

### **Legislative Water Commission**

## **Minutes**

**September 17, 2018** 

#### Jim Stark, Director

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#### Members present

Sen. Chuck Wiger, Co-chair

Rep. Paul Torkelson, Co-chair

Sen. Paul Anderson

Sen. Rich Draheim

Sen. Kent Eken

Rep. Peter Fischer

Rep. Clark Johnson

#### Members excused

Rep. David Bly

Rep. Glenn Gruenhagen

Sen. Jason Isaacson

Rep. John Poston

Sen. Bill Weber

Sen. Wiger called the Legislative Water Commission meeting to order at 1:05 p.m. on Monday, September 17, 2018 at the State Office Building in Hearing Room 10. A quorum was present.

Representative Johnson moved approval of Minutes from the August 21, 2018 meeting. **Motion** carried.

The Water Issue: Cooperative Stream Gaging Networks presented by James Fallon from USGS and Greg Kruse from the MN DNR. (Presentation documents and audio may be found on the Legislative Water Commission website: <a href="https://www.lcc.leg.mn/lwc/Meetings\_2018.html">https://www.lcc.leg.mn/lwc/Meetings\_2018.html</a>.)

Jim Stark, Director, Legislative Water Commission presented the 2019 LWC Recommendations and Process. (Presentation documents and audio may be found on the Legislative Water Commission website: <a href="https://www.lcc.leg.mn/lwc/Meetings\_2018.html">https://www.lcc.leg.mn/lwc/Meetings\_2018.html</a>.)

Jim Stark, Director, Legislative Water Commission also provided a review of Clean Water Fund meetings.

Mr. Rick Heller testified regarding accessibility.

# Meeting Schedules:

October 15:

1:00 p.m. in Hearing room 10, SOB, to discuss stakeholder recommendations

November 13

December 10

Meeting adjourned.