



# MINNESOTA CONSERVATION OFFICER SUPERVISORS ASSOCIATION



February 4, 2022

The Honorable Julie Rosen  
Chair, Legislative Commission on Pensions and Retirement  
2113 Minnesota Senate Building  
95 University Avenue West  
Saint Paul, MN 55155

Dear Chair Rosen and Committee Members,

I am writing this letter in support of HF 2690 on behalf of the Minnesota Conservation Officer Supervisors Association. Several members of our association have significant active-duty service in nearly all branches of the United States military. These veterans served their country, and upon discharge from military service, completed the required training to become peace officers. These veterans worked at various local and county law enforcement agencies in Minnesota and other states before becoming Minnesota Conservation Officers. As Conservation Officers, these veterans served the citizens of Minnesota and continue to serve as district supervisors at the rank of lieutenant.

Thank you for supporting HF 2690.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Wayne Hatlestad".

Wayne Hatlestad  
President