

**COMMITTEE MINUTES for  
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS  
SUBCOMMITTEE**

Date: *January 25, 2022*

Location: *RM 103, Sup. Ct. Chamber*

Convened: *9:10 AM*

Adjourned: *9:50 AM*

Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Thompson-CH, Gerhold-VC, Running-Marquardt-RM, Graber, Hansen, Judge, Latham, McConkey, Sorensen

Absent:

Excused:

Chairman Thompson called the Economic Development Budget Subcommittee meeting to order at 9:10 AM.

Roll call was taken and a quorum was present.

The minutes from the previous meeting were approved.

Chairman Thompson introduced Randy Pilkington, Director of Business and Community Services at the University of Northern Iowa (UNI) and Jerry Thiel, Director of UNI Metal Casting Center and Foundry 4.0 Center.

Pilkington gave an overview of the Business and Community Service program and Thiel gave updates about the program.

Following the presentation, legislators asked questions and there were discussions. Chairman Thompson introduced Erik Helland and Jane Dufoe from the Public Employment Relations Board (PERB) and they gave a presentation regarding the work of the Board.

With no further business to come before the Economic Development Committee, Chairman Thompson adjourned the meeting at 9:50 AM.

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Representative Phil Thompson

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Emily Russell, Committee Secretary