Making MNsure Work Better

As I am sure many of you are aware, there have been vigorous debates around MNsure in recently in response to an audit that has just been released. On a positive note, the number of uninsured Minnesotans has fallen by 40 percent since 2013 and there are signs that the website is operating more functionally. I appeared on an Almanac segment this Wednesday to discuss the auditor's report along with Representative Matt Dean, which you can watch here. Providing insurance for all Minnesotans is a top priority, and I look forward to working to further improve the access and functionality of our insurance system.

More Progress on Restoring The Vote

This Thursday, Senator Champion’s bill restoring felons’ voting rights was heard in committee, where it cleared it's first hurdle. This is another important step in making sure that past offenders are able to rejoin society after learning from their mistakes. Every Minnesotan, and every American, deserves the right to elect their leaders. If felons are treated according to the same laws everyone else, then they will be less likely to return to a life of crime.

Legislators Honored for Racial Equity

I am grateful to have been honored by Voices for Racial Justice for receiving an A++ grade.
This week, I had the pleasure of meeting with several groups of constituents to discuss their policy concerns and goals. I met with a group of students from MCTC, and a large group for Arts Advocacy Day on the Hill!

As always, feel free to call my office any time if you would like to make an appointment to discuss policy ideas.

It's been a cold week, but stay warm and keep persevering. Seventy-degree weather can't be far off!

Have a great weekend. I hope to see you at the capitol or in the district!

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