

1.1 ..... moves to amend H.F. No. 3158, the first engrossment, as follows:

1.2 Page 6, line 20, delete "\$5,099,000" and insert "\$5,077,000"

1.3 Adjust amounts accordingly

1.4 Page 7, after line 10, insert:

1.5 "Sec. 8. Laws 2013, chapter 114, article 3, section 4, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

1.6			<del>31,582,000</del>
1.7	Subd. 3. <b>Ecological and Water Resources</b>	27,182,000	<u>31,604,000</u>

1.8	Appropriations by Fund		
1.9			<del>16,817,000</del>
1.10	General	12,117,000	<u>16,839,000</u>
1.11	Natural Resources	11,002,000	10,702,000
1.12	Game and Fish	4,063,000	4,063,000

1.13 \$3,542,000 the first year and \$3,242,000 the  
 1.14 second year are from the invasive species  
 1.15 account in the natural resources fund and  
 1.16 \$2,906,000 the first year and \$3,206,000 the  
 1.17 second year are from the general fund for  
 1.18 management, public awareness, assessment  
 1.19 and monitoring research, and water access  
 1.20 inspection to prevent the spread of invasive  
 1.21 species; management of invasive plants in  
 1.22 public waters; and management of terrestrial  
 1.23 invasive species on state-administered lands.

1.24 \$5,000,000 the first year and \$5,000,000 the  
 1.25 second year are from the water management  
 1.26 account in the natural resources fund for only

2.1 the purposes specified in Minnesota Statutes,  
2.2 section 103G.27, subdivision 2.

2.3 \$103,000 the first year and ~~\$103,000~~  
2.4 \$125,000 the second year are for a grant to  
2.5 the Mississippi Headwaters Board for up  
2.6 to 50 percent of the cost of implementing  
2.7 the comprehensive plan for the upper  
2.8 Mississippi within areas under the board's  
2.9 jurisdiction. The base for this grant is  
2.10 \$103,000. By January 15, 2015, the  
2.11 board shall submit a report detailing the  
2.12 results achieved with the fiscal year 2014  
2.13 appropriation and the anticipated results  
2.14 that will be achieved with the fiscal year  
2.15 2015 appropriation to the commissioner and  
2.16 the chairs and ranking minority members  
2.17 of the senate and house of representatives  
2.18 committees and divisions with jurisdiction  
2.19 over environment and natural resources  
2.20 policy and finance.

2.21 \$10,000 the first year and \$10,000 the second  
2.22 year are for payment to the Leech Lake Band  
2.23 of Chippewa Indians to implement the band's  
2.24 portion of the comprehensive plan for the  
2.25 upper Mississippi.

2.26 \$264,000 the first year and \$264,000 the  
2.27 second year are for grants for up to 50  
2.28 percent of the cost of implementation of  
2.29 the Red River mediation agreement. The  
2.30 commissioner shall submit a report to the  
2.31 chairs of the legislative committees having  
2.32 primary jurisdiction over environment and  
2.33 natural resources policy and finance on the  
2.34 accomplishments achieved with the grants  
2.35 by January 15, 2015.

3.1 \$1,643,000 the first year and \$1,643,000  
3.2 the second year are from the heritage  
3.3 enhancement account in the game and  
3.4 fish fund for only the purposes specified  
3.5 in Minnesota Statutes, section 297A.94,  
3.6 paragraph (e), clause (1).

3.7 \$1,223,000 the first year and \$1,223,000 the  
3.8 second year are from the nongame wildlife  
3.9 management account in the natural resources  
3.10 fund for the purpose of nongame wildlife  
3.11 management. Notwithstanding Minnesota  
3.12 Statutes, section 290.431, \$100,000 the first  
3.13 year and \$100,000 the second year may  
3.14 be used for nongame wildlife information,  
3.15 education, and promotion.

3.16 \$1,600,000 the first year and \$6,000,000 the  
3.17 second year are from the general fund for the  
3.18 following activities:

3.19 (1) increased financial reimbursement  
3.20 and technical support to soil and water  
3.21 conservation districts or other local units  
3.22 of government for groundwater level  
3.23 monitoring;

3.24 (2) additional surface water monitoring and  
3.25 analysis, including installation of monitoring  
3.26 gauges;

3.27 (3) additional groundwater analysis to  
3.28 assist with water appropriation permitting  
3.29 decisions;

3.30 (4) additional permit application review  
3.31 incorporating surface water and groundwater  
3.32 technical analysis;

3.33 (5) enhancement of precipitation data and  
3.34 analysis to improve the use of irrigation;

4.1 (6) enhanced information technology,  
4.2 including electronic permitting and  
4.3 integrated data systems; and

4.4 (7) increased compliance and monitoring.

4.5 Of this amount, \$600,000 the first year is for  
4.6 silica sand rulemaking and is available until  
4.7 spent.

4.8 The commissioner, in cooperation with the  
4.9 commissioner of agriculture, shall enforce  
4.10 compliance with aquatic plant management  
4.11 requirements regulating the control of  
4.12 aquatic plants with pesticides and removal of  
4.13 aquatic plants by mechanical means under  
4.14 Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.615."

4.15         Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

4.16         Amend the title accordingly