

100% E-WASTE RECYCLING

A BILL TO IMPROVE ELECTRONIC WASTE COLLECTION

METALS FOR ENERGY TRANSITION

Minnesota's annual electronic waste stream contains \$3 billion dollars worth of precious metals.

By recycling our e-waste, we can create 1700 direct jobs, and get back on track for supplying metals for the energy transition.

HF3566 / SF3940: a Path to 100%

Expand the definition


By creating a comprehensive definition of electronic waste to enable 100% collection

Provide free collection for all

Removing the financial barrier for all Minnesotans. Funded by manufacturers of some products, and a retailer fee for the remainder of electronic devices

Incentives for waste diversion.

Directly reimburse collection sites for the electronics recycled



Inaction is costing us. Batteries from electronic devices are increasingly causing local landfill fires. In 2023 Rice County Landfill had a battery fire that polluted the air, water and crops for miles.

It is time to replace our program from 2007 that relies heavily on county solid waste money and sends most of its funds out of Minnesota.

! WORKERS AT RISK !

Weekly U.S. hauling truck fires are caused by batteries from electronic devices,



70%
Of landfill lead pollution is from discarded electronics.

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Repowered (Electronics Recycler)
Talon Metals
Avalon School
Lichen Labs LLC
Growing Futures LLC
Cooperative Energy Futures
Itasca Clean Energy Team
MN Zero Waste Coalition
Lutheran Advocacy - Minnesota

Ely Climate Group
MN350 Action
Cooperative Energy Futures
Northern Progressives
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Climate Generation
Citizens Climate Lobby
Clean Water Action Minnesota
Northeast Metro Climate Action
MN Interfaith Power & Light
Vadnais Heights Green Team
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Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Duluth Climate Action Team
Friends of the Boundary Waters Wilderness
Iron Range Partnership for Sustainability
Health Professionals for a Healthy Climate
MN Division of the Izaak Walton League of America
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