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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETY-SECOND SESSION

H. F. No. **4661**

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on State Government Finance and Elections

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to local government; amending the amount that a city may annually spend  
1.3 on a Memorial Day observance; amending Minnesota Statutes 2020, section 465.50.

1.4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.5 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2020, section 465.50, is amended to read:

1.6 **465.50 OBSERVANCE OF MEMORIAL DAY.**

1.7 The council of each and every city in the state, in addition to all other powers now  
1.8 possessed by it, is hereby empowered and authorized to set apart, appropriate, and expend,  
1.9 or cause to be expended, in such manner as it may deem best, from any funds in the city  
1.10 treasury available therefor, an amount not to exceed the sum of ~~\$300~~ \$10,000 annually for  
1.11 each 75,000 of population of such city for the purpose of aiding in the appropriate observance  
1.12 of Memorial Day on the last Monday in May of each year and in the annual commemoration  
1.13 of the noble and valiant deeds of the nation's soldier dead.

1.14 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.