

Governor Tim Walz Announces Applications For Seats On The Governor's Biofuels Council



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On October 2, 2019, the Governor of Minnesota, Tim Walz, announced that [applications are now open for all 15 seats on the Governor's Biofuels Council](#). Established in September 2019 by Governor Walz, the Governor's Biofuels Council advises the Governor and cabinet on how best to support Minnesota's biofuels industry. Council members will include representatives of agriculture, biofuels, and transportation industries and environmental and conservation groups. The Governor's Biofuels Council is tasked with creating a report to advise the Governor and cabinet on the best methods to expand the use of biofuels, increase the carbon efficiency of biofuels, and implement biofuels as part of Minnesota's larger goal to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) production in the transportation sector. Under Governor Walz's September 16, 2019, Executive Order, the Governor's Biofuels Council must complete the report by **November 2020**. Thus far, 30 individuals have applied, and Governor Walz encourages "Minnesotans in every corner of the state to

apply and share their expertise on this critical issue.” Interested parties can access the application [here](#).

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