January 15, 2009

The Honorable Ellen R. Anderson
State Senator – District 66
120 State Capitol Building
Saint Paul, Minnesota  55155-1606

The Honorable Satveer S. Chaudhary
State Senator – District 50
205 State Capitol Building
Saint Paul, Minnesota  55155-1606

The Honorable LeRoy A. Stumpf
State Senator - District 1
208 State Capitol Building
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The Honorable Mindy Greiling
State Representative – District 54A
381 State Office Building
Saint Paul, Minnesota  55155

The Honorable Kent Eken
State Representative – District 2A
575 State Office Building
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The Honorable Carlos Mariani
State Representative – District 65B
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The Honorable Jean Wagenius
State Representative – District 62B
449 State Office Building
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Dear Senator Anderson, Chaudhary, and Stumpf, and Representative Greiling, Eken, Mariani, and Wagenius:

This report presents the recommendations of the *Outdoor Education Working Group* on the teaching of outdoor education in grades seven through twelve. We present this report in fulfillment of legislation passed in 2008, Chapter 368, Article 2, Sec. 80.

Sincerely,

Mark Holsten, Commissioner
Department of Natural Resources

Alice Seagren, Commissioner
Department of Education