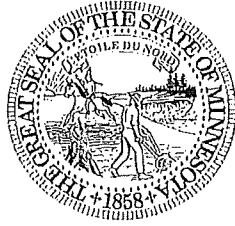


STATE OF MINNESOTA



TIM WALZ
GOVERNOR

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Tom Saxhaug

1032 NW 1st Ave
Grand Rapids, MN 55744
County of Itasca
Congressional District 8

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 office of:

Public Member

LESSARD-SAMS OUTDOOR HERITAGE COUNCIL

Effective: September 4, 2019

Term Expires: January 2, 2023

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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it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.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 State Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, September 3, 2019.



Governor

Secretary of State

Replacing: Julie Blackburn

FROM THE DESK OF

TOM SAXHAUG

November 23, 2018

Board /Commission Positions
Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council
95 State Office Building
St. Paul, Minnesota 55155

To Whom It May Concern:

Growing up among the lakes and forests of Northern Minnesota has fueled a life-long interest in assuring these assets thrive for generations to come. As a Minnesota State Senator, I enjoyed my years serving on the LSOHC, and I would like to continue serving the state as a public member of the Council.

Even before my time in the Senate, membership in Ducks Unlimited and the Minnesota Deer Hunters Association has been important to me because of what these organizations do for our game habitat. I founded and chaired the Itasca County Forest Resource Network which evolved into the Forestry Affairs Committee of the Grand Rapids Chamber of Commerce. I also served on the Highway 38 National Scenic Byway Leadership Board.

In the Senate I authored the bill that enable the Clean Water Legacy Act to be added to the ballot for Constitutional change. I also served on many committees and sub-committees, such as Game and Fish, as well as Public Lands and Waters, where our natural environment was top priority.

I feel my vast experience in protecting and preserving our natural resources make me a perfect choice for membership on the LSOHC. Thank you for your consideration.

Best Regards,

Tom Saxhaug

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TOM SAXHAUG

OBJECTIVE

By serving on the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council, I wish to put my knowledge of the forests and waters of Northern Minnesota into valuable projects to benefit the entire state.

WORK EXPERIENCE

MINNESOTA STATE SENATOR 2003-2016

Environment and Natural Resources Committee 2003-2016

Iron Range Resources & Rehabilitation Board 2003-2016

Chair - Forest sub committee 2004-2012

Chair - State Government Finance 2012-2016

Member Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council 2012-2016 (secretary/treasurer 2014-2016)

INDEPENDENT INSURANCE AGENT 1972-2007

Agency Owner 1972-1997

Personal and Commercial Lines

ITASCA COUNTY COMMISSIONER 1996-2002

Set policy for management of 1000 square miles of Tax Forfeit Lands

Set policy for management of Lakeshore for Itasca County's 1200 lakes

EDUCATION

St. Olaf College, B.A. History, 1970

AWARDS

2016 Lessard-Sams outdoor Heritage Council Outstanding Service Award

2014 Explore Minnesota Tourism Legislator of the Year (first time awarded)

2005 Coalition of Greater Minnesota Cities Legislator of Distinction

2003 First Term Legislator of the Year (Politics in Minnesota)

1991 Itasca County Citizen of the Year

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SECRETARY OF STATE STEVE SIMON**

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Application for the position Public Member

Part I: Position Sought

Agency Name: Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council
Position: Public Member

Part II: Applicant Information

Name: Tom Saxhaug
Phone: (218) 259-8163
Mailing Address: 1032 NW 1st Ave Grand Rapids 55744
Email: tomsax8163@gmail.com
County: Itasca
Felony Conviction: No
Mn House District: 05B
US House District: 8
Recommended by the Appointing Authority: True



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Part III: Appending Documentation

Cover Letter and Resume

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Cover Letter	application/pdf	
Resume	application/pdf	

Additional Documents (.doc, .docx, .pdf, .txt)

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No additional documents found.

Part IV: Optional Statistical Information

Race and Natural Origin: White or Caucasian

Political Party: Democratic-Farm-Labor

Age: 70

Gender: Male

Disability: No

Hispanic, Latino or Spanish origin: No

Part V: Signature

Signature: Tom Saxhaug

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MEMBER DETAILS

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