

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

2023 VOTES



MINNESOTA HOUSE VOTE: INCREASED FUNDING FOR NURSING HOMES

On March 30, 2023, Minnesota Rep. Paul Torkelson (R-Hanska) moved that the House vote on bill HF733, which would bring reimbursement payments to nursing homes up to date to account for inflation. **The additional payments would have given nursing homes more adequate funding that would more adequately cover increased cost of nurses and other workers, meals, facility costs, etc., which were forcing some nursing homes to close, leaving some residents without care.** A majority of legislators voted down the motion to consider the payments increase bill, 58-70, leaving state reimbursement and support rates at such low levels that nursing homes would have to cut services, or in some cases, to close.

Those who voted nay (listed below) voted against increased funding for Minnesota nursing homes:

Acomb	Finke	Hornstein	Lislegard	Richardson
Agbaje	Fischer	Howard	Long	Sencer-Mura
Bahner	Frazier	Huot	Moller	Smith
Becker-Finn	Frederick	Hussein	Nelson, M.	Stephenson
Berg	Freiberg	Jordan	Newton	Tabke
Bierman	Gomez	Keeler	Noor	Vang
Brand	Greenman	Klevorn	Norris	Wolgamott
Carroll	Hansen, R.	Koegel	Olson, L.	Xiong
Cha	Hanson, J.	Kotzya-Witthuhn	Pelowski	Youakim
Clardy	Hassan	Kozlowski	Pérez-Vega	Spk. Hortman
Coulter	Hemmingsen-Jaeger	Kraft	Pinto	
Curran	Her	Lee, F.	Pryor	
Edelson	Hicks	Lee, K.	Pursell	
Elkins	Hill	Liebling	Rehm	
Feist	Hollins	Lillie	Reyer	

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Those who voted aye (listed below) voted in favor of increased funding for Minnesota nursing homes:

Anderson, P. E.	Demuth	Jacob	Novotny	Torkelson
Anderson, P. H.	Dotseth	Johnson	O'Driscoll	Urdahl
Backer	Engen	Joy	Olson, B.	West
Bakeberg	Fogelman	Knudsen	Perryman	Wiener
Baker	Franson	Kresha	Petersburg	Wiens
Bennett	Gillman	McDonald	Pfarr	Witte
Bliss	Grossell	Mekeland	Robbins	Zeleznikar
Burkel	Harder	Mueller	Schomacker	
Daniels	Heintzeman	Murphy	Schultz	
Daudt	Hudella	Myers	Scott	
Davids	Hudson	Nadeau	Skraba	
Davis	Igo	Nash	Swedzinski	
		Nelson, N.		
		Neu Brindley		
		Niska		