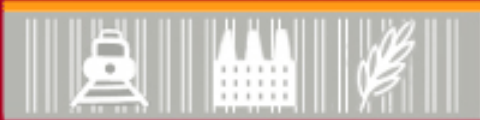


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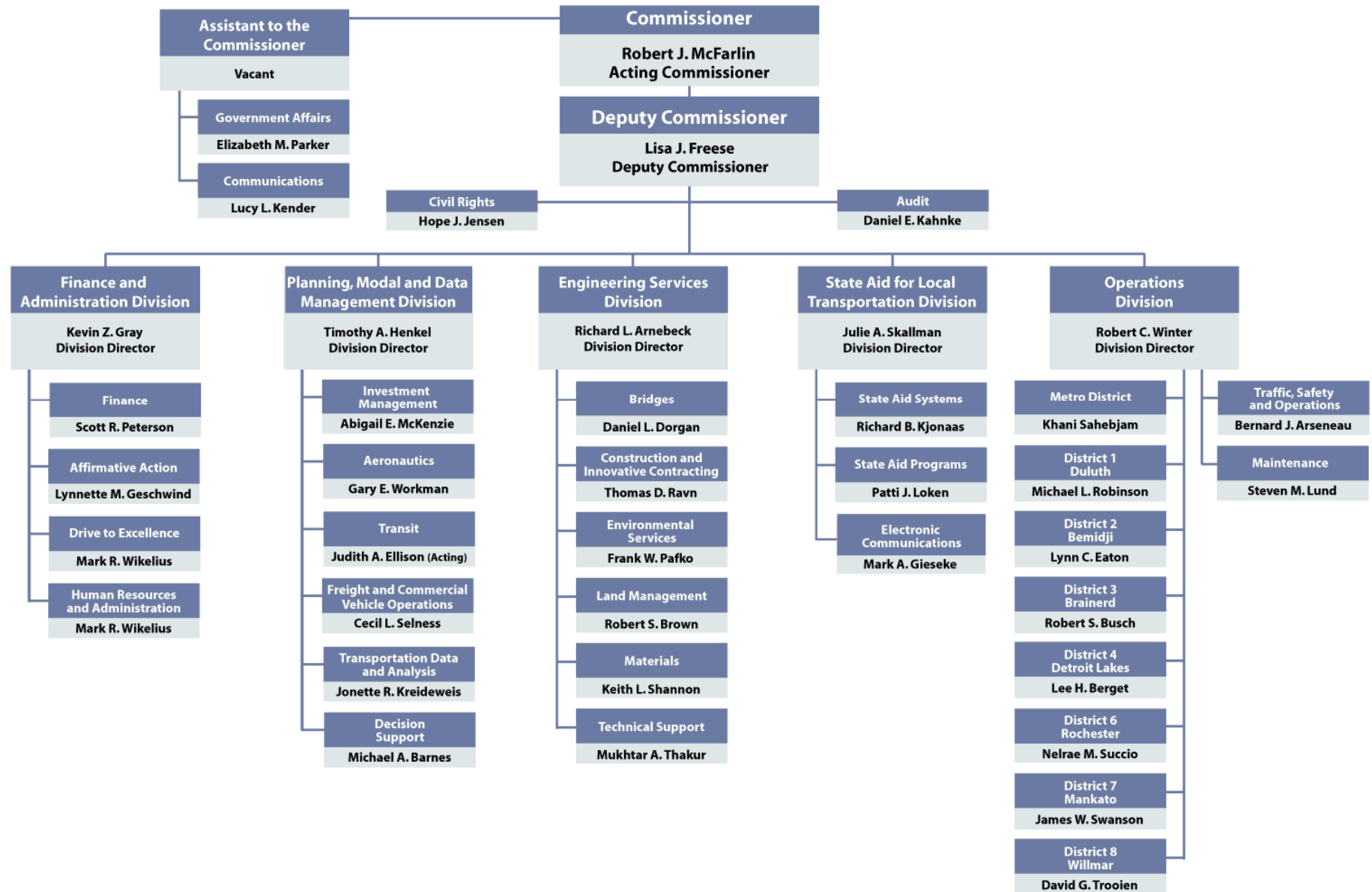
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- Freight Planning and Development
- Rail Safety
- Rail Rehab and Preservation
- Port and Waterway Development
- Motor Carrier Safety and Regulations





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Minnesota Freight Advisory Committee

Membership:

- 26 shippers
- 5 carriers
- 4 brokers/forwarders
- 1 chambers of commerce
- 3 transportation associations
- 9 government agencies
- 3 universities
- Other friends of freight

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Key MN Freight Initiatives

■ Freight & Weight (proposed)

- Improve WIM information for enforcement & planning
- Increase strategic enforcement
- Expand WIM network near critical bridges
- Accelerate Regional Freight Studies

■ Activities On-Going

- Truck parking study (Phase 1 & 2)
- Update of Statewide Transportation Plan
- Freight Performance Measures
- Short-haul intermodal container service