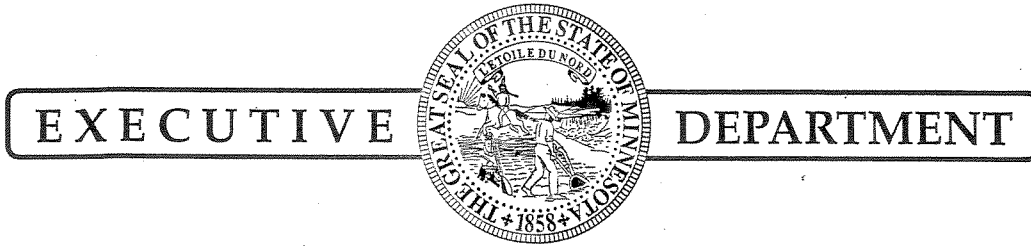


STATE of MINNESOTA



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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

DENNIS JENSEN

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2023 North Robin Avenue
Duluth, Minnesota 55811
County of St. Louis
Congressional District Eight

JUN 11 2008

President of the Senate

Because of the special trust and confidence I have in your integrity, judgment and ability, I have appointed and commissioned you to have and to hold the said office of:

Public Member

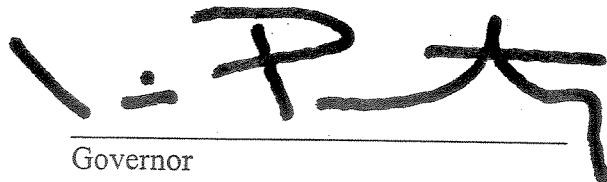
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency Citizen's Board

Effective: June 16, 2008
Term Expires: January 2, 2012

This appointment carries with it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, June 11, 2008




Governor



Secretary of State

Replacing: Reappointment

STATE OF MINNESOTA
OPEN APPOINTMENTS APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON STATE AGENCY

All information on this form is available to the public upon request.

Agency

Name: * Minnesota Pollution Control Agency
(Name of board, council, commission or task force to which you are applying.)

Position

Sought: Member - Citizen's Board
(Membership position sought or enter "member" if no specific requirements exist for position sought.)

Applicant

Name: * Dennis Jensen
(First Name) (Last Name)

Preferred Mailing

Address: * 2023 N. Robin Ave Duluth MN 55811
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Work Phone: * (218) 722 - 4426 Home Phone: (218) 722 - 6988

E-MAIL: * djensen@duluthtransit.com

County: St. Louis MN House of Rep District: 7B U.S. House of Rep District: 8th

* Indicates information that will appear on the Office of the Secretary of State web site: www.sos.state.mn.us

Have you ever been convicted of a felony: Yes No

Did the Appointing Authority suggest you submit your application? YES NO

Please attach a current resume or a biographical statement containing work history, education, community activities, etc., and any other information the Applicant or Nominating Person feels would be helpful to the Appointing Authority.

OPTIONAL STATISTICAL INFORMATION

The following information is optional and voluntary. Information is collected for, and compiled in, the annual report on the open appointments process pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* §15.0597.

Sex: Female
 Male

Political Party: Democratic-Farmer-Labor
 Independence
 Republican
 Other _____
 No party preference

Race*: African American / Black
 American Indian / Alaska Native
 Asian
 Hispanic
 Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander
 White
 Other Race _____

National Origin: _____
(Country of Origin or Principle Tribe)

(* Select as many as apply)

I swear that, to the best of my knowledge, the above information is correct and that I satisfy all legally prescribed qualifications for the position sought.

Dennis E. Jensen
 (Signature of Applicant)*

Jan 8, 2008
 (Date)

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* If another person or group is nominating the applicant, the applicant's signature indicates consent to nomination.

MAIL, FAX, OR SUBMIT APPLICATION IN PERSON, TO:

Office of the Secretary of State, Open Appointments
 180 State Office Building
 100 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Blvd
 St. Paul, MN 55155-1299

FAX: (651) 296-9073

Phone: (651) 297-5845

Email: open.appointments@state.mn.us

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Applicants will not receive an acknowledgement of submitted applications; the appointing authority will notify you if an interview is desired.

By request, this application will be made available in alternative format (for example, braille, large print, audio tape, or computer disk.)

FOR OFFICE USE: Sub by AA: _____ AA: _____ Trans Date: _____

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- Vice President, Area Manager – First Transit Inc.
- Responsible for contract management oversight of upper Midwest region, including First Transit managed systems of Davenport, IA, Dubuque, IA, Peoria, IL, Decatur IL, Green Bay, WI, and a maintenance contract with the Quad Cities Garage Policy Group in Rock Island, IL, and the direct management of the Duluth Transit Authority. Direct and assist resident managers in all aspects of transportation operations and administration for First Transit.
- Extensive experience in the transportation industry with expertise primarily in transit operations, labor relations, safety, planning, marketing, maintenance, and grants administration. Extensive experience in contract negotiations with various unions with detailed knowledge and experience in grievance and arbitration proceedings. Participate on national, state and local committees dealing with transportation issues. The Duluth Transit Authority has a national reputation for safety, efficiency, and fleet and facility cleanliness and appearance. Management positions have involved extensive interaction with public Boards, City Councils, Commissions and the State and Federal Legislative process. Developed and administered major capital construction and vehicle procurement projects in Minnesota, Texas and Maryland. Responsible for innovative customer service enhancements that are now modeled throughout the county, including bikes on bus program, childcare centers in transit facilities and college pass program and ITS technology.

1979 - Present, General Manager - Duluth Transit Authority, Duluth, MN.

- In June 1979 was appointed as the General Manager of the Duluth Transit Authority (DTA) in Duluth, MN. Reporting to a nine-member public Board of Directors, responsible for the management of the 60 bus system serving cities of Duluth and Proctor, Minnesota and Superior, Wisconsin. Significant accomplishments include the negotiation of nine Teamsters Union labor contracts during this term, administration of \$45 million in construction and capital improvement projects, including a new Operations and Maintenance center; two downtown transit centers, park and ride facilities and two suburban hubs. Was responsible for the development of a campaign for the successful voter approval of two property tax referendums, and the approval by the Minnesota Legislature of a school transportation bill for the DTA that allows for the transportation of secondary students on DTA buses. Internal achievements include revised attendance standards, safety and training programs for bus operators, security programs for passengers and employees, and the introduction of a computer network and management information systems at the DTA. Completed projects include the construction of a new transit center at the University of Minnesota, Duluth campus, complete with heated passenger waiting area, and bus loading zones and the construction of a downtown transit centers. Also, the implementation of a new DTA communications

system, including ITS technology with AVL, and dispatching software for regular route and ADA services

General Manager - Laredo Municipal Transit System (El Metro)

- In June 1976, was appointed as the General Manager in Laredo, Texas. Reporting to the Transit Committee of the Laredo City Council, directed the takeover of the private system with funding from FTA and the State of Texas and structured the complete turn-around of a failing system into one of the most successful transit operations in Texas. Significant achievements were the expansion of service, establishment of a driver training program and implementation of a preventive maintenance program, a transfer program, elderly and disabled fare, student ticket program, and the development of a capital improvement program that included new buses, and the design and construction of a new operations and maintenance center. Successfully negotiated two labor contracts with Labors International Union of North America and represented the Laredo system on several local and State committees dealing with transit planning and funding issues

General Manager, Airport Services, Inc. - Baltimore Washington International Airport

- In July 1973 was employed as the Director of Marketing and later named as General Manager of Airport Services, Inc. the ground transportation service for Baltimore - Washington International Airport. Responsible for all administration and operations of transportation services operating between BWI Airport, downtown Washington, Baltimore and suburban communities. Operations included an airport-parking shuttle, suburban limousine service, inter-city bus service and an airport taxi operation. Represented ASI on management team in contract negotiations with Teamsters and Amalgamated Transit Union Locals. Reported to Director of Airport Administration - BWI Airport.

During this time provided marketing and public relations assistance to the Hagarstown, Md. County Commuter, a dial-a-ride transit system

Regional Manager, Advertising and Public Relations, Continental Trailways - Washington D.C.

- Employed in 1970, was responsible for all advertising, public relations and promotional activities for Continental Trailways and associated Trailways companies in the northeast United States, including the markets of New York, Boston and Washington, D.C. Developed charter, tour, package express and regular route promotional campaigns for interstate bus services. Developed annual sales meetings and customer service training seminars. Reported to Director of Sales, Trailways.

Education

1967, Aviation Officer Candidate School, Naval Air Station Pensacola, Florida Commissioned Officer United States Navy

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1965-1967, Drake University, College of Fine Arts Des Moines, Iowa .
Bachelor of Fine Arts, Education

1963 - 1965, Creston Community College, Creston, Iowa Associate Arts
Degree

Other Studies

Passenger and Vehicle Accident Prevention - Transportation Safety
Institute, US/DoT, Abuse Prevention Training for Special Transportation
Drivers - Mn/DoT Mastering Transit Leadership - CTTA

**Other Experience
and Professional
memberships**

While in college was employed as an architectural draftsman with
construction firm developing construction drawings and cost estimates for
industrial buildings. Presently Serve as a Management Trustee of
Teamsters Local 346 Health Fund and a Trustee of Teamsters Local 346
401(k) Savings Plan. Have served as member of several APTA
committees, including Operations, Legislative, Nominating, and Small
Operations Steering Committee. Was an APTA Regional Director,
served as the Minnesota Public Transit Association President, and have
served as a member of the MPTA Executive Board. Represent the DTA
on the Metropolitan Interstate Committee's (MPO) six county Regional
Transportation Advisory Committee, the Duluth/Superior Transportation
Advisory Committee and served as the transit representative on the
Mn/DoT District One Area Transportation Partnership and as member of
the Steering Committee of the Mn/DoT District One Transportation
Operations Control Center for ITS Applications. Served as the Vice-Chair
of the regional chapter of the Minnesota Transportation Alliance and
serve on various state and local committees dealing with transportation
funding and operations issues. Presently a member of the Mayor's
Downtown Duluth Task Force, and serve as a member of the Wis/DoT
IT Advisory Committee. Member of the MPCA Citizen's Board.

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**Special DTA
Recognitions**

- 1984 APTA Certificate of Achievement Award, Safety
- 1984 NAACP Employer of the Year Award
- 1985 Transit Professional of the Year Award, MPTA
- 1987 APTA Safety Achievement Award
- 1988 APTA Safety Improvement Award
- 1990 APTA Outstanding Achievement Award, "America's Best System"
- 1991 APTA Silver Award Finalist, Safety
- 1992 APTA Silver Award Winner, Safety
- 1995 APTA Safety Achievement Award
- 2002 APTA Safety Achievement Award
- 2004 Mn/Dot Office of Transit Management Innovation Award
- 2007 Mn/Dot Office of Transit Management Innovation Award

Personal Data

Born in Winterset, Iowa. Raised on a farm until college. Leisure interests include photography, remodeling old houses, and travel. Married, wife Sue is a Registered Nurse.

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