

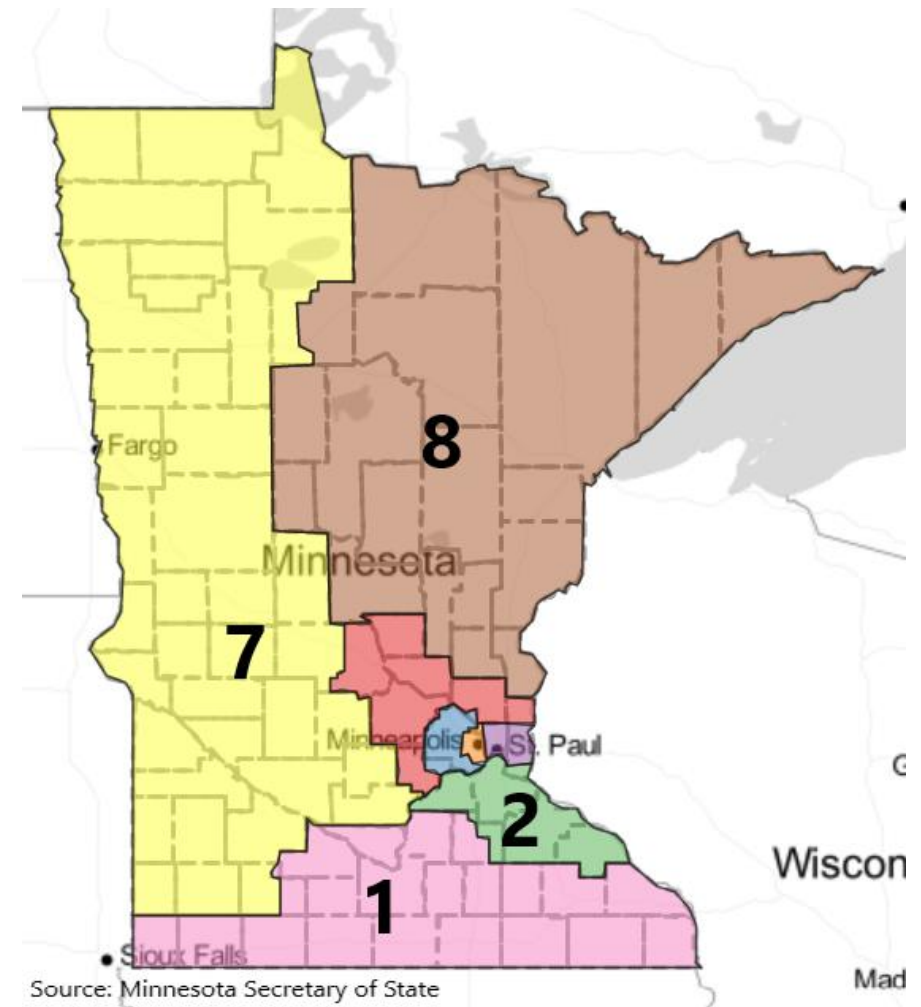


Subcommittee for Pilot Program Implementation

November 30, 2021

Join the Environmental Quality Board

- Applications are open!
- Public Board Member seats representing congressional districts 1, 2, 7, and 8
- Four-year terms starting January 4
- Open until filled
- Learn more at eqb.state.mn.us/join-board



Public comment procedure and guidelines

Two ways to sign up to speak:

1. Raise your hand in Webex.
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2. Type your name in the Webex chat.

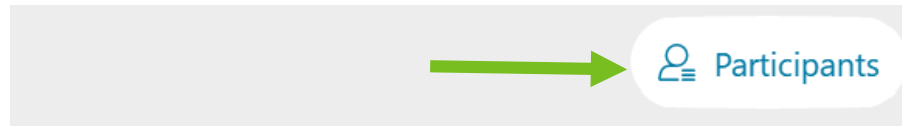
Procedure and guidelines:

- If you wish to speak, please use the “raise hand” feature in Webex during the public comment period.
- When your name is called:
 - Introduce yourself before beginning your comment.
 - Please keep your remarks to those facts which are relevant and specific to the agenda item at hand.

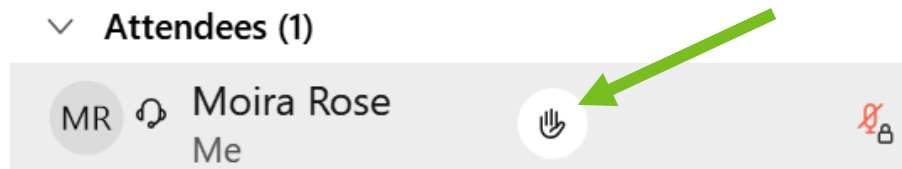
How to raise your hand in Webex

From your computer:

1. Click on Participants in lower left corner.



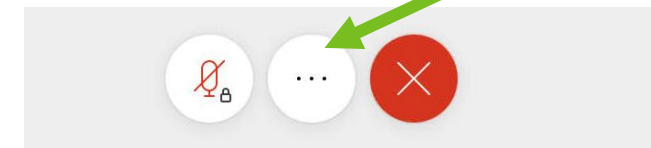
2. Find and click on your name on the Participant list.



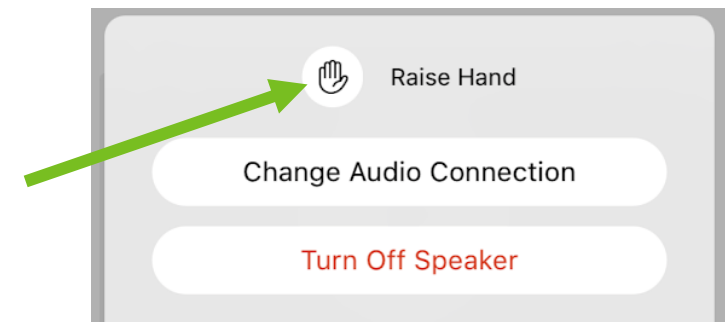
3. Click on the Raise Hand icon.

From your phone:

1. Click on the three dots at the bottom of your screen.



2. Click on Raise Hand.



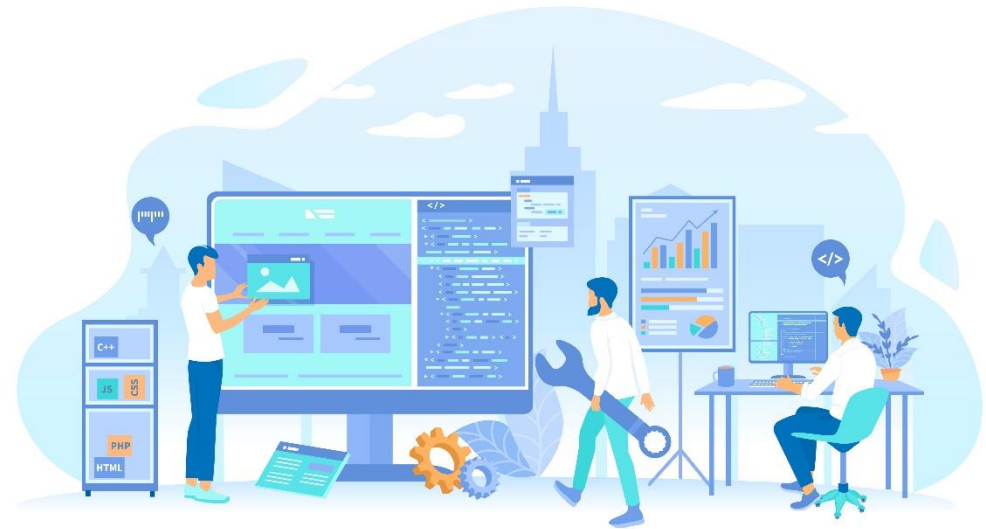


DRAFT Pilot Program Framework

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Pilot Program design and implementation elements

- Recruitment Strategy
- Engagement opportunities
- Expectations for Pilot Program participants



Pilot Program Recruitment

Recruitment Purpose: Ensure that targeted participants are aware of the opportunity to participate in the Pilot Program.

Proposed Strategies

Duration: ongoing through July 2022

Targeted Pilot Program participants:

- State RGUs
- Local Governments
- Consultants

Methods for recruitment:

- EQB website and *Monitor*
- Social media
- Targeted emails/phone campaigns
- Requests to associations that work with Local governments

Registrations to-date

- 8 consultants from 7 firms
- Local governments
 - St. Louis County Public Works and MN County Engineers Association Enviro Committee
 - Bois de Sioux Watershed District
 - City of Minneapolis
 - Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe
 - City of Fridley
 - City of Brooklyn Center
 - Scott County
 - City of Hopkins
- State agencies
 - COMM
 - DOT
 - MDA
 - Met Council
 - PCA
 - DNR

Engagement opportunities

Pilot Program Participants

- Pilot Program Collaborative Forums
 - Scheduled monthly
 - Limited to Pilot Program Participants
 - Includes technical and subject matter expert speakers
- Email EQB staff
 - Technical assistance with questions
- Webpage updates

Interested ER Program Participants

- Progress updates during Board and ERIS Meetings
- Comment periods on projects undergoing review; using the draft revised EAW form
- Feedback directly to EQB staff
- Webpage updates

Expectations for Pilot Program participation

- Use the draft revised EAW form, when relevant
- Participate in Collaborative Forums
- Support other Pilot Program participants, when possible
- Provide information requested by SPPI





Public Input



Subcommittee Deliberation



Next Steps