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Spencer Fane was proud to be one of the sponsors for the Welcome Reception at the 2023 Society for Mining, Metallurgy & Exploration Inc. (SME) Minnesota Conference in Virginia, Minnesota held April 17-19, 2023. Environmental attorneys [Karen Olson](#) and [John Watson](#) represented the firm by collaborating on an April 18 presentation with Todd DeJournett of Geosyntec Consultants.

The three-day conference took place at the Iron Trail Motors Event Center and focused on current developments, technology, trends, and innovations directly affecting the mining industry. Attendees benefited from a wide variety of technical sessions, speakers, and networking opportunities.

SME is a professional society with more than 14,000 members who represent all professionals serving the mining, minerals, and underground construction industries in more than 100 countries. SME advances the worldwide minerals community through information exchange and professional development.