



Legislative Commission on Cybersecurity

Wednesday, August 27, 2025

1:00 PM

Room G23 State Capitol

Meeting Minutes

Members Present:

Rep. Kristin Bahner
Sen. Eric Lucero
Rep. Steve Elkins
Sen. Melissa Wiklund
Sen. Mark Koran
Rep. Jim Nash

Members Excused:

Rep. Bjorn Olson
Sen. Tou Xiong

Rep. Bahner called the meeting of the Legislative Commission on Cybersecurity to order at 1:08 PM. A quorum was present.

Approval of Minutes

Sen. Lucero moved approval of the November 22, 2024 meeting minutes. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Election of Chair

Rep. Bahner nominated Sen. Wiklund for the position of Chair. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Election of Vice Chair

Sen. Wiklund nominated Rep. Nash for the position of Vice Chair. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Election of Secretary

Sen. Lucero was nominated for the position of Secretary. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Overview from the City of St. Paul on Cybersecurity Attack

The following people presented on the response to the City of St. Paul cybersecurity attack:

- Mayor Melvin Carter
- Jaime Wascalus, Director of Office of Technology and Communications, and Chief Information Officer, City of St. Paul
- Maj. Gen. Stefanie Horvath, Chief Information Security Officer, City of St. Paul
- Mike Sand, Deputy Director of Saint Paul Emergency Management

Intention to go into a closed session per Minnesota Statutes 3.885, Subd. 5

Representative Bahner announced that the commission intended to recess and go into a closed session get an overview from agencies involved in the response to the cybersecurity attack in St. Paul on items that, if discussed during an open session, would compromise the cybersecurity of the state and other entities.

Rep. Bahner moved the Commission go into a closed session. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Rep. Bahner recessed the meeting at 10:32 AM in order for the Commission to go into a closed session.

The Commission did not reconvene in open session and adjourned during the closed session.