

Memo

To: Larry Howes, Chair, Capital Investment Committee
From: Jim Abeler, Chair, Health and Human Services Finance Committee
CC: Tom Freeman, Committee Administrator, Capital Investment Committee
Date: 1/30/2012
Re: 2012 Bonding Project Recommendations

The House Health and Human Services Finance Committee held a public hearing of all the bonding projects under the jurisdiction of the committee. During the committee meeting, only members of the committee were supplied with a ballot. The voting options were: Yes, I recommend the project; No, I do not recommend the project; or Neutral on the project.

The results of the Governors Capital Budget are as follows:

MSH - St. Peter Campus - Design, Construct, and Remodel Facilities, RECOMMEND
MSOP - St. Peter Campus - Predesign/Design, Remodel/Construct, RECOMMEND
System-Wide Asset Preservation, RECOMMEND
Early Childhood Facilities, RECOMMEND

The results of the individual bills are as follows:

HF285 (Fritz)/ SF526 (Senjem): Deceased residents of state hospitals and regional treatment centers grave markers and memorial funding provided, bonds issued, and money appropriated. RECOMMEND

HF291 (McFarlane)/ SF15 (Wiger): Maplewood; grant funding provided to design, renovate, and equip Harriet Tubman Center East as a regional service center and learning institute, bonds issued, and money appropriated. RECOMMEND

HF1922 (Howes)/ No SF at this time: Capital Improvements; authorizing Hennepin County to construct center for providing mental health services to children; appropriating money to construct a new Washburn Center for Children; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds. RECOMMEND