

# Legislative Commission on Pensions and Retirement

Senator Julie Rosen, Chair

Tuesday, February 15, 2022 - 5:00 p.m.

## REMOTE HEARING\*

## AGENDA

1. [SF 2614 \(Anderson\)](#); [HF 2690 \(Lueck\)](#): MSRS; Military service purchases similar to the PERA provisions for service credit purchases that are not federally protected.

Staff review: Susan Lenczewski ([Summary](#))

Testifiers: Mike LeDoux, President of MN State Patrol Trooper's Association  
Glen Bihler, State Patrol Trooper and Army Veteran  
Erin Leonard, Executive Director, Minnesota State Retirement System

Submitted: [Letter](#), Caleb Silgjord, Vice President, MN Conservation Officers Association  
[Letter](#), James Kotten, State Trooper and Marine Corps veteran  
[Letter](#), Matthew J Frericks, Veteran and law enforcement officer  
[Letter](#), Representative Dale Lueck  
[Letter](#), Wayne Hatlestad, President, MN Conservation Officers Association

2. [SF 2591 \(Osmek\)](#); [HF 2964 \(Hertaus\)](#): MSRS; Permits the survivor of a deceased state employee to purchase service credit to receive an annuity death benefit.

Staff review: Chad Burkitt ([Summary](#))

Testifiers: Susan Morimoto  
Joseph Morimoto  
Devin Bruce, Public Affairs Coordinator, MN Association of Professional Employees  
Erin Leonard, Executive Director, Minnesota State Retirement System

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**3. Report of the 911 Telecommunicator Pension Benefits Working Group**

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Staff review: Chad Burkitt ([Powerpoint](#))

Testifiers: Darlene Pankonie, Chair of the Working Group, President of the Minnesota Chapters of the Association of Public Safety Communications and National Emergency Number Association

Wade Laszlo, retiree member of the PERA Local Government Correctional Retirement Plan and former Detention Deputy, Hennepin County Sheriff's Office

Submitted: [Letter](#), Minnesota Correctional Officer Retirement Association (MNCORA) Executive Board and Advisory Committee