



Rep. Kristi Pursell

LEGISLATIVE REPORT 2024

Tax Cuts and Reform

- Eliminating all taxes on Social Security for 75% of seniors - couples earning less than \$100,000 and single filers under \$78,000
- Tax cuts through increasing the Homestead Credit, Renter's Credit, and Child and Working Family Tax Credit
- Increasing local government and county program aid to keep property taxes down

Local Priorities

- \$5.8 million in aid to local governments in our district
- \$8.1 million to extend the Mill Towns State Trail to Northfield
- \$1.79 million in local nursing home funding in our area
- Over \$1.5 million for our local police departments
- \$300,000 in funding to help build more affordable housing in Northfield
- Investing \$100 million in rural broadband expansion



Improving Minnesotans' Lives

- Guaranteeing reproductive freedom
- Earned Sick and Safe Time
- Investing in child care and early learning
- Capping insulin and epi-pen costs
- Ticket price transparency and eliminating junk fees
- Democracy for the People Act
- Preventing gun violence through enacting red-flag laws, criminal background checks, and strengthening penalties for straw purchases

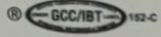
Investing in Education

- \$644-\$1,420 per-pupil increase in funding for schools in our district
- Universal Free School Meals
- Investments in mental health staff and resources
- Free state college tuition for families making under \$80,000

Supporting Farmers and Protecting Our Environment

- \$300,000 in tree planting grants for Northfield to address emerald ash borer
- Supporting small, generational, and emerging farmers
- Funding agricultural co-ops and soil health grants for farmers
- Investing in clean water through nitrate home water treatment grants and updating our state Public Waters Inventory

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Dear neighbor,

I have just finished my first term as your state representative in the Minnesota House, which has been the most consequential two-year session in state history.

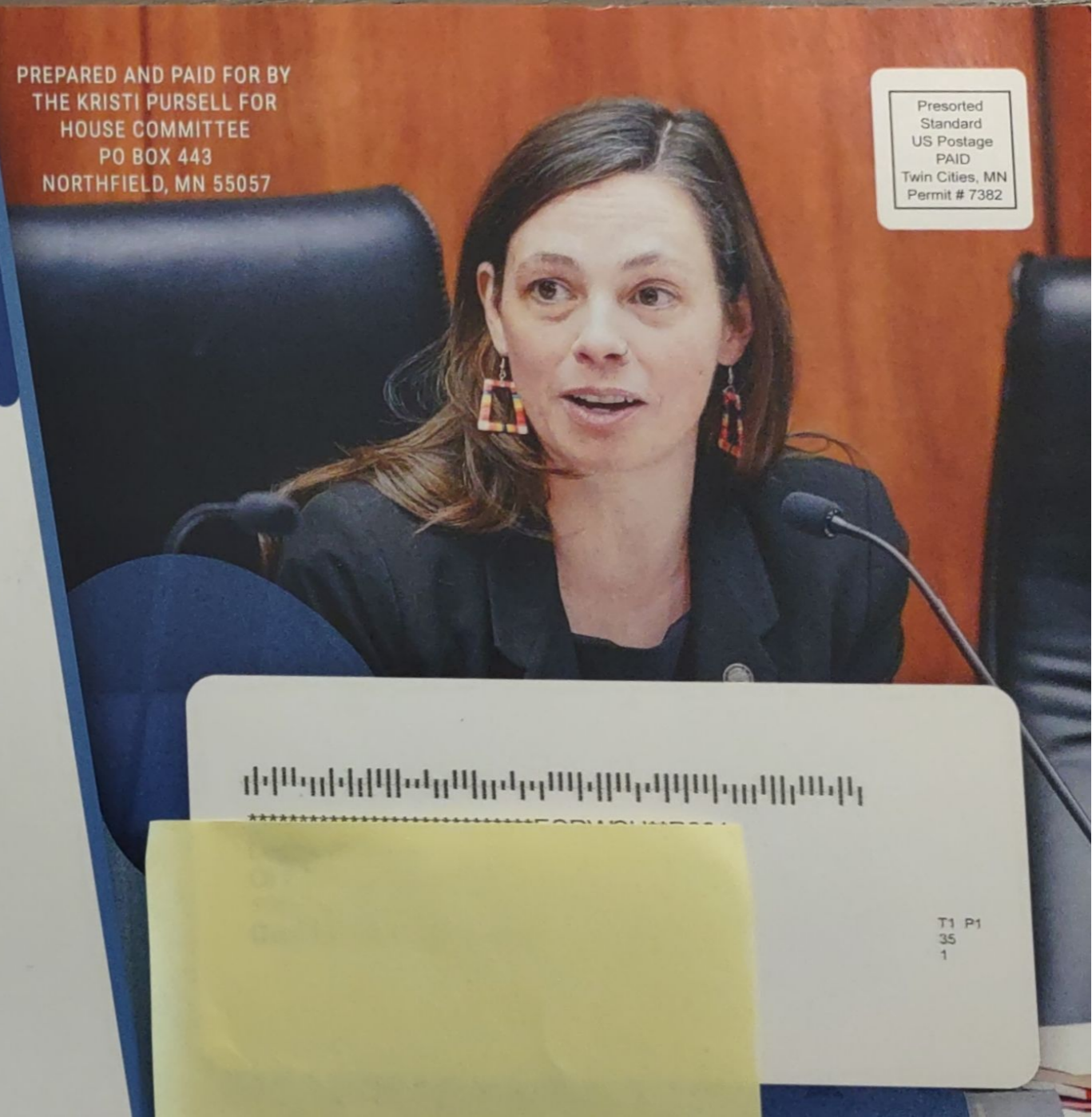
After many years of divided government that caused gridlock and prevented meaningful progress for our state, we came together and got the job done, passing a host of accomplishments that will benefit Minnesotans for generations to come.

I was proud to serve as Vice Chair of the Agriculture Committee as we passed a budget that helps family farmers and supports sustainable land practices. As a member of the Education Finance, Elections, and Environment committees, we passed legislation to invest in our students, strengthen our democracy, and protect our environment for future generations.

Thank you so much for trusting me to represent District 58A at the Capitol, and please reach out to my office if you need any assistance.

Sincerely,

Kristi Pursell
State Representative



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