

**2014 ELECTION DIRECTORY
for the
2015-2016 MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE**



**Minnesota House of Representatives and
Minnesota Senate**

Jan. 28, 2015

2015-2016 House Membership Statistics

List as of Nov. 5, 2014

72 Republican members
62 DFL members
90 members are men
44 members are women
54 Republican men
36 DFL men
18 Republican women
26 DFL women

Newly elected members

26 newly elected members
21 newly elected Republican members
5 newly elected DFL members
19.4 percent of members did not serve last session
20 newly elected members are men
6 newly elected members are women
90.7 percent of incumbents were re-elected
0 Republican incumbents lost
11 DFL incumbents lost
15 seats were open at the time of the election
9 races were uncontested

New House Republican members

Jeff Backer.....	12A	Eric Lucero	30B
Dave Baker	17B	Dale Lueck.....	10B
Peggy Bennett	27A	Tim Miller	17A
Drew Christensen.....	56A	Jim Nash	47A
Brian Daniels.....	24B	Roz Peterson.....	56B
Kelly Fenton	53B	Nels Pierson.....	26B
*Dave Hancock.....	2A	Jason Rarick.....	11B
Josh Heintzeman.....	10A	Dennis Smith	34B
*Jim Knoblach.....	14B	Bob Vogel.....	20A
Jon Koznick.....	58A	Abigail Whelan	35A
Bob Loonan.....	55A		

New House DFL members

Jon Applebaum	44B	Jennifer Schultz.....	7A
Jack Considine	19B	Cheryl Youakim.....	46B
Dave Pinto	64B		

On the cover: A voter enters the Hay Creek Town Hall, in Goodhue County just after it opened for voting Tuesday, Nov. 4.

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*Non-consecutive terms

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2015-2016 Minnesota House of Representatives Members

District	Member/Party	Room*	Phone 651-296-	District	Member/Party	Room*	Phone 651-296-
55B	Albright, Tony (R)	407	5185	43B	Lillie, Leon (DFL)	277	1188
62B	Allen, Susan (DFL)	229	7152	60A	Loeffler, Diane (DFL)	337	4219
9A	Anderson, Mark (R)	579	4293	39B	Lohmer, Kathy (R)	501	4244
12B	Anderson, Paul (R)	597	4317	48B	Loon, Jenifer (R)	449	7449
44A	Anderson, Sarah (R)	583	5511	55A	Loonan, Bob (R)	523	8872
5B	Anzelc, Tom (DFL)	317	4936	30B	Lucero, Eric (R)	515	1534
44B	Applebaum, Jon (DFL)	223	9934	10B	Lueck, Dale (R)	423	2365
52B	Atkins, Joe (DFL)	349	4192	57A	Mack, Tara (R)	545	5506
12A	Backer, Jeff (R)	593	4929	67A	Mahoney, Tim (DFL)	345	4277
17B	Baker, Dave (R)	539	6206	65B	Mariani, Carlos (DFL)	203	9714
32B	Barrett, Bob (R)	567	5377	4B	Marquart, Paul (DFL)	261	6829
27A	Bennett, Peggy (R)	507	8216	51A	Masin, Sandra (DFL)	335	3533
41A	Bernardy, Connie (DFL)	253	5510	29A	McDonald, Joe (R)	503	4336
20B	Bly, David (DFL)	301	0171	54B	McNamara, Denny (R)	365	3135
45A	Carlson Sr., Lyndon (DFL)	283	4255	6A	Melin, Carly (DFL)	315	0172
56A	Christensen, Drew (R)	529	4212	6B	Metsa, Jason (DFL)	313	0170
62A	Clark, Karen (DFL)	273	0294	17A	Miller, Tim (R)	415	4228
19B	Considine, Jr., John (Jack) (DFL)	323	3248	65A	Moran, Rena (DFL)	329	5158
23B	Cornish, Tony (R)	369	4240	59A	Mullery, Joe (DFL)	303	4262
24B	Daniels, Brian (R)	551	8237	64A	Murphy, Erin (DFL)	331	8799
31A	Daudt, Kurt (R)	463	5364	3B	Murphy, Mary (DFL)	343	2676
28B	Davids, Greg (R)	585	9278	47A	Nash, Jim (R)	557	4282
63A	Davnie, Jim (DFL)	393	0173	40A	Nelson, Michael V. (DFL)	351	3751
38B	Dean, Matt (R)	401	3018	15B	Newberger, Jim (R)	371	2451
59B	Dehn, Raymond (DFL)	279	8659	37A	Newton, Jerry (DFL)	387	5369
39A	Dettmer, Bob (R)	565	4124	8A	Nornes, Bud (R)	471	4946
3A	Dill, David (DFL)	311	2190	25B	Norton, Kim (DFL)	281	9249
21B	Draskowski, Steve (R)	591	2273	13B	O'Driscoll, Tim (R)	451	7808
49A	Erhardt, Ron (DFL)	245	4363	29B	O'Neill, Marion (R)	549	5063
15A	Erickson, Sondra (R)	479	6746	28A	Pelowski Jr., Gene (DFL)	295	8637
1A	Fabian, Dan (R)	429	9635	34A	Peppin, Joyce (R)	459	7806
53B	Fenton, Kelly (R)	525	1147	5A	Persell, John (DFL)	359	5516
43A	Fischer, Peter (DFL)	201	5363	24A	Petersburg, John (R)	577	5368
8B	Franson, Mary (R)	517	3201	56B	Peterson, Roz (R)	521	5387
45B	Freiberg, Mike (DFL)	239	4176	26B	Pierson, Nels (R)	379	4378
58B	Garofalo, Pat (R)	485	1069	64B	Pinto, Dave (DFL)	321	4199
2B	Green, Steve (R)	413	9918	27B	Poppe, Jeanne (DFL)	291	4193
18B	Gruenhagen, Glenn (R)	487	4229	33B	Pugh, Cindy (R)	411	4315
23A	Gunther, Bob (R)	563	3240	25A	Quam, Duane (R)	571	9236
31B	Hackbarth, Tom (R)	409	2439	11B	Rarick, Jason (R)	431	0518
51B	Halverson, Laurie (DFL)	233	4128	49B	Rosenthal, Paul (DFL)	213	7803
22B	Hamilton, Rod (R)	443	5373	38A	Runbeck, Linda (R)	417	2907
2A	Hancock, Dave (R)	575	4265	37B	Sanders, Tim (R)	553	4226
52A	Hansen, Rick (DFL)	247	6828	54A	Schoen, Dan (DFL)	327	4342
66A	Hausman, Alice (DFL)	255	3824	22A	Schomacker, Joe (R)	509	5505
10A	Heintzeman, Josh (R)	533	4333	7A	Schultz, Jennifer (DFL)	215	2228
33A	Hertaus, Jerry (R)	403	9188	35B	Scott, Peggy (R)	437	4231
40B	Hilstrom, Debra (DFL)	377	3709	48A	Selcer, Yvonne (DFL)	227	3964
47B	Hoppe, Joe (R)	543	5066	7B	Simonson, Erik (DFL)	221	4246
61A	Hornstein, Frank (DFL)	243	9281	50A	Slocum, Linda (DFL)	207	7158
36B	Hortman, Melissa (DFL)	237	4280	34B	Smith, Dennis (R)	375	5502
13A	Howe, Jeff (R)	527	4373	11A	Sundin, Mike (DFL)	211	4308
42B	Isaacson, Jason (DFL)	389	7153	16A	Swedzinski, Chris (R)	491	5374
32A	Johnson, Brian (R)	421	4346	14A	Theis, Tama (R)	445	6316
19A	Johnson, Clark (DFL)	289	8634	61B	Thissen, Paul (DFL)	267	5375
67B	Johnson, Sheldon (DFL)	259	4201	16B	Torkelson, Paul (R)	381	9303
60B	Kahn, Phyllis (DFL)	353	4257	36A	Uglem, Mark (R)	569	5513
21A	Kelly, Tim (R)	559	8635	18A	Urdahl, Dean (R)	473	4344
1B	Kiel, Debra (R)	537	5091	20A	Vogel, Bob (R)	581	7065
14B	Knoblach, Jim (R)	453	6612	63B	Wagenius, Jean (DFL)	251	4200
58A	Koznick, Jon (R)	367	6926	53A	Ward, JoAnn (DFL)	231	7807
9B	Kresha, Ron (R)	531	4247	35A	Whelan, Abigail (R)	439	1729
41B	Laine, Carolyn (DFL)	287	4331	57B	Wills, Anna (R)	477	4306
50B	Lenczewski, Ann (DFL)	209	4218	46A	Winkler, Ryan (DFL)	309	7026
66B	Lesch, John (DFL)	217	4224	42A	Yarusso, Barb (DFL)	307	0141
26A	Liebling, Tina (DFL)	357	0573	46B	Youakim, Cheryl (DFL)	225	9889
4A	Lien, Ben (DFL)	241	5515	30A	Zerwas, Nick (R)	433	4237

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Born: 3/1/77. **Family:** 3 children. **Occupation:** Homemaker/self-employed, former licensed childcare provider. **Education:** B.A., psychology, University of Minnesota Duluth. **Elected:** 2010. **Term:** 3rd. **Committees:** Agriculture Policy, vice chair; Aging and Long-Term Care Policy; Health and Human Services Finance; Health and Human Services Reform.



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Born: 5/28/60. **Family:** Married, spouse Cindy, 6 children. **Occupation:** Business. **Education:** Diploma, auto body, Detroit Lakes Area Vocational Technical Institute. **Elected:** 2012. **Term:** 2nd. **Committees:** Greater Minnesota Economic and Workforce Development Policy, vice chair; Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance; Legacy Funding Finance.



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Born: 7/12/43. **Family:** Married, spouse Nancy, 1 child. **Occupation:** Business. **Education:** B.S., marketing, St. Cloud State University. **Elected:** 1995. **Term:** 11th. **Committees:** Greater Minnesota Economic and Workforce Development Policy, chair; Aging and Long-Term Care Policy; Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance; Rules and Legislative Administration; Ways and Means.



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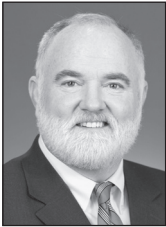


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Term: 1st. **Committees:** Education Innovation Policy; Mining and Outdoor Recreation Policy; Public Safety and Crime Prevention Policy and Finance; Transportation Policy and Finance.



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Committees: Mining and Outdoor Recreation Policy, vice chair; Agriculture Finance; Agriculture Policy; Veterans Affairs Division.



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Born: 7/17/80. **Family:** Single. **Occupation:** Legislator. **Education:** A.A., Mesabi Range Community and Technical College. **Elected:** 2012. **Term:** 2nd. **Committees:** Agriculture Finance; Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance; Mining and Outdoor Recreation Policy.



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Born: 9/23/67. **Family:** Married, spouse Kim, 6 children. **Occupation:** Business owner. **Education:** B.A., political geography, University of Nebraska Omaha. **Elected:** 2014. **Term:** 1st. **Committees:** Government Operations and Elections Policy; State Government Finance; Transportation Policy and Finance.



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Born: 4/12/72. **Family:** 2 children. **Occupation:** Prosecutor. **Education:** B.A., government, Harvard University; J.D./M.B.A., law/management, University of Virginia. **Elected:** 2014. **Term:** 1st. **Committees:** Civil Law and Data Practices; Property Tax and Local Government Finance Division; Rules and Legislative Administration.



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Occupation: Small-business owner. **Education:** A.A.S., microcomputer, St. Cloud Technical College. **Elected:** 2013.
Term: 2nd. **Committees:** Aging and Long-Term Care Policy, vice chair; Capital Investment; Commerce and Regulatory Reform; Government Operations and Elections Policy.



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Davids, Greg		Lien, Ben		Schomacker, Joe	Shoe-mah-ker
Davnie, Jim	DAV-nee	Lillie, Leon		Schultz, Jennifer	
Dean, Matt		Loeffler, Diane	LAW-fler	Scott, Peggy	
Dehn, Raymond	Dean	Lohmer, Kathy	Low-mer	Selcer, Yvonne	Sell-ser
Dettmer, Bob		Loon, Jenifer		Simonson, Erik	
Dill, David		Loonan, Bob		Slocum, Linda	Slow-come
Drazkowski, Steve	Draz-cow-ski	Lucero, Eric		Smith, Dennis	
Erhardt, Ron	AIR-heart	Lueck, Dale		Sundin, Mike	Sundeen
Erickson, Sondra		Mack, Tara		Swedzinski, Chris	Swa-zin-ski
Fabian, Dan	Faye-be-n	Mahoney, Tim		Theis, Tama	Tice
Fenton, Kelly		Mariani, Carlos	Ma-ree-AH-nee	Thissen, Paul	TEE-sen
Fischer, Peter		Marquart, Paul	MAR-qwort	Torkelson, Paul	
Franson, Mary		Masin, Sandra	Mason	Uglen, Mark	
Freiberg, Mike	Fry-berg	McDonald, Joe		Urdahl, Dean	
Garofalo, Pat	Ga-ra-fa-low	McNamara, Denny		Vogel, Bob	
Green, Steve		Melin, -Carly	Ma-lean	Wagenius, Jean	wa-GHEEN-yus
Gruenhagen, Glenn	Grun-hagen	Metsa, Jason		Ward, JoAnn	
Gunther, Bob		Miller, Tim		Whelan, Abigail	
Hackbarth, Tom		Moran, Rena	Mo-ran	Wills, Anna	
Halverson, Laurie		Mullery, Joe	MULL-ery	Winkler, Ryan	
Hamilton, Rod		Murphy, Mary		Yarusso, Barb	Yah-roo-sew
Hancock, Dave		Murphy, Erin		Youakim, Cheryl	U-wa-keem
Hansen, Rick		Nash, Jim		Zerwas, Nick	
Hausman, Alice		Nelson, Michael V.			

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Aging and

Long-Term Care Policy

509 State Office Building..... 296-5505

Meets: Wednesday at 8:15 a.m. in Room 10*

Members: 16

Chair: Schomacker-R

Vice Chair: Theis-R

DFL Lead: Lillie-DFL

Baker-R	Liebling-DFL
Christensen-R	Masin-DFL
Considine, Jr.-DFL	Miller-R
Daniels-R	Newton-DFL
Franson-R	Rosenthal-DFL
Gunther-R	Yarusso-DFL
Kiel-R	

Staff

Committee Administrator

Holly Iverson Hayden296-4305

Committee Legislative Assistant

Nick Lunneborg.....296-5998

Agriculture Finance

443 State Office Building..... 296-5373

Meets: Tuesday and Thursday at 10:15 a.m. in Room 5*

Members: 20

Chair: Hamilton-R

Vice Chair: Kiel-R

DFL Lead: Poppe-DFL

Anderson, M.-R	Hansen-DFL
Anderson, P.-R	Johnson, C.-DFL
Applebaum-DFL	Lueck-R
Bennett-R	Metsa-DFL
Bly-DFL	Miller-R
Clark-DFL	Pierson-R
Daniels-R	Sundin-DFL
Dill-DFL	ex-officio
Fabian-R	Knoblach-R**
Gruenhagen-R	

Staff

Committee Administrator

Mark Nisley296-1540

Committee Legislative Assistant

Alex Braatz296-5494

Agriculture Policy

597 State Office Building..... 296-4317

Meets: Wednesday at 10:15 a.m. in Room 5*

Members: 16

Chair: Anderson, P.-R

Vice Chair: Franson-R

DFL Lead: Bly-DFL

Allen-DFL	Marquart-DFL
Anderson, M.-R	Nornes-R
Backer-R	Poppe-DFL
Hamilton-R	Rarick-R
Johnson, C.-DFL	Schomacker-R
Lueck-R	Schultz-DFL
Mariani-DFL	

Staff

Committee Administrator

Mark Nisley296-1540

Committee Legislative Assistant

Tyler Webster296-7881

Capital Investment

381 State Office Building..... 296-9303

Meets: Tuesday and Thursday at 12:45 p.m. in Room 10*

Members: 21

Chair: Torkelson-R

Vice Chair: Swedzinski-R

DFL Lead: Hausman-DFL

Albright-R	Poppe-DFL
Atkins-DFL	Rarick-R
Dehn-DFL	Runbeck-R
Hansen-DFL	Smith-R
Howe-R	Theis-R
Lillie-DFL	Uglem-R
Melin-DFL	Urdahl-R
O'Driscoll-R	Vogel-R
Pelowski-DFL	Wagenius-DFL

Staff

Committee Administrator

Gavin Hanson296-4172

Committee Legislative Assistant

Kelly Kemper.....296-2208

Civil Law and Data Practices

437 State Office Building..... 296-4231

Meets: Tuesday and Thursday at 8:15 a.m. in Room 10*

Members: 13

Chair: Scott-R

Vice Chair: Smith-R

DFL Lead: Lesch-DFL

Applebaum-DFL	Lohmer-R
Gruenhagen-R	Pinto-DFL
Hilstrom-DFL	Schoen-DFL
Hoppe-R	Vogel-R
Johnson, B.-R	Zerwas-R

Staff

Committee Administrator

Callie Lehman.....296-5523

Committee Legislative Assistant

Alex Pouliot.....296-5813

Commerce and

Regulatory Reform

543 State Office Building..... 296-5066

Meets: Tuesday and Wednesday at 2:45 p.m. in Basement Hearing Room*

Members: 20

Chair: Hoppe-R

Vice Chair: O'Driscoll-R

DFL Lead: Atkins-DFL

Anderson, S.-R	Loonan-R
Applebaum-DFL	Sanders-R
Davids-R	Scott-R
Dehn-DFL	Slocum-DFL
Halverson-DFL	Smith-R
Johnson, S.-DFL	Sundin-DFL
Kresha-R	Swedzinski-R
Lillie-DFL	Theis-R
Loon-R	

Staff

Committee Administrator

John Reynolds.....296-5485

Committee Legislative Assistant

Karen Rudeen.....297-8407

Education Finance

449 State Office Building..... 296-7449

Meets: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 12:45 p.m. in Room 5*

Members: 22

Chair: Loon-R

Vice Chair: Kresha-R

DFL Lead: Murphy, M.-DFL

Anderson, P.-R	Mullery-DFL
Anzelc-DFL	Newton-DFL
Bennett-R	Nornes-R
Christensen-R	Peterson-R
Davnie-DFL	Quam-R
Dettmer-R	Selcer-DFL
Erickson-R	Slocum-DFL
Fenton-R	Wills-R
Hertaus-R	ex-officio
Mariani-DFL	Knoblach-R**
Marquart-DFL	

Staff

Committee Administrator

Jody Withers.....296-4141

Committee Legislative Assistant

Tim Smith.....296-5497

Education Innovation Policy

479 State Office Building..... 296-6746

Meets: Tuesday and Thursday at 8:15 a.m. in Basement Hearing Room*

Members: 19

Chair: Erickson-R

Vice Chair: Bennett-R

DFL Lead: Mariani-DFL

Bly-DFL	Pierson-R
Christensen-R	Selcer-DFL
Davnie-DFL	Urdahl-R
Kresha-R	Ward-DFL
Lucero-R	Whelan-R
Moran-DFL	Wills-R
Nornes-R	Winkler-DFL
Peterson-R	Yarusso-DFL

Staff

Committee Administrator

Carmen Mayo296-7191

Committee Legislative Assistant

Ethan Hellier296-5380

Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance

365 State Office Building..... 296-3135

Meets: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 8:15 a.m. in Room 5*

Members: 21

Chair: McNamara-R

Vice Chair: Fabian-R

DFL Lead: Hansen-DFL

Clark-DFL	Hornstein-DFL
Cornish-R	Johnson, C.-DFL
Dill-DFL	Newberger-R
Fenton-R	Persell-DFL
Fischer-DFL	Poppe-DFL
Green-R	Rarick-R
Hackbarth-R	Torkelson-R
Hancock-R	Uglem-R
Hausman-DFL	ex-officio
Heintzeman-R	Knoblach-R**

Staff

Committee Administrator

Amy Zipko.....296-4091

Committee Legislative Assistant

Greg Exley296-4375

Ethics

479 State Office Building..... 296-6746

Meets: At the call of the chair in (No Room Assigned)*

Members: 6

Chair: Erickson-R

DFL Lead: Murphy, M.-DFL

Dehn-DFL	(A)Atkins-DFL
Kelly-R	(A)Mack-R

Staff

Committee Administrator

Craig Stone296-5367

Committee Legislative Assistant

Ethan Hellier296-5380

(A) - Alternate

Government Operations and Elections Policy

553 State Office Building..... 296-4226

Meets: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 10:15 a.m. in Basement Hearing Room*

Members: 15

Chair: Sanders-R

Vice Chair: Pugh-R

DFL Lead: Nelson-DFL

Albright-R	Runbeck-R
Fenton-R	Scott-R
Halverson-DFL	Selcer-DFL
Laine-DFL	Theis-R
Mullery-DFL	Youakim-DFL
Nash-R	ex-officio
O'Driscoll-R	Knoblach-R**

Staff

Committee Administrator

Amanda Tinsley.....297-8134

Committee Legislative Assistant

Nolan West296-5388

Greater Minnesota Economic and Workforce Development Policy

563 State Office Building..... 296-3240

Meets: Tuesday and Thursday at 12:45 p.m. in Basement Hearing Room*

Members: 15

Chair: Gunther-R

Vice Chair: Green-R

DFL Lead: Norton-DFL

Barrett-R	Lien-DFL
Dill-DFL	Mahoney-DFL
Garofalo-R	Miller-R
Hancock-R	Moran-DFL
Johnson, B.-R	O'Neill-R
Kiel-R	Sundin-DFL

Staff

Committee Administrator

Laura Larson296-5529

Committee Legislative Assistant

Rebecca Meade296-8871

Health and Human Services Finance

401 State Office Building..... 296-3018
Meets: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 12:45 p.m. in Room 200*

Members: 19
Chair: Dean-R
Vice Chair: McDonald-R
DFL Lead Health Care: Liebling-DFL
DFL Lead Human Services: Loeffler-DFL

Allen-DFL	Murphy, E.-DFL
Backer-R	Persell-DFL
Franson-R	Pierson-R
Gruenhagen-R	Schoen-DFL
Halverson-DFL	Schomacker-R
Hamilton-R	Zerwas-R
Laine-DFL	ex-officio
Lohmer-R	Knoblach-R**
Mack-R	

Staff
Committee Administrator
Holly Iverson Hayden296-4305
Committee Legislative Assistant
Chris Stolarzyk.....296-9194

Health and Human Services Reform

545 State Office Building..... 296-5506
Meets: Tuesday and Wednesday at 2:45 p.m. in Room 200*

Members: 22
Chair: Mack-R
Vice Chair: Peterson-R
DFL Lead: Mullery-DFL

Albright-R	Loeffler-DFL
Allen-DFL	Lohmer-R
Backer-R	Masin-DFL
Baker-R	Moran-DFL
Dean-R	Pierson-R
Fischer-DFL	Quam-R
Franson-R	Schomacker-R
Freiberg-DFL	Schultz-DFL
Kelly-R	Zerwas-R
Liebling-DFL	

Staff
Committee Administrator
Rachel Stuckey296-4312
Committee Legislative Assistant
Rachael Bucholz.....296-5884

Higher Education Policy and Finance

471 State Office Building..... 296-4946
Meets: Tuesday and Wednesday at 2:45 p.m. in Room 5*

Members: 17
Chair: Nornes-R
Vice Chair: O'Neill-R
DFL Lead: Pelowski-DFL

Barrett-R	McDonald-R
Bernardy-DFL	Norton-DFL
Christensen-R	Pugh-R
Daniels-R	Rosenthal-DFL
Gruenhagen-R	Whelan-R
Heintzeman-R	Winkler-DFL
Isaacson-DFL	ex-officio
Lien-DFL	Knoblach-R**

Staff
Committee Administrator
Stacey Stout296-5508
Committee Legislative Assistant
Kaley Taffe296-9183

Job Growth and Energy Affordability Policy and Finance

485 State Office Building..... 296-1069
Meets: Monday and Wednesday at 12:45 p.m. in Room 10*

Members: 19
Chair: Garofalo-R
Vice Chair: Baker-R
DFL Lead Jobs and Energy: Mahoney-DFL
DFL Lead Housing: Clark-DFL

Fabian-R	Scott-R
Gunther-R	Simonson-DFL
Hortman-DFL	Smith-R
Isaacson-DFL	Swedzinski-R
Johnson, S.-DFL	Vogel-R
Loonan-R	Wagenius-DFL
Metsa-DFL	ex-officio
Newberger-R	Knoblach-R**
O'Neill-R	

Staff
Committee Administrator
Harry Kennedy296-5065
Committee Legislative Assistant
Jonathan Fortner296-5992

Legacy Funding Finance

473 State Office Building..... 296-4344
Meets: Monday at 12:45 p.m. in Basement Hearing Room*

Members: 12
Chair: Urdahl-R
Vice Chair: Heintzeman-R
DFL Lead: Kahn-DFL

Daniels-R	Murphy, M.-DFL
Freiberg-DFL	Torkelson-R
Green-R	Wills-R
Lillie-DFL	ex-officio
Miller-R	Knoblach-R**
Murphy, E.-DFL	

Staff
Committee Administrator
Gavin Hanson296-4172
Committee Legislative Assistant
Leah Patton.....296-9895

Mining and Outdoor Recreation Policy

409 State Office Building..... 296-2439
Meets: Tuesday and Wednesday at 2:45 p.m. in Room 10*

Members: 15
Chair: Hackbarth-R
Vice Chair: Lueck-R
DFL Lead: Dill-DFL

Anderson, M.-R	Kiel-R
Anzelc-DFL	Lucero-R
Considine, Jr.-DFL	McNamara-R
Cornish-R	Melin-DFL
Hertaus-R	Metsa-DFL
Johnson, B.-R	Yarusso-DFL

Staff
Committee Administrator
Stephanie Lamphere.....296-5528
Committee Legislative Assistant
Claire Leiter.....296-4272

**Public Safety and Crime
Prevention Policy and Finance**

369 State Office Building..... 296-4240
Meets: Tuesday, Wednesday and
Thursday at 10:15 a.m. in Room 10*

Members: 17
Chair: Cornish-R
Vice Chair: Johnson, B.-R
DFL Lead: Hilstrom-DFL

Considine, Jr.-DFL Quam-R
Dehn-DFL Rosenthal-DFL
Hertaus-R Schoen-DFL
Howe-R Ward-DFL
Lohmer-R Winkler-DFL
Lucero-R Zerwas-R
Newberger-R **ex-officio**
O'Neill-R Knoblach-R**

Staff
Committee Administrator
Mike Valleau.....296-9115
Committee Legislative Assistant
Simon Gottlieb.....296-5356

**Rules and
Legislative Administration**

459 State Office Building..... 296-7806
Meets: At the call of the chair in
(No Room Assigned)*

Members: 23
Chair: Peppin-R
Vice Chair: Fenton-R
DFL Lead: Thissen-DFL

Albright-R Mack-R
Bernardy-DFL Nelson-DFL
Freiberg-DFL O'Driscoll-R
Garofalo-R O'Neill-R
Gunther-R Pelowski-DFL
Hoppe-R Pinto-DFL
Hortman-DFL Sanders-R
Isaacson-DFL Scott-R
Kelly-R Swedzinski-R
Kresha-R Youakim-DFL

Staff
Committee Administrator
Olivia Karns296-0640
Committee Legislative Assistant
Kacie Petersen296-5068

State Government Finance

583 State Office Building..... 296-5511
Meets: Tuesday, Wednesday and
Thursday at 8:15 a.m. in Room 200*

Members: 17
Chair: Anderson, S.-R
Vice Chair: Howe-R
DFL Lead: Johnson, S.-DFL

Albright-R Nash-R
Anderson, M.-R Nelson-DFL
Carlson-DFL Petersburg-R
Dettmer-R Pugh-R
Erhardt-DFL Runbeck-R
Kahn-DFL Schultz-DFL
Laine-DFL **ex-officio**
Loonan-R Knoblach-R**

Staff
Committee Administrator
Adam Seidel296-1544
Committee Legislative Assistant
Kelly Johnson296-9471

Veterans Affairs Division

565 State Office Building..... 296-4124
Meets: Monday at 12:45 p.m. in Room 200*

Members: 11
Chair: Dettmer-R
Vice Chair: Hancock-R
DFL Lead: Persell-DFL

Davids-R Newton-DFL
Fischer-DFL O'Driscoll-R
Lesch-DFL Pugh-R
Lueck-R Ward-DFL

Staff
Committee Administrator
Adam Seidel296-1544
Committee Legislative Assistant
Jeremiah Wingstedt.....296-6860

Taxes

585 State Office Building..... 296-9278
Meets: Tuesday, Wednesday and
Thursday at 10:15 a.m. in Room 200*

Members: 25
Chair: Davids-R
Vice Chair: Barrett-R
DFL Lead: Lenczewski-DFL

Anderson, S.-R Lesch-DFL
Anzelc-DFL Loeffler-DFL
Carlson-DFL Loon-R
Davnier-DFL McDonald-R
Drazkowski-R Melin-DFL
Erhardt-DFL Petersburg-R
Erickson-R Simonson-DFL
Garofalo-R Slocum-DFL
Hackbarth-R Swedzinski-R
Knoblach-R Torkelson-R
Koznick-R Wills-R

Staff
Committee Administrator
Stephen Rubis.....296-5994
Committee Legislative Assistant
Andrew Hasek.....296-5322

**Property Tax and
Local Government Finance Division**

591 State Office Building..... 296-2273
Meets: Wednesday at 8:15 a.m. in
Basement Hearing Room*

Members: 16
Chair: Drazkowski-R
Vice Chair: Quam-R
DFL Lead: Davnie-DFL

Anderson, P.-R Pinto-DFL
Erickson-R Simonson-DFL
Hertaus-R Vogel-R
Koznick-R Whelan-R
Lenczewski-DFL Youakim-DFL
Lien-DFL **ex-officio**
Marquart-DFL Knoblach-R**
McDonald-R

Staff
Committee Administrator
Stephen Rubis.....296-5994
Committee Legislative Assistant
Grant Erickson.....296-9710

Transportation Policy and Finance

559 State Office Building..... 296-8635

Meets: Monday at 12:45 p.m. in Room 5*
and Wednesday at 12:45 p.m. in
Basement Hearing Room*

Members: 21

Chair: Kelly-R

Vice Chair: Petersburg-R

Co-DFL Lead: Erhardt-DFL

Co-DFL Lead: Hornstein-DFL

Anderson, M.-R	McNamara-R
Atkins-DFL	Nash-R
Bernardy-DFL	Norton-DFL
Drazkowski-R	Runbeck-R
Hausman-DFL	Sanders-R
Howe-R	Sundin-DFL
Johnson, C.-DFL	Uglem-R
Koznick-R	Whelan-R
Lucero-R	ex-officio
Masin-DFL	Knoblach-R**

Staff

Committee Administrator

Joe Marble.....296-7185

Committee Legislative Assistant

Natalie Cecchini296-5999

Ways and Means

453 State Office Building..... 296-6612

Meets: Monday at 10:15 a.m. in Room 200*

Members: 28

Chair: Knoblach-R

Vice Chair: Albright-R

DFL Lead: Carlson-DFL

Anderson, S.-R	Lenczewski-DFL
Cornish-R	Liebling-DFL
Davids-R	Loon-R
Dean-R	Mahoney-DFL
Dettmer-R	McNamara-R
Drazkowski-R	Murphy, M.-DFL
Garofalo-R	Nornes-R
Gunther-R	Pelowski-DFL
Hackbarth-R	Poppe-DFL
Hamilton-R	Torkelson-R
Hilstrom-DFL	Urdahl-R
Hornstein-DFL	Wagenius-DFL
Kahn-DFL	

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Paul Gazelka
Bill Ingebrigtsen
Carrie Ruud

Minority Whips
David Osmek

The Minnesota Senate was not up for election this year.

Demographics

Party Affiliation

Republican	28	42%
DFL.....	39	58%

Gender

Male.....	44	66%
Male - Republican	20	30%
Male - DFL	24	36%
Female.....	23	34%
Female - Republican.....	8	12%
Female - DFL.....	15	22%

Seniority

10th Term	1	1%
9th Term	3	4%
8th Term	1	1%
7th Term	2	3%
6th Term	1	1%
5th Term	2	3%
4th Term	10	15%
3rd Term	7	10%
2nd Term	20	30%
1st Term	20	30%

Legislative Service

Longest Serving(10 Terms) in the Senate.....	1	1%
Senators who previously served in the House of Representatives	27	40%

Marital Status and Family

Senators with Children.....	54	81%
Married.....	52	78%
Single.....	1	1%
Did Not Report.....	14	21%

Age

In their thirties.....	1	1%
In their forties.....	7	10%
In their fifties.....	14	21%
In their sixties.....	16	24%
In their seventies.....	3	4%
Did Not Report.....	26	39%

Highest Level of Education

Bachelor's degree	24	36%
Master's degree.....	14	21%
Some post-secondary education.....	8	12%
Professional degree.....	6	9%
Doctoral degree.....	4	6%
Associate's degree.....	2	3%
High school diploma.....	1	1%
Did not report.....	8	12%

Occupation

Business	16	24%
Law	8	12%
Financial services.....	7	10%
Legislator	7	10%
Medical.....	4	6%
Retired.....	4	6%
Real estate.....	3	4%
Education.....	3	4%
Communication.....	3	4%
Farming.....	2	3%
Did not report.....	10	15%

Senators

Minnesota Senate Election Directory

Dist.	Member (Party)	Office	Phone (651) 29	Dist.	Member (Party)	Office	Phone (651) 29
1	Stumpf, LeRoy A. (DFL)	G-12 Cap.	6-8660	35	Petersen, Branden (R)	127 SOB	6-3733
2	Skoe, Rod (DFL)	235 Cap.	6-4196	36	Hoffman, John A. (DFL)	328 Cap.	6-4154
3	Bakk, Thomas M. (DFL)	232 Cap.	6-8881	37	Johnson, Alice M. (DFL)	205 Cap.	6-2556
4	Eken, Kent (DFL)	303 Cap.	6-3205	38	Chamberlain, Roger C. (R)	129 SOB	6-1253
5	Saxhaug, Tom (DFL)	328 Cap.	6-4136	39	Housley, Karin (R)	21 SOB	6-4351
6	Tomassoni, David J. (DFL)	G-9 Cap.	6-8017	40	Eaton, Chris A. (DFL)	110 Cap.	6-8869
7	Reinert, Roger J. (DFL)	325 Cap.	6-4188	41	Goodwin, Barb (DFL)	110 Cap.	6-4334
8	Ingebrigtsen, Bill (R)	143 SOB	7-8063	42	Scalze, Bev (DFL)	208 Cap.	6-5537
9	Gazelka, Paul E. (R)	145 SOB	6-4875	43	Wiger, Charles W. (DFL)	205 Cap.	6-6820
10	Ruud, Carrie (R)	25 SOB	6-4913	44	Bonoff, Terri E. (DFL)	325 Cap.	6-4314
11	Lourey, Tony (DFL)	G-12 Cap.	6-0293	45	Rest, Ann H. (DFL)	235 Cap.	6-2889
12	Westrom, Torrey N. (R)	107 SOB	6-3826	46	Latz, Ron (DFL)	303 Cap.	7-8065
13	Fischbach, Michelle L. (R)	15 SOB	6-2084	47	Ortman, Julianne E. (R)	119 SOB	6-4837
14	Pederson, John C. (R)	27 SOB	6-6455	48	Hann, David W. (R)	147 SOB	6-1749
15	Brown, David M. (R)	109 SOB	6-8075	49	Franzen, Melisa (DFL)	306 Cap.	6-6238
16	Dahms, Gary H. (R)	121 SOB	6-8138	50	Wiklund, Melissa H. (DFL)	303 Cap.	7-8061
17	Koenen, Lyle (DFL)	G-9 Cap.	6-5094	51	Carlson, Jim (DFL)	111 Cap.	7-8073
18	Newman, Scott J. (R)	141 SOB	6-4131	52	Metzen, James P. (DFL)	G-9 Cap.	6-4370
19	Sheran, Kathy (DFL)	G-12 Cap.	6-6153	53	Kent, Susan (DFL)	205 Cap.	6-4166
20	Dahle, Kevin L. (DFL)	G-9 Cap.	6-1279	54	Sieben, Katie (DFL)	208 Cap.	7-8060
21	Schmit, Matt (DFL)	306 Cap.	6-4264	55	Pratt, Eric R. (R)	23 SOB	6-4123
22	Weber, Bill (R)	125 SOB	6-5650	56	Hall, Dan D. (R)	103 SOB	6-5975
23	Rosen, Julie A. (R)	139 SOB	6-5713	57	Clausen, Greg D. (DFL)	303 Cap.	6-4120
24	Jensen, Vicki (DFL)	205 Cap.	6-9457	58	Thompson, Dave (R)	131 SOB	6-5252
25	Senjem, David H. (R)	113 SOB	6-3903	59	Champion, Bobby Joe (DFL)	306 Cap.	6-9246
26	Nelson, Carla J. (R)	117 SOB	6-4848	60	Dziedzic, Kari (DFL)	235 Cap.	6-7809
27	Sparks, Dan (DFL)	328 Cap.	6-9248	61	Dibble, D. Scott (DFL)	111 Cap.	6-4191
28	Miller, Jeremy R. (R)	135 SOB	6-5649	62	Hayden, Jeff (DFL)	208 Cap.	6-4261
29	Anderson, Bruce D. (R)	133 SOB	6-5981	63	Torres Ray, Patricia (DFL)	309 Cap.	6-4274
30	Kiffmeyer, Mary (R)	123 SOB	6-5655	64	Cohen, Richard (DFL)	301 Cap.	6-5931
31	Benson, Michelle R. (R)	115 SOB	6-3219	65	Pappas, Sandra L. (DFL)	323 Cap.	6-1802
32	Nienow, Sean R. (R)	105 SOB	6-5419	66	Marty, John (DFL)	323 Cap.	6-5645
33	Osmek, David J. (R)	19 SOB	6-1282	67	Hawj, Foung (DFL)	309 Cap.	6-5285
34	Limmer, Warren (R)	153 SOB	6-2159				

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 7th. **Committees:** Commerce; Finance, ranking minority
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 improved business climate, health care reform. **Commit-
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 senior healthcare. **Committees:** Environment, Economic
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cerns: Public safety, environment and natural resources,
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 Budget Division; Education; Transportation and Public
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 tion and Public Safety, vice chair; E-12 Budget Division;
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islative Concerns: Equity in education funding, elections,
 transportation, healthcare, budget. **Committees:** Capital
 Investment; E-12 Budget Division; Education; Elections
 Subcommittee, ranking minority member; Transporta-
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Family: Married, Spouse Kari, 2 children. **Occupation:** Project Manager. **Education:** BES, St. Cloud State University. **Elected:** 2012. **Term:** 1st. **Special Legislative Concerns:** Transportation, government operations, budget. **Committees:** Environment and Energy, ranking minority member; Environment, Economic Development and Agriculture Budget Division; Transportation and Public Safety Budget Division; Transportation and Public Safety.



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Family: Married, Spouse Jessica, 3 children. **Occupation:** Communications Consultant. **Elected:** to the House 2010; to the Senate 2012. **Term:** 1st. **Committees:** E-12 Budget Division; Education; Higher Education and Workforce Development Budget Division; Higher Education and Workforce Development; State and Local Government.



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Skoe, Rod (DFL)

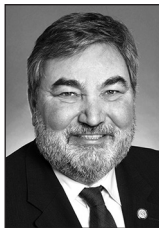
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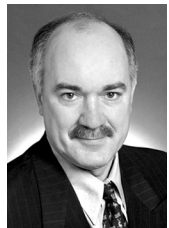
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Members: 20

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Cohen	Metzen	Pederson	Sparks
Eken	Miller	Rosen	Tomassoni
Hayden	Nelson	Schmit	
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Members: 15

Brown	Dahms	Goodwin	Pappas
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Members: 20

Bonoff	Hoffman	Nienow (L)	Stumpf
Chamberlain	Housley	Petersen	Torres Ray
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Members: 22

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Dibble	Limmer	Pappas	Tomassoni
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Goodwin	Miller	Saxhaug	Wiger

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Members: 14

Dibble	Osmek	Scalze	Sparks
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Health and Human Services Budget Division

Chair: Lourey
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Members: 11

Benson	Eken	Hayden	
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Carlson	Hawj	Sheran	

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Higher Education and Workforce Development Policy and Budget Division

Chair: Bonoff
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Members: 13

Eken	Miller (L)	Petersen	Sparks
Franzen	Nelson	Pratt	Torres Ray
Kent	Ortman	Sheran	

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Champion	Hall	Newman	
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Chair: Saxhaug **Vice Chair:** Carlson
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Chamberlain (L) Dahms Stumpf
Clausen Gazelka Torres Ray

Transportation and Public Safety Policy and Budget Division

Chair: Dibble **Vice Chair:** Kent
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Jensen Pederson (L) Senjem

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Dahms (L) Koenen Rest Weber
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Fischbach Limmer Newman Stumpf
Gazelka Marty Pappas

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Cohen Hayden Kiffmeyer (L)

State and Local Government

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Dahle Housley Petersen Wiklund
Hall (L) Johnson Scalze

Taxes

Chair: Skoe **Vice Chair:** Rest
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Members: 13
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Dziedzic Koenen Ortman (L) Thompson
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Tax Reform Division

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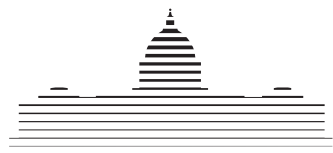
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