

**LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON AGING - STATUS OF CONSENSUS – As of 10-7-2024**

<u><b>ALIGNED</b></u>	<u><b>GRAY AREAS/TBDs</b></u>	<u><b>NOT PRESENTLY ALIGNED</b></u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Need for New Aging Entity</li> <li>• Comprehensive planning</li> <li>• Community &amp; Services inclusive</li> <li>• MBA Statute modernized</li> <li>• “Middle Minnesotan” challenges addressed</li> <li>• Advocacy elevated/older Minnesotans at the table</li> <li>• Making aging dollars go further &amp; aging voices deeper</li> <li>• Respect for work of MBA/AAAs</li> <li>• No intent to blow up Medicaid</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Administration of state/federal Medicaid* &amp; OAA-covered funds</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Co-location within DHS</li> <li>• External Collaborators</li> </ul>

*\*Annual Medicaid payments for MN elders are projected to grow 71% from 2023-2035 due to rising costs of care and increased utilization as population ages.*