

1.1 Senator moves to amend S.F. No. 2527, in conference committee,
1.2 as follows:

1.3 On R42, House language, (UES2527-1)

1.4 Page 42, line 12, before "\$150,000" insert "(a)"

1.5 Page 42, after line 25, insert:

1.6 "(b) No detailed design or construction for the White Bear Lake augmentation
1.7 project may be undertaken by the commissioner until the commissioner, the city of Vadnais
1.8 Heights, the White Bear Lake Conservation District, the Metropolitan Council, and any
1.9 other communities, agencies, or entities involved in the White Bear Lake augmentation
1.10 project using water drawn from Vadnais Lake enter an agreement as to how the project
1.11 will proceed, with protections for the city of Vadnais Heights' water system and property
1.12 including, but not limited to, the following assurances for the city of Vadnais Heights, that:

1.13 (1) the city will not lose its ability to develop lands near Vadnais Lake;

1.14 (2) the city will be consulted regarding all aspects, including the legal planning
1.15 process, of the siting of any proposed water filtration or treatment plant facility within its
1.16 borders necessitated by the augmentation project;

1.17 (3) the city will not be required to contribute financially to the construction,
1.18 maintenance, or operations of the proposed augmentation project and the proposed
1.19 filtration or treatment plant facility;

1.20 (4) all city and county roads and streets affected by the proposed augmentation
1.21 project and the proposed filtration or treatment plant facility will be reconstructed
1.22 following project completion;

1.23 (5) efforts will be made to minimize disruption and adverse impacts to residents and
1.24 businesses during construction of the proposed augmentation project and the proposed
1.25 filtration or treatment plant facility; and

1.26 (6) the city will be given authority to force change to ongoing project operations that
1.27 negatively affect the immediate neighborhood."