

Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council

MEMO: Agenda Item #13
DATE: December 10, 2019
SUBJECT: Draft Language for FY 2021 OHF Appropriation Recommendation Bill

Suggested Motion:

Motion by XX to approve the recommended appropriation bill as presented/amended and forward to legislative leadership for consideration during the 2020 session with staff to make technical edits as necessary.

No motion by the Council, or affirmative votes of fewer than nine council members will result in no action and no forwarding of the recommendations at this time.

Suggested Procedure:

Place a motion to approve the recommended appropriation bill language. Members question project managers as needed; project managers have been requested to attend this meeting. Members offer and vote on any amendments. Council votes on appropriations bill as amended. **Nine** votes are necessary to forward appropriations recommendations bill to legislative leadership.

Background:

MN Statute 97A.056,

Subd. 3(a) states, "...The Council's recommendations shall be submitted no later than January 15 ..."

Subd. 3(e) states, "Recommendations of the council, including approval of recommendations for the outdoor heritage fund, require an affirmative vote of at least nine members of the council."

On October 7, 2019, the council made its appropriation recommendations for fiscal year 2020 and directed project managers to draft accomplishment plans that reflected those funding recommendations. The council reviewed and progressed the draft accomplishment plans at the November 21, 2019 meeting, directing LSOHC Staff to proceed with drafting the bill language. The appropriations recommendations bill before the council reflects the program accomplishments anticipated with Outdoor Heritage Fund dollars.

Attachments:

Draft ML 2020 bill