

## Board of Commissioners Resolution

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B2021-289

Sponsor: Communications & Public Relations Meeting Date: 12/21/2021

Title: 2022 Ramsey County State Legislative Platform File Number: 2021-696

## **Background and Rationale:**

On November 16, 2021 the Legislative Committee of the Whole met and discussed the draft 2022 State Legislative Platform. The committee passed the draft platform after its discussion and direction to staff to strengthen certain positions around racial equity.

The Legislative Committee of the Whole meeting followed an October 12, 2021 Board Workshop during which Government Relations staff and Goff Public presented an analysis of the upcoming session and reviewed proposed draft platform items. Per standard practice, the 2022 State Legislative Platform includes Legislative Guiding Principles, Ramsey Funding and Policy Priorities, Bonding Proposals and a statement of support for platforms of the named organizations.

## Recommendation:

The Ramsey County Board of Commissioners resolved to:

- 1. Approve the 2022 Ramsey County State Legislative Platform
- 2. Authorize Ramsey County representatives to work with members of the Legislature and other interested parties to promote legislation reflective of the positions contained in the platform.

A motion to approve was made by Commissioner Frethem, seconded by Commissioner Reinhardt. Motion passed.

Aye: - 7: Carter, Frethem, MatasCastillo, McDonough, McGuire, Ortega, and Reinhardt

By: M Cheng

Mee Cheng, Chief Clerk - County Board