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### Overview

This act provides appropriations from sales tax revenues deposited in four dedicated funds under Article XI, section 15, of the Minnesota Constitution (the outdoor heritage fund, clean water fund, parks and trails fund, and arts and cultural heritage fund).

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### **Article 1: Outdoor Heritage Fund**

### **Overview**

This article provides appropriations from the outdoor heritage fund for various projects and programs based on the recommendations of the Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council (LSOHC) that is charged with making recommendations to the legislature on the use of the funds in the outdoor heritage fund.

- 1 Outdoor heritage appropriation. Technical.
- 2 Outdoor heritage.
  - **Subd. 1. Total appropriation.** Provides the total appropriation from the outdoor heritage fund in fiscal year 2014.
  - **Subd. 2. Prairies.** Provides a total appropriation of \$27,730,000 in fiscal year 2014 for the following prairie projects:

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(a) \$2,000,000 to the Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR), in cooperation with the Minnesota Land Trust and the Conservation Fund, for a pilot project to acquire conservation easements on grasslands;

- (b) \$7,960,000 for an agreement with Pheasants Forever to acquire wildlife management areas (WMAs);
- (c) \$4,940,000 to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to acquire land for WMAs and scientific and natural areas (SNAs), and to acquire native prairie bank easements:
- (d) \$5,310,000 for an agreement with the Nature Conservancy to acquire native prairie, wetland, and savanna and restore and enhance grasslands, wetlands, and savanna;
- (e) \$3,520,000 to BWSR to acquire permanent conservation easements that expand clean water fund riparian buffers on private land;
- (f) \$1,780,000 for an agreement with the Trust for Public Land to acquire and restore lands in the Cannon River watershed for WMA or aquatic management area (AMA) purposes; and
- (g) \$2,220,000 to the DNR to accelerate restoration and enhancement of WMAs, SNAs, and land under native prairie bank easements.
- **Subd. 3. Forests.** Provides a total appropriation of \$7,130,000 in fiscal year 2014 for the following forest projects:
  - (a) \$1,180,000 for an agreement with the American Bird Conservancy to acquire land for WMAs:
  - (b) \$1,150,000 to BWSR and \$300,000 to the DNR to acquire land in fee and through permanent conservation easements adjacent to the Mississippi and Crow Wing Rivers and the boundaries of the Minnesota National Guard Army Compatible Use Buffer (ACUB);
  - (c) \$1,180,000 for an agreement with Pheasants Forever, in cooperation with the Minnesota Sharp-Tailed Grouse Society, to acquire and enhance lands for WMA purposes;
  - (d) \$500,000 for an agreement with Cass County to acquire land for forest wildlife habitat;
  - (e) \$820,000 for an agreement with the Minnesota Land Trust to acquire conservation easements along rivers and lakes in the northern forest region; and
  - (f) \$2,000,000 for an agreement with the Minnesota Deer Hunters Association to

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restore and enhance public forest lands in the northern forest region for moose habitat.

- **Subd. 4. Wetlands.** Provides a total appropriation of \$31,150,000 in fiscal year 2014 for the following wetland projects:
  - (a) \$13,390,000 to BWSR for permanent easements and restoration of wetlands and associated uplands through the Reinvest in Minnesota (RIM) Reserve program and Wetlands Reserve Program;
  - (b) \$6,830,000 for an agreement with Pheasants Forever to acquire land for waterfowl production areas;
  - (c) \$3,530,000 for an agreement with Ducks Unlimited to acquire land for WMAs;
  - (d) \$1,630,000 to BWSR to acquire land in fee for wild rice lake shoreland habitat;
  - (e) \$1,980,000 for an agreement with the Minnesota Land Trust to acquire permanent conservation easements in high-priority wetland complexes in the prairie and forest/prairie transition areas;
  - (f) \$1,790,000 to the DNR to enhance and restore shallow lakes; and
  - (g) \$2,000,000 for an agreement with Ducks Unlimited to construct an outlet, water control structure, and pump station to enhance aquatic habitat in Pelican Lake.
- **Subd. 5. Habitat.** Provides a total appropriation of \$33,287,000 in fiscal year 2014 for the following habitat projects:
  - (a) \$5,250,000 to the DNR to acquire lands in fee for AMAs and to restore and enhance aquatic habitat;
  - (b) \$4,100,000 for an agreement with Dakota County to acquire, restore, and enhance lands in Dakota County for fish and wildlife management purposes for WMAs and AMAs;
  - (c) \$2,750,000 for agreements to acquire conservation easements and land in fee for SNA and state forest purposes;
  - (d) \$1,720,000 for agreements to acquire land in fee and through conservation easements and to restore and enhance natural systems associated with the Mississippi, Minnesota, and St. Croix Rivers;
  - (e) \$1,000,000 to the University of Minnesota to acquire land in fee surrounding Lake Tamarack for the Minnesota Landscape Arboretum;
  - (f) \$1,710,000 to the DNR to enhance aquatic habitat;
  - (g) \$2,470,000 for an agreement with Trout Unlimited to restore and enhance coldwater fish river and stream habitats;

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- (h) \$1,127,000 for an agreement with the Shell Rock River Watershed District to construct structural deterrents and lake level controls to enhance aquatic habitat on Albert Lea Lake;
- (i) \$6,300,000 to the Metropolitan Council for grants to restore and enhance habitat in the metropolitan regional park system (this appropriation was VETOED); and
- (j) \$6,860,000 to the DNR for the Outdoor Heritage Conservation Partners Grant Program, a competitive grant program administered by the DNR. Of this amount, \$3,860,000 is available for grants to local, regional, state, and national organizations for enhancement, restoration, or protection of forests, wetlands, prairies, and habitat for fish, game, or wildlife. The grants may be awarded in an amount up to \$400,000 and require a nonstate match of ten percent; and \$3,000,000 is available for aquatic invasive species grants to tribal and local governments (This portion of the appropriation was VETOED).
- **Subd. 6. Administration.** Provides a total appropriation of \$753,000 for administration, including: \$175,000 for contract management services from the DNR; \$468,000 for administration of the council; \$45,000 for a technical evaluation panel to conduct restoration audits; \$50,000 for land acquisition pre-transaction services of the DNR; and \$15,000 for the Legislative Coordinating Commission's Legacy website.
- **Subd. 7. Availability of appropriation.** States that money appropriated may not be spent on activities unless they are directly related to and necessary for a specific appropriation and are specified in the accomplishment plan and may not be spent on indirect costs or other institutional overhead charges that are not directly related to a specific appropriation. Provides for the length of time the funds may be available. States that funds for acquisition may be used to restore, enhance, and provide for the public use of lands acquired and that public use facilities must have minimal impact on habitat.
- **Subd. 8. Payment conditions and capital equipment expenditures.** Requires all agreements to be administered on a reimbursement basis unless otherwise provided. Allows reasonable amounts to be advanced in some circumstances if approved as part of an accomplishment plan. Requires capital expenditures that exceed \$10,000 to be itemized and approved as part of an accomplishment plan.
- **Subd. 9. Mapping.** Requires recipients of an appropriation to submit geographic information on lands acquired in fee that are open to the public for hunting and fishing to the DNR for mapping.
- **Subd. 10. Appropriations carryforward; fee title acquisition.** Extends a previous appropriation for a Washington County project until July 1, 2015, and allows the funding to be used for acquisition of land in fee.
- **Biennial recommendations study.** Requires the LSOHC to examine transitioning to a biennial recommendation process beginning in fiscal year 2016 and to submit its

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recommendations on the process to the legislature along with its outdoor heritage fund expenditure recommendations due in January of 2014.

# Article 2: Clean Water Fund Overview

This article includes appropriations from the clean water fund for various projects and programs, including projects and programs recommended for funding by the Clean Water Council that is charged with making recommendations on the use of the funds in the clean water fund.

- 1 Clean water fund appropriations. Technical.
- Clean water. Provides a total appropriation of \$97,301,000 from the clean water fund in fiscal year 2014, and \$97,680,000 in fiscal year 2015. States that money appropriated in the article may not be spent on activities unless they are directly related to and necessary for a specific appropriation and must not be spent on indirect costs or other institutional overhead charges that are not directly related to and necessary for a specific appropriation. Makes the funds available for two years or, when federal funds are involved, for the time period equal to the federal funding availability.
- **Department of Agriculture.** Appropriates \$7,310,000 in fiscal year 2014 and \$7,460,000 in fiscal year 2015 to the Department of Agriculture, including money:
  - to monitor pesticides and pesticide degradates in ground and surface waters;
  - to increase monitoring and evaluate trends in nitrate concentrations;
  - for the agricultural best management loan account for low-interest septic system loans;
  - for research, pilot projects, and technical assistance;
  - for research to quantify agricultural contributions to impaired waters;
  - for a research inventory database;
  - for implementation of the agricultural water quality certification program;
  - for a regional irrigation water quality specialist; and
  - to develop and implement an instruction system for manure applicators.
- **Public Facilities Authority.** Appropriates \$11,000,000 each year to the Public Facilities Authority (PFA), including \$9,000,000 each year for the total maximum daily load (TMDL) grant program, and \$2,000,000 each year for grants and loans for small community wastewater treatment.
- **Pollution Control Agency.** Appropriates \$28,365,000 in fiscal year 2014 and \$28,265,000 in fiscal year 2015 to the Pollution Control Agency (PCA), including money for:

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- completion of 20 percent of the needed statewide surface water assessments;
- the development of watershed restoration and protection strategies (WRAPS) which include TMDL studies and TMDL implementation plans;
- groundwater assessment;
- a restoration project in the lower St. Louis River and Duluth harbor;
- the clean water partnership program;
- storm water research and guidance;
- TMDL research and database development;
- development of a multiagency watershed database reporting portal;
- national pollutant discharge elimination system (NPDES) wastewater and storm water TMDL implementation;
- grants to counties for subsurface sewage treatment systems (SSTS);
- grants for sewer projects that protect or restore water quality in national parks in the state;
- development of wastewater treatment system designs and practices and for providing technical assistance; and
- administration expenses of the Clean Water Council.
- **Department of Natural Resources.** Appropriates \$12,635,000 in fiscal year 2014 and \$9,450,000 in fiscal year 2015 to the DNR, including money for:
  - stream flow monitoring;
  - lake Index of Biological Integrity (IBI) assessments;
  - assessing mercury contamination of fish;
  - TMDL development and implementation plans;
  - water supply planning, aquifer protection, and monitoring activities;
  - technical assistance to support local implementation of nonpoint source restoration and protection activities;
  - applied research and tools;
  - county geologic atlases;
  - best management practices for public water access sites;
  - development and designation of groundwater management areas;
  - grants to counties who have adopted advanced shoreland protection measures; and
  - for Mississippi River Corridor Critical Area (MRCCA) rulemaking.
- **Board of Water and Soil Resources.** Appropriates \$30,689,000 in fiscal year 2014 and \$34,740,000 in fiscal year 2015 to BWSR, including money for:

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 grants to watershed districts, watershed management organizations, and other joint powers organizations that have multiyear plans that will result in significant water pollution reduction;

- grants to local units of government for riparian buffers, water storage practices, stream bank stabilization; implementation of feedlot best management practices and others activities;
- targeted local resource protection and enhancement grants;
- state oversight and accountability of local implementation efforts;
- grants to local units of government to ensure compliance with drainage and soil erosion requirements, and funds for the update of the Minnesota Public Drainage Manual:
- acquisition and restoration of permanent conservation easements on riparian buffers;
- permanent conservation easements on wellhead protection areas;
- community partners grants;
- restoration audits; and
- assistance and grants to local units of government to transition to a watershed approach.

Requires the board to contract with the Conservation Corps Minnesota for \$500,000 each year under the programs funded in this section.

- **Department of Health.** Appropriates \$4,635,000 each year to the Department of Health, including money for:
  - addressing public health concerns related to drinking water contaminants of emerging concern;
  - drinking water source protection;
  - cost-share assistance to public and private well owners;
  - expansion of the county well index;
  - study of the occurrence and magnitude of contaminants in private wells;
  - monitoring recreational beaches on Lake Superior for pollutants that may pose a health risk; and
  - development and implementation of a groundwater virus monitoring plan.
- **Metropolitan Council.** Appropriates \$2,037,000 in fiscal year 2014 and \$1,500,000 in fiscal year 2015 to the Metropolitan Council for:
  - grants or loans for local inflow and infiltration reduction programs;
  - an investigation of the groundwater and surface water interaction in and around White Bear Lake and the surrounding lakes; and
  - metropolitan regional groundwater planning.

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10 University of Minnesota. Appropriates \$615,000 each year to the University of Minnesota for developing county geologic atlases.

- Legislature. Appropriates \$15,000 each year to the Legislative Coordinating Commission for the costs of the commission's Legacy website.
- Watershed restoration and protection strategy or WRAPS. Adds § 114D.15, subd. 13. Establishes a definition for watershed restoration and protection strategy or "WRAPS" for purposes of the Clean Water Legacy Act.
- Watershed restoration and protection strategies. Adds § 114D.26. Requires the PCA to develop watershed restoration, and protection strategy requirements for them. Requires the PCA to report on its Web site the progress towards implementing milestones and water quality goals for all adopted TMDLs and WRAPSs every two years. Requires the PCA to complete WRAPSs for at least ten percent of the state's major watersheds each year.
- Nonpoint priority funding plan. Adds § 114D.50, subd. 3a. Requires the PCA to develop a priority funding plan, every other year, to prioritize nonpoint restoration and protection actions and post the plan on the agency's Web site.
- Riparian buffer payments; reporting. Adds § 114D.50, subd. 4a. Restricts the amount that may be paid for riparian buffer easements purchased with clean water funds when the first 50 feet of the buffer are out of compliance with riparian buffer requirements established in rule and requires BWSR to report on the money spent on easements on buffers that are not compliant.
- **Restoration evaluations.** Amends § 114D.50, subd. 6. Removes the cap on the number of restoration evaluations that may be conducted each year on restorations funded by the clean water fund (currently the maximum is ten).
- Coal tar sealant use and sale prohibited. Adds § 116.202. Prohibits the use and sale of coal tar sealant products beginning January 1, 2014. Allows the PCA to provide an exemption for those using the product for environmental research or for developing alternatives.
- **Administration; duties.** Amends § 116G.15, subd. 2. Modifies the requirements of the DNR when managing the Mississippi River Corridor Critical Area (MRCCA) to include providing for the redevelopment of the area and for recreational uses.
- **Districts.** Amends § 116G.15, subd. 3. Modifies criteria the DNR must consider when creating districts for purposes of MRCCA rules.
- **Standards.** Amends § 116G.15, subd. 4. Removes the requirement of the DNR to establish maps to define bluffs and related features within the MRCCA and various definitions of bluff features.
- **Rules.** Amends § 116G.15, subd. 7. Extends DNR's rulemaking authority for the MRCCA rules.

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Mississippi River Corridor Critical Area report. Requires the DNR to submit a report to the legislature on the status of the MRCCA rulemaking by January 15, 2014.

**Repealer.** Repeals section 116.201 effective January 1, 2014 (ban on state agencies purchasing coal tar products).

# Article 3: Parks and Trails Fund Overview

This article provides appropriations from the parks and trails fund. The article provides appropriations to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) for state parks, trails, and recreation areas; for regional parks and trails in greater Minnesota through the parks and trails legacy grant program and through specific project appropriations; and to the Metropolitan Council for specific metropolitan regional parks and trails and for land acquisition grants.

- 1 Parks and trails fund appropriations. Technical.
- Parks and trails. Provides a total appropriation of \$42,509,000 from the parks and trails fund in fiscal year 2014, and \$42,596,000 in fiscal year 2015. States that money appropriated in the article may not be spent on activities unless they are directly related to and necessary for a specific appropriation and must not be spent on indirect costs or other institutional overhead charges that are not directly related to and necessary for a specific appropriation. Makes the funds available for three years or, when federal funds are involved, for the time period equal to the federal funding availability.
- Natural resources. Appropriates \$25,431,000 in fiscal year 2014 and \$25,637,000 in fiscal year 2015 to the DNR for the following parks and trails purposes:
  - \$16,821,000 in 2014 and \$16,953,000 in 2015 for state park, trail, and recreation area purposes;
  - \$3,533,000 in 2014 and \$4,078,000 in 2015 for grants for regional parks and trails in greater Minnesota under the parks and trails legacy grant program;
  - \$4,877,000 in 2014 and \$4,399,000 in 2015 for grants for various regional parks and trails projects in greater Minnesota;
  - \$200,000 in 2014 and \$207,000 in 2015 for enhanced information, marketing and promotional efforts for all parks and trails; and
  - requires the commissioner to contract with the Conservation Corps Minnesota for at least \$1,000,000 each year.
- 4 Metropolitan Council. Appropriates \$16,821,000 in fiscal year 2014 and \$16,953,000 in fiscal year 2015 for metropolitan regional parks and trails to be distributed to implementing agencies for various projects and activities and for grants for land acquisition.

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**Legislature.** Appropriates a total of \$13,000 to the Legislative Coordinating Commission for the costs of the commission's Legacy Web site.

- 6 University of Minnesota. Appropriates \$250,000 in fiscal year 2014 to the University of Minnesota Center for Changing Landscapes to update the long-range parks and trails inventory and framework.
- **Public official.** Amends § 10A.01, subd. 35. Includes members of the Greater Minnesota Regional Parks and Trails Commission in the definition of "public official" for purposes of Minnesota Statutes, chapter 10A (conflict of interest, gift ban, statement of economic interest).
- **Greater Minnesota Regional Parks and Trails Commission.** Adds § 85.536. Creates a Greater Minnesota Regional Parks and Trails Commission to undertake system planning and to provide recommendations to the legislature for grants funded by the parks and trails fund to counties and cities outside of the seven-county metropolitan area for parks of regional significance.

The commission consists of 13 members appointed by the governor, including two members representing six regional parks and trails districts to be developed by the commissioner of natural resources and one at large member. Requires the commissioner, in consultation with the Greater Minnesota Regional Parks and Trails coalition, to establish the districts by combining counties outside the seven-county metropolitan area.

Provides for membership terms, compensation and removal of members, filling of vacancies, selection of a chair, conflicts of interest, and openness of meetings.

Authorizes counties within each district to jointly prepare and submit to the Commission a master plan for acquisition and development of parks and trails of regional significance located within the district. Specifies procedures for public hearings. Requires the Commission to review each master plan.

Specifies criteria for determining whether a park or trail is considered of regional significance under this section.

Requires the Commission to make recommendations consistent with master plans. Specifies criteria that govern the Commission's recommendations. Requires the recommendations to be submitted to the legislature in a report by January 15, each year.

9 **Mississippi Whitewater Park.** Extends the availability of an appropriation for the Mississippi Whitewater Park until June 30, 2018.

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## Article 4: Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund Overview

This article provides appropriations from the arts and cultural heritage fund.

**Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund Appropriation.** Provides the appropriation language for the arts and cultural heritage fund. The total appropriation is \$58,309,000 for fiscal year 2014 and \$57,659,000 for fiscal year 2015.

#### 2 Arts and Cultural Heritage

- **Subd. 1. Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund.** Provides that \$58,309,000 shall be spent in the first year of the biennium, 2014, and \$57,659,000 shall be spent in the second year of the biennium, 2015.
- **Subd. 2. Availability of Appropriation.** Directs that the appropriations must be spent on necessary and direct costs related to the specific appropriation.
- **Subd. 3. Minnesota State Arts Board.** Provides \$26,675,000 to the Minnesota Arts Board in 2014 and \$26,675,000 to the Arts Board in 2015. Of this appropriation, 30 percent of the money is to be provided to the regional state arts boards. Any grantee receiving money from a fiscal year 2013 grant must return unexpended funds and any money spent during a lockout, and must report any spending to the Office of the Legislative Auditor. The appropriation is broken as follows:
- Arts and Arts Access Initiatives: \$21,325,000 the first year and \$21,325,000 the second year for creating arts activities and reducing barriers to accessing those activities. Of this amount, 4.5 percent may be used for administration of the grants given under this provision.
- Arts Education: \$3,760,000 each year for arts education.
- Arts and Cultural Heritage: \$1,590,000 in the first year and \$1,590,000 the second year for events and activities that represent diverse cultural and arts traditions. Of this amount 4.5 percent may be used for administration of the grants given under this provision.
- **Subd. 4. Department of Education.** Provides \$3,000,000 each year for grants to the state's regional library system to create educational opportunities related to arts, history, literary arts, and cultural heritage. Provides language on how the funds shall be divided and distributed and how long the funds are available.
- **Subd. 5. Minnesota Historical Society.** Provides \$13,800,000 in the first year and \$14,075,000 in the second year to the Historical Society to supplement traditional funding. Requires the Historical Society to give consideration to the Conservation Corp Minnesota and the Northern Bedrock Conservation Corp, and similar

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organization, for historical preservation projects. The appropriation is broken down as follows:

- <u>Statewide Historic and Cultural Grants:</u> \$5,525,000 in the first year and \$5,675,000 in the second year for history programs through local or regional historical or cultural organizations and for activities to preserve historic and cultural resources.
- <u>Programs:</u> \$5,525,000 in the first year and \$5,675,000 in the second year for historical and cultural heritage programs conducted by the Minnesota Historical Society.
- <u>History Partnerships:</u> \$2,000,000 each year for the historical society to partner with other organizations to enhance access to Minnesota's history and cultural heritage.
- <u>Statewide Survey of Historical and Archaeological Sites:</u> \$300,000 each year for competitive contacts for a statewide survey of Minnesota's historical sites.
- <u>Digital Library:</u> \$300,000 each year for preserving historical materials in digital formats.
- <u>Civil War Task Force:</u> \$25,000 in the first year for activities to commemorate the sesquicentennial of the American Civil War and Dakota Conflict.
- <u>Civil Education Grants:</u> \$125,000 each year for competitive grants for civics education programs for youth 18 and under.
- **Subd. 6. Department of Administration.** Provides the appropriations to the Department of Administration to administer grants to individual programs. Each of these programs, except for AMPERS, MPR, the Minnesota African American Museum, the Veterans Memorial Parks, and Public Television, has a priority for projects with a 25 percent nonstate cash match by the recipients.
- Minnesota Public Radio: \$1,500,000 each year
- AMPERS: \$1,650,000 each year
- <u>Lake Superior Center Authority:</u> \$200,000 in fiscal year 2014
- <u>Lake Superior Zoo:</u> \$150,000 each year
- Como Park Zoo: \$500,000 each year
- <u>Science Museum:</u> \$500,000 each year for programs, increase access, and the American Indian initiatives; \$600,000 each year for upgrades for the omnitheater, must have a 25 percent nonstate cash match
- Public Television: \$3,950,000 each year
- Small Theater Grants: \$75,000 in the first year and \$75,000 in the second year for

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grants to theaters to upgrade from 35 millimeter projection to digital projection

- <u>Minnesota African American Museum and Cultural Center</u>: \$400,000 in the first year
- <u>Veterans Memorial Parks</u>: \$80,000 the first year
- **Subd. 7. Minnesota Humanities Center.** Provides an appropriation of \$1,725,000 in the first year and \$1,525,000 in the second year to the Humanities Center to run programs and administer grants to other programs.
- <u>Programs and Purposes:</u> \$425,000 each year for programs for the Humanities Center or for grants to museums and organizations; of that \$100,000 each year may be used for the Veteran's Voices Awards Program
- <u>Minnesota Children's Museum:</u> \$600,000 in the first year and \$400,000 in the second year for the Minnesota Children's Museum programs, with a priority for a 25 percent nonstate cash match
- <u>Duluth Children's Museum:</u> \$200,000 each year
- Grand Rapids Children's Museum: \$100,000 each year
- <u>Southern Minnesota Children's Museum:</u> \$200,000 each year for new exhibits, with a priority for a 25 percent nonstate cash match
- <u>Council on Disability:</u> \$200,000 each year for grants for education and events for the 25th Anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act
- **Subd. 8. Perpich Center for Arts Education.** Provides an appropriation of \$795,000 in the first year and \$750,000 the second year for administration and programs.
- <u>Administrative Costs:</u> \$20,000 in the first year and \$20,000 in the second year for administrative costs.
- Arts Integration Networks: \$775,000 in the first year and \$730,000 in the second year for the Arts Integration program to assist teachers in designing and implementing collaborative arts in Minnesota schools and improve students learning and for the Arts-Integrated High School Course development.
- **Subd. 9. Minnesota Zoo.** Provides for \$1,750,000 each year for the Minnesota Zoo for arts and heritage educational programming and improved access.
- **Subd. 10. Indian Affairs Council.** Provides an appropriation for grant programs to the Indian Affairs Council of \$950,000 each year.
- <u>Grants to Preserve Dakota and Ojibwe Language:</u> \$475,000 each year for programs to preserve Dakota and Ojibwe language

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• <u>Language Immersion:</u> \$250,000 each year for grants to two Ojibwe language schools

- <u>Competitive Grants:</u> \$225,000 each year for competitive grants to native language immersion schools
- **Subd. 11. Legislature.** Provides that \$9,000 each year will go to the Legislative Coordinating Commission to operate the Legacy Web site.
- Minnesota State Arts Board allocation. Adds a provision that at least 47 percent of funds must be for grants and services awarded through the Minnesota State Arts Board, or regional arts councils subject to appropriation.
- 4 Association of Minnesota Public Educational Radio Stations. Adds the Association of Minnesota Public Educational Radio Stations to the statute and allows them to execute the programs and receive appropriations with their member stations.
- **Association of Minnesota Public Educational Radio Stations.** Adds the Association of Minnesota Public Educational Radio Stations to the statute and allows them to execute the programs and receive appropriations with their member stations.
- **Capitol cafeteria; wine and beer license.** Amends previous law and allows the city of St. Paul to issue on-sale wine and beer licenses for the capitol cafeteria subject to an agreement between a vendor and the Department of Administration and requiring that some Minnesota made wine and beer be provided.

**Effective Date.** This section is effective after the city of St. Paul has come into compliance.

#### **Article 5: General Provisions; All Legacy Funds**

Commissioner determination; fund availability. Requires the commissioner of management and budget to reduce appropriations from legacy funds when there is a short fall in available revenues in equal or equitable amounts and to report those reductions to the Legislative Advisory Commission.

**Effective date.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.

**Solar photovoltaic modules**. Prevents the use of money from the four legacy funds from being used to purchase solar photovoltaic modules that are not made in Minnesota.