

Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council

MEMO: Agenda Item #6
DATE: July 25, 2023
SUBJECT: LSOHC Public Member Per Diem Increase
PRESENTER: LSOHC staff

Suggested Motion:

Motion by Member XX to approve adoption of \$125 per diem rate for LSOHC public members retroactive to July 1, 2023.

Background:

During the 2023 legislative session, the Legislature amended MN Statute 97A.056, subd. 2(f) to increase the allowable per diem for public members of the LSOHC to be “up to \$125.”

Recently, it has been recommended that due to the included amendment wording “up to,” the Council should consider passing a motion formally adopting the \$125 per diem amount with retroactivity to the start of this fiscal year, July 1, 2023.

- MS 97A.056, Subd. 2(f) – “Terms, compensation, and removal of public members are as provided in section [15.0575](#), except that a public member may be compensated at the rate of up to \$125 a day. A vacancy on the council may be filled by the appointing authority for the remainder of the unexpired term.”