

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 1807 as follows:

1.2 Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

1.3 "Section 1. **COLLABORATIVE SUMMER INTENSIVE PROGRAM.**

1.4 Subdivision 1. **Taconite assistance area schools.** Two or more school districts located
1.5 in the taconite assistance area under Minnesota Statutes, section 273.1341 may collaborate
1.6 to offer summer school programming for students.

1.7 Subd. 2. **Eligible students.** Any student enrolled in a qualifying school district in grades
1.8 5 through 8 may participate in any of the collaborative programs formed under this section,
1.9 regardless of where the program is located.

1.10 Subd. 3. **Collaborative programs authorized.** (a) Two or more qualifying school
1.11 districts may offer an intensive summer school program. A qualifying district may join more
1.12 than one collaboration.

1.13 (b) Each collaborative program may focus on one or more of the following:

1.14 (1) science, technology, engineering, and math activities;

1.15 (2) world language activities;

1.16 (3) other academic enrichment activities;

1.17 (4) fine arts programs;

1.18 (5) performing arts programs;

1.19 (6) career and technical activities; and

1.20 (7) recreational programming.

1.21 (c) A collaborative program must operate for at least three weeks during the summer
1.22 and for the number of hours per day as agreed to by the collaborating school districts.

2.1 (d) Qualifying districts must submit a grant request for each collaborative program in
2.2 the form and manner specified by the commissioner of education.

2.3 Subd. 4. Collaborative program staff. Each collaborative program course must be
2.4 taught by a licensed teacher. A collaborative program may employ other nonlicensed staff.
2.5 To the extent possible, the teacher must be an employee of one of the member school
2.6 districts. The collaborative program's teacher daily rate of pay must not be less than the
2.7 highest average daily rate of pay for the regular school year for the participating school
2.8 districts.

2.9 Subd. 5. Community partners. A collaborative program may include community
2.10 partners, including city, county, and other summer program providers.

2.11 Subd. 6. Pupil transportation. A collaborative program is encouraged to provide pupil
2.12 transportation to and from its program.

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

2.14 Sec. 2. APPROPRIATION.

2.15 (a) \$2,000,000 in fiscal year 2020 is appropriated from the general fund to the
2.16 commissioner of education for the collaborative summer intensive programs authorized
2.17 under section 1. Grant funding may be used for pupil transportation.

2.18 (b) The collaborating school districts must provide matching funds equal to the grant
2.19 amount for each program. The matching funds may be in cash or in-kind contributions.

2.20 (c) This appropriation is available until June 30, 2021."