

1.1 CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON H. F. No. 1226

1.2 A bill for an act

1.3 relating to taxation; making policy, technical, and clarifying changes to income,
 1.4 corporate, estate, special, sales, property, and miscellaneous taxes and tax
 1.5 provisions; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 13.51, subdivision 2;
 1.6 69.021, subdivision 5; 270.071, subdivisions 2, 7, 8, by adding a subdivision;
 1.7 270.072, subdivisions 2, 3, by adding a subdivision; 270.12, by adding a
 1.8 subdivision; 270.82, subdivision 1; 270A.03, subdivision 5; 270B.14, subdivision
 1.9 1; 270C.30; 270C.33, subdivisions 5, 8; 270C.34, subdivision 2; 270C.35,
 1.10 subdivision 3, by adding a subdivision; 270C.38, subdivision 1; 270C.445, by
 1.11 adding a subdivision; 270C.446, subdivision 5; 270C.72, subdivision 4; 270C.89,
 1.12 subdivision 1; 271.06, subdivisions 2, 7; 272.02, subdivisions 9, 10; 272.0211,
 1.13 subdivision 1; 272.025, subdivision 1; 272.029, subdivisions 2, 4, by adding a
 1.14 subdivision; 272.0295, subdivision 4; 272.115, subdivision 2; 273.061, subdivision
 1.15 7; 273.08; 273.121, by adding a subdivision; 273.124, subdivision 13; 273.13,
 1.16 subdivision 22; 273.33, subdivisions 1, 2; 273.371; 273.372, subdivisions 2, 4, by
 1.17 adding subdivisions; 274.01, subdivision 1; 274.13, subdivision 1; 274.135,
 1.18 subdivision 3; 275.065, subdivision 1; 275.62, subdivision 2; 278.01, subdivision
 1.19 1; 282.01, subdivisions 1a, 1d; 287.2205; 289A.08, subdivisions 11, 16, by adding
 1.20 a subdivision; 289A.09, subdivisions 1, 2; 289A.11, subdivision 1; 289A.12,
 1.21 subdivision 14; 289A.18, subdivision 1, by adding a subdivision; 289A.20,
 1.22 subdivision 2; 289A.31, subdivision 1; 289A.35; 289A.37, subdivision 2; 289A.38,
 1.23 subdivision 6; 289A.50, subdivision 7; 289A.60, subdivision 28, by adding a
 1.24 subdivision; 289A.63, by adding a subdivision; 290.0672, subdivision 1; 290.068,
 1.25 subdivision 2; 290.0922, subdivision 2; 290.17, subdivision 2; 290.31, subdivision
 1.26 1; 290A.19; 290C.03; 291.016, subdivisions 2, 3; 291.03, subdivisions 9, 11;
 1.27 295.54, subdivision 2; 295.55, subdivision 6; 296A.01, subdivisions 33, 42, by
 1.28 adding a subdivision; 296A.02, by adding a subdivision; 296A.07, subdivision 1;
 1.29 296A.22, subdivision 9; 296A.26; 297A.82, subdivisions 4, 4a; 297D.02; 297E.02,
 1.30 subdivisions 3, 7; 297E.04, subdivision 1; 297E.05, subdivision 4; 297E.06,
 1.31 subdivision 1; 297F.09, subdivision 1; 297F.23; 297G.09, subdivision 1; 297G.22;
 1.32 297H.06, subdivision 2; 297I.05, subdivision 2; 297I.10, subdivisions 1, 3; 297I.30,
 1.33 by adding a subdivision; 297I.60, subdivision 2; 298.01, subdivision 4c; 469.319,
 1.34 subdivision 5; 477A.013, by adding a subdivision; 477A.19, by adding subdivisions;
 1.35 559.202, subdivision 2; 609.5316, subdivision 3; Laws 2014, chapter 308, article
 1.36 9, section 94; Laws 2016, chapter 187, section 5; proposing coding for new law
 1.37 in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 273; 289A; 290B; 290C; 293; repealing Minnesota
 1.38 Statutes 2016, sections 281.22; 290C.02, subdivisions 5, 9; 290C.06; Minnesota
 1.39 Rules, parts 8092.1400; 8092.2000; 8100.0700.

May 20, 2018

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2.2 The Honorable Kurt L. Daudt
2.3 Speaker of the House of Representatives

2.4 The Honorable Michelle L. Fischbach
2.5 President of the Senate

2.6 We, the undersigned conferees for H. F. No. 1226 report that we have agreed upon the
2.7 items in dispute and recommend as follows:

2.8 That the Senate recede from its amendment and that H. F. No. 1226 be further amended
2.9 as follows:

2.10 Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

2.11 "ARTICLE 1

2.12 APPROPRIATIONS

2.13 Section 1. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS.

2.14 The sums shown in the column under "Appropriations" are appropriated from the bond
2.15 proceeds fund, or another named fund, to the state agencies or officials indicated, to be
2.16 spent for public purposes. Appropriations of bond proceeds must be spent as authorized by
2.17 the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, paragraph (a), to acquire and better public
2.18 land and buildings and other public improvements of a capital nature, or as authorized by
2.19 the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, paragraphs (b) to (j), or article XIV. Unless
2.20 otherwise specified, money appropriated in this act:

2.21 (1) may be used to pay state agency staff costs that are attributed directly to the capital
2.22 program or project in accordance with accounting policies adopted by the commissioner of
2.23 management and budget;

2.24 (2) is available until the project is completed or abandoned subject to Minnesota Statutes,
2.25 section 16A.642;

2.26 (3) for activities under Minnesota Statutes, sections 16B.307, 84.946, and 135A.046,
2.27 should not be used for projects that can be financed within a reasonable time frame under
2.28 Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.322 or 16C.144; and

2.29 (4) is available for a grant to a political subdivision after the commissioner of management
2.30 and budget determines that an amount sufficient to complete the project as described in this
2.31 act has been committed to the project, as required by Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.502.

2.32 APPROPRIATIONS

2.33 Sec. 2. UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

3.1	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$ 79,400,000</u>
3.2	<u>To the Board of Regents of the University of</u>	
3.3	<u>Minnesota for the purposes specified in this</u>	
3.4	<u>section.</u>	
3.5	<u>Subd. 2. Higher Education Asset Preservation</u>	
3.6	<u>and Replacement (HEAPR)</u>	<u>45,000,000</u>
3.7	<u>To be spent in accordance with Minnesota</u>	
3.8	<u>Statutes, section 135A.046.</u>	
3.9	<u>Subd. 3. Crookston - Dowell Hall and Owen Hall</u>	<u>3,200,000</u>
3.10	<u>To predesign, design, renovate, furnish, and</u>	
3.11	<u>equip campus teaching and learning spaces in</u>	
3.12	<u>Dowell Hall and Owen Hall on the Crookston</u>	
3.13	<u>campus.</u>	
3.14	<u>Subd. 4. Morris - Humanities Building and</u>	
3.15	<u>Blakely Hall</u>	<u>3,200,000</u>
3.16	<u>To predesign, design, renovate, furnish, and</u>	
3.17	<u>equip campus teaching and learning spaces in</u>	
3.18	<u>the Humanities Building and Blakely Hall on</u>	
3.19	<u>the Morris campus.</u>	
3.20	<u>Subd. 5. Twin Cities - Pillsbury Hall Renewal</u>	<u>24,000,000</u>
3.21	<u>To predesign, design, renovate, furnish, and</u>	
3.22	<u>equip historic Pillsbury Hall on the Twin</u>	
3.23	<u>Cities campus.</u>	
3.24	<u>Subd. 6. Glensheen Renewal</u>	<u>4,000,000</u>
3.25	<u>To predesign, design, and renovate the</u>	
3.26	<u>Historic Glensheen Estate including but not</u>	
3.27	<u>limited to the main house; the site structures,</u>	
3.28	<u>terraces, and garden walls; and the carriage</u>	
3.29	<u>house. This appropriation is not available until</u>	
3.30	<u>the commissioner of management and budget</u>	
3.31	<u>determines that an equal amount is committed</u>	
3.32	<u>from other sources.</u>	
3.33	<u>Subd. 7. University Share</u>	

4.1 Except for the appropriations for HEAPR and
 4.2 Glensheen renewal, the appropriations in this
 4.3 section are intended to cover approximately
 4.4 two-thirds of the cost of each project. The
 4.5 remaining costs must be paid from university
 4.6 sources.

4.7 **Subd. 8. Unspent Appropriations**

4.8 Upon substantial completion of a project
 4.9 authorized in this section and after written
 4.10 notice to the commissioner of management
 4.11 and budget, the Board of Regents must use
 4.12 any money remaining in the appropriation for
 4.13 that project for HEAPR under Minnesota
 4.14 Statutes, section 135A.046. The Board of
 4.15 Regents must report by February 1 of each
 4.16 even-numbered year to the chairs of the house
 4.17 of representatives and senate committees with
 4.18 jurisdiction over capital investment and higher
 4.19 education finance, and to the chairs of the
 4.20 house of representatives Ways and Means
 4.21 Committee and the senate Finance Committee,
 4.22 on how the remaining money has been
 4.23 allocated or spent.

4.24 **Sec. 3. MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES AND**
 4.25 **UNIVERSITIES**

4.26 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 129,015,000**

4.27 To the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota
 4.28 State Colleges and Universities for the
 4.29 purposes specified in this section.

4.30 **Subd. 2. Higher Education Asset Preservation**
 4.31 **and Replacement (HEAPR)** **45,000,000**

4.32 To be spent in accordance with Minnesota
 4.33 Statutes, section 135A.046.

5.1	<u>Subd. 3. Anoka-Ramsey Community College,</u>	
5.2	<u>Coon Rapids</u>	<u>569,000</u>
5.3	<u>To design the renovation of the business and</u>	
5.4	<u>nursing building on the Coon Rapids campus.</u>	
5.5	<u>Subd. 4. Bemidji State University</u>	<u>22,512,000</u>
5.6	<u>To demolish and replace Hagg Sauer Hall with</u>	
5.7	<u>the Academic Learning Center Building; and</u>	
5.8	<u>to design, renovate, and equip A.C. Clark</u>	
5.9	<u>Library, Bangsberg Hall, Bensen Hall,</u>	
5.10	<u>Bridgeman Hall, and Sattgast Hall.</u>	
5.11	<u>Subd. 5. Century College</u>	<u>6,362,000</u>
5.12	<u>To design, renovate, and equip the</u>	
5.13	<u>Engineering and Applied Technology Center,</u>	
5.14	<u>welding lab, fabrication lab, auto disassembly,</u>	
5.15	<u>and related student support and university</u>	
5.16	<u>partnership space on the east campus.</u>	
5.17	<u>Subd. 6. Fond du Lac Tribal and Community</u>	
5.18	<u>College, Maajiigi (Start to Grow)</u>	<u>1,157,000</u>
5.19	<u>To design, renovate, and equip classrooms and</u>	
5.20	<u>offices for the elementary education program;</u>	
5.21	<u>renovate kitchen area; to perform site work to</u>	
5.22	<u>support outdoor learning; and to demolish</u>	
5.23	<u>obsolete modular classroom/office building.</u>	
5.24	<u>Subd. 7. Inver Hills Community College</u>	<u>698,000</u>
5.25	<u>To design the renovation of the Technology</u>	
5.26	<u>and Business Center to include the link to</u>	
5.27	<u>Heritage Hall.</u>	
5.28	<u>Subd. 8. Minnesota State University, Mankato</u>	<u>6,478,000</u>
5.29	<u>To update design, renovate, renew, equip, and</u>	
5.30	<u>repurpose the spaces in Wissink Hall, Morris</u>	
5.31	<u>Hall, and Wiecking Center vacated when</u>	
5.32	<u>occupants moved to the new Clinical Science</u>	
5.33	<u>Building; and to install a solar array on the</u>	
5.34	<u>roof of the new Clinical Science Building.</u>	

6.1	<u>Subd. 9. Minnesota State University, Moorhead</u>	<u>628,000</u>
6.2	<u>To design the renovation of Weld Hall.</u>	
6.3	<u>Subd. 10. Normandale Community College</u>	<u>12,636,000</u>
6.4	<u>To design Phases 1 and 2 of the renovation of</u>	
6.5	<u>the College Services Building; and to renovate</u>	
6.6	<u>and equip the first floor of the College</u>	
6.7	<u>Services Building, including site</u>	
6.8	<u>improvements that address ADA compliance</u>	
6.9	<u>and storm water management.</u>	
6.10	<u>Subd. 11. Riverland Community College, Albert</u>	
6.11	<u>Lea</u>	<u>10,122,000</u>
6.12	<u>To design, renovate, renew, and equip</u>	
6.13	<u>classroom and lab space at the Albert Lea</u>	
6.14	<u>campus; to construct infill in Building C to</u>	
6.15	<u>support auto and diesel labs; and to demolish</u>	
6.16	<u>obsolete child care building.</u>	
6.17	<u>Subd. 12. Rochester Community and Technical</u>	
6.18	<u>College</u>	<u>22,853,000</u>
6.19	<u>To demolish Plaza and Memorial Halls; to</u>	
6.20	<u>design, renovate, renew, and equip classrooms</u>	
6.21	<u>and labs; to construct an addition adjacent to</u>	
6.22	<u>Endicott Hall; to construct a central chiller</u>	
6.23	<u>plant; and to demolish the maintenance</u>	
6.24	<u>building and child care building.</u>	
6.25	<u>Subd. 13. Debt Service</u>	
6.26	<u>(a) Except as provided in paragraph (b), the</u>	
6.27	<u>Board of Trustees shall pay the debt service</u>	
6.28	<u>on one-third of the principal amount of state</u>	
6.29	<u>bonds sold to finance projects authorized by</u>	
6.30	<u>this section. After each sale of general</u>	
6.31	<u>obligation bonds, the commissioner of</u>	
6.32	<u>management and budget shall notify the board</u>	
6.33	<u>of the amounts assessed for each year for the</u>	
6.34	<u>life of the bonds.</u>	

7.1 (b) The board need not pay debt service on
7.2 bonds sold to finance HEAPR. Where a
7.3 nonstate match is required, the debt service is
7.4 due on a principal amount equal to one-third
7.5 of the total project cost, less the match
7.6 committed before the bonds are sold.

7.7 (c) The commissioner of management and
7.8 budget shall reduce the board's assessment
7.9 each year by one-third of the net income from
7.10 investment of general obligation bond
7.11 proceeds in proportion to the amount of
7.12 principal and interest otherwise required to be
7.13 paid by the board. The board shall pay its
7.14 resulting net assessment to the commissioner
7.15 of management and budget by December 1
7.16 each year. If the board fails to make a payment
7.17 when due, the commissioner of management
7.18 and budget shall reduce allotments for
7.19 appropriations from the general fund otherwise
7.20 available to the board and apply the amount
7.21 of the reduction to cover the missed debt
7.22 service payment. The commissioner of
7.23 management and budget shall credit the
7.24 payments received from the board to the bond
7.25 debt service account in the state bond fund
7.26 each December 1 before money is transferred
7.27 from the general fund under Minnesota
7.28 Statutes, section 16A.641, subdivision 10.

7.29 **Subd. 14. Unspent Appropriations**

7.30 (a) Upon substantial completion of a project
7.31 authorized in this section and after written
7.32 notice to the commissioner of management
7.33 and budget, the board must use any money
7.34 remaining in the appropriation for that project
7.35 for HEAPR under Minnesota Statutes, section

8.1 135A.046. The Board of Trustees must report
 8.2 by February 1 of each even-numbered year to
 8.3 the chairs of the house of representatives and
 8.4 senate committees with jurisdiction over
 8.5 capital investment and higher education
 8.6 finance, and to the chairs of the house of
 8.7 representatives Ways and Means Committee
 8.8 and the senate Finance Committee, on how
 8.9 the remaining money has been allocated or
 8.10 spent.

8.11 (b) The unspent portion of an appropriation
 8.12 for a project in this section that is complete is
 8.13 available for HEAPR under this subdivision,
 8.14 at the same campus as the project for which
 8.15 the original appropriation was made and the
 8.16 debt service requirement under this section is
 8.17 reduced accordingly. Minnesota Statutes,
 8.18 section 16A.642, applies from the date of the
 8.19 original appropriation to the unspent amount
 8.20 transferred.

8.21 **Sec. 4. EDUCATION**

8.22 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 45,600,000**

8.23 To the commissioner of education for the
 8.24 purposes specified in this section.

8.25 **Subd. 2. Library Construction Grants** **1,000,000**

8.26 For library construction grants under
 8.27 Minnesota Statutes, section 134.45.

8.28 **Subd. 3. School Safety Grants** **25,000,000**

8.29 (a) This appropriation is from the general fund
 8.30 in fiscal year 2019 for school safety facility
 8.31 grants for improvements related to violence
 8.32 prevention and facility security. \$25,000,000
 8.33 in fiscal year 2019 is transferred from the

9.1 budget reserve under Minnesota Statutes,
9.2 section 16A.152, subdivision 1a, to the general
9.3 fund.

9.4 (b) A school district may apply for a school
9.5 safety facility grant in the form and manner
9.6 specified by the commissioner of education.

9.7 (c) After consultation with the Department of
9.8 Public Safety's Minnesota School Safety
9.9 Center, the commissioner of education may
9.10 award a school safety facility grant to a school
9.11 district of no more than \$500,000 for each
9.12 qualifying school building. The commissioner
9.13 must award grants for projects that meet the
9.14 requirements of this subdivision on a
9.15 first-come, first-served basis. At least half of
9.16 the grants must be awarded to school districts
9.17 with administrative offices located outside of
9.18 the eleven Minnesota counties included in the
9.19 Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington
9.20 Metropolitan Statistical Area delineated in
9.21 2009 by the United State Census Bureau.

9.22 (d) Grants may be used to predesign, design,
9.23 construct, furnish, and equip school facilities
9.24 and includes renovating and expanding
9.25 existing buildings and facilities.

9.26 (e) Before a grant is approved, the district must
9.27 provide documentation acceptable to the
9.28 commissioner of education on how the grant
9.29 will be used.

9.30 (f) No money for construction may be
9.31 distributed by the commissioner of education
9.32 to the recipient school district until bids have
9.33 been received on 100 percent of the
9.34 construction documents and satisfactory

10.1 documentation has been submitted to the
 10.2 commissioner of education indicating the
 10.3 project can be fully completed with money
 10.4 available for the project.

10.5 (g) Grants are available when the
 10.6 commissioner of management and budget
 10.7 determines that sufficient resources have been
 10.8 committed to complete the project, as required
 10.9 by Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.502.

10.10 **Subd. 4. Independent School District No. 38, Red**
 10.11 **Lake**

14,000,000

10.12 (a) From the maximum effort school loan fund
 10.13 for a capital loan to Independent School
 10.14 District No. 38, Red Lake, as provided in
 10.15 Minnesota Statutes, sections 126C.60 to
 10.16 126C.72. This appropriation is for predesign,
 10.17 design, and construction of a connection
 10.18 structure between the Red Lake Early
 10.19 Learning Childhood Center and Red Lake
 10.20 Elementary School; renovations to various
 10.21 classrooms, labs, and support rooms; updating
 10.22 of mechanical systems; and expansion of the
 10.23 cafeteria. Before any capital loan contract is
 10.24 approved under this subdivision, the district
 10.25 must provide documentation acceptable to the
 10.26 commissioner of education on how the capital
 10.27 loan will be used.

10.28 (b) The commissioner of administration may
 10.29 provide project management services to assist
 10.30 the commissioner of education with oversight
 10.31 of the project. No money for construction may
 10.32 be distributed by the commissioner of
 10.33 education to the recipient school district until
 10.34 bids have been received on 100 percent of the
 10.35 construction documents and satisfactory

11.1 documentation has been submitted to the
 11.2 commissioner of education indicating the
 11.3 project can be fully completed with money
 11.4 available for the project.

11.5 (c) Notwithstanding the timelines in Minnesota
 11.6 Statutes, section 126C.69, subdivision 11,
 11.7 Independent School District No. 38, Red Lake,
 11.8 must submit the question authorizing the
 11.9 borrowing of money for the facilities to voters
 11.10 of the district at the first general election
 11.11 following final enactment of this subdivision.

11.12 (d) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes,
 11.13 section 126C.69, subdivision 6, the application
 11.14 submitted by Independent School District No.
 11.15 38, Red Lake, on September 1, 2015, shall be
 11.16 considered a sufficient application for this
 11.17 loan. The local portion for this capital loan is
 11.18 \$94,231 under Minnesota Statutes, section
 11.19 126C.69, subdivision 9. This amount shall be
 11.20 disbursed for the approved project prior to the
 11.21 state loan reimbursement payments to the
 11.22 school district.

11.23 **Subd. 5. Atwater-Cosmos-Grove City School**
 11.24 **District; Cosmos Elementary School**
 11.25 **Repurposing**

5,000,000

11.26 For a grant to Independent School District No.
 11.27 2396, Atwater-Cosmos-Grove City Public
 11.28 Schools, to predesign, design, construct,
 11.29 furnish, and equip the renovation and
 11.30 repurposing of the Cosmos elementary school
 11.31 for use by the regional educational program
 11.32 for autistic students, emotionally or
 11.33 behaviorally disturbed students, and other
 11.34 students with specific educational needs.

11.35 **Subd. 6. Warroad School District - Northwest**
 11.36 **Angle School**

600,000

12.1 From the general fund in fiscal year 2019 for
 12.2 a grant to Independent School District No.
 12.3 690, Warroad Public Schools, for demolition
 12.4 and site preparation and to predesign, design,
 12.5 construct, furnish, and equip the renovation
 12.6 and an expansion of the Northwest Angle
 12.7 School.

12.8 **Sec. 5. MINNESOTA STATE ACADEMIES** **\$ 2,000,000**

12.9 To the commissioner of administration for
 12.10 capital asset preservation improvements and
 12.11 betterments on both campuses of the
 12.12 Minnesota State Academies, to be spent in
 12.13 accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section
 12.14 16B.307.

12.15 **Sec. 6. PERPICH CENTER FOR ARTS**
 12.16 **EDUCATION** **\$ 250,000**

12.17 To the commissioner of administration for
 12.18 capital asset preservation improvements and
 12.19 betterments at the Perpich Center for Arts
 12.20 Education, to be spent in accordance with
 12.21 Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

12.22 **Sec. 7. NATURAL RESOURCES**

12.23 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 74,309,000**

12.24 (a) To the commissioner of natural resources
 12.25 for the purposes specified in this section.

12.26 (b) The appropriations in this section are
 12.27 subject to the requirements of the natural
 12.28 resources capital improvement program under
 12.29 Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.12, unless
 12.30 this section or the statutes referred to in this
 12.31 section provide more specific standards,

- 13.1 criteria, or priorities for projects than
- 13.2 Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.12.
- 13.3 **Subd. 2. Natural Resources Asset Preservation** 26,581,000
- 13.4 For the renovation of state-owned facilities
- 13.5 and recreational assets operated by the
- 13.6 commissioner of natural resources to be spent
- 13.7 in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section
- 13.8 84.946. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes,
- 13.9 section 84.946, the commissioner may use this
- 13.10 appropriation to replace buildings if,
- 13.11 considering the embedded energy in the
- 13.12 building, that is the most energy-efficient and
- 13.13 carbon-reducing method of renovation.
- 13.14 **Subd. 3. Flood Hazard Mitigation** 20,000,000
- 13.15 (a) For the state share of flood hazard
- 13.16 mitigation grants for publicly owned capital
- 13.17 improvements to prevent or alleviate flood
- 13.18 damage under Minnesota Statutes, section
- 13.19 103F.161.
- 13.20 (b) To the extent practical, levee projects shall
- 13.21 meet the state standard of three feet above the
- 13.22 100-year flood elevation.
- 13.23 (c) To the extent practicable and consistent
- 13.24 with the project, recipients of appropriations
- 13.25 for flood control projects in this subdivision
- 13.26 shall create wetlands that are eligible for
- 13.27 wetland replacement credit to replace wetlands
- 13.28 drained or filled as the result of repair,
- 13.29 reconstruction, replacement, or rehabilitation
- 13.30 of an existing public road under Minnesota
- 13.31 Statutes, section 103G.222, subdivision 1,
- 13.32 paragraphs (l) and (m).
- 13.33 (d) Project priorities shall be determined by
- 13.34 the commissioner as appropriate and based on

- 14.1 need and may include acquisition of properties
 14.2 prone to flooding.
- 14.3 (e) To the extent that the cost of a project
 14.4 exceeds two percent of the median household
 14.5 income in a municipality or township
 14.6 multiplied by the number of households in the
 14.7 municipality or township, this appropriation
 14.8 is also for the local share of the project.
- 14.9 **Subd. 4. Acquisition and Betterment of Buildings** 6,000,000
- 14.10 For acquisition, predesign, design, and
 14.11 construction to replace existing facilities that
 14.12 no longer meet the business needs of the
 14.13 department; for the predesign, design, and
 14.14 construction of a drill core facility in Hibbing;
 14.15 and for the design and construction of storage
 14.16 facilities.
- 14.17 **Subd. 5. State Park and Recreation Area**
 14.18 **Accessibility** 500,000
- 14.19 For the design and construction of
 14.20 improvements to bring the facilities within
 14.21 state parks and recreation areas to the
 14.22 Americans with Disabilities Act standards.
- 14.23 **Subd. 6. Blufflands State Trail** 1,500,000
- 14.24 To acquire land for, construct, and pay
 14.25 expenses related to an extension of the
 14.26 Blufflands state trail system from Harmony
 14.27 to the Iowa border, to include a connection to
 14.28 Niagara Cave in Fillmore County as
 14.29 authorized in Minnesota Statutes, section
 14.30 85.015, subdivision 7.
- 14.31 **Subd. 7. Chester Woods State Trail** 2,500,000
- 14.32 To complete construction and paving of phase
 14.33 one of the Chester Woods State Trail from the

- 15.1 city of Rochester to Chester Woods Park in
 15.2 Olmsted County.
- 15.3 **Subd. 8. Aitkin County - Northwoods ATV Trail** 1,500,000
- 15.4 For a grant to Aitkin County for predesign,
 15.5 design, acquisition, and development of a trail
 15.6 to connect the Northwoods ATV trail system
 15.7 with the Mille Lacs-Malmo East Loop trail
 15.8 system. The appropriation is not available until
 15.9 the commissioner of management and budget
 15.10 determines that \$150,000 has been committed
 15.11 to the project from nonstate sources.
- 15.12 **Subd. 9. Glendalough State Park** 750,000
- 15.13 To predesign, design, and construct a Visitor
 15.14 and Trail Center in Glendalough State Park.
- 15.15 **Subd. 10. Lake Vermilion-Soudan Underground**
 15.16 **Mine State Park** 4,000,000
- 15.17 For development of Lake Vermilion-Soudan
 15.18 Underground Mine State Park, including
 15.19 designing, constructing, furnishing, and
 15.20 equipping the Lake Lodge Visitor Center at
 15.21 Armstrong Bay, the Murray Spur campground
 15.22 site and nearby infrastructure, and renewable
 15.23 energy facilities in the park, and for repair and
 15.24 reconstruction of the mine shaft at the Soudan
 15.25 Underground Mine.
- 15.26 **Subd. 11. Mill Towns State Trail** 500,000
- 15.27 For acquisition and design of the Mill Towns
 15.28 State Trail between the cities of Faribault and
 15.29 Waterford.
- 15.30 **Subd. 12. Shooting Star State Trail** 250,000
- 15.31 To complete the Shooting Star State Trail,
 15.32 established under Minnesota Statutes, section
 15.33 85.015, subdivision 17, to Austin.

16.1	<u>Subd. 13. Babbitt Recreation Area</u>	<u>1,300,000</u>
16.2	<u>For a grant under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
16.3	<u>85.019, subdivision 2, to the city of Babbitt</u>	
16.4	<u>to construct a campground at the Babbitt</u>	
16.5	<u>Recreation Area.</u>	
16.6	<u>Subd. 14. Cohasset - Tioga Recreation Area</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
16.7	<u>For a grant to the city of Cohasset to design,</u>	
16.8	<u>engineer, and construct an approximately</u>	
16.9	<u>25-mile trail system for hiking, running,</u>	
16.10	<u>mountain biking, and other activities in the</u>	
16.11	<u>Tioga Recreation Area in Cohasset.</u>	
16.12	<u>Subd. 15. Grand Marais; Lake Superior Water</u>	
16.13	<u>Access</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
16.14	<u>For capital improvements to a water access</u>	
16.15	<u>facility on Lake Superior in Grand Marais.</u>	
16.16	<u>Subd. 16. La Crescent; Wagon Wheel Trail</u>	<u>2,500,000</u>
16.17	<u>For a grant to the city of La Crescent for phase</u>	
16.18	<u>three of four phases of the Wagon Wheel Trail</u>	
16.19	<u>project, including predesign, design,</u>	
16.20	<u>engineering, and construction of a</u>	
16.21	<u>grade-separated crossing of marked Trunk</u>	
16.22	<u>Highways 14, 16, and 61 near downtown La</u>	
16.23	<u>Crescent that will connect to the existing</u>	
16.24	<u>Wagon Wheel Trail.</u>	
16.25	<u>Subd. 17. Olmsted County; Lake Zumbro -</u>	
16.26	<u>Sedimentation Removal</u>	<u>640,000</u>
16.27	<u>For a grant to Olmsted County for the removal</u>	
16.28	<u>of sedimentation in Lake Zumbro deposited</u>	
16.29	<u>after the removal of the Lake Shady Dam on</u>	
16.30	<u>the middle fork of the Zumbro River. This</u>	
16.31	<u>appropriation may be used for final</u>	
16.32	<u>engineering, dredging, and dredged soil</u>	
16.33	<u>disposal. This appropriation is in addition to</u>	
16.34	<u>appropriations in Laws 2012, chapter 293, and</u>	
16.35	<u>Laws 2014, chapter 294.</u>	

17.1	<u>Subd. 18. St. Louis and Lake Counties Regional</u>		
17.2	<u>Railroad Authority - Mesabi Trail</u>		<u>1,138,000</u>
17.3	<u>For a grant to the St. Louis and Lake Counties</u>		
17.4	<u>Regional Railroad Authority to continue</u>		
17.5	<u>construction of the Mesabi Trail, starting near</u>		
17.6	<u>Whalston Road and going toward the city of</u>		
17.7	<u>Tower for approximately 4.5 miles.</u>		
17.8	<u>Subd. 19. Stillwater; St. Croix River Riverbank</u>		
17.9	<u>Restoration</u>		<u>1,650,000</u>
17.10	<u>For a grant to the city of Stillwater to</u>		
17.11	<u>predesign, design, engineer, and construct</u>		
17.12	<u>restoration of the St. Croix River riverbank in</u>		
17.13	<u>the city of Stillwater and to design and</u>		
17.14	<u>construct an integrated walkway along the</u>		
17.15	<u>restored riverbank in the city.</u>		
17.16	<u>Subd. 20. Unspent Appropriations</u>		
17.17	<u>The unspent portion of an appropriation for a</u>		
17.18	<u>project in this section that is complete, upon</u>		
17.19	<u>written notice to the commissioner of</u>		
17.20	<u>management and budget, is available for asset</u>		
17.21	<u>preservation under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>		
17.22	<u>84.946. Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642,</u>		
17.23	<u>applies from the date of the original</u>		
17.24	<u>appropriation to the unspent amount</u>		
17.25	<u>transferred.</u>		
17.26	<u>Sec. 8. POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>750,000</u>
17.27	<u>To the Pollution Control Agency for a grant</u>		
17.28	<u>to Becker County under the solid waste capital</u>		
17.29	<u>assistance grant program under Minnesota</u>		
17.30	<u>Statutes, section 115A.54, to predesign,</u>		
17.31	<u>design, construct, and equip buildings to store</u>		
17.32	<u>and process large, bulky materials, such as</u>		
17.33	<u>mattresses, that must be deconstructed before</u>		
17.34	<u>shipping to recycling facilities.</u>		

18.1 **Sec. 9. BOARD OF WATER AND SOIL**
 18.2 **RESOURCES**

18.3 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 7,400,000**

18.4 To the Board of Water and Soil Resources for
 18.5 the purposes specified in this section.

18.6 **Subd. 2. Local Government Roads Wetland**
 18.7 **Replacement Program** **6,700,000**

18.8 To acquire land or permanent easements and
 18.9 to restore, create, enhance, and preserve
 18.10 wetlands to replace those wetlands drained or
 18.11 filled as a result of the repair, reconstruction,
 18.12 replacement, or rehabilitation of existing
 18.13 public roads as required by Minnesota
 18.14 Statutes, section 103G.222, subdivision 1,
 18.15 paragraphs (l) and (m). The board may vary
 18.16 the priority order of Minnesota Statutes,
 18.17 section 103G.222, subdivision 3, paragraph
 18.18 (a), to implement an in-lieu fee agreement
 18.19 approved by the U.S. Army Corps of
 18.20 Engineers under section 404 of the Clean
 18.21 Water Act. The purchase price paid for
 18.22 acquisition of land or perpetual easement must
 18.23 be a fair market value as determined by the
 18.24 board. The board may enter into agreements
 18.25 with the federal government, other state
 18.26 agencies, political subdivisions, nonprofit
 18.27 organizations, fee title owners, or other
 18.28 qualified private entities to acquire wetland
 18.29 replacement credits in accordance with
 18.30 Minnesota Rules, chapter 8420.

18.31 **Subd. 3. Minnesota River Basin Area II** **700,000**

18.32 For grants to local governments in Area II of
 18.33 the Minnesota River Basin to acquire, design,
 18.34 and construct floodwater management
 18.35 projects.

19.1 **Sec. 10. RURAL FINANCE AUTHORITY.**

\$ 35,000,000

19.2 For the purposes set forth in the Minnesota
 19.3 Constitution, article XI, section 5, paragraph
 19.4 (h), to the Rural Finance Authority to purchase
 19.5 participation interests in or to make direct
 19.6 agricultural loans to farmers under Minnesota
 19.7 Statutes, chapter 41B. This appropriation is
 19.8 for the beginning farmer program under
 19.9 Minnesota Statutes, section 41B.039; the loan
 19.10 restructuring program under Minnesota
 19.11 Statutes, section 41B.04; the seller-sponsored
 19.12 program under Minnesota Statutes, section
 19.13 41B.042; the agricultural improvement loan
 19.14 program under Minnesota Statutes, section
 19.15 41B.043; and the livestock expansion loan
 19.16 program under Minnesota Statutes, section
 19.17 41B.045. All debt service on bond proceeds
 19.18 used to finance this appropriation must be
 19.19 repaid by the Rural Finance Authority under
 19.20 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.643. Loan
 19.21 participations must be priced to provide full
 19.22 interest and principal coverage and a reserve
 19.23 for potential losses. Priority for loans must be
 19.24 given first to basic beginning farmer loans,
 19.25 second to seller-sponsored loans, and third to
 19.26 agricultural improvement loans.

19.27 If an appropriation for the same purpose as in
 19.28 this section is enacted more than once in the
 19.29 2018 legislative session, the appropriation
 19.30 must be given effect only once. If the
 19.31 appropriations for the same purpose are for
 19.32 different amounts, the highest of the amounts
 19.33 is the one to be given effect.

19.34 **Sec. 11. MINNESOTA ZOOLOGICAL**
19.35 **GARDEN**

\$ 6,000,000

20.1 To the Minnesota Zoological Garden Board
 20.2 for capital asset preservation improvements
 20.3 and betterments to infrastructure and exhibits
 20.4 at the Minnesota Zoo, to be spent in
 20.5 accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section
 20.6 16B.307. Notwithstanding the specified uses
 20.7 of money under Minnesota Statutes, section
 20.8 16B.307, the board may use this appropriation
 20.9 to replace buildings that are in poor condition,
 20.10 outdated, and no longer support the work of
 20.11 the Minnesota Zoo and to construct and
 20.12 renovate trails and roads on the Minnesota
 20.13 Zoo site.

20.14 Sec. 12. **ADMINISTRATION**

20.15 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 15,000,000**

20.16 To the commissioner of administration for the
 20.17 purposes specified in this section.

20.18 **Subd. 2. Capital Asset Preservation and**
 20.19 **Replacement Account** **5,000,000**

20.20 To be spent in accordance with Minnesota
 20.21 Statutes, section 16A.632.

20.22 **Subd. 3. Capitol Complex - Physical Security**
 20.23 **Upgrades** **10,000,000**

20.24 To design, construct, and equip upgrades to
 20.25 the physical security elements and systems for
 20.26 one or more of the buildings listed in this
 20.27 subdivision, their attached tunnel systems,
 20.28 their surrounding grounds, and parking
 20.29 facilities as identified in the 2017 Minnesota
 20.30 State Capitol Complex Physical Security
 20.31 Predesign completed by Miller Dunwiddie.
 20.32 Improvements may include but are not limited
 20.33 to design and abatement of asbestos and
 20.34 hazardous materials, the installation of
 20.35 bollards, blast protection, infrastructure

21.1	<u>security screen walls, door access controls,</u>		
21.2	<u>emergency call stations, security kiosks,</u>		
21.3	<u>locking devices, and traffic control. This</u>		
21.4	<u>appropriation includes money for work</u>		
21.5	<u>associated with one or more of the following</u>		
21.6	<u>buildings: Administration, Centennial,</u>		
21.7	<u>Judicial, Ag/Health Lab, Minnesota History</u>		
21.8	<u>Center, Capitol Complex Power Plant and</u>		
21.9	<u>Shops, Stassen, State Office, and Veterans</u>		
21.10	<u>Service.</u>		
21.11	Sec. 13. <u>AMATEUR SPORTS COMMISSION</u>	\$	<u>1,000,000</u>
21.12	<u>To the Minnesota Amateur Sports</u>		
21.13	<u>Commission for asset preservation of a capital</u>		
21.14	<u>nature at the National Sports Center in Blaine,</u>		
21.15	<u>to be spent in accordance with Minnesota</u>		
21.16	<u>Statutes, section 16B.307.</u>		
21.17	Sec. 14. <u>MILITARY AFFAIRS</u>		
21.18	Subdivision 1. <u>Total Appropriation</u>	\$	<u>12,876,000</u>
21.19	<u>To the adjutant general for the purposes</u>		
21.20	<u>specified in this section.</u>		
21.21	Subd. 2. <u>Brainerd Readiness Center</u>		<u>4,143,000</u>
21.22	<u>To design and renovate existing space at the</u>		
21.23	<u>Brainerd Readiness Center, including</u>		
21.24	<u>mechanical, electrical, building envelope,</u>		
21.25	<u>energy efficiency, and life safety</u>		
21.26	<u>improvements.</u>		
21.27	Subd. 3. <u>Grand Rapids Readiness Center</u>		<u>2,126,000</u>
21.28	<u>To design and renovate existing space at the</u>		
21.29	<u>Grand Rapids Readiness Center, including</u>		
21.30	<u>mechanical, electrical, building envelope,</u>		
21.31	<u>energy efficiency, and life safety</u>		
21.32	<u>improvements.</u>		

22.1	<u>Subd. 4. St. Cloud Readiness Center</u>		<u>4,450,000</u>
22.2	<u>To design and renovate existing space at the</u>		
22.3	<u>St. Cloud Readiness Center, including</u>		
22.4	<u>mechanical, electrical, building envelope,</u>		
22.5	<u>energy efficiency, and life safety</u>		
22.6	<u>improvements. The adjutant general may also</u>		
22.7	<u>use this appropriation to construct and equip</u>		
22.8	<u>an expansion of the facility.</u>		
22.9	<u>Subd. 5. Wadena Readiness Center</u>		<u>2,157,000</u>
22.10	<u>To design and renovate existing space at the</u>		
22.11	<u>Wadena Readiness Center, including</u>		
22.12	<u>mechanical, electrical, building envelope,</u>		
22.13	<u>energy efficiency, and life safety</u>		
22.14	<u>improvements.</u>		
22.15	Sec. 15. <u>PUBLIC SAFETY</u>		
22.16	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>21,700,000</u>
22.17	<u>To the commissioner of public safety for the</u>		
22.18	<u>purposes specified in this section.</u>		
22.19	<u>Subd. 2. East Metro Training Facility - HERO</u>		
22.20	<u>Center</u>		<u>9,500,000</u>
22.21	<u>For a grant to the city of Cottage Grove to</u>		
22.22	<u>construct, furnish, and equip a Health and</u>		
22.23	<u>Emergency Response Occupations (HERO)</u>		
22.24	<u>Center in Cottage Grove.</u>		
22.25	<u>Subd. 3. Dakota County - Regional Public Safety</u>		
22.26	<u>Center</u>		<u>6,200,000</u>
22.27	<u>For a grant to Dakota County to acquire land</u>		
22.28	<u>for and to predesign, design, construct, furnish,</u>		
22.29	<u>and equip the Safety and Mental Health</u>		
22.30	<u>Alternative Response Training (SMART)</u>		
22.31	<u>Center. The center shall serve as a centrally</u>		
22.32	<u>located regional hub and provide training</u>		
22.33	<u>space for the Minnesota Crisis Intervention</u>		

- 23.1 Team as well as provide a central location for
 23.2 other public safety resources.
- 23.3 **Subd. 4. Marshall - MERIT Center** 6,000,000
- 23.4 For a grant to the city of Marshall to design,
 23.5 construct, furnish, and equip the driver training
 23.6 and road course expansion of the Minnesota
 23.7 Emergency Response and Industrial Training
 23.8 (MERIT) Center in Marshall.
- 23.9 **Sec. 16. TRANSPORTATION**
- 23.10 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 541,830,000**
- 23.11 To the commissioner of transportation for the
 23.12 purposes specified in this section.
- 23.13 **Subd. 2. Local Road Improvement Fund Grants** 78,600,000
- 23.14 (a) From the bond proceeds account in the
 23.15 state transportation fund as provided in
 23.16 Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for trunk
 23.17 highway corridor projects under Minnesota
 23.18 Statutes, section 174.52, subdivision 2, for
 23.19 construction and reconstruction of local roads
 23.20 with statewide or regional significance under
 23.21 Minnesota Statutes, section 174.52,
 23.22 subdivision 4, or for grants to counties to assist
 23.23 in paying the costs of rural road safety capital
 23.24 improvement projects on county state-aid
 23.25 highways under Minnesota Statutes, section
 23.26 174.52, subdivision 4a.
- 23.27 (b) Of this amount, \$13,500,000 is for a grant
 23.28 to the city of Dayton for design, engineering,
 23.29 environmental analysis, property and easement
 23.30 acquisition, construction, and reconstruction
 23.31 of local roads in conjunction with an
 23.32 interchange on marked Interstate Highway 94

24.1 near Hennepin County State-Aid Highway
24.2 101, known as Brockton Lane, in Dayton.

24.3 (c) Of this amount, \$6,100,000 is for a grant
24.4 to the city of Inver Grove Heights to
24.5 predesign, design, engineer, acquire
24.6 right-of-way property and temporary and
24.7 permanent easements, inspect, and construct
24.8 or reconstruct: (1) realignment of Dakota
24.9 County State-Aid Highway 63, known as
24.10 Argenta Trail, in Inver Grove Heights, from
24.11 northerly of its intersection with Amana Trail
24.12 to the anticipated future alignment of 65th
24.13 Street, then west to the existing Argenta Trail
24.14 alignment, and in anticipation of the
24.15 development of an interchange of Argenta
24.16 Trail and marked Interstate Highway 494; and
24.17 (2) expansion from two lanes to four lanes of
24.18 Dakota County State-Aid Highway 26, known
24.19 as 70th Street West, in Inver Grove Heights,
24.20 from the border with Eagan to the intersection
24.21 with Argenta Trail as realigned.

24.22 (d) Of this amount, \$9,000,000 is for a grant
24.23 to Carver County following a jurisdictional
24.24 transfer to Carver County of the affected
24.25 segment of marked Trunk Highway 101. The
24.26 appropriation may be used for design,
24.27 right-of-way acquisition, engineering, and
24.28 reconstruction of the segment transferred to
24.29 the county that is between Pioneer Trail and
24.30 Flying Cloud Drive, including grade
24.31 separation of a multipurpose pedestrian and
24.32 bicycle trail from the segment for the
24.33 Minnesota River Bluffs Regional Trail and a
24.34 regional trail along marked Trunk Highway
24.35 101.

25.1	<u>Subd. 3. Local Bridge Replacement and</u>	
25.2	<u>Rehabilitation</u>	<u>5,000,000</u>
25.3	<u>From the bond proceeds account in the state</u>	
25.4	<u>transportation fund to match federal money</u>	
25.5	<u>and to replace or rehabilitate local deficient</u>	
25.6	<u>bridges as provided in Minnesota Statutes,</u>	
25.7	<u>section 174.50.</u>	
25.8	<u>Subd. 4. Rail Service Improvement</u>	<u>1,550,000</u>
25.9	<u>From the rail service improvement account in</u>	
25.10	<u>the special revenue fund under the rail service</u>	
25.11	<u>improvement program in Minnesota Statutes,</u>	
25.12	<u>section 222.50, for grants to the Minnesota</u>	
25.13	<u>Valley Regional Rail Authority in the amount</u>	
25.14	<u>of \$1,000,000 to rehabilitate a portion of the</u>	
25.15	<u>railroad track between Winthrop and Hanley</u>	
25.16	<u>Falls, including but is not limited to</u>	
25.17	<u>environmental analysis and remediation,</u>	
25.18	<u>predesign, design, and rehabilitation or</u>	
25.19	<u>replacement of bridges or culverts, which is</u>	
25.20	<u>in addition to any other appropriation, or other</u>	
25.21	<u>grant, loan, or loan guarantee for this project</u>	
25.22	<u>made by the commissioner under Minnesota</u>	
25.23	<u>Statutes, sections 222.46 to 222.62, and the</u>	
25.24	<u>amount of \$550,000 for the grant under section</u>	
25.25	<u>26 which is available when the commissioner</u>	
25.26	<u>determines that sufficient resources have been</u>	
25.27	<u>committed to complete the project and is</u>	
25.28	<u>available until June 30, 2023, provided that</u>	
25.29	<u>the commissioner must: convert to a grant the</u>	
25.30	<u>remaining balance on Minnesota Department</u>	
25.31	<u>of Transportation Contract No. 1000714,</u>	
25.32	<u>originally executed as of June 1, 2015, with</u>	
25.33	<u>Minnesota Commercial Railway Company;</u>	
25.34	<u>cancel all future payments under the contract;</u>	
25.35	<u>release liens on the locomotives designated as</u>	
25.36	<u>MNNR 49 and MNNR 84; and perform the</u>	

- 26.1 appropriate filing; and provided that the
 26.2 commissioner is prohibited from requiring or
 26.3 accepting additional payments under the
 26.4 contract as of the effective date of this
 26.5 subdivision, and that notwithstanding the loan
 26.6 conversion and payment cancellation under
 26.7 this subdivision, all other terms and conditions
 26.8 under Contract No. 1000714 remain effective
 26.9 for the duration of the period specified in the
 26.10 contract.
- 26.11 **Subd. 5. Port Development Assistance** 5,200,000
- 26.12 For grants under Minnesota Statutes, chapter
 26.13 457A. Any improvements made with the
 26.14 proceeds of these grants must be publicly
 26.15 owned.
- 26.16 **Subd. 6. Safe Routes to School** 1,000,000
- 26.17 For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section
 26.18 174.40.
- 26.19 **Subd. 7. Brooklyn Park - Trunk Highway 169**
 26.20 **and 101st Avenue Interchange Project** 4,000,000
- 26.21 \$4,000,000 is from the bond proceeds account
 26.22 in the state transportation fund for preliminary
 26.23 and final design, engineering, environmental
 26.24 analysis, right-of-way acquisition, and
 26.25 construction of an interchange located at
 26.26 Trunk Highway 169 and 101st Avenue in the
 26.27 city of Brooklyn Park.
- 26.28 **Subd. 8. Chisago County - Marked U.S. Highway**
 26.29 **8 Reconstruction** 3,000,000
- 26.30 From the bond proceeds account in the state
 26.31 transportation fund for a grant to Chisago
 26.32 County to acquire land and right-of-way,
 26.33 perform environmental analysis, predesign,
 26.34 and design the local road, portions of a project
 26.35 to reconstruct marked U.S. Highway 8 in

- 27.1 Chisago and Washington Counties, from
 27.2 marked Trunk Highway 61/Forest Boulevard
 27.3 North up to and including the intersection at
 27.4 Karmel Avenue.
- 27.5 **Subd. 9. Foley - Trunk Highway 23 Safety**
 27.6 **Improvements** 500,000
- 27.7 Of this appropriation, \$200,000 is for safety
 27.8 improvements to the intersection of marked
 27.9 Trunk Highway 23 and 8th Avenue and Penn
 27.10 Street, including curb and gutters and
 27.11 pedestrian crossings. \$300,000 of this
 27.12 appropriation is from the general fund in fiscal
 27.13 year 2019 for pedestrian pathways, lighting,
 27.14 and signage.
- 27.15 **Subd. 10. Trunk Highway 29 - Railroad Grade**
 27.16 **Separation in Pope County** 10,500,000
- 27.17 From the bond proceeds account in the trunk
 27.18 highway fund for construction of the
 27.19 interchange at marked Trunk Highway 55 and
 27.20 marked Trunk Highway 29 near the city of
 27.21 Glenwood, including grade separation of the
 27.22 adjacent rail crossing of marked Trunk
 27.23 Highway 29.
- 27.24 **Subd. 11. Corridors of Commerce** 400,000,000
- 27.25 From the bond proceeds account in the trunk
 27.26 highway fund for the corridors of commerce
 27.27 program under Minnesota Statutes, section
 27.28 161.088.
- 27.29 This appropriation is available in the amounts
 27.30 of:
- 27.31 (1) \$150,000,000 in fiscal year 2022;
 27.32 (2) \$150,000,000 in fiscal year 2023; and
 27.33 (3) \$100,000,000 in fiscal year 2024.

28.1 From this appropriation, the commissioner
 28.2 must select projects solely using the results of
 28.3 the spring 2018 evaluation for the corridors
 28.4 of commerce program, in order based on total
 28.5 score, and must select at least two projects
 28.6 located outside the Department of
 28.7 Transportation metropolitan district. If funds
 28.8 are insufficient for an identified project, the
 28.9 commissioner must either select the identified
 28.10 project, or select one or more alternative
 28.11 projects that are (1) for a segment within the
 28.12 project limits of the identified project; and (2)
 28.13 also identified and scored in the spring 2018
 28.14 evaluation process. The commissioner must
 28.15 not select a project located in a county within
 28.16 which a project was selected for funding in
 28.17 the spring 2018 evaluation for the corridors
 28.18 of commerce program.

28.19 This appropriation cancels as specified under
 28.20 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, except
 28.21 that the commissioner of management and
 28.22 budget shall count the start of authorization
 28.23 for issuance of state bonds as the first day of
 28.24 the fiscal year during which the bonds are
 28.25 available to be issued, and not as the date of
 28.26 enactment of this section.

28.27 **Subd. 12. Hennepin County State-Aid Highway**
 28.28 **9 (Rockford Road) and Marked Interstate**
 28.29 **Highway 494**

9,720,000

28.30 \$4,860,000 is from the bond proceeds account
 28.31 in the state transportation fund for a grant to
 28.32 Hennepin County, the city of Plymouth, or
 28.33 both, and \$4,860,000 is from the bond
 28.34 proceeds account in the trunk highway fund
 28.35 for the design, right-of-way acquisition,
 28.36 construction engineering, construction, and to

29.1 equip the interchange at Hennepin County
 29.2 State-Aid Highway 9 and marked Interstate
 29.3 Highway 494, including replacing the County
 29.4 State-Aid Highway 9 bridge over marked
 29.5 Interstate Highway 494 and the ramps
 29.6 connecting County State-Aid Highway 9 and
 29.7 marked Interstate Highway 494,
 29.8 notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section
 29.9 174.52, or any rule to the contrary.

29.10 **Subd. 13. Mankato - Marked Trunk Highway**
 29.11 **169 Reconstruction to Accommodate Raised**
 29.12 **Levee**

830,000

29.13 From the bond proceeds account in the trunk
 29.14 highway fund for a grant to the city of
 29.15 Mankato for a project to reconstruct a segment
 29.16 of marked Trunk Highway 169 north of the
 29.17 Highway 14 interchange to accommodate the
 29.18 raising of a levee. This appropriation is for the
 29.19 local shares the cities of Mankato and North
 29.20 Mankato are responsible for under the state's
 29.21 Cost Participation and Maintenance with Local
 29.22 Units of Government Manual, or any contract
 29.23 between the state and the city of Mankato.

29.24 **Subd. 14. Wadena - U.S. Highway 10**
 29.25 **Environmental Cleanup**

5,000,000

29.26 From the bond proceeds account in the state
 29.27 transportation fund as provided in Minnesota
 29.28 Statutes, section 174.50, for a grant to the city
 29.29 of Wadena for environmental analysis and
 29.30 environmental cleanup and construction of
 29.31 storm water drainage within the marked U.S.
 29.32 Highway 10 corridor in the city of Wadena.

29.33 **Subd. 15. Becker - Industrial Park Road**
 29.34 **Improvements**

3,300,000

29.35 For a grant to the city of Becker for design,
 29.36 engineering, and construction of road and

30.1 infrastructure improvements within the city's
 30.2 industrial park to provide better mobility to
 30.3 marked U.S. Highway 10. This appropriation
 30.4 includes money for improvements to an
 30.5 existing portion of Hancock Street South, new
 30.6 construction of an extension of Hancock Street
 30.7 South, and construction of sanitary sewer,
 30.8 water main, storm sewer, and other publicly
 30.9 owned infrastructure.

30.10 **Subd. 16. Wakefield - 200th Street**
 30.11 **Reconstruction**

600,000

30.12 From the bond proceeds account in the state
 30.13 transportation fund as provided in Minnesota
 30.14 Statutes, section 174.50, to the town of
 30.15 Wakefield, the town of Luxembourg, or grants
 30.16 to both townships, for reconstruction of an
 30.17 approximately 2.7 mile portion of 200th Street,
 30.18 a township line road in Stearns County.

30.19 **Subd. 17. Rochester - Bus Storage Facility**
 30.20 **Expansion**

2,500,000

30.21 For a grant to the city of Rochester to
 30.22 predesign, design, construct, furnish, and
 30.23 equip an expansion to the city's existing bus
 30.24 storage facility.

30.25 **Subd. 18. Goodview, Minnesota City - Railroad**
 30.26 **Crossing Quiet Zone**

330,000

30.27 For a grant to the city of Goodview for
 30.28 construction of a railroad crossing quiet zone
 30.29 that consists of construction and installation
 30.30 of concrete median barriers and associated
 30.31 road improvements at five Canadian Pacific
 30.32 railroad crossings in the cities of Goodview
 30.33 and Minnesota City.

- 31.1 **Subd. 19. Hennepin County - Railroad Crossing**
- 31.2 **Safety** 1,200,000
- 31.3 For one or more grants to Hennepin County
- 31.4 or the affected city in the county to construct
- 31.5 railroad crossing safety improvements in
- 31.6 Hennepin County. Of this amount, \$350,000
- 31.7 is for crossings at Townline Road and marked
- 31.8 County Road 19 in the city of Loretto;
- 31.9 \$450,000 is for crossings at marked Road
- 31.10 116/County Road 115 and Arrowhead Drive
- 31.11 in the city of Medina; and \$400,000 is for
- 31.12 crossings at East Lake Street and Barry
- 31.13 Avenue in the city of Wayzata.
- 31.14 **Subd. 20. New Brighton - Rice Creek Railroad**
- 31.15 **Bridge** 1,000,000
- 31.16 For a grant to Minnesota Commercial Railway
- 31.17 Company to demolish the existing railroad
- 31.18 bridge over Rice Creek in New Brighton and
- 31.19 to predesign, design, acquire any right-of-way
- 31.20 needed, engineer, construct, and equip a
- 31.21 replacement railroad bridge to meet the needs
- 31.22 of the railroad operators that use the bridge.
- 31.23 This grant is contingent on:
- 31.24 (1) review and approval of the railway
- 31.25 company's design, engineering, and plans for
- 31.26 the project by Ramsey County to ensure the
- 31.27 project does not interfere with recreational use
- 31.28 of adjacent park property and Rice Creek, and
- 31.29 by the Rice Creek Watershed District to ensure
- 31.30 that the project's impact on flows in the creek
- 31.31 is in accordance with the watershed district's
- 31.32 adopted rules. These reviews and approvals
- 31.33 are in addition to any other reviews, permits,
- 31.34 or approvals required for the project;

32.1 (2) Minnesota Commercial Railway Company
 32.2 removing all structures related to the existing
 32.3 bridge from the Rice Creek streambed as part
 32.4 of the demolition and removal of the existing
 32.5 bridge, including any pilings, footings, or
 32.6 water control structures placed to protect the
 32.7 existing bridge structures, except to the extent
 32.8 prohibited by a permitting authority, including
 32.9 but not limited to the Department of Natural
 32.10 Resources and the United States Army Corps
 32.11 of Engineers. The replacement bridge and
 32.12 structures will be the property of the owner of
 32.13 the railroad right-of-way and railroad operator,
 32.14 as may be arranged between them; and

32.15 (3) Minnesota Commercial Railway Company
 32.16 entering into an agreement with Ramsey
 32.17 County that gives the company access for both
 32.18 construction and ongoing maintenance of the
 32.19 bridge, and that provides for repair of the
 32.20 county trail damaged by railway maintenance
 32.21 work in the two years before the effective date
 32.22 of this section as well as immediately
 32.23 following construction and any subsequent
 32.24 maintenance activities.

32.25 In entering into a grant agreement with the
 32.26 commissioner of transportation, Minnesota
 32.27 Commercial Railway Company is agreeing to
 32.28 cooperate with the city of New Brighton and
 32.29 Ramsey County in development of crossings
 32.30 and trails in or near to the railway
 32.31 right-of-way.

32.32 **Subd. 21. Moorhead - Rail Grade Crossing**
 32.33 **Separation at 21st Street South**

6,000,000

32.34 For a grant to the city of Moorhead for
 32.35 environmental analysis, design, engineering,

33.1 removal of an existing structure, and
 33.2 construction of a rail grade crossing separation
 33.3 in the vicinity of 21st Street South. This
 33.4 appropriation is in addition to the
 33.5 appropriation for the same purpose in Laws
 33.6 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article
 33.7 1, section 15, subdivision 4.

33.8 **Subd. 22. Rosemount - Railroad Quiet Zone** 1,000,000

33.9 For a grant to the city of Rosemount to
 33.10 predesign, design, and construct railroad
 33.11 crossing improvements to create a quiet zone
 33.12 at the railroad crossing located on Bonaire
 33.13 Path in Rosemount.

33.14 **Subd. 23. Stone Arch Bridge** 1,000,000

33.15 For the design and engineering of the
 33.16 rehabilitation of the James J. Hill Stone Arch
 33.17 Bridge over the Mississippi River.

33.18 **Sec. 17. METROPOLITAN COUNCIL**

33.19 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 15,900,000**

33.20 To the Metropolitan Council for the purposes
 33.21 specified in this section.

33.22 **Subd. 2. Metropolitan Cities Inflow and**
 33.23 **Infiltration Grants** 5,000,000

33.24 For grants to cities within the metropolitan
 33.25 area, as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section
 33.26 473.121, subdivision 2, for capital
 33.27 improvements in municipal wastewater
 33.28 collection systems to reduce the amount of
 33.29 inflow and infiltration to the Metropolitan
 33.30 Council's metropolitan sanitary sewer disposal
 33.31 system. Grants from this appropriation are for
 33.32 up to 50 percent of the cost to mitigate inflow
 33.33 and infiltration in the publicly owned
 33.34 municipal wastewater collection systems. To

34.1	<u>be eligible for a grant, a city must be identified</u>	
34.2	<u>by the council as a contributor of excessive</u>	
34.3	<u>inflow and infiltration in the metropolitan</u>	
34.4	<u>disposal system or have a measured flow rate</u>	
34.5	<u>within 20 percent of its allowable</u>	
34.6	<u>council-determined inflow and infiltration</u>	
34.7	<u>limits. The council must award grants based</u>	
34.8	<u>on applications from cities that identify</u>	
34.9	<u>eligible capital costs and include a timeline</u>	
34.10	<u>for inflow and infiltration mitigation</u>	
34.11	<u>construction, pursuant to guidelines</u>	
34.12	<u>established by the council.</u>	
34.13	<u>Subd. 3. Carver County - Lake Waconia</u>	
34.14	<u>Development</u>	<u>1,500,000</u>
34.15	<u>For a grant to Carver County to predesign, to</u>	
34.16	<u>design, and for engineering of development</u>	
34.17	<u>of Lake Waconia Regional Park including</u>	
34.18	<u>construction of sewer and water utilities to the</u>	
34.19	<u>site, site grading, construction of a parking lot,</u>	
34.20	<u>and road improvements.</u>	
34.21	<u>Subd. 4. Loretto - Wastewater Connection</u>	<u>400,000</u>
34.22	<u>For a grant to the city of Loretto to connect</u>	
34.23	<u>the city's existing wastewater collection</u>	
34.24	<u>system to the force main in the city of</u>	
34.25	<u>Independence for wastewater treatment by the</u>	
34.26	<u>wastewater treatment system shared by the</u>	
34.27	<u>cities of Independence, Greenfield, and</u>	
34.28	<u>Medina.</u>	
34.29	<u>Subd. 5. New Hope - Outdoor Swimming Pool</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
34.30	<u>For a grant to the city of New Hope to</u>	
34.31	<u>predesign, design, construct, and equip an</u>	
34.32	<u>outdoor 50-meter swimming pool on the civic</u>	
34.33	<u>center campus.</u>	
34.34	<u>Subd. 6. St. Paul - Nature Sanctuary Visitor</u>	
34.35	<u>Center</u>	<u>3,000,000</u>

35.1 For a grant to the city of St. Paul to predesign,
 35.2 design, construct, furnish, and equip a visitor
 35.3 and interpretive center in the Bruce Vento
 35.4 Nature Sanctuary in St. Paul for programs that
 35.5 the city determines meet regional and city park
 35.6 purpose requirements. The city may enter into
 35.7 a lease or management agreement under
 35.8 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695, to
 35.9 operate the programs in the center.

35.10 **Subd. 7. White Bear Lake Trail and Route** 4,000,000

35.11 (a) To the Metropolitan Council for grants to
 35.12 complete design and construction of a multiuse
 35.13 paved trail and route for pedestrians, bicycles,
 35.14 and wheelchairs around White Bear Lake in
 35.15 Ramsey and Washington Counties.

35.16 (b) \$2,600,000 of this appropriation is for a
 35.17 grant to Ramsey County to design and
 35.18 construct trail improvements, consistent with
 35.19 the completed preliminary engineering, along
 35.20 South Shore Boulevard between White Bear
 35.21 Avenue and marked Trunk Highway 120 and
 35.22 to pave an existing dirt path within the Ramsey
 35.23 County Beach and Water Park from the
 35.24 entrance to the park at Highway 96 to the
 35.25 northeast edge of the park.

35.26 (c) \$1,400,000 of this appropriation is for a
 35.27 grant to the city of Mahtomedi to design and
 35.28 construct and design, construct, and equip
 35.29 elements of the trail and route along or
 35.30 proximate to Birchwood Road, Wildwood
 35.31 Beach Road, and on or in the proximity of
 35.32 Briarwood Road, consistent with the
 35.33 completed preliminary engineering, and final
 35.34 design and specification, subject to approval
 35.35 of the commissioner of transportation with

36.1 regard to elements of the trail and route that
 36.2 are within or adjacent to the right-of-way of
 36.3 marked Trunk Highway 244.

36.4 **Sec. 18. HUMAN SERVICES**

36.5 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 74,723,000**

36.6 To the commissioner of administration, or
 36.7 other named entity, for the purposes specified
 36.8 in this section.

36.9 **Subd. 2. Asset Preservation** **10,000,000**

36.10 For asset preservation improvements and
 36.11 betterments of a capital nature at Department
 36.12 of Human Services facilities statewide, to be
 36.13 spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes,
 36.14 section 16B.307.

36.15 **Subd. 3. St. Peter Regional Treatment Center**
 36.16 **Campus - Dietary Building HVAC and Electrical**
 36.17 **Replacement** **2,200,000**

36.18 To predesign, design, engineer, and renovate
 36.19 the mechanical and electrical systems in the
 36.20 Dietary Building on the St. Peter Regional
 36.21 Treatment Center campus, including: the
 36.22 upgrade, replacement, and improvement of
 36.23 existing heating and ventilation equipment;
 36.24 installation of air-conditioning equipment;
 36.25 replacement of the building's outdated and
 36.26 undersized electrical system; design and
 36.27 abatement of asbestos and hazardous
 36.28 materials; and structural, site, and utility work
 36.29 necessary to support the project.

36.30 **Subd. 4. Anoka Metro Regional Treatment**
 36.31 **Center - Roof and HVAC Replacement** **6,550,000**

36.32 To predesign, design, engineer, construct, and
 36.33 equip improvements on the Anoka Metro
 36.34 Regional Treatment Center campus, including

37.1 but not limited to design and abatement of
 37.2 asbestos and hazardous materials, replacement
 37.3 of roofs on residential units, installation of
 37.4 metal wall cladding on the mechanical
 37.5 penthouses, installation of new heating,
 37.6 ventilation, and air conditioning systems, fire
 37.7 sprinkler systems, electrical lighting systems
 37.8 in the Miller Building, and installation of a
 37.9 new heating system in the warehouse building.

37.10 **Subd. 5. Regional Behavioral Health Crisis**
 37.11 **Facility Grants**

28,100,000

37.12 To the commissioner of human services for
 37.13 behavioral health crisis program facilities
 37.14 grants under Minnesota Statutes, section
 37.15 245G.011.

37.16 **Subd. 6. Minneapolis - The Family Partnership**

10,000,000

37.17 To the commissioner of human services for a
 37.18 grant to the city of Minneapolis to acquire real
 37.19 property, demolish unusable portions of the
 37.20 existing building, renovate some areas of the
 37.21 existing building, construct new space, and to
 37.22 furnish and equip the facility to provide mental
 37.23 health, early childhood education, and other
 37.24 services to support children and families. The
 37.25 city of Minneapolis may operate a center
 37.26 providing services for Minnesota victims of
 37.27 sex trafficking; trauma-informed counseling
 37.28 services; early learning programming and
 37.29 therapeutic childcare; and statewide training
 37.30 for professionals and community leaders.

37.31 **Subd. 7. Scott County - Regional Crisis**
 37.32 **Stabilization and Intensive Residential**
 37.33 **Treatment Services Facility**

1,900,000

37.34 To the commissioner of human services for a
 37.35 grant to Scott County to design, construct,
 37.36 furnish, and equip a facility in the city of

38.1 Savage to provide regional intensive
 38.2 residential and treatment services (IRTS) and
 38.3 residential crisis stabilization subject to
 38.4 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695. This
 38.5 appropriation shall be used for construction
 38.6 of a 16-bed facility in conjunction with Guild
 38.7 Incorporated, a nonprofit organization based
 38.8 in St. Paul, to maximize the space available
 38.9 for 16 IRTS and crisis stabilization beds. The
 38.10 new facility shall provide acute stabilization
 38.11 and treatment for persons with a primary or
 38.12 secondary mental health diagnosis in lieu of
 38.13 inpatient psychiatric hospitalization.

38.14 **Subd. 8. White Earth - Opiate Treatment Facility** 900,000

38.15 From the general fund in fiscal year 2019 to
 38.16 the commissioner of human services for a
 38.17 grant to the tribal council of the White Earth
 38.18 Nation to refurbish and equip the White Earth
 38.19 Opiate Treatment Facility on the White Earth
 38.20 Reservation. The facility shall treat Native
 38.21 Americans and provide culturally specific
 38.22 programming to individuals placed in the
 38.23 treatment center.

38.24 **Subd. 9. Hennepin County - Regional Medical**
 38.25 **Examiner's Facility** 15,073,000

38.26 For a grant to Hennepin County to design,
 38.27 construct, furnish, and equip a 67,000 square
 38.28 foot regional, state-of-the-art medical
 38.29 examiner's facility. The facility shall: (1)
 38.30 provide forensic death investigation and
 38.31 autopsy services for Dakota, Hennepin, and
 38.32 Scott Counties with the flexibility to
 38.33 accommodate future partner counties and
 38.34 agencies; (2) serve as a teaching facility for
 38.35 the state, on the science of forensic pathology;

39.1 and (3) be located in southern Hennepin
 39.2 County at a site that best supports access needs
 39.3 for the three founding counties and reasonable
 39.4 scene response times for the geographic
 39.5 service area.

39.6 **Sec. 19. VETERANS AFFAIRS**

39.7 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 41,000,000**

39.8 To the commissioner of administration for the
 39.9 purposes specified in this section.

39.10 **Subd. 2. Asset Preservation** **9,000,000**

39.11 For asset preservation improvements and
 39.12 betterments of a capital nature at the veterans
 39.13 homes in Minneapolis, Hastings, Fergus Falls,
 39.14 Silver Bay, and Luverne, and the Little Falls
 39.15 Cemetery, to be spent in accordance with
 39.16 Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

39.17 **Subd. 3. Bemidji, Montevideo, and Preston - New**
 39.18 **Veterans Homes** **32,000,000**

39.19 (a) \$12,400,000 of this appropriation is to
 39.20 predesign, design, construct, furnish, and
 39.21 equip a veterans home in Bemidji. \$9,400,000
 39.22 of this appropriation is to predesign, design,
 39.23 construct, furnish, and equip a veterans home
 39.24 in Montevideo. \$10,200,000 of this
 39.25 appropriation is to predesign, design,
 39.26 construct, furnish, and equip a veterans home
 39.27 in Preston.

39.28 (b) These veterans homes are subject to the
 39.29 requirements of the People's Veterans Homes
 39.30 Act in article 2.

39.31 **Sec. 20. CORRECTIONS**

39.32 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 39,950,000**

- 40.1 To the commissioner of administration for the
 40.2 purposes specified in this section.
- 40.3 **Subd. 2. Asset Preservation** 22,000,000
- 40.4 For asset preservation improvements and
 40.5 betterments of a capital nature at Minnesota
 40.6 correctional facilities statewide, to be spent in
 40.7 accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section
 40.8 16B.307.
- 40.9 **Subd. 3. Minnesota Correctional Facility - St.**
 40.10 **Cloud** 16,000,000
- 40.11 To design, upgrade, construct, replace, and
 40.12 install new plumbing, ventilation, and exhaust
 40.13 systems as required by code and to meet other
 40.14 requirements. This appropriation includes
 40.15 money for design and abatement of asbestos
 40.16 and hazardous materials.
- 40.17 **Subd. 4. Minnesota Correctional Facility - Moose**
 40.18 **Lake** 1,950,000
- 40.19 To predesign, design, construct, furnish, and
 40.20 equip the renovation and expansion of the
 40.21 outdated master control center at the
 40.22 Minnesota Correctional Facility - Moose Lake
 40.23 to improve security and efficiency. The
 40.24 renovation includes updating fire alarm panels
 40.25 and mechanical and electrical systems and
 40.26 improving visibility of the visiting area.
- 40.27 **Subd. 5. Unspent Appropriations**
- 40.28 The unspent portion of an appropriation for a
 40.29 Department of Corrections project in this
 40.30 section that is complete, upon written notice
 40.31 to the commissioner of management and
 40.32 budget, is available for asset preservation
 40.33 under Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.
 40.34 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, applies

41.1	<u>from the date of the original appropriation to</u>	
41.2	<u>the unspent amount transferred.</u>	
41.3	<u>Sec. 21. EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC</u>	
41.4	<u>DEVELOPMENT</u>	
41.5	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$ 109,085,000</u>
41.6	<u>To the commissioner of employment and</u>	
41.7	<u>economic development for the purposes</u>	
41.8	<u>specified in this section.</u>	
41.9	<u>Subd. 2. Greater Minnesota Business</u>	
41.10	<u>Development Public Infrastructure Grants</u>	<u>5,000,000</u>
41.11	<u>For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
41.12	<u>116J.431.</u>	
41.13	<u>Subd. 3. Transportation Economic Development</u>	<u>3,000,000</u>
41.14	<u>For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
41.15	<u>116J.436.</u>	
41.16	<u>Subd. 4. Innovative Business Development Public</u>	
41.17	<u>Infrastructure Grants</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
41.18	<u>For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
41.19	<u>116J.435.</u>	
41.20	<u>Subd. 5. Austin - Public TV</u>	<u>2,500,000</u>
41.21	<u>For a grant to the city of Austin to acquire land</u>	
41.22	<u>for, and to predesign, design, construct,</u>	
41.23	<u>furnish, and equip a regional public television</u>	
41.24	<u>station in the city of Austin.</u>	
41.25	<u>Subd. 6. Brooklyn Park - Second Harvest</u>	<u>18,000,000</u>
41.26	<u>For a grant to the city of Brooklyn Park to</u>	
41.27	<u>acquire land for, and to predesign, design,</u>	
41.28	<u>construct, furnish, and equip a statewide</u>	
41.29	<u>Second Harvest Heartland charitable food</u>	
41.30	<u>warehouse, distribution, and office facility in</u>	
41.31	<u>the city of Brooklyn Park. The city may enter</u>	
41.32	<u>into lease or management agreements under</u>	
41.33	<u>Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695, for</u>	
41.34	<u>operation of the facility. Amounts expended</u>	

42.1 for this project by nonstate sources since June
 42.2 1, 2016, shall count toward the nonstate match.

42.3 **Subd. 7. CentraCare Health System - Long**
 42.4 **Prairie**

700,000

42.5 From the general fund in fiscal year 2019 for
 42.6 a grant to CentraCare Health System - Long
 42.7 Prairie to design, construct, furnish, and equip
 42.8 the Regional Wellbeing Center in Long
 42.9 Prairie. The money may be used for any
 42.10 construction, equipment, or installation costs
 42.11 incurred after April 1, 2018.

42.12 **Subd. 8. Duluth - Steam Plant**

6,900,000

42.13 From the general fund in fiscal year 2019 for
 42.14 a grant to the city of Duluth for the same
 42.15 purposes as in Laws 2017, First Special
 42.16 Session chapter 8, article 1, section 20,
 42.17 subdivision 7, the Duluth municipal district
 42.18 heating facility and systems upgrade.

42.19 **Subd. 9. Fergus Falls - Regional Treatment**
 42.20 **Center Redevelopment**

3,500,000

42.21 For a grant to the city of Fergus Falls for
 42.22 phases 2 and 3 of the deconstruction of the
 42.23 former regional treatment center campus to
 42.24 prepare the site for public use, redevelopment,
 42.25 and historic preservation purposes. This
 42.26 appropriation includes money for demolition
 42.27 of all or portions of buildings and other
 42.28 structures deemed unnecessary or undesirable
 42.29 for redevelopment or renovation, removal of
 42.30 debris, site preparation and remediation,
 42.31 hazardous materials abatement, and
 42.32 improvements for building envelope and
 42.33 structural integrity to stabilize existing
 42.34 buildings and structures for redevelopment or
 42.35 renovation. This demolition is part of a larger

- 43.1 project to redevelop the campus of the regional
 43.2 treatment center. This appropriation may not
 43.3 be used to demolish the central tower or the
 43.4 U-shaped building connected to the central
 43.5 tower.
- 43.6 **Subd. 10. Goodhue County - Historical Society**
 43.7 **Museum** 616,000
- 43.8 For a grant to the city of Red Wing for
 43.9 replacement of the Goodhue County Historical
 43.10 Society Museum building's HVAC system,
 43.11 roofing, and windows, and for renovation of
 43.12 the building's storefront entrance.
- 43.13 **Subd. 11. Hennepin County - Children's Theatre** 1,000,000
- 43.14 For a grant to Hennepin County to design,
 43.15 renovate, furnish, and equip the Children's
 43.16 Theatre Company's current facility, including
 43.17 improvements to the facility's existing heating,
 43.18 ventilation, and air conditioning system,
 43.19 subject to Minnesota Statutes, section
 43.20 16A.695.
- 43.21 **Subd. 12. Hennepin County - Hennepin Center**
 43.22 **for the Arts** 1,400,000
- 43.23 From the general fund in fiscal year 2019 for
 43.24 a grant to Hennepin County for improvements
 43.25 and betterments of a capital nature to renovate
 43.26 the historic Hennepin Center for the Arts. This
 43.27 appropriation is in addition to the
 43.28 appropriation in Laws 2017, First Special
 43.29 session chapter 8, article 1, section 20,
 43.30 subdivision 10, and no further nonstate
 43.31 contribution is required.
- 43.32 **Subd. 13. Itasca County - Northern Community**
 43.33 **Radio Infrastructure** 514,000
- 43.34 For a grant to Itasca County for site
 43.35 preparation, including deconstruction and

- 44.1 removal of the old KAXE Northern
 44.2 Community Radio broadcast tower, and to
 44.3 design, construct, and equip a new broadcast
 44.4 tower, transmitter, and transmission building
 44.5 in Trout Lake Township for a 100,000-watt
 44.6 public radio station to replace the KAXE
 44.7 Northern Community Radio transmission
 44.8 plant.
- 44.9 **Subd. 14. Jackson - Memorial Park** 290,000
- 44.10 For a grant to the city of Jackson to complete
 44.11 phase I of the redevelopment of Memorial
 44.12 Park, including trails, landscaping, a canoe
 44.13 launch, and other amenities.
- 44.14 **Subd. 15. Litchfield - Opera House** 100,000
- 44.15 From the general fund in fiscal year 2019 for
 44.16 a grant to the Greater Litchfield Opera House
 44.17 Association to repair and update the electrical
 44.18 capabilities and interior walls in the Litchfield
 44.19 Opera House.
- 44.20 **Subd. 16. Minneapolis - Upper Harbor Terminal**
 44.21 **Redevelopment** 15,000,000
- 44.22 For a grant to the city of Minneapolis, the
 44.23 Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board, or
 44.24 both, for predesign, design, and construction
 44.25 work for site preparation and for park and
 44.26 public infrastructure improvements to support
 44.27 an initial phase of redevelopment of the Upper
 44.28 Harbor Terminal on the Mississippi River; a
 44.29 site that was rendered inoperable for barging
 44.30 by the federal closure of the Upper St.
 44.31 Anthony Falls Lock.
- 44.32 **Subd. 17. Minneapolis - American Indian Center** 5,000,000
- 44.33 From the general fund in fiscal year 2019 for
 44.34 a grant to the Minneapolis American Indian
 44.35 Center to design, construct, furnish, and equip

- 45.1 the renovation and expansion of the center on
 45.2 Franklin Avenue. This project includes:
 45.3 demolition work; improvements and additions
 45.4 to, or replacement of, the mechanical,
 45.5 electrical, plumbing, heating, ventilating, and
 45.6 air conditioning systems; repairs to the
 45.7 existing roof and exterior enclosure; required
 45.8 site improvements; general renovation of
 45.9 interior spaces; and expansion of the cafe
 45.10 space, the event spaces, and the performance
 45.11 spaces.
- 45.12 **Subd. 18. Pipestone County - Dental Facility** 500,000
- 45.13 For a grant to Pipestone County to predesign,
 45.14 design, construct, furnish, and equip a dental
 45.15 care facility in Pipestone County. The county
 45.16 may enter into an agreement under Minnesota
 45.17 Statutes, section 16A.695, for operation of the
 45.18 dental clinic.
- 45.19 **Subd. 19. Perham - Redevelopment** 6,000,000
- 45.20 For a grant to the city of Perham to design,
 45.21 construct, redevelop, renovate, furnish, and
 45.22 equip buildings, land, and infrastructure at the
 45.23 site of the area community center and former
 45.24 high school for use as a community family
 45.25 services center, subject to Minnesota Statutes,
 45.26 section 16A.695.
- 45.27 **Subd. 20. Polk County - North Country Food**
 45.28 **Bank** 3,000,000
- 45.29 For a grant to Polk County to predesign,
 45.30 design, construct, renovate, furnish, and equip
 45.31 a regional charitable food warehouse,
 45.32 distribution, and office facility in the city of
 45.33 Crookston, subject to Minnesota Statutes,
 45.34 section 16A.695.

46.1	<u>Subd. 21. Ramsey County - Landmark Center</u>	<u>350,000</u>
46.2	<u>From the general fund in fiscal year 2019 for</u>	
46.3	<u>a grant to Ramsey County to renovate and</u>	
46.4	<u>construct improvements to restroom facilities</u>	
46.5	<u>in the Landmark Center in the city of St. Paul.</u>	
46.6	<u>Subd. 22. Rosemount - Family Resource Center</u>	<u>450,000</u>
46.7	<u>For a grant to the city of Rosemount to design,</u>	
46.8	<u>construct, furnish, and equip an addition to</u>	
46.9	<u>the Family Resource Center in the city of</u>	
46.10	<u>Rosemount, to provide after-school tutoring,</u>	
46.11	<u>a food shelf, and other programs, subject to</u>	
46.12	<u>Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695.</u>	
46.13	<u>Subd. 23. Silver Bay - Black Beach Campground</u>	<u>1,765,000</u>
46.14	<u>For a grant to the city of Silver Bay to</u>	
46.15	<u>predesign, design, construct, furnish, and</u>	
46.16	<u>equip a campground adjacent to the Black</u>	
46.17	<u>Beach recreational beach in Silver Bay,</u>	
46.18	<u>including camping sites; electrical, water, and</u>	
46.19	<u>sewer infrastructure; a playground; a pavilion;</u>	
46.20	<u>lavatory vaults; a shower and lavatory</u>	
46.21	<u>building; and a main office building. This</u>	
46.22	<u>appropriation may also be used to design,</u>	
46.23	<u>construct, and equip a walking trail from the</u>	
46.24	<u>campground to the Black Beach recreational</u>	
46.25	<u>site. The nonstate contribution may be made</u>	
46.26	<u>in-kind. In-kind contributions may include site</u>	
46.27	<u>preparation, whether begun before or after the</u>	
46.28	<u>effective date of this section.</u>	
46.29	<u>Subd. 24. St. Paul - Conway Recreation Center</u>	<u>4,500,000</u>
46.30	<u>For a grant to the city of St. Paul to complete</u>	
46.31	<u>the construction of playing fields and</u>	
46.32	<u>expansion of facilities at the Conway</u>	
46.33	<u>Community Recreation Center, including the</u>	
46.34	<u>renovation of and addition to the existing</u>	

- 47.1 structure at the field location, site remediation,
 47.2 design and site improvements, construction
 47.3 of seasonal dome infrastructure, and
 47.4 construction of four turf athletic fields. The
 47.5 city may enter into a lease management
 47.6 agreement under Minnesota Statutes, section
 47.7 16A.695, for operation of the facility.
- 47.8 **Subd. 25. St. Paul - Humanities Center** 1,000,000
- 47.9 For a grant to the city of St. Paul for asset
 47.10 preservation of the Minnesota Humanities
 47.11 Center's main facility, including mechanical
 47.12 systems upgrades, including heating,
 47.13 ventilation, and cooling, subject to Minnesota
 47.14 Statutes, section 16A.695.
- 47.15 **Subd. 26. St. Paul - Minnesota Museum of**
 47.16 **American Art** 2,500,000
- 47.17 For a grant to the St. Paul Port Authority to
 47.18 acquire, design, construct, furnish, and equip
 47.19 the Minnesota Museum of American Art in
 47.20 the historic Pioneer Endicott Building. This
 47.21 appropriation is in addition to the amount
 47.22 appropriated by Laws 2017, First Special
 47.23 Session chapter 8, article 1, section 20,
 47.24 subdivision 21, and is available in accordance
 47.25 with the requirements of that subdivision. This
 47.26 appropriation may be used as needed for the
 47.27 costs of the project, including but not limited
 47.28 to secure loading dock, and art restoration and
 47.29 exhibit preparation areas.
- 47.30 **Subd. 27. St. Paul - RiverCentre Parking Facility** 5,000,000
- 47.31 For a grant to the city of St. Paul for
 47.32 demolition of the existing RiverCentre ramp
 47.33 and removal of debris. This demolition is part
 47.34 of a larger project to rebuild the parking
 47.35 facility.

- 48.1 **Subd. 28. St. Paul - Southeast Asian Language**
- 48.2 **Job Training Facilities** 5,500,000
- 48.3 For a grant to the city of St. Paul to predesign,
- 48.4 design, renovate, construct, furnish, and equip
- 48.5 a bus driver and mechanics training facility
- 48.6 on Acker Street in St. Paul for training drivers
- 48.7 and mechanics through programming
- 48.8 primarily in the Southeast Asian languages,
- 48.9 and to predesign, design, renovate, construct,
- 48.10 furnish, and equip a training facility on Plato
- 48.11 Avenue in St. Paul to be used during
- 48.12 renovation of the Acker Street facility and for
- 48.13 use as a training facility for health care,
- 48.14 manufacturing, and information technology
- 48.15 jobs through programming primarily in the
- 48.16 Southeast Asian languages. This appropriation
- 48.17 may be used to acquire property for these
- 48.18 purposes. The city of St. Paul may enter into
- 48.19 a lease or management agreement with a
- 48.20 nonprofit corporation for either or both of
- 48.21 these facilities under Minnesota Statutes,
- 48.22 section 16A.695.
- 48.23 **Subd. 29. Wabasha - National Eagle Center and**
- 48.24 **Wabasha Rivertown Resurgence** 8,000,000
- 48.25 For a grant to the city of Wabasha to acquire
- 48.26 land, predesign, design, renovate, construct,
- 48.27 furnish, and equip the National Eagle Center
- 48.28 in order to expand program and exhibit space,
- 48.29 increase aviary space for eagles, and for
- 48.30 improvements to the riverfront in Wabasha
- 48.31 for infrastructure, large vessel landing areas
- 48.32 and docks, and public access and program
- 48.33 areas.
- 48.34 **Subd. 30. Waite Park - Quarry Redevelopment** 5,000,000
- 48.35 For a grant to the city of Waite Park to
- 48.36 redevelop a former quarry site located off

49.1 Parkway Drive and 17th Avenue South as a
 49.2 regional park and to predesign, design,
 49.3 construct, furnish, and equip a public open-air
 49.4 stage and related facilities. The city may enter
 49.5 into one or more lease or management
 49.6 agreements for operation of the open-air stage
 49.7 and related facilities, subject to Minnesota
 49.8 Statutes, section 16A.695.

49.9 **Sec. 22. PUBLIC FACILITIES AUTHORITY**

49.10 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 64,350,000**

49.11 To the Public Facilities Authority for the
 49.12 purposes specified in this section.

49.13 **Subd. 2. State Match for Federal Grants** **14,000,000**

49.14 To match federal grants for the clean water
 49.15 revolving fund under Minnesota Statutes,
 49.16 section 446A.07, and the drinking water
 49.17 revolving fund under Minnesota Statutes,
 49.18 section 446A.081. This appropriation must be
 49.19 used for qualified capital projects.

49.20 **Subd. 3. Water Infrastructure Funding Program** **25,000,000**

49.21 (a) For grants to eligible municipalities under
 49.22 the water infrastructure funding program under
 49.23 Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.072.

49.24 (b) This appropriation is for drinking water
 49.25 projects listed on the commissioner of health's
 49.26 project priority list in the fundable range under
 49.27 the drinking water revolving fund program.

49.28 (c) After all eligible projects under paragraph
 49.29 (b) have been funded, the Public Facilities
 49.30 Authority may transfer any remaining,
 49.31 uncommitted money to eligible projects under
 49.32 a program in either the clean water revolving

- 50.1 fund or the drinking water fund based on that
 50.2 program's project priority list.
- 50.3 (d) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes,
 50.4 section 446A.072, subdivision 5a, paragraph
 50.5 (b), the Western Lake Superior Sanitary
 50.6 District is eligible for a grant to predesign,
 50.7 design, construct, furnish, and equip a
 50.8 combined heat and power system.
- 50.9 **Subd. 4. Arden Hills - Water Main** 500,000
- 50.10 For a grant to the city of Arden Hills to install
 50.11 a water main extending along Highway 96,
 50.12 from Highway 10 to Interstate Highway 35W.
- 50.13 **Subd. 5. Albertville - Wastewater Infrastructure** 2,000,000
- 50.14 For a grant to the city of Albertville to design
 50.15 and construct wastewater infrastructure
 50.16 improvements.
- 50.17 **Subd. 6. Aurora; Hoyt Lakes; Biwabik; and**
 50.18 **White Township - Drinking Water System** 2,500,000
- 50.19 For a grant to the city of Aurora to acquire
 50.20 land or a permanent interest in land, design,
 50.21 engineer, construct, furnish, and equip a
 50.22 comprehensive municipally owned cooperative
 50.23 joint drinking water system in the cities of
 50.24 Aurora, Hoyt Lakes, and Biwabik, and White
 50.25 Township, including a water intake and
 50.26 treatment plant located in White Township.
- 50.27 **Subd. 7. Big Lake - Wastewater Treatment**
 50.28 **Facility** 1,000,000
- 50.29 For a grant to the city of Big Lake to
 50.30 predesign, design, and construct improvements
 50.31 to or the replacement of the city's wastewater
 50.32 treatment facility.

51.1	<u>Subd. 8. Cold Spring - Water Infrastructure</u>	<u>4,000,000</u>
51.2	<u>For a grant to the city of Cold Spring to</u>	
51.3	<u>acquire land, predesign, design, engineer,</u>	
51.4	<u>construct, furnish, and equip water</u>	
51.5	<u>infrastructure, including drilling new wells, a</u>	
51.6	<u>water treatment plant, and piping for water</u>	
51.7	<u>distribution.</u>	
51.8	<u>Subd. 9. Glencoe - Wastewater Treatment</u>	
51.9	<u>Facility</u>	<u>3,000,000</u>
51.10	<u>For a grant to the city of Glencoe to design,</u>	
51.11	<u>engineer, construct, and equip renovation of</u>	
51.12	<u>the municipal wastewater treatment facility</u>	
51.13	<u>and for other improvements to publicly owned</u>	
51.14	<u>wastewater infrastructure. This appropriation</u>	
51.15	<u>is available when the commissioner of</u>	
51.16	<u>management and budget determines that</u>	
51.17	<u>sufficient resources have been committed to</u>	
51.18	<u>complete the project, as required by Minnesota</u>	
51.19	<u>Statutes, section 16A.502.</u>	
51.20	<u>Subd. 10. Keewatin; Nashwauk; Lone Pine</u>	
51.21	<u>Township; And Greenway Township -</u>	
51.22	<u>Wastewater Treatment Facility</u>	<u>850,000</u>
51.23	<u>For a grant to a joint powers authority entered</u>	
51.24	<u>into by the city of Keewatin, the city of</u>	
51.25	<u>Nashwauk, Lone Pine Township, and</u>	
51.26	<u>Greenway Township to predesign, design, and</u>	
51.27	<u>engineer a regional wastewater treatment</u>	
51.28	<u>system located in the city of Nashwauk to</u>	
51.29	<u>serve the communities represented by the joint</u>	
51.30	<u>powers authority and other communities.</u>	
51.31	<u>Subd. 11. Oronoco - Wastewater Infrastructure</u>	<u>2,500,000</u>
51.32	<u>For a grant to the city of Oronoco to acquire</u>	
51.33	<u>land or permanent easements, predesign,</u>	
51.34	<u>design, and survey for wastewater</u>	
51.35	<u>infrastructure to serve the city of Oronoco and</u>	

- 52.1 the region including the Oronoco Estates
- 52.2 Mobile Home Community. If this
- 52.3 appropriation exceeds the amount needed for
- 52.4 acquisition, predesign, design, and surveying,
- 52.5 the remainder of the appropriation may be
- 52.6 applied to acquisition or construction.
- 52.7 **Subd. 12. St. James - Storm Sewer and Utilities** 3,000,000
- 52.8 For a grant to the city of St. James to design,
- 52.9 engineer, and construct an extension of the
- 52.10 storm sewer retention pond in the northwest
- 52.11 portion of the city, including reconstruction
- 52.12 of streets, sidewalks, storm water and sanitary
- 52.13 sewer, water mains, lighting, and utilities.
- 52.14 **Subd. 13. Waldorf - Water and Public**
- 52.15 **Infrastructure** 1,900,000
- 52.16 For grants to the city of Waldorf. Of this
- 52.17 amount, \$1,294,000 is to design, construct,
- 52.18 and equip a stabilization pond system, a
- 52.19 wastewater collection system, a water
- 52.20 treatment and distribution system, and storm
- 52.21 water drainage systems. Of this amount,
- 52.22 \$606,000 is for capital improvements to streets
- 52.23 and other publicly owned infrastructure.
- 52.24 **Subd. 14. Windom - Wastewater Treatment**
- 52.25 **Facility** 3,000,000
- 52.26 For a grant to the city of Windom to design,
- 52.27 construct, and equip capital improvements to
- 52.28 renovate and upgrade the municipal
- 52.29 wastewater treatment facility.
- 52.30 **Subd. 15. Winnebago - Drinking Water** 1,100,000
- 52.31 To the city of Winnebago to predesign, design,
- 52.32 engineer, and reconstruct the drinking water
- 52.33 distribution system and the sanitary and storm
- 52.34 sewer collection systems in the northwest
- 52.35 utility improvement area.

53.1 **Sec. 23. MINNESOTA HOUSING FINANCE**
 53.2 **AGENCY**

\$ 10,000,000

53.3 For transfer to the housing development fund
 53.4 to finance the costs of rehabilitation to
 53.5 preserve public housing under Minnesota
 53.6 Statutes, section 462A.202, subdivision 3a.
 53.7 For purposes of this section, "public housing"
 53.8 means housing for low-income persons and
 53.9 households financed by the federal
 53.10 government and owned and operated by the
 53.11 public housing authorities and agencies formed
 53.12 by cities and counties. Public housing
 53.13 authorities receiving a public housing
 53.14 assessment composite score of 80 or above or
 53.15 an equivalent designation are eligible to
 53.16 receive funding. Priority must be given to
 53.17 proposals that maximize federal or local
 53.18 resources to finance the capital costs. The
 53.19 priority in Minnesota Statutes, section
 53.20 462A.202, subdivision 3a, for projects to
 53.21 increase the supply of affordable housing and
 53.22 the restrictions of Minnesota Statutes, section
 53.23 462A.202, subdivision 7, do not apply to this
 53.24 appropriation.

53.25 **Sec. 24. MINNESOTA HISTORICAL**
 53.26 **SOCIETY**

53.27 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation**

\$ 23,000,000

53.28 To the Minnesota Historical Society for the
 53.29 purposes specified in this section.

53.30 **Subd. 2. Historic Sites Asset Preservation**

8,000,000

53.31 For capital improvements and betterments at
 53.32 state historic sites, buildings, landscaping at
 53.33 historic buildings, exhibits, markers, and
 53.34 monuments, to be spent in accordance with
 53.35 Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307. The

- 54.1 society shall determine project priorities as
 54.2 appropriate based on need.
- 54.3 **Subd. 3. Historic Fort Snelling Visitor Center** 15,000,000
- 54.4 To demolish the existing visitor center and to
 54.5 renovate, construct, furnish, and equip
 54.6 facilities, including landscaping and
 54.7 wayfinding, to support visitor services at
 54.8 Historic Fort Snelling.
- 54.9 **Sec. 25. BOND SALE EXPENSES**
- 54.10 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 1,310,000**
- 54.11 To the commissioner of management and
 54.12 budget for the purposes specified in this
 54.13 section.
- 54.14 **Subd. 2. Bond Proceeds Fund** 892,000
- 54.15 From the bond proceeds fund for bond sale
 54.16 expenses under Minnesota Statutes, section
 54.17 16A.641, subdivision 8.
- 54.18 **Subd. 3. Trunk Highway Fund** 418,000
- 54.19 From the bond proceeds account in the trunk
 54.20 highway fund for bond sale expenses under
 54.21 Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.641,
 54.22 subdivision 8, and 167.50, subdivision 4.
- 54.23 **Sec. 26. BOND SALE AUTHORIZATION.**
- 54.24 Subdivision 1. Bond proceeds fund. To provide the money appropriated in this act from
 54.25 the bond proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue
 54.26 bonds of the state in an amount up to \$776,980,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with
 54.27 the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the
 54.28 Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.
- 54.29 Subd. 2. Transportation fund. To provide the money appropriated in this act from the
 54.30 state transportation fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue
 54.31 bonds of the state in an amount up to \$101,060,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with

55.1 the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the
 55.2 Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

55.3 Subd. 3. **Maximum effort school loan fund.** To provide the money appropriated in this
 55.4 act from the maximum effort school loan fund, the commissioner of management and budget
 55.5 shall sell and issue bonds of the state in an amount up to \$14,000,000 in the manner, upon
 55.6 the terms, and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675,
 55.7 and by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

55.8 Subd. 4. **Trunk highway fund.** To provide the money appropriated in this article from
 55.9 the bond proceeds account in the trunk highway fund, the commissioner of management
 55.10 and budget shall sell and issue bonds of the state in an amount up to \$416,608,000 in the
 55.11 manner, upon the terms, and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections
 55.12 167.50 to 167.52, and by the Minnesota Constitution, article XIV, section 11, at the times
 55.13 and in the amounts requested by the commissioner of transportation. The proceeds of the
 55.14 bonds, except accrued interest and any premium received from the sale of the bonds, must
 55.15 be deposited in the bond proceeds account in the trunk highway fund.

55.16 Sec. 27. **CANCELLATION.**

55.17 The uncommitted and unobligated amount of the appropriation from the bond proceeds
 55.18 fund in Laws 2011, First Special Session chapter 12, section 18, subdivision 4, for the
 55.19 transportation improvements within the Lindau Lane corridor in Bloomington, estimated
 55.20 to be \$4,035,839, is canceled, and the bond sale authorization in Laws 2011, First Special
 55.21 Session chapter 12, section 23, subdivision 1, is reduced by the same amount.

55.22 Sec. 28. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 27, is amended to
 55.23 read:

55.24 Sec. 27. **BOND SALE SCHEDULE.**

55.25 The commissioner of management and budget shall schedule the sale of state general
 55.26 obligation bonds so that, during the biennium ending June 30, 2019, no more than
 55.27 ~~\$1,555,301,000~~ \$1,138,523,000 will need to be transferred from the general fund to the
 55.28 state bond fund to pay principal and interest due and to become due on outstanding state
 55.29 general obligation bonds. During the biennium, before each sale of state general obligation
 55.30 bonds, the commissioner of management and budget shall calculate the amount of debt
 55.31 service payments needed on bonds previously issued and shall estimate the amount of debt
 55.32 service payments that will be needed on the bonds scheduled to be sold. The commissioner
 55.33 shall adjust the amount of bonds scheduled to be sold so as to remain within the limit set

56.1 by this section. The amount needed to make the debt service payments is appropriated from
 56.2 the general fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.641.

56.3 Sec. 29. **TRUNK HIGHWAY BOND APPROPRIATIONS, AUTHORIZATION**
 56.4 **TAKE EFFECT ONLY ONCE.**

56.5 If an appropriation from the bond proceeds account in the trunk highway fund, and a
 56.6 corresponding authorization to sell trunk highway bonds, for the same purpose as in this
 56.7 act is enacted more than once in the 2018 legislative session, the appropriation and bond
 56.8 sale authorization must be given effect only once. If the appropriation and authorization for
 56.9 the same purpose are for different amounts, the highest of the amounts is the one to be given
 56.10 effect.

56.11 Sec. 30. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

56.12 Except as otherwise provided, this article is effective the day following final enactment.

56.13 **ARTICLE 2**

56.14 **MISCELLANEOUS**

56.15 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 15B.32, as amended by Laws 2017, First
 56.16 Special Session chapter 8, article 2, section 1, is amended to read:

56.17 **15B.32 STATE CAPITOL PRESERVATION COMMISSION.**

56.18 Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** (a) As used in this section and section 15B.36, the terms
 56.19 defined in this subdivision have the following meanings.

56.20 (b) "Commission" means the State Capitol Preservation Commission created under this
 56.21 section.

56.22 (c) "Capitol Area" means the geographic area defined in section 15B.02.

56.23 (d) "Board" means the Capitol Area Architectural and Planning Board created under
 56.24 section 15B.03.

56.25 (e) "Predesign" has the meaning given in section 16B.335, subdivision 3, paragraph (a).

56.26 Subd. 2. **Membership.** The State Capitol Preservation Commission consists of ~~22~~ 24
 56.27 members, appointed as follows:

56.28 (1) the governor;

56.29 (2) the lieutenant governor;

57.1 (3) the attorney general;

57.2 (4) the chief justice of the Supreme Court, or the chief justice's designee, who shall be
57.3 a member of the Supreme Court;

57.4 (5) the majority leader of the senate or the majority leader's designee, who shall be a
57.5 member of the senate;

57.6 (6) the minority leader of the senate or the minority leader's designee, who shall be a
57.7 member of the senate;

57.8 (7) the speaker of the house or the speaker's designee, who shall be a member of the
57.9 house of representatives;

57.10 (8) the minority leader of the house of representatives or the minority leader's designee,
57.11 who shall be a member of the house of representatives;

57.12 ~~(7)~~ (9) two members of the senate, including one member from the majority party
57.13 appointed by the majority leader and one member from the minority party appointed by the
57.14 minority leader;

57.15 ~~(8)~~ (10) two members of the house of representatives, including one member appointed
57.16 by the speaker of the house and one member from the minority party appointed by the
57.17 minority leader;

57.18 ~~(9)~~ (11) the chair and ranking minority member of the house of representatives committee
57.19 with jurisdiction over capital investment and the chair and ranking minority member of the
57.20 senate committee with jurisdiction over capital investment;

57.21 ~~(10)~~ (12) the commissioner of administration or the commissioner's designee;

57.22 ~~(11)~~ (13) the commissioner of public safety or the commissioner's designee;

57.23 ~~(12)~~ (14) the executive director of the Minnesota Historical Society or the executive
57.24 director's designee;

57.25 ~~(13)~~ (15) the executive secretary of the Capitol Area Architectural and Planning Board;
57.26 and

57.27 ~~(14)~~ (16) four public members appointed by the governor.

57.28 Subd. 3. **Terms and compensation.** (a) A member serving on the commission because
57.29 the member or the appointing authority for the member holds an elected or appointed office
57.30 shall serve on the commission as long as the member or the appointing authority holds the
57.31 office.

58.1 (b) Public members of the commission shall serve two-year terms. The public members
58.2 may not serve for more than three consecutive terms.

58.3 (c) The removal of members and filling of vacancies on the commission are as provided
58.4 in section 15.059. ~~Public members may receive compensation and expenses as provided~~
58.5 ~~under section 15.059, subdivision 3.~~

58.6 Subd. 4. **Officers and meetings.** (a) The governor is the chair of the commission. The
58.7 lieutenant governor is the vice-chair of the commission and may act as the chair of the
58.8 commission in the absence of the governor. The governor may designate a staff member to
58.9 attend commission meetings and vote on the governor's behalf in the absence of the governor.

58.10 (b) The commission shall meet at least annually and at other times at the call of the chair.
58.11 Meetings of the commission are subject to chapter 13D.

58.12 Subd. 5. **Administrative support.** ~~The commission may designate an executive secretary~~
58.13 ~~and obtain administrative support through a contract with a state agency or other means.~~
58.14 The commissioner of administration shall provide administrative support to the commission.

58.15 Subd. 6. **Duties.** (a) The commission:

58.16 (1) shall exercise ongoing coordination of the ~~restoration~~, protection, risk management,
58.17 and preservation of the Capitol building;

58.18 (2) shall consult with and advise the commissioner of administration, the board, and the
58.19 Minnesota Historical Society regarding their applicable statutory responsibilities for and in
58.20 the Capitol building;

58.21 ~~(3) may assist in the selection of an architectural firm to assist in the preparation of the~~
58.22 ~~predesign plan for the restoration of the Capitol building;~~

58.23 ~~(4)~~ (3) shall develop a comprehensive, multiyear, predesign maintenance and preservation
58.24 plan for the restoration of the Capitol building, review the plan periodically, and, as
58.25 appropriate, amend and modify the plan. The predesign plan shall identify appropriate and
58.26 required functions of the Capitol building; identify and address space requirements for
58.27 legislative, executive, and judicial branch functions; and identify and address the long-term
58.28 maintenance and preservation requirements of the Capitol building. ~~In developing the~~
58.29 ~~predesign plan, the commission shall take into account the comprehensive plan for the~~
58.30 ~~Minnesota State Capitol Area, as amended in 2010, the rules governing zoning and design~~
58.31 ~~for the Capitol Area, citizen access, information technology needs, energy efficiency,~~
58.32 ~~security, educational programs including public and school tours, and any additional space~~

59.1 ~~needs for the efficient operation of state government~~ and shall take into account the
 59.2 recommendations of the long-range strategic plan under section 16B.24;

59.3 ~~(5) (4)~~ shall develop and implement a plan to ~~reopen the~~ ensure a welcoming and
 59.4 accessible Minnesota State Capitol and reintroduce it to the citizens of Minnesota for all
 59.5 Minnesotans and visitors;

59.6 ~~(6) (5)~~ shall develop and implement a comprehensive financial plan to fund the ongoing
 59.7 preservation and restoration of the Capitol building;

59.8 ~~(7) (6)~~ shall provide annual reports about the condition of the Capitol building and its
 59.9 needs, as well as all activities related to the ~~restoration~~ preservation of the Capitol building;
 59.10 and

59.11 ~~(8) (7)~~ may solicit gifts, grants, or donations of any kind from any private or public
 59.12 source to carry out the purposes of this section. For purposes of this section, the commissioner
 59.13 of administration may expend money appropriated by the legislature for these purposes in
 59.14 the same manner as private persons, firms, corporations, and associations make expenditures
 59.15 for these purposes. All gifts, grants, or donations received by the commission shall be
 59.16 deposited in a State Capitol preservation account established in the special revenue fund.
 59.17 Money in the account is appropriated to the commissioner of administration for the activities
 59.18 of clause (5), the commission, and implementation of the predesign plan under this section.
 59.19 ~~The gift acceptance procedures under sections 16A.013 to 16A.016 do not apply to this~~
 59.20 ~~clause.~~ Appropriations under this clause do not cancel and are available until expended;
 59.21 and

59.22 (8) shall approve a program of art exhibits to encourage public visits to the Capitol and
 59.23 to be displayed in a space in the Capitol building that is listed in section 15B.36, subdivision
 59.24 1, before an exhibit that is part of the program can be displayed for two weeks or longer.
 59.25 When considering recommendations made under section 15B.36, the commission must
 59.26 approve or reject recommended exhibits as a whole and may not approve or reject individual
 59.27 pieces within a recommended exhibit. The approved program must address the proposed
 59.28 schedule, how it addresses adopted themes for art in the Capitol, and the type or types of
 59.29 artwork.

59.30 (b) By January 15 of each year, the commission shall report to the chairs and ranking
 59.31 minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over ~~the commission state~~
 59.32 government operations, capital investment, finance, ways and means, and legacy finance
 59.33 regarding the activities and efforts of the commission in the preceding calendar year
 59.34 maintenance and preservation needs of the Capitol building, including recommendations

60.1 adopted by the commission, the comprehensive financial plan required under paragraph (a),
60.2 clause (6), and any proposed draft legislation necessary to implement the recommendations
60.3 of the commission.

60.4 **Sec. 2. [15B.36] CAPITOL ART EXHIBIT ADVISORY COMMITTEE.**

60.5 Subdivision 1. **Application.** This section applies to art exhibits in the following spaces
60.6 within the State Capitol: third floor east wing, the egress lobbies added as part of the Capitol
60.7 restoration completed in 2017, the tunnels connecting legislative office buildings to the
60.8 Capitol, room 104A of the Capitol, and the entire Capitol basement, excluding the historic
60.9 Rathskeller, Governor's Dining Room, and Justices' Dining Room. Historic paintings located
60.10 in Room 317A remain subject to section 138.68. The speaker of the house, president of the
60.11 senate, and chief justice of the Minnesota Supreme Court may request the advisory committee
60.12 to provide recommendations on art in their respective hearing rooms and other tenant spaces.

60.13 Subd. 2. **Creation, duties.** (a) The Capitol Art Exhibit Advisory Committee is established
60.14 to advise and make recommendations to the State Capitol Preservation Commission regarding
60.15 art exhibits to be displayed in State Capitol spaces listed in subdivision 1. To develop these
60.16 recommendations, the committee shall:

60.17 (1) receive proposals from a broad diversity of Minnesota artists, art organizations, and
60.18 other individuals and evaluate the extent to which proposals meet the criteria in paragraph
60.19 (b); and

60.20 (2) prepare a list of recommended art exhibits for consideration by the commission,
60.21 including information on the availability of the exhibits, a summary of how the recommended
60.22 exhibits meet the criteria in paragraph (b) and reflect Minnesota history not covered by
60.23 previous art exhibits, and the estimated costs and logistical needs for recommended exhibits.

60.24 (b) Art exhibits displayed in the State Capitol should tell Minnesota stories and engage
60.25 people to:

60.26 (1) reflect on Minnesota history;

60.27 (2) understand Minnesota government;

60.28 (3) recognize the contributions of Minnesota's diverse peoples;

60.29 (4) inspire citizen engagement; and

60.30 (5) appreciate the varied landscapes of Minnesota.

61.1 (c) The commissioner of administration shall provide administrative support for the art
61.2 exhibits approved by the commission under section 15B.32, subdivision 6, paragraph (a),
61.3 clause (8).

61.4 (d) A preference shall be given for recommended art exhibits for artists currently living
61.5 in Minnesota or living in Minnesota at the time portrayed. The selection process should
61.6 ensure that a wide range of artists have a chance to be considered and that, over time, the
61.7 art reflects the contributions of artists of various demographic backgrounds, including age,
61.8 disability, gender, and racial and ethnic identity.

61.9 Subd. 3. **Membership.** (a) The advisory committee consists of members of the public
61.10 appointed as follows:

61.11 (1) five appointed by the governor;

61.12 (2) two appointed by the majority leader of the senate and two appointed by the minority
61.13 leader of the senate; and

61.14 (3) two appointed by the speaker of the house and two appointed by the minority leader
61.15 of the house of representatives.

61.16 (b) To the extent practicable, the appointing authorities shall appoint individuals with
61.17 knowledge or experience in art, Minnesota history, or Native American history, so that the
61.18 advisory committee reflects the demographic and geographic diversity of the state. The
61.19 public members appointed by the governor must be appointed using the public appointments
61.20 process under section 15.0597.

61.21 (c) The State Arts Board, the Minnesota Historical Society, the Capitol Area Architectural
61.22 and Planning Board, and the commissioner of administration shall each appoint one individual
61.23 to serve ex-officio on the advisory committee as a nonvoting member.

61.24 (d) The advisory committee may meet as frequently as needed to complete its work and
61.25 shall annually, or when requested by the commissioner, provide the commission with a list
61.26 of recommended exhibits of works of art by Minnesota artists for possible display in the
61.27 State Capitol.

61.28 Subd. 4. **Terms; removal; vacancies; compensation.** Except as otherwise provided in
61.29 this section, terms, removal, vacancies, and compensation are as provided in section 15.059.
61.30 Terms of advisory committee members begin the first Tuesday after the first Monday in
61.31 January and are for four years.

61.32 Subd. 5. **Chair.** The committee shall elect a chair from among its members. The
61.33 committee may elect other officers as it deems necessary.

62.1 Subd. 6. **Open meetings.** Committee meetings are subject to chapter 13D.

62.2 Subd. 7. **Conflict of interest.** A member of the committee may not participate in the
 62.3 discussion of or vote on a decision of the committee relating to an organization in which
 62.4 the member has either a direct or indirect financial interest.

62.5 Subd. 8. **Gifts; grants; donations.** The committee may accept gifts and grants, which
 62.6 are accepted on behalf of the state and constitute donations to the state. Funds received
 62.7 under this paragraph are appropriated to the commissioner of administration for purposes
 62.8 of the committee.

62.9 Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 16A.642, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

62.10 Subdivision 1. **Reports.** (a) The commissioner of management and budget shall report
 62.11 to the chairs of the senate Committee on Finance and the house of representatives Committees
 62.12 on Ways and Means and Capital Investment by January 1 of each ~~odd-numbered~~ year on
 62.13 the following:

62.14 (1) all laws authorizing the issuance of state bonds, bonds supported by a state
 62.15 appropriation, or appropriating general fund money for state or local government capital
 62.16 investment projects enacted more than four years before January 1 of that ~~odd-numbered~~
 62.17 year; the projects authorized to be acquired and constructed for which less than 100 percent
 62.18 of the authorized total cost has been expended, encumbered, or otherwise obligated; the
 62.19 cost of contracts to be let in accordance with existing plans and specifications shall be
 62.20 considered expended for this report; and the amount of general fund money appropriated
 62.21 but not spent or otherwise obligated, and the amount of bonds not issued and bond proceeds
 62.22 held but not previously expended, encumbered, or otherwise obligated for these projects;
 62.23 and

62.24 (2) all laws authorizing the issuance of state bonds, bonds supported by a state
 62.25 appropriation, or appropriating general fund money for state or local government capital
 62.26 programs or projects other than those described in clause (1), enacted more than four years
 62.27 before January 1 of that ~~odd-numbered~~ year; and the amount of general fund money
 62.28 appropriated but not spent or otherwise obligated, and the amount of bonds not issued and
 62.29 bond proceeds held but not previously expended, encumbered, or otherwise obligated for
 62.30 these programs and projects.

62.31 (b) The commissioner shall also report on general fund appropriations for capital projects,
 62.32 bond authorizations or bond proceed balances that may be canceled because projects have
 62.33 been canceled, completed, or otherwise concluded, or because the purposes for which the

63.1 money was appropriated or bonds were authorized or issued have been canceled, completed,
 63.2 or otherwise concluded. The general fund appropriations, bond authorizations or bond
 63.3 proceed balances that are unencumbered or otherwise not obligated that are reported by the
 63.4 commissioner under this subdivision are canceled, effective July 1 of the year of the report,
 63.5 unless specifically reauthorized by act of the legislature.

63.6 (c) The reports required by this subdivision shall only contain bond authorizations
 63.7 supported by a state appropriation and their associated general fund appropriations for
 63.8 projects authorized or amended after December 31, 2013.

63.9 Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 16A.86, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

63.10 Subd. 4. **Funding.** (a) The state share of a project covered by this section must be no
 63.11 more than half the total cost of the project, including predesign, design, construction,
 63.12 furnishings, and equipment, except as provided in paragraph (b) or (c). This subdivision
 63.13 does not apply to a project proposed by a school district or other school organization.

63.14 (b) The state share may be more than half the total cost of a project if the project is
 63.15 deemed needed as a result of a disaster or to prevent a disaster or is located in a political
 63.16 subdivision with a very low average net tax capacity.

63.17 (c) Nothing in this section prevents the governor from recommending, or the legislature
 63.18 from considering or funding, projects that do not meet the deadline in subdivision 2 or ~~the~~
 63.19 ~~criteria in this subdivision or subdivision 3~~ a state share that is greater than half the total
 63.20 cost of the project when the governor or the legislature determines that there is a compelling
 63.21 reason for the recommendation or funding.

63.22 Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 16B.335, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

63.23 Subdivision 1. **Construction and major remodeling.** (a) The commissioner, or any
 63.24 other recipient to whom an appropriation is made to acquire or better public lands or buildings
 63.25 or other public improvements of a capital nature, must not prepare final plans and
 63.26 specifications for any construction, major remodeling, or land acquisition in anticipation
 63.27 of which the appropriation was made until the agency that will use the project has presented
 63.28 the program plan and cost estimates for all elements necessary to complete the project to
 63.29 the chair of the senate Finance Committee and the chair of the house of representatives
 63.30 Ways and Means Committee and the chairs have made their recommendations, and the
 63.31 chair and ranking minority member of the senate Capital Investment Committee and the
 63.32 chair and ranking minority member of the house of representatives Capital Investment
 63.33 Committee are notified. "Construction or major remodeling" means construction of a new

64.1 building, a substantial addition to an existing building, or a substantial change to the interior
 64.2 configuration of an existing building. The presentation must note any significant changes
 64.3 in the work that will be done, or in its cost, since the appropriation for the project was
 64.4 enacted or from the predesign submittal. The program plans and estimates must be presented
 64.5 for review at least two weeks before a recommendation is needed. The recommendations
 64.6 are advisory only. Failure or refusal to make a recommendation is considered a negative
 64.7 recommendation. The chairs and ranking minority members of the senate Finance and
 64.8 Capital Investment Committees and the house of representatives Capital Investment and
 64.9 Ways and Means Committees must also be notified whenever there is a substantial change
 64.10 in a construction or major remodeling project, or in its cost.

64.11 (b) Capital projects exempt from the requirements of this subdivision include demolition
 64.12 or decommissioning of state assets, hazardous material projects, utility infrastructure projects,
 64.13 environmental testing, parking lots, parking structures, park and ride facilities, bus rapid
 64.14 transit stations, light rail lines, passenger rail projects, freight rail projects, exterior lighting,
 64.15 fencing, highway rest areas, truck stations, storage facilities not consisting primarily of
 64.16 offices or heated work areas, roads, bridges, trails, pathways, campgrounds, athletic fields,
 64.17 dams, floodwater retention systems, water access sites, harbors, sewer separation projects,
 64.18 water and wastewater facilities, port development projects for which the commissioner of
 64.19 transportation has entered into an assistance agreement under section 457A.04, ice centers,
 64.20 a local government project with a construction cost of less than \$1,500,000, or any other
 64.21 capital project with a construction cost of less than \$750,000.

64.22 Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 16B.35, is amended by adding a subdivision to
 64.23 read:

64.24 Subd. 1c. **PFA excluded.** Notwithstanding subdivision 1, an appropriation to the Public
 64.25 Facilities Authority, and project financing provided by the authority from the appropriation,
 64.26 may not include an amount to acquire works of art.

64.27 Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 115.03, is amended by adding a subdivision to
 64.28 read:

64.29 Subd. 5d. **Required disclosures to national pollution discharge elimination system**
 64.30 **permit applicants.** The commissioner must provide an applicant for a national pollution
 64.31 discharge elimination system permit with a written summary of all available methods for
 64.32 the applicant to participate in the permit process, including an explanation of all procedures

65.1 for challenging and appealing a decision of the agency or a permit requirement included in
 65.2 any draft of final permit.

65.3 **Sec. 8. [115.456] COMPLIANCE SCHEDULES.**

65.4 The commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency must consider current debt service
 65.5 on existing municipal wastewater treatment infrastructure when developing compliance
 65.6 schedules for new effluent limits in municipal national pollutant discharge elimination
 65.7 system (NPDES) permits. Any compliance schedule for new effluent limits in municipal
 65.8 NPDES permits must be developed in a manner consistent with state and federal law to
 65.9 maximize the repayment of existing debt on wastewater infrastructure before requiring
 65.10 additional capital infrastructure upgrades. To the extent allowable under federal law, the
 65.11 commissioner may issue compliance schedules in municipal NPDES permits for new effluent
 65.12 limit requirements in excess of 20 years.

65.13 **Sec. 9. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 116.072, is amended by adding a subdivision to**
 65.14 **read:**

65.15 Subd. 14. **Treatment works penalty orders.** To the extent allowable under federal law,
 65.16 the agency shall not issue an administrative penalty order to the operator of a publicly owned
 65.17 treatment works for violating any effluent limitation unless both of the following conditions
 65.18 have been satisfied:

65.19 (1) 45 days have elapsed since the agency has issued the operator of the treatment works
 65.20 with a notice of violation or an alleged violation letter that describes the violation; and

65.21 (2) the agency provides the operator with a copy of the written summary developed
 65.22 under section 115.03, subdivision 5d, after or at the same time as the notice of violation or
 65.23 alleged violation letter is issued.

65.24 **Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 222.49, is amended to read:**

65.25 **222.49 RAIL SERVICE IMPROVEMENT ~~ACCOUNT~~ ACCOUNTS;**
 65.26 **APPROPRIATION.**

65.27 The ~~(a)~~ A rail service improvement account is created in the special revenue fund in the
 65.28 state treasury. The account consists of funds as provided by law, and any other money
 65.29 donated, allotted, transferred, or otherwise provided to the account, excluding bond proceeds
 65.30 as authorized by article XI, section 5, clause (i), of the Minnesota Constitution. All money
 65.31 so deposited is appropriated to the department for expenditure for rail service improvement

66.1 in accordance with applicable state and federal law. This appropriation shall not lapse but
 66.2 shall be available until the purpose for which it was appropriated has been accomplished.

66.3 (b) A rail service improvement account is created in the bond proceeds fund. The account
 66.4 consists of state bond proceeds appropriated to the commissioner. Money in the account
 66.5 may only be expended for the purposes specified in section 222.50 that are permitted under
 66.6 the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, clause (a) or (i).

66.7 **Sec. 11. [245G.011] BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CRISIS FACILITIES GRANTS.**

66.8 Subdivision 1. **Commissioner.** "Commissioner" means the commissioner of human
 66.9 services.

66.10 Subd. 2. **Eligible applicant.** "Eligible applicant" or "applicant" means a statutory or
 66.11 home rule charter city, county, housing and redevelopment authority, publicly owned
 66.12 hospital, or other public entity otherwise eligible to receive state general obligation bond
 66.13 proceeds that is designated to apply for a behavioral health crisis program facilities grant
 66.14 by the local mental health authority, established under Minnesota Statutes, section 245.466,
 66.15 or on behalf of a regional consortium of organizations that serve individuals with mental
 66.16 illness or a substance use disorder.

66.17 Subd. 3. **Eligible project.** "Eligible project" or "project" means the acquisition or
 66.18 betterment of public land, buildings, and other public improvements of a capital nature
 66.19 within the meaning of the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, clause (a). It includes
 66.20 acquisition of land or interest in land, predesign, design, renovation, construction, furnishing,
 66.21 and equipping facilities in which to provide behavioral health crisis programs and services.

66.22 Subd. 4. **Project criteria.** For purposes of this section, "behavioral health crisis facilities"
 66.23 or "facility" means a facility whose purpose is to provide mental health or substance use
 66.24 disorder services. Proceeds may be up to 100 percent of project costs, up to \$5,000,000 per
 66.25 project. Priority must be given to proposals that:

66.26 (1) demonstrate a need for the program in the region;

66.27 (2) provide a detailed service plan, including the services that will be provided and to
 66.28 whom, and staffing requirements;

66.29 (3) provide an estimated cost of operating the program;

66.30 (4) verify financial sustainability by detailing sufficient funding sources and the capacity
 66.31 to obtain third-party payments for services provided, including private insurance and federal
 66.32 Medicaid and Medicare financial participation;

67.1 (5) demonstrate an ability and willingness to build on existing resources in the
 67.2 community; and

67.3 (6) agree to a comprehensive evaluation of services and financial viability by the
 67.4 commissioner.

67.5 Subd. 5. **Report.** The commissioner shall report to the legislative committees with
 67.6 jurisdiction over mental health issues and capital investment. The report is due by February
 67.7 15 of each odd-numbered year and must include information on the projects funded and the
 67.8 programs and services provided in those facilities.

67.9 Sec. 12. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 326B.124, is amended to read:

67.10 **326B.124 EXEMPTIONS.**

67.11 (a) The commissioner may exempt a part of a historic building occupied by the state
 67.12 from the state or another building, fire, safety, or other code if the exemption is necessary
 67.13 to preserve the historic or esthetic character of the building or to prevent theft, vandalism,
 67.14 terrorism, or another crime. When the commissioner grants an exemption, the commissioner
 67.15 shall consider providing equivalent protection. A certificate of occupancy may not be denied
 67.16 because of an exemption under this section.

67.17 (b) The house of representatives and senate chambers located in the State Capitol are
 67.18 exempt from any State Building Code and State Fire Code requirements pertaining to: (1)
 67.19 door locks; (2) exit sign placement at exit access doors; and ~~(2)~~ (3) occupancy limit signs.
 67.20 The house of representatives and senate may install door locks within their chambers in the
 67.21 State Capitol that meet their needs. The house of representatives and senate may install exit
 67.22 and occupancy limit signs within the house of representatives and senate chambers located
 67.23 in the State Capitol that are minimal in size and historic in appearance as appropriate for
 67.24 each chamber. Any door lock or sign installed by the house of representatives or the senate
 67.25 under the authority provided in this paragraph is not subject to the approval of the
 67.26 commissioner.

67.27 Sec. 13. **[446A.076] ESTIMATED FUNDING NEEDS.**

67.28 By February 1 each year, the Public Facilities Authority must submit to the legislative
 67.29 committees with jurisdiction over capital investment and environment and natural resources
 67.30 finance an estimate of the amount necessary to fund grants under sections 446A.072 and
 67.31 446A.073.

68.1 Sec. 14. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 462A.2035, subdivision 1, is
68.2 amended to read:

68.3 Subdivision 1. **Establishment.** The agency shall establish a manufactured home park
68.4 redevelopment program for the purpose of making manufactured home park redevelopment
68.5 grants or loans ~~to cities, counties, community action programs, nonprofit organizations, and~~
68.6 ~~cooperatives created under chapter 308A or 308B~~ for the purposes specified in this section.

68.7 Sec. 15. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 462A.2035, subdivision 1b, is
68.8 amended to read:

68.9 Subd. 1b. **Manufactured home park infrastructure grants.** Eligible recipients may
68.10 use manufactured home park infrastructure grants under this program for:

68.11 (1) improvements in manufactured home parks; and

68.12 (2) infrastructure, including storm shelters and community facilities.

68.13 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment for
68.14 bonds authorized in 2018 and thereafter.

68.15 Sec. 16. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 462A.37, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

68.16 Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** (a) For purposes of this section, the following terms have
68.17 the meanings given.

68.18 (b) "Abandoned property" has the meaning given in section 117.025, subdivision 5.

68.19 (c) "Community land trust" means an entity that meets the requirements of section
68.20 462A.31, subdivisions 1 and 2.

68.21 (d) "Debt service" means the amount payable in any fiscal year of principal, premium,
68.22 if any, and interest on housing infrastructure bonds and the fees, charges, and expenses
68.23 related to the bonds.

68.24 (e) "Foreclosed property" means residential property where foreclosure proceedings
68.25 have been initiated or have been completed and title transferred or where title is transferred
68.26 in lieu of foreclosure.

68.27 (f) "Housing infrastructure bonds" means bonds issued by the agency under this chapter
68.28 that are qualified 501(c)(3) bonds, within the meaning of Section 145(a) of the Internal
68.29 Revenue Code, finance qualified residential rental projects within the meaning of Section
68.30 142(d) of the Internal Revenue Code, or are tax-exempt bonds that are not private activity

69.1 bonds, within the meaning of Section 141(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, for the purpose
69.2 of financing or refinancing affordable housing authorized under this chapter.

69.3 (g) "Internal Revenue Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

69.4 (h) "Senior" means a person 55 years of age or older with an annual income not greater
69.5 than 50 percent of:

69.6 (1) the metropolitan area median income for persons in the metropolitan area; or

69.7 (2) the statewide median income for persons outside the metropolitan area.

69.8 (i) "Senior housing" means housing intended and operated for occupancy by at least one
69.9 senior per unit with at least 80 percent of the units occupied by at least one senior per unit,
69.10 and for which there is publication of, and adherence to, policies and procedures that
69.11 demonstrate an intent by the owner or manager to provide housing for seniors. Senior
69.12 housing may be developed in conjunction with and as a distinct portion of mixed-income
69.13 senior housing developments that use a variety of public or private financing sources.

69.14 ~~(h)~~ (j) "Supportive housing" means housing that is not time-limited and provides or
69.15 coordinates with linkages to services necessary for residents to maintain housing stability
69.16 and maximize opportunities for education and employment.

69.17 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment for
69.18 bonds authorized in 2018 and thereafter.

69.19 Sec. 17. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 462A.37, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

69.20 Subd. 2. **Authorization.** (a) The agency may issue up to \$30,000,000 in aggregate
69.21 principal amount of housing infrastructure bonds in one or more series to which the payment
69.22 made under this section may be pledged. The housing infrastructure bonds authorized in
69.23 this subdivision may be issued to fund loans, or grants for the purposes of clause (4), on
69.24 terms and conditions the agency deems appropriate, made for one or more of the following
69.25 purposes:

69.26 (1) to finance the costs of the construction, acquisition, and rehabilitation of supportive
69.27 housing for individuals and families who are without a permanent residence;

69.28 (2) to finance the costs of the acquisition and rehabilitation of foreclosed or abandoned
69.29 housing to be used for affordable rental housing and the costs of new construction of rental
69.30 housing on abandoned or foreclosed property where the existing structures will be demolished
69.31 or removed;

70.1 (3) to finance that portion of the costs of acquisition of property that is attributable to
70.2 the land to be leased by community land trusts to low- and moderate-income homebuyers;
70.3 ~~and~~

70.4 (4) to finance that portion of the improvement and infrastructure of manufactured home
70.5 parks under section 462A.2035, subdivision 1b, that is attributable to land to be leased to
70.6 low- and moderate-income manufactured home owners;

70.7 (5) to finance the costs of acquisition, rehabilitation, adaptive reuse, or new construction
70.8 of senior housing; and

70.9 (6) to finance the costs of acquisition and rehabilitation of federally assisted rental
70.10 housing and for the refinancing of costs of the construction, acquisition, and rehabilitation
70.11 of federally assisted rental housing, including providing funds to refund, in whole or in part,
70.12 outstanding bonds previously issued by the agency or another government unit to finance
70.13 or refinance such costs.

70.14 (b) Among comparable proposals for permanent supportive housing, preference shall
70.15 be given to permanent supportive housing for veterans and other individuals or families
70.16 who:

70.17 (1) either have been without a permanent residence for at least 12 months or at least four
70.18 times in the last three years; or

70.19 (2) are at significant risk of lacking a permanent residence for 12 months or at least four
70.20 times in the last three years.

70.21 (c) Among comparable proposals for senior housing, the agency must give priority to
70.22 requests for projects that:

70.23 (1) demonstrate a commitment to maintaining the housing financed as affordable to
70.24 seniors;

70.25 (2) leverage other sources of funding to finance the project, including the use of
70.26 low-income housing tax credits;

70.27 (3) provide access to services to residents and demonstrate the ability to increase physical
70.28 supports and support services as residents age and experience increasing levels of disability;

70.29 (4) provide a service plan containing the elements of clause (3) reviewed by the housing
70.30 authority, economic development authority, public housing authority, or community
70.31 development agency that has an area of operation for the jurisdiction in which the project
70.32 is located; and

71.1 (5) include households with incomes that do not exceed 30 percent of the median
 71.2 household income for the metropolitan area.

71.3 To the extent practicable, the agency shall balance the loans made between projects in the
 71.4 metropolitan area and projects outside the metropolitan area. Of the loans made to projects
 71.5 outside the metropolitan area, the agency shall, to the extent practicable, balance the loans
 71.6 made between projects in counties or cities with a population of 20,000 or less, as established
 71.7 by the most recent decennial census, and projects in counties or cities with populations in
 71.8 excess of 20,000.

71.9 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment for
 71.10 bonds authorized in 2018 and thereafter.

71.11 Sec. 18. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 462A.37, is amended by adding a subdivision
 71.12 to read:

71.13 Subd. 2d. **Additional authorization.** In addition to the amount authorized in subdivisions
 71.14 2, 2a, 2b, and 2c, the agency may issue up to \$30,000,000 in housing infrastructure bonds
 71.15 in one or more series to which the payments under this section may be pledged. Housing
 71.16 funded with proceeds from bonds sold under this authorization must be permanent supportive
 71.17 housing for people with behavioral health needs.

71.18 Sec. 19. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 462A.37, is amended by adding a subdivision
 71.19 to read:

71.20 Subd. 2e. **Additional authorization.** In addition to the amount authorized in subdivisions
 71.21 2, 2a, 2b, 2c, and 2d, the agency may issue up to \$50,000,000 in housing infrastructure
 71.22 bonds in one or more series to which the payments under this section may be pledged.

71.23 Sec. 20. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 462A.37, subdivision 5, is amended
 71.24 to read:

71.25 Subd. 5. **Additional appropriation.** (a) The agency must certify annually to the
 71.26 commissioner of management and budget the actual amount of annual debt service on each
 71.27 series of bonds issued under subdivisions 2a, 2b, ~~and 2c~~, 2d, and 2e.

71.28 (b) Each July 15, beginning in 2015 and through 2037, if any housing infrastructure
 71.29 bonds issued under subdivision 2a remain outstanding, the commissioner of management
 71.30 and budget must transfer to the housing infrastructure bond account established under section
 71.31 462A.21, subdivision 33, the amount certified under paragraph (a), not to exceed \$6,400,000

72.1 annually. The amounts necessary to make the transfers are appropriated from the general
72.2 fund to the commissioner of management and budget.

72.3 (c) Each July 15, beginning in 2017 and through 2038, if any housing infrastructure
72.4 bonds issued under subdivision 2b remain outstanding, the commissioner of management
72.5 and budget must transfer to the housing infrastructure bond account established under section
72.6 462A.21, subdivision 33, the amount certified under paragraph (a), not to exceed \$800,000
72.7 annually. The amounts necessary to make the transfers are appropriated from the general
72.8 fund to the commissioner of management and budget.

72.9 (d) Each July 15, beginning in ~~2018~~ 2019 and through ~~2039~~ 2040, if any housing
72.10 infrastructure bonds issued under subdivision 2c remain outstanding, the commissioner of
72.11 management and budget must transfer to the housing infrastructure bond account established
72.12 under section 462A.21, subdivision 33, the amount certified under paragraph (a), not to
72.13 exceed \$2,800,000 annually. The amounts necessary to make the transfers are appropriated
72.14 from the general fund to the commissioner of management and budget.

72.15 (e) Each July 15, beginning in 2020 and through 2041, if any housing infrastructure
72.16 bonds issued under subdivision 2d remain outstanding, the commissioner of management
72.17 and budget must transfer to the housing infrastructure bond account established under section
72.18 462A.21, subdivision 33, the amount certified under paragraph (a). The amounts necessary
72.19 to make the transfers are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of
72.20 management and budget.

72.21 ~~(e)~~ (f) Each July 15, beginning in 2020 and through 2041, if any housing infrastructure
72.22 bonds issued under subdivision 2e remain outstanding, the commissioner of management
72.23 and budget must transfer to the housing infrastructure bond account established under section
72.24 462A.21, subdivision 33, the amount certified under paragraph (a). The amounts necessary
72.25 to make the transfers are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of
72.26 management and budget.

72.27 (g) The agency may pledge to the payment of the housing infrastructure bonds the
72.28 payments to be made by the state under this section.

72.29 Sec. 21. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 462A.37, is amended by adding a subdivision
72.30 to read:

72.31 Subd. 6. **Cancellation.** Any amount appropriated in this section for debt service payments
72.32 that is not needed in that fiscal year for debt service payments is canceled to the general
72.33 fund. The cancellation must occur no later than June 30 of the same fiscal year.

73.1 Sec. 22. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 473.857, subdivision 2, is amended
73.2 to read:

73.3 Subd. 2. **Within 60 days; report.** A hearing shall be conducted within 60 days after the
73.4 request, provided that the advisory committee or the administrative law judge shall
73.5 consolidate hearings on related requests. The 60-day period within which the hearing shall
73.6 be conducted may be extended or suspended by mutual agreement of the council and the
73.7 local governmental unit. The hearing ~~shall not~~ may consider the need for or reasonableness
73.8 of the metropolitan system plans or parts thereof. The hearing shall afford all interested
73.9 persons an opportunity to testify and present evidence. The advisory committee or
73.10 administrative law judge may employ the appropriate technical and professional services
73.11 of the office of dispute resolution for the purpose of evaluating disputes of fact. The
73.12 proceedings shall not be deemed a contested case. Within 30 days after the hearing, the
73.13 advisory committee or the administrative law judge shall report to the council respecting
73.14 the proposed amendments to the system statements. The report shall contain findings of
73.15 fact, conclusions, and recommendations and shall apportion the costs of the proceedings
73.16 among the parties.

73.17 **EFFECTIVE DATE; APPLICATION.** This section is effective the day following
73.18 final enactment for system statements prepared by the Metropolitan Council on or after that
73.19 date. This section applies in the counties of Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey,
73.20 Scott, and Washington.

73.21 Sec. 23. Laws 2009, chapter 93, article 1, section 14, subdivision 3, as amended by Laws
73.22 2011, First Special Session chapter 12, section 37, is amended to read:

73.23 Subd. 3. **Veterans Cemeteries** 1,500,000

73.24 Of this amount, up to \$500,000 is to acquire
73.25 land located in southeastern, southwestern,
73.26 and northeastern Minnesota for publicly
73.27 owned veterans cemeteries, to be operated by
73.28 the commissioner of veterans affairs. The
73.29 commissioner also must seek donations of
73.30 land for the cemeteries. The balance of the
73.31 appropriation is to predesign and design the
73.32 cemeteries. Federal reimbursement of design
73.33 costs for each cemetery must be deposited in
73.34 the state treasury ~~and credited to a special~~

74.1 ~~account~~ and is appropriated to the
 74.2 commissioner of veterans affairs to design the
 74.3 remaining cemeteries. Following completion
 74.4 of ~~all~~ design of the legislatively authorized
 74.5 Minnesota state veterans cemeteries in
 74.6 Redwood, St. Louis, and Fillmore Counties,
 74.7 final federal reimbursement of predesign and
 74.8 design costs is appropriated to the
 74.9 commissioner for asset preservation of
 74.10 veterans homes statewide, to be spent in
 74.11 accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section
 74.12 16B.307. Federal reimbursement may be
 74.13 sought for each cemetery and must be spent
 74.14 to acquire land for, to predesign and design
 74.15 additional cemeteries, or for asset preservation
 74.16 as provided in this subdivision.
 74.17 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section
 74.18 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and
 74.19 appropriation of bond proceeds for this project
 74.20 are available until December 31, 2022.

74.21 Sec. 24. Laws 2014, chapter 294, article 1, section 5, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

74.22 Subd. 3. **New Residence Hall** 10,654,000

74.23 To complete the design of and perform
 74.24 asbestos and hazardous materials abatement
 74.25 and demolition of Frechette Hall and to design,
 74.26 construct, furnish, and equip a new ~~boys'~~
 74.27 dormitory on the Minnesota State Academy
 74.28 for the Deaf campus. The unspent portion of
 74.29 this appropriation after the project has been
 74.30 substantially completed, upon written notice
 74.31 to the commissioner of management and
 74.32 budget, is available for asset preservation
 74.33 under Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.
 74.34 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, applies

75.1 from the date of the original appropriation to
75.2 the unspent amount transferred.

75.3 Sec. 25. Laws 2014, chapter 294, article 1, section 7, subdivision 15, as amended by Laws
75.4 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 2, section 27, is amended to read:

75.5 **Subd. 15. Grant County Trail Grant** 100,000

75.6 For a grant to Grant County for predesign;
75.7 ~~acquisition, or improvements~~ and design for
75.8 a trail from the city of Elbow Lake to Pomme
75.9 de Terre Lake. The commissioner of natural
75.10 resources may allocate any amount not needed
75.11 to complete this project to state trail
75.12 acquisition and improvements under
75.13 Minnesota Statutes, section 85.015. This
75.14 appropriation is available when the
75.15 commissioner of management and budget
75.16 determines that sufficient resources have been
75.17 committed to complete the project, as required
75.18 by Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.502.
75.19 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section
75.20 16A.642, the bond sale authorization and
75.21 appropriation of bond proceeds for this project
75.22 are available until June 30, 2021.

75.23 Sec. 26. Laws 2014, chapter 294, article 1, section 21, subdivision 12, as amended by
75.24 Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 5, article 3, section 19, and Laws 2017, First
75.25 Special Session chapter 8, article 2, section 30, is amended to read:

75.26 **Subd. 12. Minneapolis - Brian Coyle Community**
75.27 **Center** 330,000

75.28 (a) For a grant to the Minneapolis Park and
75.29 Recreation Board to predesign and design the
75.30 renovation and expansion of the Brian Coyle
75.31 Community Center, subject to Minnesota
75.32 Statutes, section 16A.695. This appropriation
75.33 does not require a local match.

76.1 (b) The Minneapolis Park and Recreation
 76.2 Board, the Pillsbury United Communities,
 76.3 Hennepin County, institutions of higher
 76.4 education, and neighborhood organizations
 76.5 shall develop an agreement for the use of the
 76.6 existing Brian Coyle Community Center. The
 76.7 lease between the Minneapolis Park and
 76.8 Recreation Board and Pillsbury United
 76.9 Communities shall be reformed prior to the
 76.10 expenditure of any funds for predesign and
 76.11 design.

76.12 (c) The appropriation under this subdivision
 76.13 may also be used toward the renovation and
 76.14 expansion of the Brian Coyle Community
 76.15 Center.

76.16 (d) Notwithstanding any limitation in
 76.17 paragraphs (a) to (c), the appropriation under
 76.18 this subdivision may be used by the
 76.19 Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board for
 76.20 capital costs of any recreation project or
 76.21 facility in the Cedar Riverside neighborhood.

76.22 (e) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes,
 76.23 section 16A.642, the bond sale authorization
 76.24 and appropriation of bond proceeds for the
 76.25 project in this subdivision are available until
 76.26 December 31, 2020.

76.27 Sec. 27. Laws 2014, chapter 294, article 1, section 22, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

76.28 Subd. 5. **City of Rice Lake ~~Township~~ - Water**
 76.29 **Main Replacement**

1,168,000

76.30 For a grant to the city of Rice Lake ~~Township~~
 76.31 in ~~St. Louis County~~ to design and construct a
 76.32 replacement water main and related public
 76.33 infrastructure on East Calvary Road and
 76.34 Kolstad, Austin, Milwaukee, Mather, and

77.1 Chicago Avenues in the city of Rice Lake
 77.2 ~~Township~~. This appropriation is not available
 77.3 until the commissioner of management and
 77.4 budget determines that at least an equal
 77.5 amount is committed to the project from
 77.6 nonstate sources. This appropriation is
 77.7 available until December 31, 2020.

77.8 Sec. 28. Laws 2014, chapter 295, section 9, is amended to read:

77.9 **Sec. 9. CORRECTIONS** **\$ 18,000,000**

77.10 To the commissioner of administration to
 77.11 design, construct, furnish, and equip phase
 77.12 one of a new health services unit, a new
 77.13 service corridor and security station leading
 77.14 to the unit, and a mechanical building to serve
 77.15 the new health unit and associated utility
 77.16 infrastructure systems and site work; and to
 77.17 design phase two consisting of new intake,
 77.18 warehouse, and loading dock buildings
 77.19 associated utility infrastructure systems and
 77.20 sitework and all associated repurposing,
 77.21 including asbestos and hazardous materials
 77.22 abatement of interior spaces that were formally
 77.23 used for the occupancies being moved to the
 77.24 new phase one and two buildings at the
 77.25 Minnesota Correctional Facility in St. Cloud.
 77.26 Any unspent portion of this appropriation not
 77.27 needed to complete this work, upon written
 77.28 notice to the commissioner of management
 77.29 and budget, may be used for the purposes
 77.30 described in Laws 2017, First Special Session
 77.31 chapter 8, article 1, section 19, subdivision 3,
 77.32 as amended in section 38, and notwithstanding
 77.33 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, is
 77.34 available until December 31, 2020.

78.1 Sec. 29. Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 5, article 1, section 10, subdivision 3,
 78.2 as amended by Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 2, section 31, is amended
 78.3 to read:

78.4 **Subd. 3. Local Road Improvement Fund Grants** 8,910,000

78.5 (a) From the bond proceeds account in the
 78.6 state transportation fund as provided in
 78.7 Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for
 78.8 construction and reconstruction of local roads
 78.9 with statewide or regional significance under
 78.10 Minnesota Statutes, section 174.52,
 78.11 subdivision 4, or for grants to counties to assist
 78.12 in paying the costs of rural road safety capital
 78.13 improvement projects on county state-aid
 78.14 highways under Minnesota Statutes, section
 78.15 174.52, subdivision 4a.

78.16 (b) This appropriation includes \$850,000 for
 78.17 a grant to the city of Sandstone for predesign,
 78.18 design, engineering, and construction of a road
 78.19 extending south off of marked Trunk Highway
 78.20 23 across from Lundorff Drive to the airport
 78.21 area, and including a bridge over Skunk Creek
 78.22 in Sandstone, in order to facilitate repurposing
 78.23 of an area of the airport into a business park.
 78.24 This appropriation is not available until the
 78.25 commissioner of management and budget
 78.26 determines that sufficient resources to
 78.27 complete the project are committed to it from
 78.28 other sources, including any funds made
 78.29 available from the commissioner of
 78.30 transportation.

78.31 (c) This appropriation includes \$3,770,000 for
 78.32 a grant to Kandiyohi County for predesign,
 78.33 design, right-of-way acquisition, engineering,
 78.34 construction, and reconstruction of local roads
 78.35 in conjunction with the Willmar Wye project

79.1 as well as to ~~re-establish~~ reestablish the local
 79.2 road network on the southwest side of
 79.3 Willmar.

79.4 Sec. 30. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 2, subdivision 2, is
 79.5 amended to read:

79.6 **Subd. 2. Multimodal Systems**

79.7 **(a) Aeronautics**

79.8 **(1) Airport Development and Assistance** 26,001,000 16,598,000

79.9 This appropriation is from the state airports
 79.10 fund and must be spent according to
 79.11 Minnesota Statutes, section 360.305,
 79.12 subdivision 4.

79.13 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section
 79.14 16A.28, subdivision 6, this appropriation is
 79.15 available for five years after the year of the
 79.16 appropriation. If the appropriation for either
 79.17 year is insufficient, the appropriation for the
 79.18 other year is available for it.

79.19 \$6,619,000 in the first year is for a grant to
 79.20 the Duluth Airport Authority for
 79.21 improvements at the Duluth International
 79.22 Airport and the Sky Harbor Airport in
 79.23 accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section
 79.24 360.017. For the purposes of this
 79.25 appropriation, the commissioner may waive
 79.26 the requirements of Minnesota Statutes,
 79.27 section 360.305, subdivision 4, paragraph (b).

79.28 This appropriation may be used to reimburse
 79.29 the Authority for costs incurred after March
 79.30 1, 2015. This is a onetime appropriation.

79.31 \$2,334,000 in the first year is for a grant to
 79.32 the city of Rochester for improvements to the
 79.33 passenger terminal building at the Rochester

80.1 International Airport in accordance with
80.2 Minnesota Statutes, section 360.017. For the
80.3 purposes of this appropriation, the
80.4 commissioner of transportation may waive the
80.5 requirements of Minnesota Statutes, section
80.6 360.305, subdivision 4, paragraph (b). This
80.7 appropriation may be used to reimburse the
80.8 city for costs incurred after May 1, 2016. This
80.9 is a onetime appropriation.

80.10 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section
80.11 360.017, \$250,000 in the first year is for a
80.12 grant to the city of St. Cloud for an air
80.13 transport optimization planning study for the
80.14 St. Cloud Regional Airport. The study must
80.15 be comprehensive and market-based, using
80.16 economic development and air service
80.17 expertise to research, analyze, and develop
80.18 models and strategies that maximize the return
80.19 on investments made to enhance the use and
80.20 impact of the St. Cloud Regional Airport. By
80.21 January 5, 2018, the city of St. Cloud shall
80.22 submit a report to the governor and the
80.23 members and staff of the legislative
80.24 committees with jurisdiction over capital
80.25 investment, transportation, and economic
80.26 development with recommendations based on
80.27 the findings of the study. This is a onetime
80.28 appropriation.

80.29 If the commissioner of transportation
80.30 determines that a balance remains in the state
80.31 airports fund following the appropriations
80.32 made in this article and that the appropriations
80.33 made are insufficient for advancing airport
80.34 development and assistance projects, an
80.35 amount necessary to advance the projects, not

81.1 to exceed the balance in the state airports fund,
 81.2 is appropriated in each year to the
 81.3 commissioner and must be spent according to
 81.4 Minnesota Statutes, section 360.305,
 81.5 subdivision 4. Within two weeks of a
 81.6 determination under this contingent
 81.7 appropriation, the commissioner of
 81.8 transportation must notify the commissioner
 81.9 of management and budget and the chairs,
 81.10 ranking minority members, and staff of the
 81.11 legislative committees with jurisdiction over
 81.12 transportation finance concerning the funds
 81.13 appropriated. Funds appropriated under this
 81.14 contingent appropriation do not adjust the base
 81.15 for fiscal years 2020 and 2021.

81.16 The base is \$15,298,000 in each of fiscal years
 81.17 2020 and 2021.

81.18 **(2) Aviation Support and Services** 6,710,000 6,854,000

81.19	Appropriations by Fund		
81.20		2018	2019
81.21	Airports	5,231,000	5,231,000
81.22	Trunk Highway	1,479,000	1,623,000

81.23 **(3) Civil Air Patrol** 3,580,000 80,000

81.24 This appropriation is from the state airports
 81.25 fund for the Civil Air Patrol.

81.26 \$3,500,000 in the first year is for a grant to:
 81.27 (i) perform site selection and analysis; (ii)
 81.28 purchase, renovate a portion of and, or
 81.29 construct an addition to the training and
 81.30 maintenance facility located at the South St.
 81.31 Paul airport, facilities; and to (iii) furnish and
 81.32 equip the facility facilities, including
 81.33 communications equipment. If the Civil Air
 81.34 Patrol purchases an existing facility, predesign
 81.35 requirements are waived. The facilities must

82.1 be located at an airport in Minnesota.
 82.2 Notwithstanding the matching requirements
 82.3 in Minnesota Statutes, section 360.305,
 82.4 subdivision 4, a nonstate contribution is not
 82.5 required for this appropriation.

82.6 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section
 82.7 16A.28, subdivision 6, this appropriation is
 82.8 available for ~~five~~ six years after the year of
 82.9 the appropriation. This is a onetime
 82.10 appropriation.

82.11 **(b) Transit** 1,416,000 18,268,000

82.12	Appropriations by Fund		
82.13		2018	2019
82.14	General	570,000	17,395,000
82.15	Trunk Highway	846,000	873,000

82.16 \$150,000 in each year is from the general fund
 82.17 for grants to transportation management
 82.18 organizations that provide services exclusively
 82.19 or primarily in the city located along the
 82.20 marked Interstate Highway 494 corridor
 82.21 having the highest population as of the
 82.22 effective date of this section. The
 82.23 commissioner must not retain any portion of
 82.24 the funds appropriated under this section.
 82.25 From the appropriation in each fiscal year, the
 82.26 commissioner must make grant payments in
 82.27 full by July 31. Permissible uses of funds
 82.28 under this grant include administrative
 82.29 expenses and programming and service
 82.30 expansion, including but not limited to
 82.31 staffing, communications, outreach and
 82.32 education program development, and
 82.33 operations management. This is a onetime
 82.34 appropriation.

83.1 The base from the general fund is \$17,245,000
83.2 in each year for fiscal years 2020 and 2021.

83.3 **(c) Safe Routes to School** 500,000 500,000

83.4 This appropriation is from the general fund
83.5 for the safe routes to school program under
83.6 Minnesota Statutes, section 174.40.

83.7 **(d) Passenger Rail** 500,000 500,000

83.8 This appropriation is from the general fund
83.9 for passenger rail system planning, alternatives
83.10 analysis, environmental analysis, design, and
83.11 preliminary engineering under Minnesota
83.12 Statutes, sections 174.632 to 174.636.

83.13 **(e) Freight**

83.14 **Freight and Commercial Vehicle Operations** 8,506,000 6,578,000

83.15 Appropriations by Fund

83.16		2018	2019
83.17	General	3,156,000	1,056,000
83.18	Trunk Highway	5,350,000	5,522,000

83.19 \$1,100,000 in the first year is from the general
83.20 fund for port development assistance grants
83.21 under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 457A, to
83.22 the city of Red Wing and to the Port Authority
83.23 of Winona. Any improvements made with the
83.24 proceeds of the grants must be publicly owned.

83.25 This is a onetime appropriation and is
83.26 available in the second year.

83.27 \$800,000 in each year is from the general fund
83.28 for additional rail safety and rail service
83.29 activities.

83.30 \$1,000,000 in the first year is from the general
83.31 fund for a grant to the city of Grand Rapids to
83.32 fund rail planning studies, design, and
83.33 preliminary engineering relating to the
83.34 construction of a freight rail line located in the

84.1 counties of Itasca, St. Louis, and Lake to serve
 84.2 local producers and shippers. The city of
 84.3 Grand Rapids shall collaborate with the Itasca
 84.4 Economic Development Corporation and the
 84.5 Itasca County Regional Railroad Authority in
 84.6 the activities funded with the proceeds of this
 84.7 grant. This is a onetime appropriation and is
 84.8 available until June 30, 2019.

84.9 Sec. 31. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 2, subdivision 3, is
 84.10 amended to read:

84.11 **Subd. 3. State Roads**

84.12	(a) Operations and Maintenance	340,475,000	329,435,000
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84.13 The base is \$317,102,000 in fiscal year 2020
 84.14 and \$310,889,000 in fiscal year 2021.

84.15 **(b) Program Planning and Delivery**

84.16	(1) Planning and Research	34,107,000	32,403,000
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84.17 If a balance remains of this appropriation, the
 84.18 commissioner may transfer up to that amount
 84.19 for program delivery under clause (2).

84.20 Up to \$600,000 in the first year is for the
 84.21 highway construction costs and cost inflation
 84.22 study under article 3, section 133. This is a
 84.23 onetime appropriation.

84.24 \$130,000 in each year is available for
 84.25 administrative costs of the targeted group
 84.26 business program.

84.27 \$266,000 in each year is available for grants
 84.28 to metropolitan planning organizations outside
 84.29 the seven-county metropolitan area.

84.30 \$900,000 in each year is available for grants
 84.31 for transportation studies outside the
 84.32 metropolitan area to identify critical concerns,

85.1 problems, and issues. These grants are
85.2 available:

85.3 (1) to regional development commissions;
85.4 (2) in regions where no regional development
85.5 commission is functioning, to joint powers
85.6 boards established under agreement of two or
85.7 more political subdivisions in the region to
85.8 exercise the planning functions of a regional
85.9 development commission; and
85.10 (3) in regions where no regional development
85.11 commission or joint powers board is
85.12 functioning, to the Department of
85.13 Transportation district office for that region.

85.14 The base is \$31,375,000 in fiscal year 2020
85.15 and \$30,858,000 in fiscal year 2021.

85.16	(2) Program Delivery	229,148,000	222,845,000
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85.17 This appropriation includes use of consultants
85.18 to support development and management of
85.19 projects.

85.20 Up to \$140,000 in the first year is for
85.21 development, implementation, and reporting
85.22 on project selection policy under article 3,
85.23 section 124. This is a onetime appropriation.

85.24 \$1,000,000 in each year is available for
85.25 management of contaminated and regulated
85.26 material on property owned by the Department
85.27 of Transportation, including mitigation of
85.28 property conveyances, facility acquisition or
85.29 expansion, chemical release at maintenance
85.30 facilities, and spills on the trunk highway
85.31 system where there is no known responsible
85.32 party. If the appropriation for either year is
85.33 insufficient, the appropriation for the other
85.34 year is available for it.

86.1 The base is \$214,623,000 in fiscal year 2020
86.2 and \$210,481,000 in fiscal year 2021.

86.3 **(c) State Road Construction** 1,003,010,000 884,101,000

86.4 This appropriation is for the actual
86.5 construction, reconstruction, and improvement
86.6 of trunk highways, including design-build
86.7 contracts, internal department costs associated
86.8 with delivering the construction program,
86.9 consultant usage to support these activities,
86.10 and the cost of actual payments to landowners
86.11 for lands acquired for highway rights-of-way,
86.12 payment to lessees, interest subsidies, and
86.13 relocation expenses.

86.14 This appropriation includes federal highway
86.15 aid.

86.16 The commissioner may expend up to one-half
86.17 of one percent of the federal appropriations
86.18 under this paragraph as grants to opportunity
86.19 industrialization centers and other nonprofit
86.20 job training centers for job training programs
86.21 related to highway construction.

86.22 The commissioner may transfer up to
86.23 \$15,000,000 each year to the transportation
86.24 revolving loan fund.

86.25 The commissioner may receive money
86.26 covering other shares of the cost of partnership
86.27 projects. These receipts are appropriated to
86.28 the commissioner for these projects.

86.29 The base is \$864,295,000 in fiscal year 2020
86.30 and \$849,282,000 in fiscal year 2021.

86.31 **(d) Corridors of Commerce** 25,000,000 25,000,000

87.1 This appropriation is for the corridors of
 87.2 commerce program under Minnesota Statutes,
 87.3 section 161.088.

87.4 The commissioner may use up to 17 percent
 87.5 of the amount each year for program delivery.

87.6			<u>242,325,000</u>
87.7	(e) Highway Debt Service	224,079,000	<u>242,475,000</u>

87.8 \$214,579,000 in fiscal year 2018 and
 87.9 ~~\$232,825,000~~ \$232,975,000 in fiscal year
 87.10 2019 are for transfer to the state bond fund. If
 87.11 this appropriation is insufficient to make all
 87.12 transfers required in the year for which it is
 87.13 made, the commissioner of management and
 87.14 budget must transfer the deficiency amount
 87.15 under the statutory open appropriation and
 87.16 notify the chairs, ranking minority members,
 87.17 and staff of the legislative committees with
 87.18 jurisdiction over transportation finance and
 87.19 the chairs of the senate Finance Committee
 87.20 and the house of representatives Ways and
 87.21 Means Committee of the amount of the
 87.22 deficiency. Any excess appropriation cancels
 87.23 to the trunk highway fund.

87.24	(f) Statewide Radio Communications	5,648,000	5,829,000
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87.25	Appropriations by Fund		
87.26		2018	2019
87.27	General	3,000	3,000
87.28	Trunk Highway	5,645,000	5,826,000

87.29 \$3,000 in each year is from the general fund
 87.30 to equip and operate the Roosevelt signal
 87.31 tower for Lake of the Woods weather
 87.32 broadcasting.

88.1 Sec. 32. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 6, subdivision 6, is
88.2 amended to read:

88.3 **Subd. 6. State Trail, Recreation Area, and Park** ~~18,698,000~~
88.4 **Acquisition and Development** 18,048,000

88.5 (a) \$2,590,000 is for the Glacial Lakes Trail,
88.6 to complete an approximately 6-1/4 mile trail
88.7 connection between New London and Sibley
88.8 State Park, and repair of the bicycle trail in
88.9 Sibley State Park.

88.10 (b) \$3,300,000 is to design, develop, and
88.11 complete the Heartland State Trail from
88.12 Detroit Lakes to Frazee and, to the extent there
88.13 is sufficient money, for work on the spur from
88.14 Park Rapids to Itasca State Park.

88.15 (c) \$3,600,000 is for acquisition and
88.16 development in the Cuyuna Country State
88.17 Recreation Area, including the Cuyuna
88.18 Mountain Bike System.

88.19 (d) \$1,600,000 is to construct, furnish, and
88.20 equip a multiuse state trail connection between
88.21 the city of Little Falls and the Soo Line Trails
88.22 as part of the Camp Ripley/Veterans State
88.23 Trail in Morrison County. The trail connection
88.24 may include separated segments to
88.25 accommodate recreational vehicles separately
88.26 from nonmotorized vehicles and pedestrians.

88.27 (e) \$3,500,000 is for continued development
88.28 of Lake Vermilion-Soudan Underground Mine
88.29 State Park recreational facilities.

88.30 (f) \$328,000 is for design and acquisition of
88.31 the Mill Towns State Trail from Faribault to
88.32 Northfield.

88.33 (g) \$3,130,000 is for acquisition and
88.34 development of the Gitchi-Gami State Trail,

89.1 from Grand Marais to Cascade State Park, and
89.2 through the town of Tofte.

89.3 (h) The commissioner may allocate money
89.4 not needed to complete a project listed in this
89.5 subdivision to another project listed in this
89.6 subdivision that needs additional money to be
89.7 completed. For any project listed in this
89.8 subdivision that the commissioner determines
89.9 is not ready to proceed, the commissioner may
89.10 reallocate that project's money to another
89.11 project described in this subdivision or other
89.12 state trail, recreation area, or park
89.13 infrastructure. The chairs of the house of
89.14 representatives and senate committees with
89.15 jurisdiction over environment and natural
89.16 resources and legislators from the affected
89.17 legislative districts must be notified of any
89.18 changes.

89.19 Sec. 33. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 15, subdivision 3,
89.20 is amended to read:

89.21 **Subd. 3. Local Road Improvement Fund Grants** 115,932,000

89.22 (a) From the bond proceeds account in the
89.23 state transportation fund as provided in
89.24 Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for trunk
89.25 highway corridor projects under Minnesota
89.26 Statutes, section 174.52, subdivision 2, for
89.27 construction and reconstruction of local roads
89.28 with statewide or regional significance under
89.29 Minnesota Statutes, section 174.52,
89.30 subdivision 4, or for grants to counties to assist
89.31 in paying the costs of rural road safety capital
89.32 improvement projects on county state-aid
89.33 highways under Minnesota Statutes, section
89.34 174.52, subdivision 4a.

90.1 (b) Of this amount, \$9,000,000 is for a grant
90.2 to Anoka County to ~~realign and make~~
90.3 ~~associated improvements to~~ design, acquire
90.4 land for, engineer, and construct improvements
90.5 to, including the realignment of County
90.6 State-Aid Highway 23 (Lake Drive), County
90.7 State-Aid Highway 54 (West Freeway Drive),
90.8 and to Hornsby Street in the city of Columbus
90.9 to support the overall interchange project.

90.10 (c) Of this amount, \$3,246,000 is for a grant
90.11 to the city of Blaine to predesign, design, and
90.12 reconstruct 105th Avenue in the vicinity of
90.13 the National Sports Center in Blaine. The
90.14 reconstruction will include changing the street
90.15 from five lanes to four lanes with median, turn
90.16 lanes, sidewalk, trail, landscaping, lighting,
90.17 and consolidation of access driveways. This
90.18 appropriation is not available until the
90.19 commissioner of management and budget
90.20 determines that at least \$3,000,000 is
90.21 committed to the project from sources
90.22 available to the city, including municipal state
90.23 aid and county turnback funds.

90.24 (d) Of this amount, \$25,000,000 is for a grant
90.25 to Hennepin County, the city of Minneapolis,
90.26 or both, for design, right-of-way acquisition,
90.27 engineering, and construction of public
90.28 improvements related to the Interstate
90.29 Highway 35W and Lake Street access project
90.30 and related improvements within the Interstate
90.31 Highway 35W corridor, notwithstanding any
90.32 provision of Minnesota Statutes, section
90.33 174.52, or rule to the contrary. This
90.34 appropriation is not available until the
90.35 commissioner of management and budget

91.1 determines that an amount sufficient to
91.2 complete this portion of the Interstate
91.3 Highway 35W and Lake Street access project
91.4 has been committed to this portion of the
91.5 project.

91.6 (e) Of this amount, \$10,500,000 is for a grant
91.7 to Carver County for environmental analysis
91.8 and to acquire right-of-way access, predesign,
91.9 design, engineer, and construct an interchange
91.10 at marked Trunk Highway 212 and Carver
91.11 County Road 44 in the city of Chaska,
91.12 including a new bridge and ramps, to support
91.13 the development of approximately 400 acres
91.14 of property in the city of Chaska's
91.15 comprehensive plan.

91.16 (f) Of this amount, \$700,000 is for a grant to
91.17 Redwood County for improvements to Nobles
91.18 Avenue, including paving, as the main access
91.19 road to a new State Veterans Cemetery to be
91.20 located in Paxton Township.

91.21 (g) Of this amount, \$1,000,000 is for a grant
91.22 to the town of Appleton in Swift County for
91.23 upgrades to an existing township road to
91.24 provide for a paved, ten-ton capacity township
91.25 road extending between marked Trunk
91.26 Highways 7 and 119.

91.27 (h) Of this amount, \$20,500,000 is for a grant
91.28 to Ramsey County for preliminary and final
91.29 design, right-of-way acquisition, engineering,
91.30 contract administration, and construction of
91.31 public improvements related to the
91.32 construction of the interchange of marked
91.33 Interstate Highway 694 and Rice Street,
91.34 Ramsey County State-Aid Highway 49, in
91.35 Ramsey County.

92.1 (i) Of this amount, \$11,300,000 is for a grant
92.2 to Hennepin County for preliminary and final
92.3 design, engineering, environmental analysis,
92.4 right-of-way acquisition, construction, and
92.5 reconstruction of local roads related to the (1)
92.6 realignment at the intersections of marked U.S.
92.7 Highway 12 with Hennepin County State-Aid
92.8 Highway 92; (2) realignment and safety
92.9 improvements at the intersection of marked
92.10 U.S. Highway 12 with Hennepin County
92.11 State-Aid Highway 90; and (3) safety median
92.12 improvements from the interchange with
92.13 Wayzata Boulevard in Wayzata to
92.14 approximately one-half mile east of the
92.15 interchange of marked U.S. Highway 12 with
92.16 Hennepin County State-Aid Highway 6.

92.17 (j) Of this amount, \$1,000,000 is for a grant
92.18 to the city of Inver Grove Heights for
92.19 preliminary design, design, engineering, and
92.20 reconstruction of Broderick Boulevard
92.21 between 80th Street and Concord Boulevard
92.22 abutting Trunk Highway 52 and Inver Hills
92.23 Community College in Inver Grove Heights.
92.24 The project includes replacement or renovation
92.25 of public infrastructure, including water lines,
92.26 sanitary sewers, storm water sewers, and other
92.27 public utilities. This appropriation does not
92.28 require a nonstate contribution.

92.29 (k) Of this amount, \$2,350,000 is for a grant
92.30 to McLeod County to acquire land or interests
92.31 in land and to design and construct a new
92.32 urban street extension of County State-Aid
92.33 Highway (CSAH) 15, including railroad
92.34 crossing, storm water, and drainage
92.35 improvements.

93.1 (l) Of this amount, \$6,000,000 is for a grant
 93.2 to the city of Baxter for 50 percent of total
 93.3 project cost for the acquisition of land or
 93.4 interests in land, environmental analysis and
 93.5 environmental cleanup, predesign, design,
 93.6 engineering, and construction of improvements
 93.7 to Cypress Drive, including expansion to a
 93.8 four-lane divided urban roadway, between
 93.9 Excelsior Road and College Road.

93.10 Sec. 34. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 15, subdivision 11,
 93.11 is amended to read:

93.12 Subd. 11. **Grand Rapids - Pedestrian Bridge** 750,000

93.13 For a grant to the city of Grand Rapids to
 93.14 ~~design the construction of~~ and construct a
 93.15 bridge over the Mississippi River for
 93.16 pedestrian and bicycle use to provide a safe
 93.17 alternative route to the existing marked Trunk
 93.18 Highway 169 vehicle bridge, and to serve as
 93.19 a connection to existing trail systems on each
 93.20 side of the river. This appropriation is not
 93.21 available until the commissioner determines
 93.22 that at least an equal amount has been
 93.23 committed to the project from nonstate
 93.24 sources.

93.25 Sec. 35. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 15, subdivision 13,
 93.26 is amended to read:

93.27 Subd. 13. **Eden Prairie - Rail Grade Crossings** 1,400,000

93.28 For a grant to the city of Eden Prairie to (1)
 93.29 design, construct, and equip new passive and
 93.30 active rail grade crossing ~~warning~~ safety
 93.31 devices, including associated road and
 93.32 pathway improvements, at existing and
 93.33 proposed highway-rail grade crossings; and

94.1 pathway-rail grade crossings; or (2) replace
 94.2 existing highway-rail grade crossings. Upon
 94.3 request by the city of Eden Prairie, the
 94.4 commissioner of transportation must provide
 94.5 reasonable technical assistance regarding
 94.6 highway-rail grade crossing project
 94.7 development and the establishment of rail
 94.8 quiet zones.

94.9 Sec. 36. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 16, subdivision 7,
 94.10 is amended to read:

94.11 **Subd. 7. White Bear Lake Multiuse Trails** 255,000

94.12 To develop a multiuse pedestrian and bicycle
 94.13 path around White Bear Lake. Of this amount,
 94.14 ~~\$130,000~~ \$141,000 is for a grant to the city of
 94.15 White Bear Lake to construct, furnish, and
 94.16 equip a multiuse trail for pedestrians and
 94.17 bicycles on Old White Bear Avenue between
 94.18 Lion's Park and South Shore Boulevard/Hazel
 94.19 and for engineering for a multiuse trail for
 94.20 pedestrians and bicycles in proximity to
 94.21 Highway 96 from Pacific Avenue to the
 94.22 western border of the town of White Bear;
 94.23 \$11,000 is for a grant to the town of White
 94.24 Bear for engineering for a multiuse trail for
 94.25 pedestrians and bicycles in proximity to
 94.26 Highway 96 in the town of White Bear;
 94.27 \$38,000 is for grants to the cities of
 94.28 Mahtomedi and Dellwood for preliminary
 94.29 engineering of a multiuse trail for pedestrians
 94.30 and bicycles near White Bear Lake in the cities
 94.31 of Mahtomedi and Dellwood to be located
 94.32 within the right-of-way to marked Trunk
 94.33 Highway 244; \$15,000 is for a grant to the
 94.34 city of Mahtomedi for preliminary engineering
 94.35 for a multiuse trail for pedestrians and bicycles

95.1 near White Bear Lake within the right-of-way
 95.2 to Birchwood Road in the city of Mahtomedi
 95.3 and Hall Avenue in the city of Birchwood;
 95.4 and \$50,000 is for a grant to Ramsey County
 95.5 for preliminary engineering of a multiuse trail
 95.6 for pedestrians and bicycles to South Shore
 95.7 Boulevard between White Bear Avenue and
 95.8 Trunk Highway 120.

95.9 Sec. 37. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 17, subdivision 9,
 95.10 is amended to read:

95.11 **Subd. 9. Minneapolis - The Family Partnership** 1,600,000

95.12 From the general fund to the commissioner of
 95.13 human services for a grant to the Family
 95.14 Partnership in Minneapolis to predesign and
 95.15 design a facility to provide mental health, early
 95.16 childhood education, and other services to
 95.17 support children and families. ~~This~~
 95.18 ~~appropriation is not available until at least an~~
 95.19 ~~equal amount of money is committed from~~
 95.20 ~~nonstate sources. A nonstate contribution is~~
 95.21 not required. Any unspent portion of this
 95.22 appropriation remaining after predesign and
 95.23 design are completed, upon written notice to
 95.24 the commissioner of management and budget,
 95.25 is available for the purposes of article 1,
 95.26 section 18, subdivision 6.

95.27 Sec. 38. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 19, subdivision 3,
 95.28 is amended to read:

95.29 **Subd. 3. Minnesota Correctional Facility - St.**
 95.30 **Cloud** 19,000,000

95.31 ~~To construct and equip a new intake unit and~~
 95.32 ~~a loading dock with a secure connection to a~~
 95.33 ~~new central warehouse at the St. Cloud~~
 95.34 ~~correctional facility. To design and complete~~

96.1 hazardous materials abatement, site
 96.2 improvements, and utility infrastructure work,
 96.3 to rent and set up temporary laundry facilities,
 96.4 and to renovate, construct, furnish, and equip
 96.5 the second phase of the two-phase project
 96.6 including building additions, infill of an
 96.7 interior courtyard, and renovation of existing
 96.8 areas to provide improved laundry, property,
 96.9 intake, vehicle sally port, storage, and loading
 96.10 dock areas and security at the St. Cloud
 96.11 correctional facility.

96.12 The unspent amount of this appropriation after
 96.13 the projects described in this subdivision are
 96.14 completed may, upon written notice to the
 96.15 commissioner of management and budget, be
 96.16 used for asset preservation under Minnesota
 96.17 Statutes, section 16B.307, at Minnesota
 96.18 Correctional Facility – St. Cloud.

96.19 Sec. 39. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 20, subdivision 9,
 96.20 is amended to read:

96.21 **Subd. 9. Eagle's Healing Nest** 500,000

96.22 From the general fund for a grant to Eagle's
 96.23 Healing Nest in Sauk Centre and Anoka.

96.24 Sec. 40. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 20, subdivision 21,
 96.25 is amended to read:

96.26 **Subd. 21. St. Paul - Minnesota Museum of**
 96.27 **American Art** 6,000,000

96.28 For a grant to the St. Paul Port Authority to
 96.29 acquire, design, construct, furnish, and equip
 96.30 new museum galleries and an art study facility
 96.31 for the Minnesota Museum of American Art.
 96.32 This facility provides space to celebrate the
 96.33 legacy of Minnesota art and artists and is part

97.1 of the restoration of the historic Pioneer
97.2 Endicott Building, and a part of a multiphase
97.3 project, of which only the museum galleries
97.4 and art study facility constructed with this
97.5 appropriation shall be state bond financed
97.6 property subject to Minnesota Statutes, section
97.7 16A.695. This appropriation is not available
97.8 until the commissioner of management and
97.9 budget has determined that:

97.10 (1) at least an amount equal to this
97.11 appropriation has been committed or
97.12 previously expended for design, construction,
97.13 and furnishing of the adjacent Minnesota
97.14 Museum of American Art Center for
97.15 Creativity facilities, which are not subject to
97.16 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695, with
97.17 funds from nonstate sources; and

97.18 (2) sufficient other state and nonstate funds
97.19 are available, if funds beyond this
97.20 appropriation are required, to complete the
97.21 museum galleries and art study facility.

97.22 Funds invested in the Minnesota Museum of
97.23 American Art Center for Creativity facilities
97.24 by an investor receiving an assignment of state
97.25 historic tax credits as provided in Minnesota
97.26 Statutes, section 290.0681, are nonstate funds
97.27 for purposes of this requirement. Only
97.28 expenditures made after January 1, 2012, shall
97.29 qualify for the required match. Due to the
97.30 integrated nature of the overall development,
97.31 public bidding shall not be required.

98.1 Sec. 41. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 21, subdivision 8,
98.2 is amended to read:

98.3 **Subd. 8. Dennison - Sewage Treatment System**
98.4 **Improvements** 726,000

98.5 For a grant to the city of Dennison to
98.6 predesign, design, and construct a new lift
98.7 station and ~~make~~ sewage pond improvements,
98.8 and to acquire and install electrical
98.9 infrastructure improvements to provide
98.10 electrical power to the sewer ponds. This
98.11 appropriation does not require a nonstate
98.12 contribution.

98.13 Sec. 42. Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, section 23, subdivision 3,
98.14 is amended to read:

98.15 **Subd. 3. Historic Fort Snelling** 4,000,000

98.16 To design facilities to support visitor services
98.17 and history programs at Historic Fort Snelling.
98.18 Upon completion of design, the unspent
98.19 portion of this appropriation is available for
98.20 the next phase of the project, as provided in
98.21 article 1, section 24, subdivision 3.

98.22 Sec. 43. **CAPITOL ART EXHIBIT ADVISORY COMMITTEE; FIRST**
98.23 **APPOINTMENTS AND FIRST MEETING.**

98.24 (a) Appointing authorities for membership of the Capitol Art Exhibit Advisory Committee
98.25 under Minnesota Statutes, section 15B.36, shall make first appointments to the committee
98.26 by September 15, 2018. The commissioner of administration shall convene the first meeting
98.27 of the committee by November 1, 2018, and serves as chair until the committee elects a
98.28 chair from among its members at its first meeting.

98.29 (b) The following members are appointed to an initial term that ends January 5, 2021:
98.30 two members appointed by the governor; one member each appointed by the majority leader
98.31 of the senate, the minority leader of the senate, the speaker of the house, and the minority
98.32 leader of the house of representatives. The remaining members are appointed to terms that
98.33 end on January 3, 2023.

99.1 Sec. 44. **VETERANS HOMES CONSTRUCTION.**

99.2 Subdivision 1. Short title. This section may be cited as the "People's Veterans Homes
99.3 Act."

99.4 Subd. 2. Veterans homes established. (a) The commissioner of veterans affairs may
99.5 apply for federal funding and establish veterans homes with up to 72 beds per facility
99.6 available to provide a continuum of care, including skilled nursing care, for eligible veterans
99.7 and their spouses in the following locations:

99.8 (1) Preston;

99.9 (2) Montevideo; and

99.10 (3) Bemidji.

99.11 (b) The state shall provide the necessary operating costs for the veterans homes in excess
99.12 of any revenue and federal funding for the homes that may be required to continue the
99.13 operation of the homes and care for Minnesota veterans.

99.14 Subd. 3. Nonstate contribution. The commissioner of administration may accept
99.15 contributions of land or money from private individuals, businesses, local governments,
99.16 veterans service organizations, and other nonstate sources for the purpose of providing
99.17 matching funding when soliciting federal funding for the development of the homes
99.18 authorized by this section.

99.19 Sec. 45. **APPROPRIATION; ANALYZING COSTS AND RATEPAYER IMPACTS**
99.20 **OF WATER QUALITY REGULATIONS.**

99.21 (a) \$500,000 in fiscal year 2020 and \$500,000 in fiscal year 2021 are appropriated from
99.22 the general fund to the commissioner of administration for a grant to any higher education
99.23 institution to review water quality regulations and national pollutant discharge elimination
99.24 system permits. The grant is subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.98. The grantee
99.25 may select the water quality regulations and permits to be reviewed, but must give preference
99.26 to reviewing any draft NPDES permit that has new effluent limit requirements for a publicly
99.27 owned wastewater treatment facility outside the seven-county metropolitan area. Any permit
99.28 review must analyze the technical accuracy of the permit, the costs to the permittee to
99.29 comply with the permit, the impact on business and residential rates, the water quality
99.30 benefit of permit compliance, and the anticipated funding for the permittee from federal
99.31 and state sources. This appropriation is available until expended.

100.1 (b) Upon completion of the permit review, the grantee must provide a copy of the review
 100.2 to the permittee and the commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency. The grantee must
 100.3 also submit a report summarizing its findings in each permit review performed in the previous
 100.4 calendar year to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with
 100.5 jurisdiction over capital investment, environmental finance and policy, and job growth.

100.6 Sec. 46. **NOWTHEN; COMPREHENSIVE PLAN.**

100.7 Notwithstanding any law, metropolitan system plan, or the 2015 system statement for
 100.8 the city of Nowthen, the Metropolitan Council shall conform its metropolitan development
 100.9 guide, system plans, and the system statement for the city of Nowthen to implement any
 100.10 changes requested by the city of Nowthen relating to the council's designation of part or all
 100.11 of the city for purposes of the metropolitan development guide, systems plans and statements,
 100.12 and the city's comprehensive plan.

100.13 **EFFECTIVE DATE; APPLICATION.** This section is effective the day after the
 100.14 governing body of the city of Nowthen and its chief clerical officer timely complete their
 100.15 compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021, subdivisions 2 and 3. This section
 100.16 applies in the counties of Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott, and Washington.

100.17 Sec. 47. **RICE CREEK RAILROAD BRIDGE.**

100.18 (a) From the amount appropriated under article 1, section 16, the commissioner of
 100.19 transportation must provide the grant to Minnesota Commercial Railway Company to
 100.20 demolish the existing railroad bridge over Rice Creek in New Brighton and to predesign,
 100.21 design, acquire any needed right-of-way, engineer, construct, and equip a replacement
 100.22 railroad bridge to meet the needs of the railroad operators that use the bridge.

100.23 (b) The grant under this section is contingent on:

100.24 (1) review and approval of the railway company's design, engineering, and plans for the
 100.25 project by Ramsey County to ensure the project does not interfere with recreational use of
 100.26 adjacent park property and Rice Creek, and by the Rice Creek Watershed District to ensure
 100.27 that the project's impact on flows in the creek complies with the watershed district's adopted
 100.28 rules. These reviews and approvals are in addition to any other reviews, permits, or approvals
 100.29 required for the project;

100.30 (2) Minnesota Commercial Railway Company removing all structures related to the
 100.31 existing bridge, including any pilings, footings, or water control structures placed to protect
 100.32 the existing bridge structures, from the Rice Creek streambed as part of the demolition and

101.1 removal of the existing bridge, except to the extent prohibited by a permitting authority,
 101.2 including but not limited to the Department of Natural Resources and the United States
 101.3 Army Corps of Engineers. The replacement bridge and structures are the property of the
 101.4 owner of the railroad right-of-way and railroad operator, as may be arranged between them;
 101.5 and

101.6 (3) Minnesota Commercial Railway Company entering into an agreement with Ramsey
 101.7 County that: (i) grants the company access to both construct and perform ongoing
 101.8 maintenance on the bridge; and (ii) provides for repair of the county trail damaged by railway
 101.9 maintenance work that occurred in the two years before the effective date of this section,
 101.10 as well as immediately after construction and any subsequent maintenance activities.

101.11 (c) By entering into a grant agreement with the commissioner of transportation, Minnesota
 101.12 Commercial Railway Company agrees to cooperate with the city of New Brighton and
 101.13 Ramsey County to develop crossings and trails in or near to the railway right-of-way in the
 101.14 city.

101.15 Sec. 48. **STONE ARCH BRIDGE INTEGRITY PROTECTION.**

101.16 No state agency or political subdivision shall grant permission to or enter into any
 101.17 agreement with any person, corporation, or entity to allow or facilitate construction of any
 101.18 type under, near, or adjacent to the James J. Hill Stone Arch Bridge over the Mississippi
 101.19 River that may disturb the foundations or piers or that may adversely affect the structural
 101.20 integrity of the Stone Arch Bridge.

101.21 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day after final enactment and expires
 101.22 after completion of repair to the Stone Arch Bridge, as described in the capital budget request
 101.23 submitted by the commissioner of transportation, published by the commissioner of
 101.24 management and budget in January 2018.

101.25 Sec. 49. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

101.26 Except as otherwise provided, this article is effective the day following final enactment.

101.27 **ARTICLE 3**

101.28 **ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TRUST FUND APPROPRIATIONS**

101.29 Section 1. **APPROPRIATIONS.**

101.30 The sums shown in the columns marked "Appropriations" are appropriated to the agencies
 101.31 and for the purposes specified in this act. The appropriations are from the environment and

102.1 natural resources trust fund, or another named fund, and are available for the fiscal years
 102.2 indicated for each purpose. The figures "2018" and "2019" used in this act mean that the
 102.3 appropriations listed under them are available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, or
 102.4 June 30, 2019, respectively. "The first year" is fiscal year 2018. "The second year" is fiscal
 102.5 year 2019. "The biennium" is fiscal years 2018 and 2019.

102.6		<u>APPROPRIATIONS</u>	
102.7		<u>Available for the Year</u>	
102.8		<u>Ending June 30</u>	
102.9		<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>

102.10 **Sec. 2. MINNESOTA RESOURCES**

102.11	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>89,000</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>42,799,000</u>
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102.12 The amounts that may be spent for each
 102.13 purpose are specified in the following
 102.14 subdivisions. Appropriations are available for
 102.15 two years beginning July 1, 2018, unless
 102.16 otherwise stated in the appropriation. Any
 102.17 unencumbered balance remaining in the first
 102.18 year does not cancel and is available for the
 102.19 second year or until the end of the
 102.20 appropriation.

102.21 **Subd. 2. Definition**

102.22 "Trust fund" means the Minnesota
 102.23 environment and natural resources trust fund
 102.24 established under the Minnesota Constitution,
 102.25 article XI, section 14.

102.26	<u>Subd. 3. Foundational Natural Resource Data</u>				
102.27	<u>and Information</u>		<u>-0-</u>		<u>4,233,000</u>

102.28 **(a) County Geologic Atlases - Part A**

102.29 \$1,240,000 the second year is from the trust
 102.30 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 102.31 of Minnesota, Minnesota Geological Survey,
 102.32 to continue producing county geologic atlases
 102.33 for the purpose of informed management of
 102.34 surface water and groundwater resources. This
 102.35 appropriation is to complete part A, which

103.1 focuses on the properties and distribution of
 103.2 earth materials to define aquifer boundaries
 103.3 and the connection of aquifers to the land
 103.4 surface and surface water resources. This
 103.5 appropriation is available until June 30, 2022,
 103.6 by which time the project must be completed
 103.7 and final products delivered.

103.8 **(b) Providing Critical Water-Quality**
 103.9 **Information for Lake Management**

103.10 \$250,000 the second year is from the trust
 103.11 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 103.12 of Minnesota to develop a semiautomated
 103.13 system to acquire, process, and deliver new
 103.14 satellite-derived water-quality data in near real
 103.15 time on water clarity, algae, and turbidity for
 103.16 Minnesota lakes. This appropriation is
 103.17 available until June 30, 2021, by which time
 103.18 the project must be completed and final
 103.19 products delivered.

103.20 **(c) Minnesota Biodiversity Atlas - Phase 2**

103.21 \$350,000 the second year is from the trust
 103.22 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 103.23 of Minnesota to expand the biodiversity atlas
 103.24 project by adding more than 800,000 records
 103.25 and images of Minnesota wildlife, plants, and
 103.26 fungi, including observations from state
 103.27 agencies and other museum collections, to
 103.28 enhance research, guide field surveys, and
 103.29 inform conservation planning. This
 103.30 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,
 103.31 by which time the project must be completed
 103.32 and final products delivered.

103.33 **(d) Peatland Forest Management**

103.34 \$600,000 the second year is from the trust
 103.35 fund to the Board of Regents of the University

104.1 of Minnesota to identify management actions
 104.2 to maximize benefits to wildlife, water quality,
 104.3 timber production, and native plant
 104.4 communities in peatland forests. This
 104.5 appropriation is available until June 30, 2022,
 104.6 by which time the project must be completed
 104.7 and final products delivered.

104.8 **(e) Assessing Natural Resource Benefits**
 104.9 **Provided by Lichens and Mosses**

104.10 \$213,000 the second year is from the trust
 104.11 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 104.12 of Minnesota to survey, map, and analyze
 104.13 mosses and lichens across the state, including
 104.14 their moisture-retention capacity, effects on
 104.15 hydrology, and ability to filter airborne
 104.16 pollutants. This appropriation is available until
 104.17 June 30, 2021, by which time the project must
 104.18 be completed and final products delivered.

104.19 **(f) Develop a System to Assess Wildlife Health**
 104.20 **Threats in Minnesota**

104.21 \$280,000 the second year is from the trust
 104.22 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 104.23 of Minnesota to develop a statewide
 104.24 information-management system that uses
 104.25 wildlife-rehabilitation data to identify
 104.26 emerging threats to wildlife health in
 104.27 Minnesota.

104.28 **(g) Conserving Minnesota's Forest Birds of**
 104.29 **Management Concern**

104.30 \$500,000 the second year is from the trust
 104.31 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 104.32 of Minnesota for the Natural Resources
 104.33 Research Institute in Duluth to identify
 104.34 forest-management actions and guidelines to
 104.35 conserve birds in Minnesota's forests. This
 104.36 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,

105.1 by which time the project must be completed
105.2 and final products delivered.

105.3 **(h) Mapping Avian Movement in Minnesota**

105.4 \$200,000 the second year is from the trust
105.5 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
105.6 of Minnesota for the Natural Resources
105.7 Research Institute in Duluth to pilot the
105.8 establishment of a network of automated
105.9 radio-telemetry stations to monitor bird
105.10 migration and local movements and to develop
105.11 strategic plans for using the infrastructure long
105.12 term to monitor animal movement for
105.13 conservation. This appropriation is available
105.14 until June 30, 2021, by which time the project
105.15 must be completed and final products
105.16 delivered.

105.17 **(i) Improve Trout-Stream Management by**
105.18 **Understanding Variable Winter Thermal**
105.19 **Conditions**

105.20 \$400,000 the second year is from the trust
105.21 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
105.22 of Minnesota to identify how winter
105.23 groundwater flows, air temperature, and
105.24 streambed conditions affect insect productivity
105.25 in order to guide restoration and management
105.26 efforts in southeastern Minnesota trout
105.27 streams. This appropriation is available until
105.28 June 30, 2021, by which time the project must
105.29 be completed and final products delivered.

105.30 **(j) Develop Sonar Data Mapping on Three**
105.31 **Rivers to Assess Suitability for Native Mussel**
105.32 **Habitat**

105.33 \$200,000 the second year is from the trust
105.34 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
105.35 for an agreement with the National Park
105.36 Service to create high-resolution sonar data

106.1 maps to identify critical native mussel habitat
 106.2 for the designated Lower St. Croix National
 106.3 Scenic Riverway and the Mississippi National
 106.4 River and Recreation Area including part of
 106.5 the Minnesota River.

106.6 **Subd. 4. Water Resources** 89,000 5,786,000

106.7 **(a) Pilot Program to Optimize Local Mechanical**
 106.8 **and Pond Wastewater-Treatment Plants**

106.9 \$89,000 the first year and \$611,000 the second
 106.10 year are from the trust fund to the
 106.11 commissioner of the Minnesota Pollution
 106.12 Control Agency, in partnership with the
 106.13 Minnesota Rural Water Association and the
 106.14 University of Minnesota's Technical
 106.15 Assistance Program, to implement a pilot
 106.16 program to optimize existing local mechanical
 106.17 and pond wastewater-treatment systems to
 106.18 increase nutrient removal and improve
 106.19 efficiency without requiring costly upgrades.

106.20 **(b) Assess and Develop Strategies to Remove**
 106.21 **Microscopic Plastic-Particle Pollution from**
 106.22 **Minnesota Water Bodies**

106.23 \$300,000 the second year is from the trust
 106.24 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 106.25 of Minnesota to assess, track, and develop
 106.26 methods to remove microscopic plastic
 106.27 particles that are dispersed and accumulating
 106.28 as pollution in Minnesota water bodies. This
 106.29 appropriation is subject to Minnesota Statutes,
 106.30 section 116P.10. This appropriation is
 106.31 available until June 30, 2021, by which time
 106.32 the project must be completed and final
 106.33 products delivered.

106.34 **(c) Reduce Chlorides in Minnesota Waters by**
 106.35 **Evaluating Road-Salt Alternatives and**
 106.36 **Pavement Innovations**

107.1 \$400,000 the second year is from the trust
 107.2 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 107.3 of Minnesota to investigate road-salt
 107.4 alternatives and pavement innovations to
 107.5 reduce lake, stream, and groundwater
 107.6 degradation caused by road-salt chlorides. This
 107.7 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,
 107.8 by which time the project must be completed
 107.9 and final products delivered.

107.10 **(d) Protect Water Quality with Efficient**
 107.11 **Removal of Contaminants in Treatment Ponds**
 107.12 **for Storm Water**

107.13 \$325,000 the second year is from the trust
 107.14 fund to the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota
 107.15 State Colleges and Universities system for St.
 107.16 Cloud State University to evaluate the
 107.17 effectiveness of best management practices in
 107.18 removing contaminants from storm water to
 107.19 safeguard aquatic habitats. This appropriation
 107.20 is available until June 30, 2021, by which time
 107.21 the project must be completed and final
 107.22 products delivered.

107.23 **(e) Develop Small and Inexpensive Purification**
 107.24 **System for Community Drinking Water**

107.25 \$425,000 the second year is from the trust
 107.26 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 107.27 of Minnesota to develop a small and
 107.28 inexpensive purification-technology system
 107.29 for community drinking-water facilities to
 107.30 remove toxic contaminants, make water safe
 107.31 to drink, and improve drinking-water quality.
 107.32 This appropriation is subject to Minnesota
 107.33 Statutes, section 116P.10. This appropriation
 107.34 is available until June 30, 2021, by which time
 107.35 the project must be completed and final
 107.36 products delivered.

108.1 **(f) Evaluate Emerging Pathogens in Lakes,**
 108.2 **Rivers, and Tap Water to Keep Drinking Water**
 108.3 **Safe**

108.4 \$325,000 the second year is from the trust
 108.5 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 108.6 of Minnesota to evaluate emerging pathogens
 108.7 including Legionella and mycobacteria to
 108.8 ensure that surface water used for drinking
 108.9 water and tap water is safe to drink. This
 108.10 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,
 108.11 by which time the project must be completed
 108.12 and final products delivered.

108.13 **(g) Characterize Unregulated Contaminants in**
 108.14 **Source Water and Drinking Water**

108.15 \$1,000,000 the second year is from the trust
 108.16 fund to the commissioner of health to establish
 108.17 monitoring networks of public water-system
 108.18 wells and surface-water intakes to determine
 108.19 if contaminants persist after standard public
 108.20 water treatment. This appropriation is
 108.21 available until June 30, 2022, by which time
 108.22 the project must be completed and final
 108.23 products delivered.

108.24 **(h) Mapping Antibiotic Resistance in Minnesota**
 108.25 **to Help Protect Environmental, Animal, and**
 108.26 **Human Health**

108.27 \$750,000 the second year is from the trust
 108.28 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 108.29 of Minnesota to quantify and map antibiotic
 108.30 and antibiotic-resistance gene contamination
 108.31 in Minnesota waters and soils to identify
 108.32 locations in need of mitigation to protect
 108.33 environmental, animal, and human health. This
 108.34 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,
 108.35 by which time the project must be completed
 108.36 and final products delivered.

109.1 **(i) Farmer-Led Expansion of Alfalfa Production**
109.2 **to Increase Water Protection**

109.3 \$500,000 the second year is from the trust
109.4 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
109.5 of Minnesota to develop a farmer-led,
109.6 market-based working-lands approach to
109.7 increase water protection in agricultural areas
109.8 by targeted expansion of alfalfa production
109.9 and development of methods to convert alfalfa
109.10 to high-value bioproducts. This appropriation
109.11 is available until June 30, 2021, by which time
109.12 the project must be completed and final
109.13 products delivered.

109.14 **(j) Using Perennial Grain Crops in Wellhead**
109.15 **Protection Areas to Protect Groundwater**

109.16 \$250,000 the second year is from the trust
109.17 fund to the commissioner of agriculture to
109.18 establish demonstration plots of Kernza, a new
109.19 intermediate perennial grain crop, to evaluate
109.20 the potential to profitably reduce nitrate
109.21 contamination of groundwater in vulnerable
109.22 wellhead protection regions of Minnesota.
109.23 Any income generated as part of this
109.24 appropriation may be used to expand the
109.25 project.

109.26 **(k) Implement Pilot Credit-Trading System for**
109.27 **Storm Water in Shell Rock River Watershed to**
109.28 **Improve Water Quality**

109.29 \$300,000 the second year is from the trust
109.30 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
109.31 for an agreement with the Shell Rock River
109.32 Watershed District to develop and implement
109.33 a pilot water-quality credit-trading program
109.34 for storm water that provides voluntary and
109.35 cost-effective options to reduce pollution on
109.36 a watershed scale.

110.1 **(l) Lake Agnes Treatment**

110.2 \$600,000 the second year is to the Board of
110.3 Water and Soil Resources for a grant to the
110.4 Alexandria Lake Area Sanitary District for
110.5 lake management activities, including, but not
110.6 limited to, alum treatment in Lake Agnes, carp
110.7 removal in Lake Winona, and related
110.8 management and reassessment measures that
110.9 are intended to achieve and maintain
110.10 compliance with water quality standards for
110.11 phosphorus and the total maximum daily load
110.12 for Lake Winona.

110.13 **Subd. 5. Technical Assistance, Outreach, and**
110.14 **Environmental Education**

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4,418,000

110.15 **(a) Prairie Sportsman Statewide Environmental**
110.16 **Broadcasts and Videos**

110.17 \$300,000 the second year is from the trust
110.18 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
110.19 for an agreement with Pioneer Public
110.20 Television to provide outreach on outdoor
110.21 recreation, conservation, and natural resource
110.22 issues, including water quality, wildlife
110.23 habitat, and invasive species, through a series
110.24 of interrelated educational and training videos
110.25 and statewide broadcast television programs.

110.26 **(b) YES! Students Take on Minnesota Water-**
110.27 **Quality Challenge**

110.28 \$213,000 the second year is from the trust
110.29 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
110.30 for an agreement with Prairie Woods
110.31 Environmental Learning Center to expand the
110.32 Youth Energy Summit (YES!) model to
110.33 improve local waterways by training and
110.34 mobilizing over 20 youth-led teams in
110.35 Minnesota communities to complete 30 or

111.1 more projects related to water quality
 111.2 including monitoring and reporting.

111.3 **(c) Get Outdoors After-School Training**

111.4 \$30,000 the second year is from the trust fund
 111.5 to the commissioner of natural resources for
 111.6 an agreement with Project Get Outdoors to
 111.7 train and equip youth leaders at out-of-school
 111.8 youth organizations across Minnesota with
 111.9 knowledge, skills, and resources to incorporate
 111.10 outdoor nature activities into after-school
 111.11 programs for at least 6,000 children, including
 111.12 those from underserved populations.

111.13 **(d) Connecting Students with Water**
 111.14 **Stewardship through Hands-on Learning**

111.15 \$400,000 the second year is from the trust
 111.16 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 111.17 for an agreement with Minnesota Trout
 111.18 Unlimited to engage students in classroom and
 111.19 outdoor hands-on learning focused on water
 111.20 quality, groundwater, aquatic life, and
 111.21 watershed stewardship and providing youth
 111.22 and their families with fishing experiences.
 111.23 This appropriation is available until June 30,
 111.24 2021, by which time the project must be
 111.25 completed and final products delivered.

111.26 **(e) Expanding River Watch Program on the**
 111.27 **Minnesota River With High School Teams**

111.28 \$100,000 the second year is from the trust
 111.29 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 111.30 for an agreement with Friends of the
 111.31 Minnesota Valley to expand a River Watch
 111.32 program on the Minnesota River to recruit at
 111.33 least 15 additional teams of high school
 111.34 students in monthly monitoring and reporting
 111.35 of water quality.

112.1 **(f) Pollinator Ambassadors Program for**
 112.2 **Gardens**

112.3 \$250,000 the second year is from the trust
 112.4 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 112.5 of Minnesota to increase knowledge of
 112.6 pollinators in gardens and yards and improve
 112.7 pollinator habitat by expanding outreach,
 112.8 training, and tools for Minnesota communities
 112.9 as part of the Pollinator Ambassadors program.
 112.10 This appropriation is available until June 30,
 112.11 2021, by which time the project must be
 112.12 completed and final products delivered.

112.13 **(g) Morris Prairie Pollinator Demonstration**
 112.14 **Area and Education**

112.15 \$550,000 the second year is from the trust
 112.16 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 112.17 of Minnesota for the West Central Research
 112.18 and Outreach Center at Morris to restore 17
 112.19 acres of native prairie for pollinators and to
 112.20 construct wayside shelters and kiosks along
 112.21 an existing trail to provide information to
 112.22 visitors on the importance of pollinators and
 112.23 native prairie ecosystems. This appropriation
 112.24 is available until June 30, 2021, by which time
 112.25 the project must be completed and final
 112.26 products delivered.

112.27 **(h) Expanding Nature Knowledge and**
 112.28 **Experience with New Interactive Exhibits at**
 112.29 **North Mississippi Regional Park**

112.30 \$500,000 the second year is from the trust
 112.31 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 112.32 for an agreement with the Minneapolis Park
 112.33 and Recreation Board to develop new
 112.34 interactive exhibits at North Mississippi
 112.35 Regional Park to encourage the approximately
 112.36 326,000 annual visitors to better understand

113.1 and explore the river and surrounding natural
 113.2 area.

113.3 **(i) Update International Wolf Center Exhibits**

113.4 \$1,000,000 the second year is from the trust
 113.5 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 113.6 for an agreement with the International Wolf
 113.7 Center to design, construct, and install new
 113.8 interactive educational exhibits to help
 113.9 Minnesotans understand coexistence with the
 113.10 state's wolf populations and ongoing wolf-
 113.11 management efforts.

113.12 **(j) Expanding the State's Reuse Economy to**
 113.13 **Conserve Natural Resources**

113.14 \$275,000 the second year is from the trust
 113.15 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 113.16 for an agreement with ReUSE Minnesota to
 113.17 provide outreach and technical assistance to
 113.18 communities and small businesses to create
 113.19 and expand opportunities for reusing, renting,
 113.20 and repairing consumer goods as an alternative
 113.21 to using new materials so solid-waste disposal
 113.22 and its impacts are measurably reduced and
 113.23 more local reuse jobs are created. Net income
 113.24 generated as part of this appropriation may be
 113.25 reinvested in the project if a plan for
 113.26 reinvestment is approved in the work plan.

113.27 **(k) Expand Materials Reuse and Recycling Jobs**
 113.28 **Program**

113.29 \$665,000 the second year is from the trust
 113.30 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 113.31 for an agreement with Better Futures
 113.32 Minnesota, in cooperation with the Northwest
 113.33 Indian Community Development Corporation,
 113.34 and \$135,000 the second year is from the trust
 113.35 fund to the Board of Regents of the University

114.1 of Minnesota for the Natural Resources
 114.2 Research Institute in Duluth to expand
 114.3 building deconstruction and material-reuse
 114.4 practices and jobs in partnership with counties,
 114.5 tribes, and municipalities statewide and to
 114.6 document the environmental, health, and
 114.7 economic benefits of these practices. Net
 114.8 income generated by Better Futures as part of
 114.9 this or a previous related appropriation from
 114.10 the environment and natural resources trust
 114.11 fund may be reinvested in the project if a plan
 114.12 for reinvestment is approved in the work plan.

114.13 **Subd. 6. Aquatic and Terrestrial Invasive Species** -0- 5,760,000

114.14 **(a) Minnesota Invasive Terrestrial Plants and**
 114.15 **Pests Center - Phase 4**

114.16 \$3,500,000 the second year is from the trust
 114.17 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 114.18 of Minnesota for high-priority research at the
 114.19 Invasive Terrestrial Plants and Pests Center
 114.20 to protect Minnesota's natural and agricultural
 114.21 resources from terrestrial invasive plants,
 114.22 pathogens, and pests as identified through the
 114.23 center's strategic prioritization process. This
 114.24 appropriation is available until June 30, 2023,
 114.25 by which time the project must be completed
 114.26 and final products delivered.

114.27 **(b) Palmer Amaranth Detection and Eradication**
 114.28 **Continuation**

114.29 \$431,000 the second year is from the trust
 114.30 fund to the commissioner of agriculture to
 114.31 continue to monitor, ground survey, and
 114.32 control Palmer amaranth primarily in
 114.33 conservation plantings and to develop and
 114.34 implement aerial-survey methods to prevent
 114.35 infestation and protect prairies, other natural
 114.36 areas, and agricultural crops.

115.1 **(c) Evaluate Control Methods for Invasive**
 115.2 **Hybrid Cattails**

115.3 \$131,000 the second year is from the trust
 115.4 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 115.5 for an agreement with Voyageurs National
 115.6 Park to evaluate the effectiveness of
 115.7 mechanical harvesting and managing muskrat
 115.8 populations to remove exotic hybrid cattails
 115.9 and restore fish and wildlife habitat in
 115.10 Minnesota wetlands. This appropriation is
 115.11 available until June 30, 2021, by which time
 115.12 the project must be completed and final
 115.13 products delivered.

115.14 **(d) Developing RNA Interference to Control**
 115.15 **Zebra Mussels**

115.16 \$500,000 the second year is from the trust
 115.17 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 115.18 for an agreement with the United States
 115.19 Geological Survey to develop a genetic control
 115.20 tool that exploits the natural process of RNA
 115.21 silencing to specifically target and effectively
 115.22 control zebra mussels without affecting other
 115.23 species or causing other nontarget effects. This
 115.24 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,
 115.25 by which time the project must be completed
 115.26 and final products delivered.

115.27 **(e) Install and Evaluate an Invasive Carp**
 115.28 **Deterrent for Mississippi River Locks and Dams**

115.29 \$998,000 the second year is from the trust
 115.30 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 115.31 of Minnesota in cooperation with the United
 115.32 States Army Corps of Engineers and the
 115.33 United States Fish and Wildlife Service to
 115.34 install, evaluate, and optimize a system in
 115.35 Mississippi River locks and dams to deter
 115.36 passage of invasive carp without negatively

116.1 impacting native fish and to evaluate the
 116.2 ability of predator fish in the pools above the
 116.3 locks and dams to consume young carp. The
 116.4 project must conduct a cost comparison of
 116.5 equipment purchase versus lease options and
 116.6 choose the most effective option. This
 116.7 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,
 116.8 by which time the project must be completed
 116.9 and final products delivered.

116.10 **(f) Determining Risk of Toxic Alga in Minnesota**
 116.11 **Lakes**

116.12 \$200,000 the second year is from the trust
 116.13 fund to the Science Museum of Minnesota for
 116.14 the St. Croix Watershed Research Station to
 116.15 determine the historical distribution,
 116.16 abundance, and toxicity of the invasive
 116.17 blue-green alga, *Cylindrospermopsis*
 116.18 *raciborskii*, in about 20 lakes across Minnesota
 116.19 and inform managers and the public about the
 116.20 alga's spread and health risks. This
 116.21 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,
 116.22 by which time the project must be completed
 116.23 and final products delivered.

116.24 **Subd. 7. Air Quality and Renewable Energy**

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1,200,000

116.25 **(a) Develop Solar Window Concentrators for**
 116.26 **Electricity**

116.27 \$350,000 the second year is from the trust
 116.28 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 116.29 of Minnesota to develop, evaluate, and
 116.30 optimize thin film silicon-based luminescent
 116.31 solar window concentrators in order to
 116.32 produce inexpensive, clean energy and reduce
 116.33 air pollution. This appropriation is subject to
 116.34 Minnesota Statutes, section 116P.10. This
 116.35 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,

117.1 by which time the project must be completed
117.2 and final products delivered.

117.3 **(b) Demonstrations for Community-Scale**
117.4 **Storage Systems for Renewable Energy**

117.5 \$550,000 the second year is from the trust
117.6 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
117.7 of Minnesota to install, demonstrate, and
117.8 evaluate three community-scale storage
117.9 systems for renewable energy and develop a
117.10 guidebook on storing renewable energy for
117.11 statewide use. This appropriation is available
117.12 until June 30, 2021, by which time the project
117.13 must be completed and final products
117.14 delivered.

117.15 **(c) Develop Inexpensive Energy from Simple**
117.16 **Roll-to-Roll Manufacturing**

117.17 \$300,000 the second year is from the trust
117.18 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
117.19 of Minnesota to develop inexpensive,
117.20 high-efficiency solar energy with simple
117.21 roll-to-roll advanced manufacturing
117.22 technology, using new materials such as
117.23 perovskite to make solar cells. This
117.24 appropriation is subject to Minnesota Statutes,
117.25 section 116P.10. This appropriation is
117.26 available until June 30, 2021, by which time
117.27 the project must be completed and final
117.28 products delivered.

117.29 **Subd. 8. Methods to Protect or Restore Land,**
117.30 **Water, and Habitat**

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3,389,000

117.31 **(a) Nongame Wildlife Program Acceleration**

117.32 \$220,000 the second year is from the trust
117.33 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
117.34 to accelerate the nongame wildlife program
117.35 including rare wildlife data collection, habitat
117.36 management, collaborative land protection,

118.1 conservation education, and a new emphasis
 118.2 on promoting nature tourism to benefit
 118.3 wildlife, visitors, and rural communities.

118.4 **(b) Develop Biomulch to Replace Plastic Soil**
 118.5 **Covering in Vegetable and Fruit Production to**
 118.6 **Increase Yield and Reduce Waste**

118.7 \$310,000 the second year is from the trust
 118.8 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 118.9 of Minnesota to develop and test the
 118.10 performance of biodegradable biomulch to
 118.11 increase yield, conserve water, suppress weeds
 118.12 and pests, add nutrients to the soil, and replace
 118.13 large amounts of nonrecyclable and
 118.14 nondegradable plastic used in vegetable and
 118.15 fruit production. This appropriation is
 118.16 available until June 30, 2021, by which time
 118.17 the project must be completed and final
 118.18 products delivered.

118.19 **(c) Develop Market-Based Alternatives for**
 118.20 **Perennial Crops to Benefit Water Quality and**
 118.21 **Wildlife**

118.22 \$150,000 the second year is from the trust
 118.23 fund to the Science Museum of Minnesota for
 118.24 the St. Croix Watershed Research Station to
 118.25 design and evaluate at least six market-based
 118.26 scenarios for perennial cropping systems in
 118.27 Minnesota, including technological and
 118.28 economic feasibility, and estimate their
 118.29 potential to improve water quality and provide
 118.30 wildlife habitat. This appropriation is available
 118.31 until June 30, 2021, by which time the project
 118.32 must be completed and final products
 118.33 delivered.

118.34 **(d) Agricultural Weed Control Using**
 118.35 **Autonomous Mowers**

118.36 \$1,600,000 the second year is from the trust
 118.37 fund to the Board of Regents of the University

119.1 of Minnesota for the West Central Research
 119.2 and Outreach Center at Morris to design,
 119.3 integrate, and field-test an autonomous pasture
 119.4 mower and solar charging station to control
 119.5 weeds, reduce herbicide use, reduce energy
 119.6 costs, and improve native vegetation and
 119.7 forage quality on agricultural lands. This
 119.8 appropriation is subject to Minnesota Statutes,
 119.9 section 116P.10. This appropriation is
 119.10 available until June 30, 2021, by which time
 119.11 the project must be completed and final
 119.12 products delivered.

119.13 **(e) Restoring Forests in Minnesota State Parks**

119.14 \$250,000 the second year is from the trust
 119.15 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 119.16 to restore at least 255 acres of high-quality
 119.17 forests in state parks such as Itasca, Jay Cooke,
 119.18 and Forestville Mystery Cave State Parks and
 119.19 Greenleaf Lake State Recreation Area. This
 119.20 appropriation is available until June 30, 2023,
 119.21 by which time the project must be completed
 119.22 and final products delivered.

119.23 **(f) Develop Strategies for Timber Harvest to**
 119.24 **Minimize Soil Impacts to Maintain Healthy and**
 119.25 **Diverse Forests**

119.26 \$200,000 the second year is from the trust
 119.27 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
 119.28 of Minnesota to develop strategies and
 119.29 practical tools to minimize soil compaction
 119.30 and other impacts across a range of conditions
 119.31 during timber harvest to maintain timber
 119.32 availability, improve regeneration of diverse
 119.33 forests, and benefit wildlife habitat. This
 119.34 appropriation is available until June 30, 2022,
 119.35 by which time the project must be completed
 119.36 and final products delivered.

120.1 **(g) Restoring Wetland Invertebrates to Revive**
120.2 **Wildlife Habitat**

120.3 \$400,000 the second year is from the trust
120.4 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
120.5 to assess invertebrate amphipods in wetlands
120.6 and explore stocking them as a valuable food
120.7 source for ducks and other wildlife in the
120.8 Prairie Pothole Region of the state. This
120.9 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,
120.10 by which time the project must be completed
120.11 and final products delivered.

120.12 **(h) Preserving Minnesota's Native Orchids -**
120.13 **Phase 2**

120.14 \$259,000 the second year is from the trust
120.15 fund to the Board of Regents of the University
120.16 of Minnesota for the Minnesota Landscape
120.17 Arboretum to expand collection and
120.18 preservation efforts to enable long-term
120.19 conservation of at least 25 of the 48 native
120.20 orchid species in Minnesota and to continue
120.21 propagation and cultivation research. This
120.22 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,
120.23 by which time the project must be completed
120.24 and final products delivered.

120.25 **Subd. 9. Land Acquisition, Habitat, and**
120.26 **Recreation**

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17,439,000

120.27 **(a) Grants for Local Parks, Trails, and Natural**
120.28 **Areas**

120.29 \$2,000,000 the second year is from the trust
120.30 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
120.31 to solicit, rank, and fund competitive matching
120.32 grants for local parks, trail connections, and
120.33 natural and scenic areas under Minnesota
120.34 Statutes, section 85.019. The appropriation is
120.35 for local nature-based recreation and
120.36 connections to regional and state natural areas

121.1 and recreation facilities and does not include
 121.2 athletic facilities such as sport fields, courts,
 121.3 and playgrounds. This appropriation is
 121.4 available until June 30, 2021, by which time
 121.5 the project must be completed and final
 121.6 products delivered.

121.7 **(b) Develop Mesabi Trail Segment From County**
 121.8 **Road 88 to Ely**

121.9 \$600,000 the second year is from the trust
 121.10 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 121.11 for an agreement with the St. Louis and Lake
 121.12 Counties Regional Railroad Authority for
 121.13 environmental assessment, permitting,
 121.14 right-of-way easements or other acquisition
 121.15 as needed, engineering, and construction of
 121.16 an approximately three-mile-long bituminous
 121.17 surface section of the Mesabi Trail between
 121.18 Ely and the intersection of Highway 169 and
 121.19 County Road 88. This appropriation is
 121.20 available until June 30, 2022, by which time
 121.21 the project must be completed and final
 121.22 products delivered.

121.23 **(c) Harmony State Trail Extension Land**
 121.24 **Acquisition**

121.25 \$235,000 the second year is from the trust
 121.26 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 121.27 for an agreement with the city of Harmony to
 121.28 acquire fee title of about 16 parcels to allow
 121.29 for the approximate six-mile extension of the
 121.30 legislatively authorized state trail from
 121.31 Harmony south to the Iowa state border with
 121.32 a spur to Niagara Cave. The land must be
 121.33 transferred to the state after it has been
 121.34 purchased.

121.35 **(d) Mississippi Blufflands State Trail - Red Wing**
 121.36 **Barn Bluff to Colvill Park Segment**

122.1 \$550,000 the second year is from the trust
 122.2 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 122.3 for an agreement with the city of Red Wing
 122.4 to be used with other funds to construct an
 122.5 approximate three-quarter-mile-long
 122.6 hard-surfaced segment of the Mississippi
 122.7 Blufflands State Trail along Red Wing's
 122.8 Mississippi River riverfront from Barn Bluff
 122.9 Regional Park to Colvill Park. This
 122.10 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,
 122.11 by which time the project must be completed
 122.12 and final products delivered.

122.13 **(e) Swedish Immigrant Regional Trail Segment**
 122.14 **within Interstate State Park**

122.15 \$2,254,000 the second year is from the trust
 122.16 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 122.17 for an agreement with Chisago County
 122.18 Environmental Services to construct an
 122.19 approximate one-half-mile regional county
 122.20 trail segment within Interstate State Park from
 122.21 the end point of the existing trail at the park
 122.22 boundary to city hall including a trail bridge
 122.23 over the ravine and parking and trailhead
 122.24 improvements and to conduct a natural and
 122.25 cultural review to determine the feasibility and
 122.26 route of a future section of the trail through
 122.27 the park. This appropriation is available until
 122.28 June 30, 2021, by which time the project must
 122.29 be completed and final products delivered.

122.30 **(f) Enhancement Plan for Superior Hiking Trail**

122.31 \$100,000 the second year is from the trust
 122.32 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 122.33 for an agreement with the Superior Hiking
 122.34 Trail Association to evaluate improvements
 122.35 to the 310-mile-long Superior Hiking Trail

123.1 including routing, safety, water management,
 123.2 maintenance, and other environmental,
 123.3 recreational, and design issues and to develop
 123.4 an interactive trail-management system to
 123.5 capture efficiencies and best management
 123.6 practices.

123.7 **(g) Protecting Mississippi River Headwaters**
 123.8 **Lands through Local, State, and Federal**
 123.9 **Partnership**

123.10 \$700,000 the second year is from the trust
 123.11 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 123.12 for an agreement with the city of Baxter, in
 123.13 cooperation with Brainerd Public Schools and
 123.14 the Camp Ripley Sentinel Landscape Program,
 123.15 to acquire about 200 acres of forested land on
 123.16 the upper Mississippi River adjacent to
 123.17 Mississippi River Overlook Park for multiple
 123.18 public benefits, including being an outdoor
 123.19 classroom for local schools. To be eligible for
 123.20 reimbursement, costs for real estate
 123.21 transactions must be specific to this acquisition
 123.22 and documented as required in subdivision 15,
 123.23 paragraph (k).

123.24 **(h) Protecting North-Central Minnesota Lakes**

123.25 \$750,000 the second year is from the trust
 123.26 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 123.27 for an agreement with the Crow Wing County
 123.28 Soil and Water Conservation District to
 123.29 increase watershed protection to maintain and
 123.30 improve water quality in lakes and rivers in
 123.31 Aitkin and Crow Wing Counties with about
 123.32 ten permanent RIM conservation easements
 123.33 and 12 forest stewardship plans and by
 123.34 implementing six best management practices.
 123.35 Of this amount, up to \$59,000 may be
 123.36 contributed to an easement stewardship

124.1 account established under Minnesota Statutes,
124.2 section 103B.103, as approved in the work
124.3 plan.

124.4 **(i) Easement Program for Native Prairie Bank**

124.5 \$2,000,000 the second year is from the trust
124.6 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
124.7 to provide technical stewardship assistance to
124.8 private landowners, restore and enhance about
124.9 270 acres of native prairie protected by
124.10 easements in the native prairie bank, and
124.11 acquire easements for the native prairie bank
124.12 in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section
124.13 84.96, on about 275 acres, including preparing
124.14 initial baseline property assessments. Up to
124.15 \$120,000 of this appropriation may be
124.16 deposited in the natural resources conservation
124.17 easement stewardship account, created in
124.18 Minnesota Statutes, section 84.69, proportional
124.19 to the number of easement acres acquired. A
124.20 list of proposed easement acquisitions and
124.21 restoration sites for the native prairie bank are
124.22 required in the work plan. This appropriation
124.23 is available until June 30, 2021, by which time
124.24 the project must be completed and final
124.25 products delivered.

124.26 **(j) Minnesota State Trail Development**

124.27 \$2,500,000 the second year is from the trust
124.28 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
124.29 to expand high-priority recreational
124.30 opportunities on Minnesota's state trails by
124.31 developing new trail segments and
124.32 rehabilitating, improving, and enhancing
124.33 existing state trails. High-priority trail
124.34 segments to develop and enhance include but
124.35 are not limited to the Gateway, Gitchi Gami,

125.1 Paul Bunyan, and Heartland State Trails. A
125.2 proposed list of trail projects on legislatively
125.3 authorized state trails is required in the work
125.4 plan. This appropriation is available until June
125.5 30, 2021, by which time the project must be
125.6 completed and final products delivered.

125.7 **(k) Minnesota State Parks and State Trails**

125.8 \$2,500,000 the second year is from the trust
125.9 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
125.10 to acquire about 163 acres of high-priority in
125.11 holdings from willing sellers within the
125.12 legislatively authorized boundaries of state
125.13 parks and trails in order to protect Minnesota's
125.14 natural heritage, enhance outdoor recreational
125.15 opportunities, and improve the efficiency of
125.16 public land management. Priorities include
125.17 but are not limited to Tettegouche, Sibley, and
125.18 Minneopa State Parks and the Goodhue
125.19 Pioneer State Trail. A list of proposed
125.20 acquisitions is required in the work plan. This
125.21 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,
125.22 by which time the project must be completed
125.23 and final products delivered.

125.24 **(l) Scientific and Natural Areas Program**

125.25 \$3,250,000 the second year is from the trust
125.26 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
125.27 for the scientific and natural areas program.
125.28 Of this amount, \$1,500,000 is for habitat
125.29 restoration activities, \$500,000 is for scientific
125.30 and natural areas public engagement and
125.31 outreach, and \$1,250,000 is to acquire strategic
125.32 high-quality lands that meet criteria for
125.33 scientific and natural areas under Minnesota
125.34 Statutes, section 86A.05, from willing sellers.
125.35 A list of proposed acquisitions and restorations

126.1 is required in the work plan. This
 126.2 appropriation is available until June 30, 2021,
 126.3 by which time the project must be completed
 126.4 and final products delivered.

126.5 **Subd. 10. Emerging Issues Account** -0- 439,000

126.6 \$439,000 the second year is from the trust
 126.7 fund to an emerging issues account authorized
 126.8 in Minnesota Statutes, section 116P.08,
 126.9 subdivision 4, paragraph (d).

126.10 **Subd. 11. Wastewater Treatment**
 126.11 **Recommendations**

126.12 **(a) Wastewater Treatment System Grants**

126.13 Until June 30, 2021, the Legislative-Citizen
 126.14 Commission on Minnesota Resources must
 126.15 consider recommending up to \$10,000,000 of
 126.16 the available money from the trust fund to
 126.17 match appropriations from the bond proceeds
 126.18 fund for wastewater infrastructure funding that
 126.19 exceed \$10,000,000 per year for expenditure
 126.20 by the Public Facilities Authority for
 126.21 wastewater treatment grants to home rule
 126.22 charter and statutory cities and towns with a
 126.23 population under 5,000. The grants must be
 126.24 issued under Minnesota Statutes, sections
 126.25 446A.072 and 446A.073. The
 126.26 recommendations may include a technical
 126.27 assistance program for recipients eligible
 126.28 under this subdivision. The commission must
 126.29 work with the Public Facilities Authority in
 126.30 developing its recommendations. Any
 126.31 deadlines established by the commission for
 126.32 submission of proposals for the commission's
 126.33 fiscal year 2020 recommendations are waived
 126.34 until July 1, 2018, for proposals authorized
 126.35 under this subdivision.

127.1 **(b) Wastewater Treatment System Loans**

127.2 The commission must consider recommending
127.3 up to five percent of the corpus of the trust
127.4 fund for loans to the Public Facilities
127.5 Authority to issue loans under Minnesota
127.6 Statutes, section 446A.07, to home rule charter
127.7 and statutory cities and towns with a
127.8 population under 5,000.

127.9 **(c) Work Program and Semiannual Progress**
127.10 **Report**

127.11 The work plan required under Minnesota
127.12 Statutes, section 116P.05, subdivision 2,
127.13 paragraph (b), must consist of lists showing
127.14 the fundable ranges for grants and loans
127.15 pursuant to this subdivision.

127.16 **Subd. 12. Contract Agreement Reimbursement** -0- 135,000

127.17 \$135,000 the second year is from the trust
127.18 fund to the commissioner of natural resources,
127.19 at the direction of the Legislative-Citizen
127.20 Commission on Minnesota Resources, for
127.21 expenses incurred for preparing and
127.22 administering contracts for the agreements
127.23 specified in this section. The commissioner
127.24 must provide documentation to the
127.25 Legislative-Citizen Commission on Minnesota
127.26 Resources on the expenditure of these funds.

127.27 **Subd. 13. Availability of Appropriations**

127.28 Money appropriated in this section may not
127.29 be spent on activities unless they are directly
127.30 related to and necessary for a specific
127.31 appropriation and are specified in the work
127.32 plan approved by the Legislative-Citizen
127.33 Commission on Minnesota Resources. Money
127.34 appropriated in this section must not be spent
127.35 on indirect costs or other institutional overhead

128.1 charges that are not directly related to and
128.2 necessary for a specific appropriation. Costs
128.3 that are directly related to and necessary for
128.4 an appropriation, including financial services,
128.5 human resources, information services, rent,
128.6 and utilities, are eligible only if the costs can
128.7 be clearly justified and individually
128.8 documented specific to the appropriation's
128.9 purpose and would not be generated by the
128.10 recipient but for receipt of the appropriation.
128.11 No broad allocations for costs in either dollars
128.12 or percentages are allowed. Unless otherwise
128.13 provided, the amounts in this section are
128.14 available until June 30, 2020, when projects
128.15 must be completed and final products
128.16 delivered. For acquisition of real property, the
128.17 appropriations in this section are available for
128.18 an additional fiscal year if a binding contract
128.19 for acquisition of the real property is entered
128.20 into before the expiration date of the
128.21 appropriation. If a project receives a federal
128.22 grant, the period of the appropriation is
128.23 extended to equal the federal grant period.
128.24 **Subd. 14. Data Availability Requirements**
128.25 Data collected by the projects funded under
128.26 this section must conform to guidelines and
128.27 standards adopted by the Office of MN.IT
128.28 Services. Spatial data must also conform to
128.29 additional guidelines and standards designed
128.30 to support data coordination and distribution
128.31 that have been published by the Minnesota
128.32 Geospatial Information Office. Descriptions
128.33 of spatial data must be prepared as specified
128.34 in the state's geographic metadata guideline
128.35 and must be submitted to the Minnesota
128.36 Geospatial Information Office. All data must

129.1 be accessible and free to the public unless
129.2 made private under the Data Practices Act,
129.3 Minnesota Statutes, chapter 13. To the extent
129.4 practicable, summary data and results of
129.5 projects funded under this section should be
129.6 readily accessible on the Internet and
129.7 identified as having received funding from the
129.8 environment and natural resources trust fund.

129.9 **Subd. 15. Project Requirements**

129.10 (a) As a condition of accepting an
129.11 appropriation under this section, an agency or
129.12 entity receiving an appropriation or a party to
129.13 an agreement from an appropriation must
129.14 comply with paragraphs (b) to (l) and
129.15 Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116P, and must
129.16 submit a work plan and annual or semiannual
129.17 progress reports in the form determined by the
129.18 Legislative-Citizen Commission on Minnesota
129.19 Resources for any project funded in whole or
129.20 in part with funds from the appropriation.
129.21 Modifications to the approved work plan and
129.22 budget expenditures must be made through
129.23 the amendment process established by the
129.24 Legislative-Citizen Commission on Minnesota
129.25 Resources.

129.26 (b) A recipient of money appropriated in this
129.27 section that conducts a restoration using funds
129.28 appropriated in this section must use native
129.29 plant species according to the Board of Water
129.30 and Soil Resources' native vegetation
129.31 establishment and enhancement guidelines
129.32 and include an appropriate diversity of native
129.33 species selected to provide habitat for
129.34 pollinators throughout the growing season as

130.1 required under Minnesota Statutes, section
130.2 84.973.

130.3 (c) For all restorations conducted with money
130.4 appropriated under this section, a recipient
130.5 must prepare an ecological restoration and
130.6 management plan that, to the degree
130.7 practicable, is consistent with the
130.8 highest-quality conservation and ecological
130.9 goals for the restoration site. Consideration
130.10 should be given to soil, geology, topography,
130.11 and other relevant factors that would provide
130.12 the best chance for long-term success and
130.13 durability of the restoration project. The plan
130.14 must include the proposed timetable for
130.15 implementing the restoration, including site
130.16 preparation, establishment of diverse plant
130.17 species, maintenance, and additional
130.18 enhancement to establish the restoration;
130.19 identify long-term maintenance and
130.20 management needs of the restoration and how
130.21 the maintenance, management, and
130.22 enhancement will be financed; and take
130.23 advantage of the best-available science and
130.24 include innovative techniques to achieve the
130.25 best restoration.

130.26 (d) An entity receiving an appropriation in this
130.27 section for restoration activities must provide
130.28 an initial restoration evaluation at the
130.29 completion of the appropriation and an
130.30 evaluation three years after the completion of
130.31 the expenditure. Restorations must be
130.32 evaluated relative to the stated goals and
130.33 standards in the restoration plan, current
130.34 science, and, when applicable, the Board of
130.35 Water and Soil Resources' native vegetation

- 131.1 establishment and enhancement guidelines.
- 131.2 The evaluation must determine whether the
- 131.3 restorations are meeting planned goals,
- 131.4 identify any problems with implementing the
- 131.5 restorations, and, if necessary, give
- 131.6 recommendations on improving restorations.
- 131.7 The evaluation must be focused on improving
- 131.8 future restorations.
- 131.9 (e) All restoration and enhancement projects
- 131.10 funded with money appropriated in this section
- 131.11 must be on land permanently protected by a
- 131.12 conservation easement or public ownership.
- 131.13 (f) A recipient of money from an appropriation
- 131.14 under this section must give consideration to
- 131.15 contracting with Conservation Corps
- 131.16 Minnesota for contract restoration and
- 131.17 enhancement services.
- 131.18 (g) All conservation easements acquired with
- 131.19 money appropriated under this section must:
- 131.20 (1) be permanent;
- 131.21 (2) specify the parties to an easement in the
- 131.22 easement;
- 131.23 (3) specify all the provisions of an agreement
- 131.24 that are permanent;
- 131.25 (4) be sent to the Legislative-Citizen
- 131.26 Commission on Minnesota Resources in an
- 131.27 electronic format at least ten business days
- 131.28 before closing;
- 131.29 (5) include a long-term monitoring and
- 131.30 enforcement plan and funding for monitoring
- 131.31 and enforcing the easement agreement; and
- 131.32 (6) include requirements in the easement
- 131.33 document to protect the quantity and quality

132.1 of groundwater and surface water through
132.2 specific activities such as keeping water on
132.3 the landscape, reducing nutrient and
132.4 contaminant loading, and not permitting
132.5 artificial hydrological modifications.

132.6 (h) For any acquisition of lands or interest in
132.7 lands, a recipient of money appropriated under
132.8 this section must not agree to pay more than
132.9 100 percent of the appraised value for a parcel
132.10 of land using this money to complete the
132.11 purchase, in part or in whole, except that up
132.12 to ten percent above the appraised value may
132.13 be allowed to complete the purchase, in part
132.14 or in whole, using this money if permission is
132.15 received in advance of the purchase from the
132.16 Legislative-Citizen Commission on Minnesota
132.17 Resources.

132.18 (i) For any acquisition of land or interest in
132.19 land, a recipient of money appropriated under
132.20 this section must give priority to high-quality
132.21 natural resources or conservation lands that
132.22 provide natural buffers to water resources.

132.23 (j) For new lands acquired with money
132.24 appropriated under this section, a recipient
132.25 must prepare an ecological restoration and
132.26 management plan in compliance with
132.27 paragraph (c), including sufficient funding for
132.28 implementation unless the work plan addresses
132.29 why a portion of the money is not necessary
132.30 to achieve a high-quality restoration.

132.31 (k) To ensure public accountability for using
132.32 public funds, a recipient of money
132.33 appropriated under this section must, within
132.34 60 days of the transaction, provide to the
132.35 Legislative-Citizen Commission on Minnesota

133.1 Resources documentation of the selection
133.2 process used to identify parcels acquired and
133.3 provide documentation of all related
133.4 transaction costs, including but not limited to
133.5 appraisals, legal fees, recording fees,
133.6 commissions, other similar costs, and
133.7 donations. This information must be provided
133.8 for all parties involved in the transaction. The
133.9 recipient must also report to the
133.10 Legislative-Citizen Commission on Minnesota
133.11 Resources any difference between the
133.12 acquisition amount paid to the seller and the
133.13 state-certified or state-reviewed appraisal, if
133.14 a state-certified or state-reviewed appraisal
133.15 was conducted.

133.16 (l) A recipient of an appropriation from the
133.17 trust fund under this section must acknowledge
133.18 financial support from the environment and
133.19 natural resources trust fund in project
133.20 publications, signage, and other public
133.21 communications and outreach related to work
133.22 completed using the appropriation.

133.23 Acknowledgment may occur, as appropriate,
133.24 through use of the trust fund logo or inclusion
133.25 of language attributing support from the trust
133.26 fund. Each direct recipient of money
133.27 appropriated in this section, as well as each
133.28 recipient of a grant awarded pursuant to this
133.29 section, must satisfy all reporting and other
133.30 requirements incumbent upon constitutionally
133.31 dedicated funding recipients as provided in
133.32 Minnesota Statutes, section 3.303, subdivision
133.33 10, and Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116P.

134.1 **Subd. 16. Payment Conditions and**
134.2 **Capital-Equipment Expenditures**

134.3 (a) All agreements, grants, or contracts
134.4 referred to in this section must be administered
134.5 on a reimbursement basis unless otherwise
134.6 provided in this section. Notwithstanding
134.7 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.41,
134.8 expenditures made on or after July 1, 2018,
134.9 or the date the work plan is approved,
134.10 whichever is later, are eligible for
134.11 reimbursement unless otherwise provided in
134.12 this section. Periodic payments must be made
134.13 upon receiving documentation that the
134.14 deliverable items articulated in the approved
134.15 work plan have been achieved, including
134.16 partial achievements as evidenced by approved
134.17 progress reports. Reasonable amounts may be
134.18 advanced to projects to accommodate
134.19 cash-flow needs or match federal money. The
134.20 advances must be approved as part of the work
134.21 plan. No expenditures for capital equipment
134.22 are allowed unless expressly authorized in the
134.23 project work plan.

134.24 (b) Single-source contracts as specified in the
134.25 approved work plan are allowed.

134.26 **Subd. 17. Purchasing Recycled and Recyclable**
134.27 **Materials**

134.28 A political subdivision, public or private
134.29 corporation, or other entity that receives an
134.30 appropriation under this section must use the
134.31 appropriation in compliance with Minnesota
134.32 Statutes, section 16C.0725, regarding
134.33 purchasing recycled, repairable, and durable
134.34 materials and Minnesota Statutes, section
134.35 16C.073, regarding purchasing and using
134.36 paper stock and printing.

135.1 **Subd. 18. Energy Conservation and Sustainable**
 135.2 **Building Guidelines**

135.3 A recipient to whom an appropriation is made
 135.4 under this section for a capital improvement
 135.5 project must ensure that the project complies
 135.6 with the applicable energy conservation and
 135.7 sustainable building guidelines and standards
 135.8 contained in law, including Minnesota
 135.9 Statutes, sections 16B.325, 216C.19, and
 135.10 216C.20, and rules adopted under those
 135.11 sections. The recipient may use the energy
 135.12 planning, advocacy, and State Energy Office
 135.13 units of the Department of Commerce to
 135.14 obtain information and technical assistance
 135.15 on energy conservation and alternative-energy
 135.16 development relating to planning and
 135.17 constructing the capital improvement project.

135.18 **Subd. 19. Accessibility**

135.19 Structural and nonstructural facilities must
 135.20 meet the design standards in the Americans
 135.21 with Disabilities Act (ADA) accessibility
 135.22 guidelines.

135.23 **Subd. 20. Carryforward; Extension**

135.24 (a) The availability of the appropriations for
 135.25 the following projects are extended to June
 135.26 30, 2019:

135.27 (1) Laws 2014, chapter 226, section 2,
 135.28 subdivision 6, paragraph (j), Dredged
 135.29 Sediment for Forest Restoration on
 135.30 Unproductive Minelands;

135.31 (2) Laws 2014, chapter 226, section 2,
 135.32 subdivision 7, paragraph (b), Metropolitan
 135.33 Regional Park System Acquisition, as
 135.34 extended by Laws 2017, chapter 96, section
 135.35 2, subdivision 18, paragraph (a), clause (5);

- 136.1 (3) Laws 2015, chapter 76, section 2,
136.2 subdivision 3, paragraph (b), County Geologic
136.3 Atlases - Part B;
- 136.4 (4) Laws 2015, chapter 76, section 2,
136.5 subdivision 4, paragraph (a), Understanding
136.6 Water Scarcity, Threats, and Values to
136.7 Improve Management;
- 136.8 (5) Laws 2015, chapter 76, section 2,
136.9 subdivision 6, paragraph (c), Biological
136.10 Control of Canada Thistle;
- 136.11 (6) Laws 2015, chapter 76, section 2,
136.12 subdivision 6, paragraph (d), Preventing New
136.13 Disease of Pines in Minnesota;
- 136.14 (7) Laws 2015, chapter 76, section 2,
136.15 subdivision 9, paragraph (d), Native Prairie
136.16 Stewardship and Prairie Bank Easement
136.17 Acquisition;
- 136.18 (8) Laws 2015, chapter 76, section 2,
136.19 subdivision 9, paragraph (g), Metro
136.20 Conservation Corridors Phase VIII - Priority
136.21 Expansion of Minnesota Valley National
136.22 Wildlife Refuge; and
- 136.23 (9) Laws 2015, chapter 76, section 2,
136.24 subdivision 10, Emerging Issues Account.
- 136.25 (b) The availability of the appropriations for
136.26 the following projects are extended to June
136.27 30, 2020:
- 136.28 (1) Laws 2015, chapter 76, section 2,
136.29 subdivision 9, paragraph (b), Metropolitan
136.30 Regional Park System Land Acquisition -
136.31 Phase IV;

137.1 (2) Laws 2016, chapter 186, section 2,
 137.2 subdivision 10, paragraph (b), Grants
 137.3 Management System;
 137.4 (3) Laws 2017, chapter 96, section 2,
 137.5 subdivision 6, paragraph (d), Adapting Stream
 137.6 Barriers to Remove Common Carp; and
 137.7 (4) Laws 2016, chapter 186, section 2,
 137.8 subdivision 9, paragraph (g), Otter Tail River
 137.9 Recreational Trail Acquisition.
 137.10 (c) The availability of the appropriation under
 137.11 Laws 2017, chapter 96, section 2, subdivision
 137.12 8, paragraph (l), Conservation Reserve
 137.13 Enhancement Program (CREP), is extended
 137.14 to June 30, 2022.
 137.15 (d) The availability of the appropriation under
 137.16 Laws 2017, chapter 96, section 2, subdivision
 137.17 3, paragraph (n), Pollinator Research and
 137.18 Outreach, is extended to June 30, 2023.
 137.19 **Subd. 21. Fiscal Year 2020 Recommendations**
 137.20 For fiscal year 2020, the commission shall
 137.21 consider recommending funding for the
 137.22 Pollution Control Agency to clean up a closed
 137.23 landfill in Burnsville for the protection of the
 137.24 state's air, water, land, fish, and wildlife from
 137.25 significant contamination. Any deadlines
 137.26 established by the commission for submission
 137.27 of proposals for the commission's fiscal year
 137.28 2020 recommendations are waived until July
 137.29 15, 2018, for proposals authorized under this
 137.30 subdivision.

137.31 Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 116P.08, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

137.32 Subd. 2. **Exceptions.** Money from the trust fund may not be spent for:

138.1 (1) purposes of environmental compensation and liability under chapter 115B and
138.2 response actions under chapter 115C;

138.3 (2) purposes of municipal water pollution control in municipalities with a population of
138.4 5,000 or more under the authority of chapters 115 and 116;

138.5 (3) costs associated with the decommissioning of nuclear power plants;

138.6 (4) hazardous waste disposal facilities;

138.7 (5) solid waste disposal facilities; or

138.8 (6) projects or purposes inconsistent with the strategic plan.

138.9 Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 116P.12, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

138.10 Subdivision 1. **Loans authorized.** (a) If the principal of the trust fund equals or exceeds
138.11 \$200,000,000, the commission may vote to set aside up to five percent of the principal of
138.12 the trust fund for water system improvement loans. The purpose of water system improvement
138.13 loans is to offer below market rate interest loans to local units of government for the purposes
138.14 of water system improvements.

138.15 (b) The interest on a loan shall be calculated on the declining balance at a rate ~~four~~
138.16 ~~percentage points below~~ that is the greater of one percent or 50 percent of the secondary
138.17 market yield of one-year United States Treasury bills calculated according to section 549.09,
138.18 subdivision 1, paragraph (c).

138.19 (c) An eligible project must prove that existing federal or state loans or grants have not
138.20 been adequate.

138.21 (d) Payments on the principal and interest of loans under this section must be credited
138.22 to the trust fund.

138.23 (e) Repayment of loans made under this section must be completed within 20 years.

138.24 (f) The Minnesota Public Facilities Authority must report to the commission each year
138.25 ~~on the loan program~~ any loans made to the authority under this section.

138.26 Sec. 5. Laws 2015, chapter 76, section 2, subdivision 9, is amended to read:

138.27 Subd. 9. **Land Acquisition for Habitat and**
138.28 **Recreation** 14,190,000 -0-

138.29 **(a) State Parks and Trails Land**
138.30 **Acquisitions**

139.1 \$1,500,000 the first year is from the trust fund
139.2 to the commissioner of natural resources to
139.3 acquire at least 335 acres for authorized state
139.4 trails and critical parcels within the statutory
139.5 boundaries of state parks. State park land
139.6 acquired with this appropriation must be
139.7 sufficiently improved to meet at least
139.8 minimum management standards, as
139.9 determined by the commissioner of natural
139.10 resources. A list of proposed acquisitions must
139.11 be provided as part of the required work plan.
139.12 This appropriation is available until June 30,
139.13 2018, by which time the project must be
139.14 completed and final products delivered.

139.15 **(b) Metropolitan Regional Park System**

139.16 **Land Acquisition - Phase IV**

139.17 \$1,000,000 the first year is from the trust fund
139.18 to the Metropolitan Council for grants to
139.19 acquire at least 133 acres of lands within the
139.20 approved park unit boundaries of the
139.21 metropolitan regional park system. This
139.22 appropriation may not be used to purchase
139.23 habitable residential structures. A list of
139.24 proposed fee title and easement acquisitions
139.25 must be provided as part of the required work
139.26 plan. This appropriation must be matched by
139.27 at least 40 percent of nonstate money that must
139.28 be committed by December 31, 2015, or the
139.29 appropriation cancels. This appropriation is
139.30 available until June 30, 2018, by which time
139.31 the project must be completed and final
139.32 products delivered.

139.33 **(c) SNA Acquisition, Restoration,**

139.34 **Enhancement, and Public Engagement**

140.1 \$4,000,000 the first year is from the trust fund
140.2 to the commissioner of natural resources to
140.3 acquire at least 350 acres of lands with
140.4 high-quality native plant communities and rare
140.5 features to be established as scientific and
140.6 natural areas as provided in Minnesota
140.7 Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 5, restore
140.8 and improve at least 550 acres of scientific
140.9 and natural areas, and provide technical
140.10 assistance and outreach. A list of proposed
140.11 acquisitions must be provided as part of the
140.12 required work plan. Land acquired with this
140.13 appropriation must be sufficiently improved
140.14 to meet at least minimum management
140.15 standards, as determined by the commissioner
140.16 of natural resources. This appropriation is
140.17 available until June 30, 2018, by which time
140.18 the project must be completed and final
140.19 products delivered.

140.20 **(d) Native Prairie Stewardship and Prairie**
140.21 **Bank Easement Acquisition**

140.22 \$3,325,000 the first year is from the trust fund
140.23 to the commissioner of natural resources to
140.24 acquire native prairie bank easements on at
140.25 least 675 acres, prepare baseline property
140.26 assessments, restore and enhance at least 1,000
140.27 acres of native prairie sites, and provide
140.28 technical assistance to landowners. Of this
140.29 amount, up to ~~\$135,000~~ \$195,000 must be
140.30 deposited in a conservation easement
140.31 stewardship account. Deposits into the
140.32 conservation easement stewardship account
140.33 must be made upon closing on conservation
140.34 easements or at a time otherwise approved in
140.35 the work plan. A list of proposed easement

141.1 acquisitions must be provided as part of the
141.2 required work plan. This appropriation is
141.3 available until June 30, 2018, by which time
141.4 the project must be completed and final
141.5 products delivered.

141.6 **(e) Metro Conservation Corridors - Phase**
141.7 **VIII Coordination, Mapping, and**
141.8 **Conservation Easements**

141.9 \$515,000 the first year is from the trust fund
141.10 to the commissioner of natural resources for
141.11 an agreement with the Minnesota Land Trust
141.12 for Phase VIII of the Metro Conservation
141.13 Corridors partnership to provide coordination
141.14 and mapping for the partnership and to acquire
141.15 permanent conservation easements on at least
141.16 120 acres of strategic ecological landscapes
141.17 to protect priority natural areas in the
141.18 metropolitan area, as defined under Minnesota
141.19 Statutes, section 473.121, subdivision 2, and
141.20 portions of the surrounding counties. A list of
141.21 proposed easement acquisitions must be
141.22 provided as part of the required work plan.
141.23 Land acquired with this appropriation must
141.24 be sufficiently improved to meet at least
141.25 minimum management standards, as
141.26 determined by the commissioner of natural
141.27 resources. Expenditures are limited to the
141.28 identified project corridor areas as defined in
141.29 the work plan. Up to \$40,000 may be used for
141.30 coordination and mapping for the Metro
141.31 Conservation Corridors. All conservation
141.32 easements must be perpetual and have a
141.33 natural resource management plan. A list of
141.34 proposed easement acquisitions must be
141.35 provided as part of the required work plan.

142.1 This appropriation is available June 30, 2018,
142.2 by which time the project must be completed
142.3 and final products delivered.

142.4 **(f) Metro Conservation Corridors - Phase**
142.5 **VIII Strategic Lands Protection**

142.6 \$750,000 the first year is from the trust fund
142.7 to the commissioner of natural resources for
142.8 an agreement with The Trust for Public Land
142.9 for Phase VIII of the Metro Conservation
142.10 Corridors partnership to acquire in fee at least
142.11 35 acres of high-quality priority state and local
142.12 natural areas in the metropolitan area, as
142.13 defined under Minnesota Statutes, section
142.14 473.121, subdivision 2, and portions of the
142.15 surrounding counties. A list of proposed
142.16 acquisitions must be provided as part of the
142.17 required work plan. Land acquired with this
142.18 appropriation must be sufficiently improved
142.19 to meet at least minimum management
142.20 standards, as determined by the commissioner
142.21 of natural resources. Expenditures are limited
142.22 to the identified project corridor areas as
142.23 defined in the work plan. This appropriation
142.24 may not be used to purchase habitable
142.25 residential structures, unless expressly
142.26 approved in the work plan. A list of fee title
142.27 acquisitions must be provided as part of the
142.28 required work plan. This appropriation is
142.29 available until June 30, 2018, by which time
142.30 the project must be completed and final
142.31 products delivered.

142.32 **(g) Metro Conservation Corridors - Phase**
142.33 **VIII Priority Expansion of Minnesota**
142.34 **Valley National Wildlife Refuge**

143.1 \$500,000 the first year is from the trust fund
143.2 to the commissioner of natural resources for
143.3 an agreement with the Minnesota Valley
143.4 National Wildlife Refuge Trust, Inc. for Phase
143.5 VIII of the Metro Conservation Corridors
143.6 partnership to acquire in fee at least 100 acres
143.7 of priority habitat for the Minnesota Valley
143.8 National Wildlife Refuge in the metropolitan
143.9 area, as defined under Minnesota Statutes,
143.10 section 473.121, subdivision 2, and portions
143.11 of the surrounding counties. A list of proposed
143.12 acquisitions must be provided as part of the
143.13 required work plan. Land acquired with this
143.14 appropriation must be sufficiently improved
143.15 to meet at least minimum management
143.16 standards. Expenditures are limited to the
143.17 identified project corridor areas as defined in
143.18 the work plan. This appropriation may not be
143.19 used to purchase habitable residential
143.20 structures, unless expressly approved in the
143.21 work plan. This appropriation is available until
143.22 June 30, 2018, by which time the project must
143.23 be completed and final products delivered.

143.24 **(h) Metro Conservation Corridors - Phase**
143.25 **VIII Wildlife Management Area**
143.26 **Acquisition**

143.27 \$400,000 the first year is from the trust fund
143.28 to the commissioner of natural resources for
143.29 Phase VIII of the Metro Conservation
143.30 Corridors partnership to acquire in fee at least
143.31 82 acres along the lower reaches of the
143.32 Vermillion River in Dakota County within the
143.33 Gores Pool Wildlife Management Area. Land
143.34 acquired with this appropriation must be
143.35 sufficiently improved to meet at least

144.1 minimum management standards. This
144.2 appropriation may not be used to purchase
144.3 habitable residential structures, unless
144.4 expressly approved in the work plan. This
144.5 appropriation is available until June 30, 2018,
144.6 by which time the project must be completed
144.7 and final products delivered.

144.8 **(i) Mesabi Trail Development Soudan to**
144.9 **Ely - Phase II**

144.10 \$1,000,000 the first year is from the trust fund
144.11 to the commissioner of natural resources for
144.12 an agreement with the St. Louis and Lake
144.13 Counties Regional Railroad Authority for the
144.14 right-of-way acquisition, design, and
144.15 construction of segments of the Mesabi Trail,
144.16 totaling approximately seven miles between
144.17 Soudan and Ely. This appropriation is
144.18 available until June 30, 2018, by which time
144.19 the project must be completed and final
144.20 products delivered.

144.21 **(j) Multi-benefit Watershed Scale**
144.22 **Conservation on North Central Lakes**

144.23 \$950,000 the first year is from the trust fund
144.24 to the Board of Water and Soil Resources to
144.25 secure permanent conservation easements on
144.26 at least 480 acres of high-quality habitat in
144.27 Crow Wing and Cass Counties. Of this
144.28 amount, up to \$65,000 must be deposited in a
144.29 conservation easement stewardship account;
144.30 and \$54,000 is for an agreement with the
144.31 Leech Lake Area Watershed Foundation in
144.32 cooperation with Crow Wing County Soil and
144.33 Water Conservation District and Cass County
144.34 Soil and Water Conservation District. Deposits
144.35 into the conservation easement stewardship

145.1 account must be made upon closing on
 145.2 conservation easements or at a time otherwise
 145.3 approved in the work plan. A list of proposed
 145.4 easement acquisitions must be provided as
 145.5 part of the required work plan. This
 145.6 appropriation is available until June 30, 2018,
 145.7 by which time the project must be completed
 145.8 and final products delivered.

145.9 **(k) Conservation Easement Assessment and**
 145.10 **Valuation System Development**

145.11 \$250,000 the first year is from the trust fund
 145.12 to the Board of Regents of the University of
 145.13 Minnesota to assess the effectiveness of
 145.14 existing conservation easements acquired
 145.15 through state expenditures at achieving their
 145.16 intended outcomes of public value and
 145.17 ecological benefits and to develop a
 145.18 standardized, objective conservation easement
 145.19 valuation system for guiding future state
 145.20 investments in conservation easements to
 145.21 ensure the proposed environmental benefits
 145.22 are being achieved in a cost-effective manner.
 145.23 This appropriation is available until June 30,
 145.24 2018, by which time the project must be
 145.25 completed and final products delivered.

145.26 Sec. 6. Laws 2016, chapter 186, section 2, subdivision 9, is amended to read:

145.27 **Subd. 9. Land Acquisition, Habitat, and**
 145.28 **Recreation**

-0- 8,793,000

145.29 **(a) Scientific and Natural Area Restoration**

145.30 \$1,386,000 the second year is from the trust
 145.31 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
 145.32 to restore and improve approximately 750
 145.33 acres of scientific and natural areas. A list of
 145.34 proposed restorations must be provided as part

146.1 of the required work plan. This appropriation
146.2 is available until June 30, 2019, by which time
146.3 the project must be completed and final
146.4 products delivered.

146.5 **(b) Minnesota Point Pine Forest Scientific and**
146.6 **Natural Area Acquisition**

146.7 \$500,000 the second year is from the trust
146.8 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
146.9 in cooperation with the Duluth Airport
146.10 Authority to acquire approximately ten acres
146.11 as an addition to the designated Minnesota
146.12 Point Pine Forest Scientific and Natural Area
146.13 located along the shores of Lake Superior in
146.14 Duluth.

146.15 **(c) Conservation Easements in Avon Hills -**
146.16 **Phase III**

146.17 \$1,300,000 the second year is from the trust
146.18 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
146.19 for an agreement with Saint John's University
146.20 in cooperation with Minnesota Land Trust to
146.21 secure permanent conservation easements on
146.22 approximately 500 acres of high-quality
146.23 habitat in Stearns County, prepare
146.24 conservation management plans, and provide
146.25 public outreach. A list of proposed easement
146.26 acquisitions must be provided as part of the
146.27 required work plan. An entity that acquires a
146.28 conservation easement with appropriations
146.29 from the trust fund must have a long-term
146.30 stewardship plan for the easement and a fund
146.31 established for monitoring and enforcing the
146.32 agreement. Funding for the long-term
146.33 monitoring and enforcement fund must come
146.34 from nonstate sources for easements acquired
146.35 with this appropriation. The state may enforce
146.36 requirements in the conservation easements

147.1 on land acquired with this appropriation and
147.2 the conservation easement document must
147.3 state this authority and explicitly include
147.4 requirements for water quality and quantity
147.5 protection. This appropriation is available until
147.6 June 30, 2019, by which time the project must
147.7 be completed and final products delivered.

147.8 **(d) Lincoln Pipestone Rural Water System**
147.9 **Acquisition for Wellhead Protection**

147.10 \$1,500,000 the second year is from the trust
147.11 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
147.12 for an agreement with Lincoln Pipestone Rural
147.13 Water to acquire and restore lands designated
147.14 under an approved wellhead protection plan.
147.15 Lands acquired with this appropriation must
147.16 be from willing sellers and be identified by
147.17 the Department of Health as targeted
147.18 vulnerable lands for wellhead protection.
147.19 Lands must be restored to permanent
147.20 vegetative cover, but may be used for
147.21 recreation and renewable energy if adequate
147.22 protection of the drinking water aquifer is
147.23 provided. A list of proposed acquisitions must
147.24 be provided as part of the required work plan.
147.25 Plant and seed materials must follow the Board
147.26 of Water and Soil Resources' native vegetation
147.27 establishment and enhancement guidelines.
147.28 Income derived from the lands acquired with
147.29 funds appropriated under this paragraph is
147.30 exempt from Minnesota Statutes, section
147.31 116P.10, if used for additional wellhead
147.32 protection as provided under this paragraph
147.33 until adequate wellhead protection has been
147.34 achieved, as determined by the commissioner
147.35 of health. Any income earned after that must
147.36 be returned to the environment and natural

148.1 resources trust fund. This appropriation is
148.2 available until June 30, 2019, by which time
148.3 the project must be completed and final
148.4 products delivered.

148.5 **(e) Mesabi Trail Segment from Highway 135 to**
148.6 **Town of Embarrass**

148.7 \$1,200,000 the second year is from the trust
148.8 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
148.9 for an agreement with the St. Louis and Lake
148.10 Counties Regional Railroad Authority for
148.11 engineering and construction of segments of
148.12 the Mesabi Trail, totaling approximately six
148.13 miles between Highway 135 and the town of
148.14 Embarrass. This appropriation is available
148.15 until June 30, 2019, by which time the project
148.16 must be completed and final products
148.17 delivered.

148.18 **(f) Tower Historic Harbor Trail Connections**

148.19 \$679,000 the second year is from the trust
148.20 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
148.21 for an agreement with the city of Tower to
148.22 construct recreational trails along the harbor
148.23 in Tower and to connect to the Mesabi Trail.
148.24 This appropriation is available until June 30,
148.25 2019, by which time the project must be
148.26 completed and final products delivered.

148.27 **(g) Otter Tail River Recreational Trail**
148.28 **Acquisition**

148.29 \$600,000 the second year is from the trust
148.30 fund to the commissioner of natural resources
148.31 for an agreement with the city of Fergus Falls
148.32 to acquire ~~approximately 16 acres~~ land along
148.33 the Otter Tail River for a recreational trail and
148.34 park. This appropriation is contingent on at
148.35 least a ~~\$400,000~~ 40 percent match of nonstate

149.1 money. Prior to the acquisition, a phase 1
 149.2 environmental assessment must be completed
 149.3 and the city must not accept any liability for
 149.4 previous contamination of lands acquired with
 149.5 this appropriation.

149.6 *(h) State Park and Trail Enhancement*

149.7 *\$1,228,000 the second year is from the trust*
 149.8 *fund to the commissioner of natural resources*
 149.9 *for enhancement of state parks and trails as*
 149.10 *follows: \$614,000 is for enhancement of state*
 149.11 *parks and \$614,000 is for enhancement of*
 149.12 *state trails. This appropriation is not subject*
 149.13 *to Minnesota Statutes, sections 116P.05,*
 149.14 *subdivision 2, paragraph (b), and 116P.09,*
 149.15 *subdivision 4. * (The preceding paragraph*
 149.16 **was indicated as vetoed by the governor.)**

149.17 *(i) Douglas County Regional Park*

149.18 *\$400,000 the second year is from the trust*
 149.19 *fund to the commissioner of natural resources*
 149.20 *for an agreement with Douglas County for*
 149.21 *park and trail planning, development, or*
 149.22 *acquisition for a regional park. The grant must*
 149.23 *be matched by other state or nonstate sources.*
 149.24 *This appropriation is available until June 30,*
 149.25 *2019, by which time the project must be*
 149.26 *completed and final products delivered. * (The*
 149.27 **preceding paragraph was indicated as**
 149.28 **vetoed by the governor.)**

149.29 Sec. 7. Laws 2017, chapter 96, section 2, subdivision 8, is amended to read:

149.30 **Subd. 8. Methods to Protect**
 149.31 **or Restore Land, Water, and**
 149.32 **Habitat**

2,729,000

16,554,000

5,000,000

149.33 **(a) Optimizing the Nutrition of Roadside Plants**
 149.34 **for Pollinators**

150.1 \$815,000 the first year is from the trust fund
150.2 to the Board of Regents of the University of
150.3 Minnesota in cooperation with the
150.4 Departments of Agriculture, Natural
150.5 Resources, and Transportation and the Board
150.6 of Water and Soil Resources to produce
150.7 site-specific recommendations for roadside
150.8 plantings in Minnesota to maximize the
150.9 nutritional health of native bees and monarch
150.10 butterflies that rely on roadside habitat
150.11 corridors. This appropriation is available until
150.12 June 30, 2020, by which time the project must
150.13 be completed and final products delivered.

150.14 **(b) Promoting Conservation Biocontrol of**
150.15 **Beneficial Insects**

150.16 \$400,000 the first year is from the trust fund
150.17 to the Board of Regents of the University of
150.18 Minnesota to research integrated pest
150.19 management strategies, including insecticide
150.20 alternatives, and overwintering habitat sites
150.21 to conserve beneficial insects, including bees,
150.22 butterflies, and predator insects. The integrated
150.23 pest management strategies will be used to
150.24 develop best management practices to increase
150.25 pollinator and beneficial insect diversity and
150.26 abundance in various restored habitats. This
150.27 appropriation is available until June 30, 2020,
150.28 by which time the project must be completed
150.29 and final products delivered.

150.30 **(c) Evaluating the Use of Bison to Restore and**
150.31 **Preserve Savanna Habitat**

150.32 \$388,000 the first year is from the trust fund
150.33 to the Board of Regents of the University of
150.34 Minnesota, Cedar Creek Ecosystem Science
150.35 Reserve, to research combined bison grazing
150.36 and fire management strategies to restore

151.1 Minnesota's oak savanna ecosystems. This
151.2 appropriation is available until June 30, 2020,
151.3 by which time the project must be completed
151.4 and final products delivered.

151.5 **(d) State Park Pollinator Habitat Restoration**

151.6 \$672,000 the first year is from the trust fund
151.7 to the commissioner of natural resources to
151.8 restore at least 520 acres of monarch butterfly
151.9 and other native pollinator habitats in at least
151.10 seven state parks in the Minnesota Prairie
151.11 Conservation Plan core areas and establish
151.12 pollinator plantings and interpretive exhibits
151.13 in at least ten state parks. This appropriation
151.14 is available until June 30, 2021, by which time
151.15 the project must be completed and final
151.16 products delivered.

151.17 **(e) Enhancing Spawning Habitat Restoration in**
151.18 **Minnesota Lakes**

151.19 \$294,000 the first year is from the trust fund
151.20 to the Board of Regents of the University of
151.21 Minnesota, St. Anthony Falls Laboratory, in
151.22 cooperation with the Department of Natural
151.23 Resources to enhance efforts to increase
151.24 natural reproduction of fish in Minnesota lakes
151.25 by assessing wave energy impacts on
151.26 near-shore spawning habitat. This
151.27 appropriation is available until June 30, 2020,
151.28 by which time the project must be completed
151.29 and final products delivered.

151.30 **(f) Prescribed-Fire Management for Roadside**
151.31 **Prairies**

151.32 \$345,000 the first year is from the trust fund
151.33 to the commissioner of transportation to
151.34 enhance the prescribed-fire program to manage
151.35 roadsides to protect and increase biodiversity
151.36 and pollinator habitat. This appropriation is

152.1 available until June 30, 2020, by which time
152.2 the project must be completed and final
152.3 products delivered.

152.4 **(g) Minnesota Bee and Beneficial Species Habitat**
152.5 **Restoration**

152.6 \$732,000 the first year is from the trust fund
152.7 to the commissioner of natural resources for
152.8 an agreement with Pheasants Forever in
152.9 cooperation with the University of Minnesota
152.10 and the Minnesota Honey Producers
152.11 Association to restore approximately 800 acres
152.12 of permanently protected land to enhance bee,
152.13 butterfly, beneficial insect, and grassland bird
152.14 habitats. This appropriation is available until
152.15 June 30, 2021, by which time the project must
152.16 be completed and final products delivered.

152.17 **(h) Mississippi and Vermillion Rivers**
152.18 **Restoration of Prairie, Savanna, and Forest**
152.19 **Habitat - Phase X**

152.20 \$213,000 the first year is from the trust fund
152.21 to the commissioner of natural resources for
152.22 an agreement with Friends of the Mississippi
152.23 River for continued implementation of the
152.24 Metro Conservation Corridors partnership by
152.25 improving at least 80 acres of habitat at
152.26 approximately seven sites along the
152.27 Mississippi River and Vermillion River
152.28 corridors. Expenditures are limited to the
152.29 identified project corridor areas as defined in
152.30 the work plan. A list of proposed restoration
152.31 sites must be provided as part of the required
152.32 work plan. Plant and seed materials must
152.33 follow the Board of Water and Soil Resources'
152.34 native vegetation establishment and
152.35 enhancement guidelines. This appropriation
152.36 is available until June 30, 2020, by which time

153.1 the project must be completed and final
153.2 products delivered.

153.3 **(i) Community Stewardship to Restore Urban**
153.4 **Natural Resources - Phase X**

153.5 \$524,000 the first year is from the trust fund
153.6 to the commissioner of natural resources for
153.7 an agreement with Great River Greening to
153.8 work with volunteers for continued
153.9 implementation of the Metro Conservation
153.10 Corridors partnership to restore approximately
153.11 250 acres of forest, prairie, woodland, wetland,
153.12 and shoreline throughout the greater Twin
153.13 Cities metropolitan area. Expenditures are
153.14 limited to the identified project corridor areas
153.15 as defined in the work plan. A list of proposed
153.16 restoration sites and evaluations must be
153.17 provided as part of the required work plan.
153.18 Plant and seed materials must follow the Board
153.19 of Water and Soil Resources' native vegetation
153.20 establishment and enhancement guidelines.
153.21 This appropriation is available until June 30,
153.22 2020, by which time the project must be
153.23 completed and final products delivered.

153.24 **(j) Economic Assessment of Precision**
153.25 **Conservation and Agriculture**

153.26 \$400,000 the first year is from the trust fund
153.27 to the commissioner of natural resources for
153.28 an agreement with Pheasants Forever to
153.29 demonstrate a new approach to promote
153.30 conservation practices utilizing
153.31 return-on-investment analysis and identifying
153.32 revenue-negative acres on agricultural land to
153.33 assist farmers in implementing conservation
153.34 practices that will provide environmental and
153.35 economic benefits. This appropriation is
153.36 available until June 30, 2020, by which time

154.1 the project must be completed and final
154.2 products delivered.

154.3 **(k) Conservation Reserve Enhancement**
154.4 **Program (CREP) Outreach and Implementation**

154.5 \$6,000,000 the first year is from the trust fund
154.6 to the Board of Water and Soil Resources to
154.7 fund staff at soil and water conservation
154.8 districts to assist landowners participating in
154.9 the federal Conservation Reserve
154.10 Enhancement Program. This appropriation is
154.11 contingent upon receipt of federal funds for
154.12 implementation. This appropriation is
154.13 available until June 30, 2020, by which time
154.14 the project must be completed and final
154.15 products delivered.

154.16 **(l) Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program**
154.17 **(CREP)**

154.18 \$2,729,000 in fiscal year 2017 and \$5,771,000
154.19 the first year and \$5,000,000 the second year
154.20 are from the trust fund to the Board of Water
154.21 and Soil Resources to acquire permanent
154.22 conservation easements and restore land under
154.23 Minnesota Statutes, section 103F.515. Of this
154.24 amount, up to \$2,184,000 is for establishing
154.25 a monitoring and enforcement fund as
154.26 approved in the work plan and subject to
154.27 Minnesota Statutes, section 103B.103. This
154.28 work may be done in cooperation with the
154.29 federal Conservation Reserve Enhancement
154.30 Program. This appropriation is available until
154.31 June 30, 2021, by which time the project must
154.32 be completed and final products delivered.

155.1 Sec. 8. **LAKE WINONA MANAGEMENT; USING OFFSET, ADAPTIVE**
155.2 **PLANNING.**

155.3 (a) To facilitate implementation of the Lake Winona total maximum daily load, the
155.4 Alexandria Lake Area Sanitary District may fund or perform lake management activities
155.5 in Lake Winona and in Lake Agnes. Lake management activities may include, but are not
155.6 limited to, carp removal and alum treatment. If the district agrees to fund or perform lake
155.7 management activities in Lake Winona and in Lake Agnes, the commissioner of the Pollution
155.8 Control Agency shall do one of the following unless the district chooses another path to
155.9 compliance that conforms to state and federal law, such as facility construction:

155.10 (1) approve an offset of the phosphorous loading proportional to the reduction achievable
155.11 through lake management activities in Lake Winona and Lake Agnes creditable to the
155.12 Alexandria Lake Area Sanitary District's wastewater treatment facility and issue or amend
155.13 the district's NPDES permit MN004738 to include the offset. The approved offset may be
155.14 related to the lake eutrophication response variable chlorophyll-a, but shall ensure the district
155.15 can achieve compliance with phosphorus effluent limits through wastewater optimization
155.16 techniques without performing capital upgrades to the wastewater treatment facility. The
155.17 lake management activities contemplated under this paragraph need not be completed before
155.18 the commissioner approves the offset and related discharge limits or issues the permit, but
155.19 the permit may include a schedule of compliance outlining the required lake management
155.20 activities and requiring that lake management activities in Lake Winona and Lake Agnes
155.21 begin immediately upon permit issuance. The approved offset and related permit language
155.22 must be consistent with Clean Water Act requirements and Minnesota Statutes, section
155.23 115.03, subdivision 10; or

155.24 (2) amend the district's NPDES permit MN004738 in a manner consistent with state and
155.25 federal law to include an integrated and adaptive lake management plan and to extend the
155.26 final compliance deadline for the final phosphorus concentration effluent limit related to
155.27 the site specific standard for Lake Winona contained in the district's permit until the time
155.28 that the adaptive lake management plan, including carp removal in Lake Winona, can be
155.29 completed and the lake can be reassessed. The permit may include a schedule of compliance
155.30 outlining the required lake management activities and requiring that lake management
155.31 activities in Lake Winona and Lake Agnes begin immediately upon permit issuance.

155.32 (b) If the district agrees to fund or perform the lake management activities identified in
155.33 paragraph (a), the district may cooperate with the city of Alexandria in those efforts. The
155.34 district's responsibility for lake management activities in Lake Winona and Lake Agnes

156.1 terminates upon completion of the lake management activities identified in the schedule of
 156.2 compliance contemplated under paragraph (a).

156.3 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day after the governing body of the
 156.4 Alexandria Lake Area Sanitary District and its chief clerical officer timely complete their
 156.5 compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021, subdivisions 2 and 3.

156.6 **ARTICLE 4**

156.7 **ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TRUST FUND APPROPRIATION**
 156.8 **BONDS AND APPROPRIATIONS**

156.9 Section 1. **[16A.969] ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TRUST**
 156.10 **FUND APPROPRIATION BONDS.**

156.11 Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** (a) The definitions in this subdivision apply to this section.

156.12 (b) "Appropriation bond" or "bond" means a bond, note, or other similar instrument of
 156.13 the state payable during a biennium from one or more of the following sources:

156.14 (1) money appropriated by law from the environment and natural resources trust fund
 156.15 in any biennium for debt service due with respect to obligations described in subdivision

156.16 2;

156.17 (2) proceeds of the sale of obligations described in subdivision 2;

156.18 (3) payments received for that purpose under agreements and ancillary arrangements
 156.19 described in subdivision 2, paragraph (d); and

156.20 (4) investment earnings on amounts in clauses (1) to (3).

156.21 (c) "Debt service" means the amount payable in any biennium of principal, premium, if
 156.22 any, and interest on appropriation bonds.

156.23 (d) "Environment and natural resources trust fund" or "trust fund" means the fund
 156.24 established under the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 14, and governed by that
 156.25 section and chapter 116P.

156.26 Subd. 2. **Authorization to issue appropriation bonds; accounts.** (a) Subject to the
 156.27 limitations of this subdivision, the commissioner may sell and issue appropriation bonds of
 156.28 the state under this section for public purposes and in amounts as provided by law. This
 156.29 authorization meets the public purposes established by the Minnesota Constitution, article
 156.30 XI, section 14 and chapter 116P, and shall be a supplement to the traditional sources of
 156.31 funding for environment and natural resources activities.

157.1 (b) The special appropriation trust fund bond proceeds fund is established in the state
157.2 treasury. Proceeds of the appropriation bonds issued and sold must be credited to the special
157.3 appropriation trust fund bond proceeds fund. A bond payments account is established in
157.4 the special appropriation trust fund bond proceeds fund. All income from investment of the
157.5 bond proceeds, as estimated by the commissioner, must be deposited into the account and
157.6 is appropriated to the commissioner for the payment of principal and interest on the
157.7 appropriation bonds.

157.8 (c) Appropriation bonds may be issued in one or more issues or series on the terms and
157.9 conditions the commissioner determines to be in the best interests of the state, but the term
157.10 on any series of appropriation bonds may not exceed 20 years. The appropriation bonds of
157.11 each issue and series thereof shall be dated and bear interest, and may be includable in or
157.12 excludable from the gross income of the owners for federal income tax purposes.

157.13 (d) At the time of, or in anticipation of, issuing the appropriation bonds, and at any time
157.14 thereafter, so long as the appropriation bonds are outstanding, the commissioner may enter
157.15 into agreements and ancillary arrangements relating to the appropriation bonds, including
157.16 but not limited to trust indentures, grant agreements, lease or use agreements, operating
157.17 agreements, management agreements, liquidity facilities, remarketing or dealer agreements,
157.18 letter of credit agreements, insurance policies, guaranty agreements, reimbursement
157.19 agreements, indexing agreements, or interest exchange agreements. Any payments made
157.20 or received according to the agreement or ancillary arrangement shall be made from or
157.21 deposited as provided in the agreement or ancillary arrangement. The determination of the
157.22 commissioner included in an interest exchange agreement that the agreement relates to an
157.23 appropriation bond shall be conclusive.

157.24 (e) The commissioner may enter into written agreements or contracts relating to the
157.25 continuing disclosure of information necessary to comply with or facilitate the issuance of
157.26 appropriation bonds in accordance with federal securities laws, rules, and regulations,
157.27 including Securities and Exchange Commission rules and regulations in Code of Federal
157.28 Regulations, title 17, section 240.15c2-12. An agreement may be in the form of covenants
157.29 with purchasers and holders of appropriation bonds set forth in the order or resolution
157.30 authorizing the issuance of the appropriation bonds, or a separate document authorized by
157.31 the order or resolution.

157.32 (f) The appropriation bonds are not subject to chapter 16C.

157.33 Subd. 3. **Form; procedure.** (a) Appropriation bonds may be issued in the form of bonds,
157.34 notes, or other similar instruments, and in the manner provided in section 16A.672. In the

158.1 event that any provision of section 16A.672 conflicts with this section, this section shall
158.2 control.

158.3 (b) Every appropriation bond shall include a conspicuous statement of the limitation
158.4 established in subdivision 6.

158.5 (c) Appropriation bonds may be sold at either public or private sale upon such terms as
158.6 the commissioner shall determine are not inconsistent with this section and may be sold at
158.7 any price or percentage of par value. Any bid received may be rejected.

158.8 (d) Appropriation bonds must bear interest at a fixed or variable rate.

158.9 (e) Notwithstanding any other law, appropriation bonds issued under this section shall
158.10 be fully negotiable.

158.11 Subd. 4. **Refunding bonds.** The commissioner may issue appropriation bonds for the
158.12 purpose of refunding any appropriation bonds then outstanding, including the payment of
158.13 any redemption premiums on the bonds, any interest accrued or to accrue to the redemption
158.14 date, and costs related to the issuance and sale of the refunding bonds. The proceeds of any
158.15 refunding bonds may, in the discretion of the commissioner, be applied to the purchase or
158.16 payment at maturity of the appropriation bonds to be refunded, to the redemption of the
158.17 outstanding appropriation bonds on any redemption date, or to pay interest on the refunding
158.18 bonds and may, pending application, be placed in escrow to be applied to the purchase,
158.19 payment, retirement, or redemption. Any escrowed proceeds, pending such use, may be
158.20 invested and reinvested in obligations that are authorized investments under section 11A.24.
158.21 The income earned or realized on the investment may also be applied to the payment of the
158.22 appropriation bonds to be refunded or interest or premiums on the refunded appropriation
158.23 bonds, or to pay interest on the refunding bonds. After the terms of the escrow have been
158.24 fully satisfied, any balance of the proceeds and any investment income may be returned to
158.25 the trust fund or, if applicable, the special appropriation trust fund bond proceeds fund for
158.26 use in any lawful manner. All refunding bonds issued under this subdivision must be
158.27 prepared, executed, delivered, and secured by appropriations in the same manner as the
158.28 appropriation bonds to be refunded.

158.29 Subd. 5. **Appropriation bonds as legal investments.** Any of the following entities may
158.30 legally invest any sinking funds, money, or other funds belonging to them or under their
158.31 control in any appropriation bonds issued under this section:

158.32 (1) the state, the investment board, public officers, municipal corporations, political
158.33 subdivisions, and public bodies;

159.1 (2) banks and bankers, savings and loan associations, credit unions, trust companies,
 159.2 savings banks and institutions, investment companies, insurance companies, insurance
 159.3 associations, and other persons carrying on a banking or insurance business; and

159.4 (3) personal representatives, guardians, trustees, and other fiduciaries.

159.5 Subd. 6. **No full faith and credit; state not required to make appropriations.** The
 159.6 appropriation bonds are not public debt of the state, and the full faith, credit, and taxing
 159.7 powers of the state are not pledged to the payment of the appropriation bonds or to any
 159.8 payment that the state agrees to make under this section. Appropriation bonds shall not be
 159.9 obligations paid directly, in whole or in part, from a tax of statewide application on any
 159.10 class of property, income, transaction, or privilege. Appropriation bonds shall be payable
 159.11 in each fiscal year only from amounts that the legislature may appropriate for debt service
 159.12 for any fiscal year, provided that nothing in this section shall be construed to require the
 159.13 state to appropriate money sufficient to make debt service payments with respect to the
 159.14 appropriation bonds in any fiscal year. Appropriation bonds shall be canceled and shall no
 159.15 longer be outstanding on the earlier of (1) the first day of a fiscal year for which the
 159.16 legislature shall not have appropriated amounts sufficient for debt service, or (2) the date
 159.17 of final payment of the principal of and interest on the appropriation bonds.

159.18 Subd. 7. **Appropriation for debt service and other purposes.** Notwithstanding section
 159.19 116P.05, subdivision 2, paragraph (b), the amount needed to pay principal and interest on
 159.20 appropriation bonds issued under this section and as authorized by other law is appropriated
 159.21 each fiscal year from legally available amounts in the environment and natural resources
 159.22 trust fund to the commissioner, subject to repeal, unallotment under section 16A.152, or
 159.23 cancellation, otherwise pursuant to subdivision 6, for deposit into the bond payments account
 159.24 established for such purpose in the special appropriation trust fund bond proceeds fund.
 159.25 Investment income earned on proceeds of the appropriation bonds issued under this section
 159.26 shall be deposited in the bond payments account and is appropriated to the commissioner.

159.27 Subd. 8. **Waiver of immunity.** The waiver of immunity by the state provided for by
 159.28 section 3.751, subdivision 1, shall be applicable to the appropriation bonds and any ancillary
 159.29 contracts to which the commissioner is a party.

159.30 Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 116P.08, subdivision 1, is amended
 159.31 to read:

159.32 Subdivision 1. **Expenditures.** (a) Money in the trust fund may be spent only for:

159.33 (1) the reinvest in Minnesota program as provided in section 84.95, subdivision 2;

160.1 (2) research that contributes to increasing the effectiveness of protecting or managing
160.2 the state's environment or natural resources;

160.3 (3) collection and analysis of information that assists in developing the state's
160.4 environmental and natural resources policies;

160.5 (4) enhancement of public education, awareness, and understanding necessary for the
160.6 protection, conservation, restoration, and enhancement of air, land, water, forests, fish,
160.7 wildlife, and other natural resources;

160.8 (5) capital projects for the preservation and protection of unique natural resources;

160.9 (6) activities that preserve or enhance fish, wildlife, land, air, water, and other natural
160.10 resources that otherwise may be substantially impaired or destroyed in any area of the state;

160.11 (7) administrative and investment expenses incurred by the State Board of Investment
160.12 in investing deposits to the trust fund; ~~and~~

160.13 (8) administrative expenses subject to the limits in section 116P.09; and

160.14 (9) to pay principal and interest on special appropriation trust fund bonds issued pursuant
160.15 to section 16A.969 and other law.

160.16 (b) In making recommendations for expenditures from the trust fund, the commission
160.17 shall give priority to funding programs and projects under paragraph (a), clauses (1) and
160.18 (6). Any requests for proposals issued by the commission shall clearly indicate these
160.19 priorities.

160.20 **Sec. 3. [446A.076] ESTIMATED FUNDING NEEDS.**

160.21 By February 1 each year, the Public Facilities Authority must submit to the legislative
160.22 committees with jurisdiction over capital investment and environment and natural resources
160.23 finance an estimate of the amount necessary to fund grants under sections 446A.072 and
160.24 446A.073. The report shall show for each community included in the estimate:

160.25 (1) the average annual residential wastewater treatment rates for the community if the
160.26 community does not receive any grant funding under sections 446A.072 and 446A.073;

160.27 (2) the average annual residential wastewater treatment rates for the community if the
160.28 community receives the maximum amount that the community is qualified for under sections
160.29 446A.072 and 446A.073; and

160.30 (3) a comparison of the rates in clause (2) with three times the annual Twin Cities
160.31 metropolitan area weighted average retail charge per household as determined in the most

161.1 recent Survey of Municipal Residential Wastewater Rates prepared by Metropolitan Council
 161.2 Environmental Services.

161.3 **Sec. 4. SPECIAL APPROPRIATION TRUST FUND BONDS; AUTHORIZATION;**
 161.4 **APPROPRIATIONS.**

161.5 Subdivision 1. Appropriations; general. The sums shown in the column under
 161.6 "Appropriations" are appropriated from the special appropriation trust fund bond proceeds
 161.7 fund to the state agencies or officials indicated, to be spent for public purposes. Money
 161.8 appropriated in this section must be spent as authorized by the Minnesota Constitution,
 161.9 article XI, section 14, Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.969, and unless otherwise specified,
 161.10 as authorized by and subject to the requirements of Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116P. Unless
 161.11 otherwise specified, money appropriated in this section is available until June 30, 2022.
 161.12 Money remaining from an appropriation for a project that is completed or abandoned cancels
 161.13 to the bond payments account established for such purpose in the special appropriation trust
 161.14 fund bond proceeds fund, or if not needed for debt service, to the environment and natural
 161.15 resources trust fund.

161.16 Subd. 2. Legislative findings; appropriations supplement other sources of funding
 161.17 for projects. The legislature finds that the appropriations in this section are consistent with
 161.18 the requirement in Minnesota Statutes, section 116P.03, that expenditures of money from
 161.19 the environment and natural resources trust fund are for public purposes that supplement
 161.20 traditional sources of money to pay for expenditures authorized by Minnesota Statutes,
 161.21 section 116P.08, subdivision 1. Further, the legislature finds that notwithstanding any
 161.22 limitation on use of trust fund money in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 116P, the appropriations
 161.23 in this section are for a public purpose and supplement other sources of money to help pay
 161.24 for projects that are consistent with the purposes of the trust fund.

161.25 Subd. 3. Bond sale authorization. To provide the money appropriated in this section,
 161.26 and to pay debt service including capitalized interest, costs of issuance, costs of credit
 161.27 enhancement, or make payments under other agreements entered into under Minnesota
 161.28 Statutes, section 16A.969, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue
 161.29 up to \$98,000,000, net of costs of issuance, of special appropriation trust fund bonds, in the
 161.30 manner, upon the terms, and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, section
 161.31 16A.969.

161.32 Subd. 4. Management and budget; bond sale expenses; annual debt service. Up to
 161.33 \$2,940,000 is appropriated in fiscal year 2019 and up to \$7,840,000 is appropriated each
 161.34 fiscal year beginning in fiscal year 2020 and through fiscal year 2039, from the environment

162.1 and natural resources trust fund to the commissioner of management and budget to pay
 162.2 principal and interest on appropriation bonds issued under this section, as provided in
 162.3 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.969, subdivision 7.

162.4 **Subd. 5. Natural Resources**

162.5 To the commissioner of natural resources for
 162.6 the purposes specified in this section.

162.7 **(1) Natural Resources Asset Preservation** 3,419,000

162.8 For the renovation of state-owned facilities
 162.9 and recreational assets within units of the
 162.10 outdoor recreation system classified under
 162.11 Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.05, operated
 162.12 by the commissioner of natural resources to
 162.13 be spent in accordance with Minnesota
 162.14 Statutes, section 84.946. Notwithstanding
 162.15 Minnesota Statutes, section 84.946, the
 162.16 commissioner may use this appropriation to
 162.17 replace buildings if, considering the embedded
 162.18 energy in the building, that is the most
 162.19 energy-efficient and carbon-reducing method
 162.20 of renovation.

162.21 **(2) Elk River - Lake Orono** 1,500,000

162.22 For a grant to the city of Elk River to dredge
 162.23 Lake Orono.

162.24 **(3) South St. Paul - Seidl's Lake** 781,000

162.25 For a grant to the city of South St. Paul for
 162.26 capital improvements to improve the water
 162.27 quality of Seidl's Lake. The capital
 162.28 improvements include design, engineering,
 162.29 construction, and equipping of a storm water
 162.30 lift station to discharge excess storm water
 162.31 into the city of South St. Paul's storm sewer
 162.32 system to minimize the fluctuating water
 162.33 levels of the lake. This project would be

- 163.1 implemented jointly by the cities of South St.
 163.2 Paul, Inver Grove Heights, and West St. Paul.
- 163.3 **Subd. 6. Pollution Control Agency**
- 163.4 To the Pollution Control Agency for the
 163.5 purposes specified in this section.
- 163.6 **(1) Anoka County-Waste Disposal Engineering**
 163.7 **Closed Landfill** 6,000,000
- 163.8 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section
 163.9 116P.08, subdivision 2, to design and
 163.10 construct remedial systems, including cleanup
 163.11 and removal of a leaking hazardous waste pit
 163.12 and protection of groundwater, at the Waste
 163.13 Disposal Engineering site in Anoka County
 163.14 in accordance with the closed landfill program
 163.15 under Minnesota Statutes, sections 115B.39
 163.16 to 115B.42.
- 163.17 **(2) Lake Redwood Reclamation** 7,300,000
- 163.18 For a grant to the Redwood-Cottonwood
 163.19 Rivers Control Area, a joint powers entity, to
 163.20 predesign, design, construct, and equip the
 163.21 reservoir reclamation and enhancement of the
 163.22 66-acre Lake Redwood Reservoir, to remove
 163.23 approximately 650,000 cubic yards of
 163.24 sediment and increase its depth from
 163.25 approximately 2.8 feet to 20 feet in order to
 163.26 secure renewable energy capacity of the
 163.27 hydroelectric dam which is impeded by lack
 163.28 of water capacity, reduce the flow of pollutants
 163.29 to the Minnesota River, and increase fish
 163.30 habitat and enhance recreational opportunities.
- 163.31 **Subd. 7. Board of Water and Soil Resources**
- 163.32 To the Board of Water and Soil Resources for
 163.33 the purposes specified in this section.
- 163.34 **Reinvest in Minnesota (RIM) Reserve Program** 10,000,000

164.1 (a) To acquire conservation easements from
 164.2 landowners to preserve, restore, create, and
 164.3 enhance wetlands and associated uplands of
 164.4 prairie and grasslands, and restore and enhance
 164.5 rivers and streams, riparian lands, and
 164.6 associated uplands of prairie and grasslands
 164.7 in order to protect soil and water quality,
 164.8 support fish and wildlife habitat, reduce flood
 164.9 damage, and provide other public benefits.

164.10 The provisions of Minnesota Statutes, section
 164.11 103F.515, apply to this program.

164.12 (b) The board shall give priority to leveraging
 164.13 federal money by enrolling targeted new lands
 164.14 or enrolling environmentally sensitive lands
 164.15 that have expiring federal conservation
 164.16 agreements.

164.17 (c) The board is authorized to enter into new
 164.18 agreements and amend past agreements with
 164.19 landowners as required by Minnesota Statutes,
 164.20 section 103F.515, subdivision 5, to allow for
 164.21 restoration.

164.22 (d) Of this appropriation, up to five percent
 164.23 may be used for restoration, rehabilitation, and
 164.24 enhancement; and no more than \$1,000,000
 164.25 may be used to acquire working lands
 164.26 easements.

164.27 **Subd. 8. Public Facilities Authority**

164.28 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section
 164.29 116P.08, subdivision 2, to the Public Facilities
 164.30 Authority for the purposes specified in this
 164.31 section.

164.32 **(1) State Match for Federal Grants**

6,000,000

164.33 To match federal grants for the clean water
 164.34 revolving fund for wastewater treatment under

- 165.1 Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.07. This
 165.2 appropriation must be used for qualified
 165.3 capital projects.
- 165.4 **(2) Water Infrastructure Funding Program** 14,652,000
- 165.5 For grants to eligible municipalities under the
 165.6 wastewater infrastructure funding program
 165.7 under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.072,
 165.8 for wastewater projects listed on the Pollution
 165.9 Control Agency's project priority list in the
 165.10 fundable range under the clean water revolving
 165.11 fund program.
- 165.12 **(3) Point Source Implementation Grants**
 165.13 **Program** 38,348,000
- 165.14 For grants to eligible municipalities under the
 165.15 point source implementation grants program
 165.16 under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.073.
 165.17 This appropriation must be used for qualified
 165.18 capital projects.
- 165.19 **Subd. 9. Metropolitan Council**
- 165.20 To the Metropolitan Council for the purposes
 165.21 specified in this section.
- 165.22 **Metropolitan Regional Parks and Trails Capital**
 165.23 **Improvements** 10,000,000
- 165.24 For the cost of improvements and betterments
 165.25 of a capital nature and acquisition by the
 165.26 council and local government units of regional
 165.27 recreational open-space lands in accordance
 165.28 with the council's policy plan as provided in
 165.29 Minnesota Statutes, section 473.147. This
 165.30 appropriation must not be used to purchase
 165.31 easements."
- 165.32 Delete the title and insert:
- 165.33 "A bill for an act
 165.34 relating to state government; authorizing spending to acquire and better public
 165.35 land and buildings and other improvements of a capital nature with certain

166.1 conditions; appropriating money from the environment and natural resources trust
166.2 fund with certain conditions; modifying previous appropriations; establishing new
166.3 programs and modifying existing programs; authorizing the sale and issuance of
166.4 state bonds; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections
166.5 15B.32, as amended; 16A.642, subdivision 1; 16A.86, subdivision 4; 16B.335,
166.6 subdivision 1; 16B.35, by adding a subdivision; 115.03, by adding a subdivision;
166.7 116.072, by adding a subdivision; 116P.08, subdivision 2; 116P.12, subdivision
166.8 1; 462A.37, subdivisions 1, 2, by adding subdivisions; Minnesota Statutes 2017
166.9 Supplement, sections 116P.08, subdivision 1; 222.49; 326B.124; 462A.2035,
166.10 subdivisions 1, 1b; 462A.37, subdivision 5; 473.857, subdivision 2; Laws 2009,
166.11 chapter 93, article 1, section 14, subdivision 3, as amended; Laws 2014, chapter
166.12 294, article 1, sections 5, subdivision 3; 7, subdivision 15, as amended; 21,
166.13 subdivision 12, as amended; 22, subdivision 5; Laws 2014, chapter 295, section
166.14 9; Laws 2015, chapter 76, section 2, subdivision 9; Laws 2015, First Special Session
166.15 chapter 5, article 1, section 10, subdivision 3, as amended; Laws 2016, chapter
166.16 186, section 2, subdivision 9; Laws 2017, chapter 96, section 2, subdivision 8;
166.17 Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 3, article 1, section 2, subdivisions 2, 3;
166.18 Laws 2017, First Special Session chapter 8, article 1, sections 6, subdivision 6;
166.19 15, subdivisions 3, 11, 13; 16, subdivision 7; 17, subdivision 9; 19, subdivision 3;
166.20 20, subdivisions 9, 21; 21, subdivision 8; 23, subdivision 3; 27; proposing coding
166.21 for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 15B; 16A; 115; 245G; 446A."

167.1 We request the adoption of this report and repassage of the bill.

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