vellenga, Kathleen (DFL)	279	296-8799
52A	Voss, Gordon (DFL)	255	296-4226
26B	Waltman, Bob (IR)	445	296-9236
15B	Welle, Alan W (DFL)	247	296-6206
13B	Wenzel, Stephen G (DFL)	291	296-4247
63B	Wynia, Ann (DFL)	309	296-3824
4B	Zaffke, Maurice J (IR)	569	296-2451

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# BILL INTRODUCTIONS

## Bill Introductions

Monday, Apr 15

### HF1568—Knickerbocker (IR)—General Legislation/Veterans Affairs

Elections; making certain changes in the ethics in government act; changing the time when certain campaign bills must be rendered; amending statutes; proposing coding for new law; repealing statutes.

### HF1569—Onnen (IR)—Governmental Operations

Public employment labor relations; prohibiting public employee bargaining units of less than five people; amending statutes.

### HF1570—Dempsey (IR)—Agriculture

Agriculture; creating an exception to the corporate farming law; amending statutes.

### HF1571—Gruenes (IR)—Local/Urban Affairs

Housing and redevelopment authorities; extending the authority to provide interest reduction programs through 1987; amending statutes.

### HF1572—Tomlinson (DFL)—General Legislation/Veterans Affairs

Cemeteries; providing for the maintenance of certain cemeteries containing the remains of pioneers and Minnesotans who died through the year 1875; amending statutes.

### HF1573—Redalen (IR)—Taxes

Taxation; income; allowing a credit for electric heat storage furnaces; extending the residential energy credit; amending statutes.

### HF1574—Vanasek (DFL)—Taxes

Taxation; sales and use; permitting a deduction for the costs of collection and remittance; amending statutes.

### HF1575—Dempsey (IR)—Taxes

Taxation; sales and use; exempting farm machinery; including certain repair parts in the definition of farm machinery; amending statutes.

### HF1576—Minne (DFL)—Local/Urban Affairs

City of Hibbing; permitting a special levy to cover the costs of road paving.

### HF1577—Dempsey (IR)—Taxes

Taxation; property; changing the administration and disbursement of certain property tax credits; modifying the process for determining mill rates; changing property classes and classification ratios; changing computation of property tax refunds; appropriating money; amending statutes; proposing coding for new law; repealing statutes.

### HF1578—Bishop (IR)—Judiciary

Courts; clarifying the jurisdiction of the court of appeals to issue writs; amending statutes.

### HF1579—Battaglia (DFL)—Environment/Natural Resources

Appropriations; appropriating money for construction of a dam on Nett Lake in St. Louis county.

### HF1580—Munger (DFL)—Local/Urban Affairs

City of Duluth; modifying lien rights in connection with the collection of installment payments on municipal home energy loans; amending laws.

### HF1581—Rose (IR)—Taxes

Education; establishing a scholarship for excellence program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law.

### HF1582—Boerboom (IR)—Transportation

Motor vehicles; repealing a motor vehicle registration and transfer fee; repealing statutes.

### HF1583—Boerboom (IR)—Environment/Natural Resources

Soil and water conservation; appropriating money for floodplain management.

### HF1584—Shaver (IR)—General Legislation/Veterans Affairs

Elections; changing certain filing provisions; providing for training of election judges and election officials; requiring publication of certain election guides; excepting certain election judges from receiving compensation; changing certain canvassing procedures; providing for certain recounts; defining terms; changing certain deadlines; changing certain procedures relating to voting machines; appropriating money; amending statutes.

### HF1585—Segal (DFL)—Education

Education; providing a state aid incentive for class size reductions in kindergarten through grade 12; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law.

### HF1586—Kelly (DFL)—Crime/Family Law

Crimes; requiring the county attorneys council to develop recommended plea negotiation guidelines; requiring prosecutors to file written reasons supporting plea agreements with the court following the acceptance of a negotiated guilty plea; prohibiting sentence negotiations; proposing coding for new law.

### HF1587—Hartle (IR)—Labor-Management Relations

Public safety; creating a division of elevator inspection in the department of labor and industry; providing for duties, powers, and fees; providing for annual, statewide, certified inspections of elevators by qualified inspectors; allowing municipalities with qualified elevator inspection programs to be exempt from state inspection; establishing a study of elevator safety inspections; requiring a report to the legislature; prescribing a penalty; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law.

### HF1588—Himle (IR)—Taxes

Taxation; income; excluding small foreign sales corporations from the combined report; amending statutes.

### HF1589—Dempsey (IR)—Judiciary

Collection and dissemination of data; classifying government data as confidential, private, nonpublic, protected nonpublic, and public; clarifying issues relating to classifications of data, access to data, and classifications of inactive investigative data; refining provisions of the data practices act; amending statutes; proposing coding for new law; repealing statutes.

### HF1590—Gruenes (IR)—Health/Human Services

Human services; clarifying case management services for the mentally retarded; amending statutes; proposing coding for new law.

### HF1591—Onnen (IR)—Health/Human Services

Human services; requiring licensure of facilities for children and handicapped persons in need of treatment; providing for licensure of certain facilities by the department of human services; allowing licensing of day care units for five or more nonresidents; amending statutes; proposing coding for new law.

### HF1592—Boo (IR)—Health/Human Services

Human services; raising the standards of assistance for families in the general assistance program; limiting monthly payments for facilities with negotiated rates; granting rulemaking authority; appropriating money; amending statutes.

### HF1593—Schreiber (IR)—Taxes

Local government aid; modifying the distribution formula for cities; amending statutes; repealing statutes.

### HF1594—Carlson, J (IR)—Health/Human Services

Human services; changing provisions of the aid to families with dependent children program; redefining human services assistance terms; clarifying assistance provisions; excluding certain property and income for assistance purposes; establishing a procedure for collection of overpayments; excluding certain women from work registration; changing medical assistance length of eligibility; allowing a \$50 disregard for child support; clarifies assistance application and issuance procedures; clarifying the county of responsibility; amending statutes.

### HF1595—Frerichs (IR)—Taxes

Economic development; providing for the creation of economic growth areas; providing tax incentives; proposing coding for new law.

Tuesday, Apr 17

### HF1596—Dimler (IR)—Taxes

Taxation; sales tax; providing for elimination of double taxation in sale and lease-back transactions; appropriating money; amending statutes.

**HF1597—Piepho (IR)—Local/Urban Affairs**  
City of Mankato; permitting the establishment of a port authority.

**HF1598—Onnen (IR)—Taxes**  
Taxation; exempting from income taxation certain income used to purchase long-term care insurance; amending statutes.

**HF1599—Fjoslien (IR)—General Legislation/  
Veterans Affairs**  
State monuments; authorizing development of a plan for a memorial to Native Americans; amending statutes.

**HF1600—Shaver (IR)—Taxes**  
Taxation income; allowing insurance companies to use income as determined under the updated Internal Revenue Code in determining taxable net income under this chapter; amending statutes.

**HF1601—Wynia (DFL)—Health/Human  
Services**  
A resolution memorializing the President and Congress of the United States to amend the Social Security Act to reverse overly-restrictive administrative interpretation of that act.

**HF1602—Wynia (DFL)—Health/Human  
Services**  
Human services; transferring the child care sliding fee program to the department of economic security; expanding the child care sliding fee program; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law; repealing statutes.

#### Thursday, Apr 18

**HF1603—Uphus (IR)—Budget**  
Local government; directing the reimbursement of Pope county for the expenses of law enforcement and damages to public property connected with certain public demonstrations; appropriating money.

**HF1604—Quist (IR)—Health/Human  
Services**  
Human services; establishing a new administration system for certain programs; providing for distribution of system costs; establishing a county services revolving account; appropriating money; proposing coding for new law.

**HF1605—Vellenga (DFL)—Local/Urban  
Affairs**  
Ramsey county; authorizing the issuance of county bonds for capital improvement projects; proposing coding for new law.

**HF1606—Wenzel (DFL)—Taxes**  
Taxation; property; providing that the basic maintenance levy not be applied against certain seasonal recreational property; providing a state reimbursement to school districts; appropriating money; amending statutes.

**HF1607—Sviggum (IR)—Local/Urban  
Affairs**  
Goodhue county; permitting the county to levy a tax for the county historical society.

**HF1608—Osthoff (DFL)—Taxes**  
Taxation; property; changing the order of application of certain credits; amending statutes.

**HF1609—Hartinger (IR)—Local/Urban  
Affairs**  
Public indebtedness; changing notice and election requirements; amending statutes.

**HF1610—McKasy (IR)—Judiciary**  
Courts; eliminating certain mileage expenses that court reporters may claim for reimbursement; eliminating the requirement that a court reporter reside in the district in which he or she is appointed; amending statutes.

## House Advisories

#### Monday, Apr 15

**HA17—Otis (DFL)—Education**  
A proposal to study pupil to teacher ratios.

**HA18—Kvam (IR)—Rules/Legislative  
Administration**  
A proposal for study of the appropriate work for the legislature in even-numbered years.

## Senate Files/ 1st. Readings

#### Monday, Apr 15

**SF70—Schmitz (DFL)—Referred to the  
Chief Clerk for comparison**  
Real property; local and metropolitan government; providing for acquisition and relocation assistance in cases of hardship to owners of homestead property located in a proposed state highway corridor; amending statutes.

**SF597—Taylor (IR)—Local/Urban Affairs**  
City of North Mankato; permitting the establishment of a port authority; authorizing the port authority to exercise the powers of a municipal housing and redevelopment authority.

**SF468—Pehler (DFL)—Education**  
Education; requiring an educational cooperative service unit to conduct a meeting annually to discuss issues of mutual concern and to facilitate coordination and cooperation; amending statutes.

**SF675—Schmitz (DFL)—Transportation**  
Highways; allowing road authorities to designate minimum-maintenance roads; exempting road authorities from liability for damages arising from travel on minimum-maintenance roads; amending statutes; proposing coding for new law.

**SF676—Chmielewski (DFL)—Referred to  
the Chief Clerk for comparison**  
Towns; authorizing the conduct of town business at places located outside the town; amending statutes; proposing coding for new law.

**SF798—Solon (DFL)—Referred to the Chief  
Clerk for comparison**  
Labor; independent school district No. 709; removing educational assistants from civil service; amending laws.

**SF82—Diessner (DFL)—Referred to the  
Chief Clerk for comparison**  
Real property; requiring that condominium floor plans be approved by county surveyor before recording; amending statutes.

**SF152—Frank (DFL)—Financial Institutions/  
Insurance**  
Insurance; accident and health; providing for the extraterritorial application of mandated maternity benefits for unmarried women; amending statutes.

**SF485—Dicklich (DFL)—Commerce/Eco-  
nomic Development**  
Commerce; franchises; providing for the assignment, transfer, or sale of a franchise under certain circumstances; providing certain equitable relief; amending statutes.

**SF568—Dieterich (DFL)—Appropriations**  
Education; directing the commissioner of education to form an advisory committee on nonpublic schools; amending statutes.

**SF126—Lantry (DFL)—Education**  
Education; requiring post-secondary governing boards to develop procedures to facilitate the transfer of credit between institutions; proposing coding for new law.

**SF281—Petty (DFL)—Referred to the Chief  
Clerk for comparison**  
Criminal justice; clarifying the procedure for making certain claims against the state; providing limitations on the payment of claims; placing restrictions on places where work in restitution or community service may be performed; amending statutes.

**SF563—Stumpf (DFL)—Referred to the  
Chief Clerk for comparison**  
Education; requiring the state board of vocational technical education to adopt policies about minimum class size and placement ratios; exempting certain monetary distributions from certain contract procedures; amending statutes; repealing statutes.

**SF566—Jude (DFL)—Referred to the Chief  
Clerk for comparison**  
Civil procedure; providing for the treatment of certain foreign judgments; enacting the Uniform Foreign Country Money-Judgments Recognition Act; proposing coding for new law.

**SF609—Reichgott (DFL)—Referred to the  
Chief Clerk for comparison**  
Human rights; prohibiting the waiver of legal rights or remedies in certain human rights cases; establishing standards for waiver rescission; amending statutes.

**SF783—Moe, R (DFL)—Referred to the  
Chief Clerk for comparison**  
Natural resources; authorizing additions to and deletions from certain state parks; amending laws.

**SF1073—Schmitz (DFL)—Taxes**  
Taxation; providing for installment payments of deferred special assessments plus interest upon sale of green acres property; amending statutes.

**SF1183—Dieterich (DFL)—Commerce/Eco-  
nomic Development**  
Intoxicating liquor; providing for issuance of licenses within Indian country; allowing the sales between collectors of discontinued brands of beer in cans; authorizing the issuance of on-sale licenses in certain theaters in Minneapolis; amending statutes.

**SF441—Bertram (DFL)—Appropriations**  
National guard; changing minimum pay for certain enlisted persons; amending statutes.

**SF557—Frank (DFL)—Referred to the Chief  
Clerk for comparison**  
Insurance; removing the limits on credits offered on workers' compensation insurance premiums; amending statutes.

**SF827—Reichgott (DFL)—Crime/Family Law**  
Marriage dissolution; requiring child support or maintenance obligors to file address or residence changes; amending statutes.

**SF1088—Peterson, Donna (DFL)—Referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison**

Revenue recapture act; including the University of Minnesota in the definition of claimant agency; amending statutes.

**SF302—Petty (DFL)—Financial Institutions/Insurance**

Commerce; providing for deposits of public funds in thrift institutions; amending statutes.

**SF647—Pehler (DFL)—Referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison**

Education; Minnesota Educational Computing Corporation; removing some limits on its powers; providing for compliance with certain bidding laws for management computing services; amending statutes.

**SF750—Chmielewski (DFL)—General Legislation/Veterans Affairs**

Veterans; authorizing the American Veterans to use space in the veterans service building; amending statutes.

**SF916—Berglin (DFL)—Appropriations**

Human services; authorizing the commissioner to establish a state advisory planning council; requiring counties to contract with nonprofit organizations; changing set aside project amounts; amending statutes.

**SF682—Petty (DFL)—Health/Human Services**

Human services; eliminating exclusions to licensing of child care programs; establishing qualifications for licensers; amending statutes.

**SF930—Purfeerst (DFL)—Governmental Operations**

Public safety; motor vehicles; clarifying penalties for failure to provide security for basic reparation benefits; defining terms; requiring certification procedure to obtain tax-exempt passenger vehicle license plates for unmarked vehicle of law enforcement agency; reducing 2,000-pound weight limitation to three-fourths ton for motor vehicles in certain situations; exempting certain returned motor vehicle registration documents from filing fee; prescribing dissemination of traffic accident information to news media; regulating format of certain license plates; increasing weight of vehicles which may be operated with class "C" driver's license; prescribing filing period for clerk of district court to forward drivers license applications and fees to department of public safety; authorizing commissioner of public safety to promulgate school bus driver qualification rules; authorizing access to certain private vehicle tax information under certain conditions; prescribing fees; amending statutes.

**SF623—Reichgott (DFL)—Judiciary**

Marriage dissolution; clarifying factors to consider in awarding maintenance; amending statutes.

**SF709—Jude (DFL)—Referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison**

Courts; raising the jurisdictional limit on claims heard in conciliation court; amending statutes.

**SF693—Spear (DFL)—Referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison**

Crimes; providing for forfeitures of communications devices and proceeds derived from commission of designated offenses; amending statutes.

**SF882—Peterson, Donna (DFL)—Commerce/Economic Development**

Commerce; clarifying submission of applications for directors and officers liability insurance; providing for the withdrawal of certain registration statements; broadening the securities transaction exemptions for isolated sales an limited offerings; repealing the securities transaction for preorganization offerings; simplifying an exemption from franchise registration; providing for disclosure of representation by real estate brokers and salespersons; expanding those officers who may verify corporate broker licenses; altering re-examination requirements for brokers and salespersons who fail to renew their licenses; altering the unclaimed property reporting deadline for life insurance companies; raising the aggregation amount for holders reporting unclaimed property; specifying dates for notifying and advertising owners of abandoned property; and providing for the notification of all lienholders by a unit owners association in an assessment lien foreclosure; amending statutes; proposing coding for new law.

**SF127—Benson (IR)—Environment/Natural Resources**

Game and fish; authorizing big game licenses for nonresident students at resident fees; amending statutes.

**SF330—Stumpf (DFL)—General Legislation/Veterans Affairs**

Public safety; permitting churches to display christmas trees with decorative lights; amending statutes.

**SF728—Wegscheid (DFL)—Rules/Legislative Administration**

A resolution memorializing the 100th anniversary of the birth of Harry S Truman, the 33rd President of the United States.

**SF1307—Vega (DFL)—General Legislation/Veterans Affairs**

Cemeteries; providing for the maintenance of certain cemeteries containing the remains of pioneers and Minnesotans who died through the year 1875; amending statutes.

**SF1334—Vega (DFL)—Regulated Industries/Energy**

Utilities; regulating certain intrastate gas pipelines; amending statutes.

**SF186—Chmielewski (DFL)—Environment/Natural Resources**

Administrative rules; requiring the director of the pollution control agency to give notice of application for a water pollution discharge permit; amending statutes.

**SF285—Kronebusch (IR)—Agriculture**

Farm loans; eliminating the limitation on the gross receipts of farms eligible for economic development loans; amending statutes.

**SF521—Solon (DFL)—Referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison**

Corrections; authorizing the commissioner of corrections to prescribe the conditions under which persons on work release may retain and expend their earnings; providing for inmate contribution to funds for programs to aid victims of crime; clarifying the provisions relating to the use of force by correctional officers in preventing escape; providing preference to county employees displaced when counties change over and request probation services for county courts from the state; removing obsolete language; amending statutes.

**SF1117—Berglin (DFL)—Health/Human Services**

A resolution memorializing the President and Congress of the United States to amend the Social Security Act to reverse overly-restrictive administrative interpretation of that act.

**SF219—Davis (DFL)—Referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison**

Transportation; restricting mowing of highway rights-of-way outside of cities; amending statutes; proposing coding for new law.

**SF359—Dieterich (DFL)—Commerce/Economic Development**

Intoxicating liquor; increasing the maximum license fee for off-sale intoxicating liquor licenses; amending statutes.

**SF805—Spear (DFL)—Health/Human Services**

Human services; regulating long-term sheltered workshop; changing the effective date for long-term sheltered workshop evaluation criteria rules; amending statutes; proposing coding for new law.

**SF381—Lantry (DFL)—Referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison**

Health; specifying nursing home correction order or noncompliance violations and penalties; amending statutes.

**SF437—Petty (DFL)—Referred to the Chief Clerk for comparison**

Insurance; providing for the regulation of fraternal benefit societies; amending statutes; proposing coding for new law; repealing statutes.

**Tuesday, Apr 16**

**SF448—Wegscheid (DFL)—Crime/Family Law**

Crimes; providing penalty for assault of firefighters or emergency medical services personnel; amending statutes.

**SF569—Merriam (DFL)—Crime/Family Law**

Natural resources; granting conservation officers the authority of peace officers under certain circumstances; specifying areas of jurisdiction; amending statutes.

**SF1045—Kroening (DFL)—Commerce/Economic Development**

Commerce; providing for the determination of certain usurious contracts; proposing coding for new law.

**SF221—Davis (DFL)—Agriculture**

Agriculture; providing for the prevention of economic waste in the marketing of certain agricultural crops produced in Minnesota by establishing minimum prices; providing for supply management and orderly marketing, administration, and enforcement; imposing a penalty; proposing coding for new law.

**SF384—Johnson, Doug (DFL)—Appropriations**

State lands; conveying lands to the federal government for Voyageurs National Park; appropriating money; amending statutes.



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#### Monday, April 23

8:00 a.m.

**EDUCATION DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 200. Chr. Rep. Bob Haukoos. Agenda: Dept. of Education; St. Thomas College.

**STATE DEPARTMENTS DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 300 S. Chr. Rep. Gaylin DenOuden. Agenda: Riders and other budget issues.

2:00 p.m.

**The House of Representatives will meet in Session.**

#### After Session

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE DIVISION/Taxes**, Rm. 5. Chr. Rep. Terry Dempsey. Agenda: Consider Division report for inclusion in omnibus bill. Continue Friday, April 19 agenda.

#### Tuesday, April 24

7:30 a.m.

**AGRICULTURE, TRANSPORTATION & SEMI-STATES DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 400 S. Chr. Rep. Merlyn Valan. Agenda: Allocations for Charitable Gambling Board; Racing Commission; Dept. of Public Utilities Commission; Dept. of Transportation - Motor Carrier Safety; Transportation Regulation Board.

8:00 a.m.

**HUMAN SERVICES DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 300 N. Chr. Rep. Bob Anderson. Agenda: Work on Division omnibus bill.

**STATE DEPARTMENTS DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 300 S. Chr. Rep. Gaylin DenOuden. Agenda: Budget issues.

8:15 a.m.

**TAXES**, Rm. 5. Chr. Rep. Bill Schreiber. Agenda: HF1489 (Shaver) Abolishing the combined reporting method of apportioning the income of multistate businesses. HF756 (Schreiber) Omnibus tax bill.

10:00 a.m.

**JOINT SUBCOMMITTEE ON CLAIMS/ House Appropriations & Senate Finance**, Rm. 400 S. Chrs. Rep. Merlyn Valan & Sen. Greg Dahl. Agenda: HF1458/SF165 (Valan); HF1459/SF164 (Valan) Various claims against the state.

2:00 p.m.

**AGRICULTURE, TRANSPORTATION & SEMI-STATES DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 400 S. Chr. Rep. Merlyn Valan. Agenda: Allocations for Dept. of Transportation - General Support Services.

7:00 p.m.

**TAXES**, Rm. 5. Chr. Rep. Bill Schreiber. Agenda: HF569 (Schreiber) Providing a procedure for temporary updating of income tax references to the Internal Revenue Code in certain instances. Continue hearing HF756 (Schreiber) Omnibus tax bill.

#### Wednesday, April 25

7:30 a.m.

**AGRICULTURE, TRANSPORTATION & SEMI-STATES DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 400 S. Chr. Rep. Merlyn Valan. Agenda: Allocations for Dept. of Transportation - Regional Transit Board.

8:00 a.m.

**EDUCATION DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 200. Chr. Rep. Bob Haukoos. Agenda: Review Division omnibus bill.

**HUMAN SERVICES DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 300 N. Chr. Rep. Bob Anderson. Agenda: Work on Division omnibus bill.

**STATE DEPARTMENTS DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 300 S. Chr. Rep. Gaylin DenOuden. Agenda: Budget issues.

2:00 p.m.

**The House of Representatives will meet in Session.**

7:00 p.m.

**LOCAL & URBAN AFFAIRS**, Rm. 200. Chr. Rep. Don Valento. Agenda: HF939 (Rose) Solid waste and sewage sludge management; restricting land disposal of solid waste in the metropolitan area.

#### Thursday, April 26

7:30 a.m.

**AGRICULTURE, TRANSPORTATION & SEMI-STATES DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 400 S. Chr. Rep. Merlyn Valan. Agenda: Allocations for Dept. of Agriculture.

8:00 a.m.

**HUMAN SERVICES DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 300 N. Chr. Rep. Bob Anderson. Agenda: Work on Division omnibus bill.

8:15 a.m.

**TAXES**, Rm. 5. Chr. Rep. Bill Schreiber. Agenda: HF1400 (S. Olsen) Authorizing the conveyance of certain lands from the state to Independent School District No. 270. Remaining agenda to be announced.

8:30 a.m.

**STATE DEPARTMENTS DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 300 S. Chr. Rep. Gaylin DenOuden. Agenda: Budget issues.

2:00 p.m.

**The House of Representatives will meet in Session.**

#### Friday, April 27

8:00 a.m.

**AGRICULTURE, TRANSPORTATION & SEMI-STATES DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 400 S. Chr. Rep. Merlyn Valan. Agenda: To be announced.

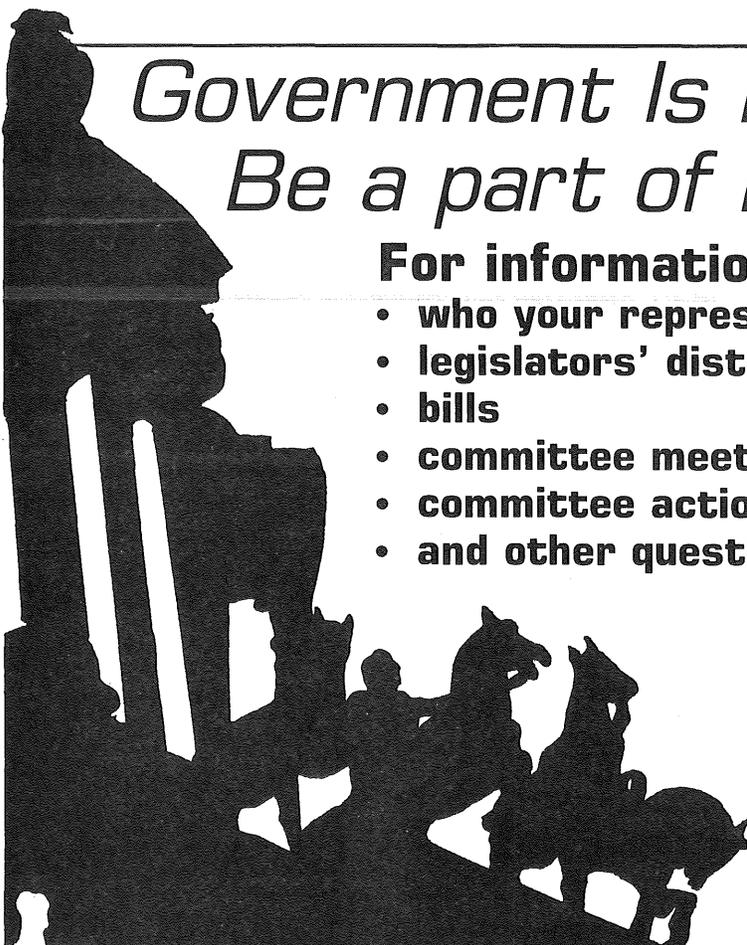
8:30 a.m.

**STATE DEPARTMENTS DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 300 S. Chr. Rep. Gaylin DenOuden. Agenda: Budget issues.

#### Saturday, April 28

9:00 a.m.

**STATE DEPARTMENTS DIVISION/Appropriations**, Rm. 300 S. Chr. Rep. Gaylin DenOuden. Agenda: Budget issues.



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