

A bill for an act

relating to capital improvements; authorizing spending to acquire and better public land and buildings and other improvements of a capital nature with certain conditions; establishing new programs and modifying existing programs; authorizing the sale of state bonds; canceling and modifying previous appropriations; appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2006, sections 16B.32, by adding a subdivision; 16B.325; 16B.335, subdivision 2; 103D.335, subdivision 17; 115A.908, subdivision 2; 116.155, subdivision 3; 116J.423, by adding a subdivision; 119A.45; 136F.10; 136F.60, subdivision 5; 136F.64, subdivision 1; 136F.98, subdivision 1; 462A.21, by adding a subdivision; Minnesota Statutes 2007 Supplement, section 103G.222, subdivision 1; Laws 2003, First Special Session chapter 20, article 1, section 12, subdivision 3; Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, sections 7, subdivision 21; 17; 23, subdivisions 3, 8, 11, as amended, 16; Laws 2006, chapter 258, sections 7, subdivisions 3, as amended, 7, 11, 22; 16, subdivision 5; 17, subdivision 8; 21, subdivisions 6, 14, 15; 23, subdivision 3; Laws 2006, chapter 282, article 11, section 2, subdivision 6; Laws 2007, chapter 148, article 1, section 3, subdivision 4; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 116; 137; 138; 462A.

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

Section 1. **CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS.**

The sums shown in the column under "Appropriations" are appropriated from the bond proceeds fund, or another named fund, to the state agencies or officials indicated, to be spent for public purposes. Appropriations of bond proceeds must be spent as authorized by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, paragraph (a), to acquire and better public land and buildings and other public improvements of a capital nature, or as authorized by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, paragraphs (b) to (j), or article XIV. Unless otherwise specified, the appropriations in this act are available until the project is completed or abandoned subject to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642.

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SUMMARY

2.1			
2.2	<u>University of Minnesota</u>	\$	<u>131,166,000</u>
2.3	<u>Minnesota State Colleges and Universities</u>		<u>280,935,000</u>
2.4	<u>Education</u>		<u>19,740,000</u>
2.5	<u>Minnesota State Academies</u>		<u>2,800,000</u>
2.6	<u>Perpich Center for Arts Education</u>		<u>355,000</u>
2.7	<u>Natural Resources</u>		<u>104,805,000</u>
2.8	<u>Pollution Control Agency</u>		<u>30,000,000</u>
2.9	<u>Board of Water and Soil Resources</u>		<u>30,475,000</u>
2.10	<u>Agriculture</u>		<u>20,000</u>
2.11	<u>Zoological Garden</u>		<u>2,500,000</u>
2.12	<u>Administration</u>		<u>15,725,000</u>
2.13	<u>Minnesota Amateur Sports Commission</u>		<u>7,725,000</u>
2.14	<u>Military Affairs</u>		<u>6,000,000</u>
2.15	<u>Public Safety</u>		<u>13,135,000</u>
2.16	<u>Transportation</u>		<u>65,700,000</u>
2.17	<u>Metropolitan Council</u>		<u>139,200,000</u>
2.18	<u>Human Services</u>		<u>9,505,000</u>
2.19	<u>Veterans Affairs</u>		<u>11,282,000</u>
2.20	<u>Corrections</u>		<u>32,000,000</u>
2.21	<u>Employment and Economic Development</u>		<u>143,125,000</u>
2.22	<u>Public Facilities Authority</u>		<u>49,800,000</u>
2.23	<u>Housing Finance Agency</u>		<u>1,000,000</u>
2.24	<u>Minnesota Historical Society</u>		<u>9,594,000</u>
2.25	<u>Bond Sale Expenses</u>		<u>998,000</u>
2.26	<u>Cancellations</u>		<u>(27,100,000)</u>
2.27	<u>Lewis and Clark</u>		<u>5,282,000</u>
2.28	<u>TOTAL</u>	\$	<u>1,085,767,000</u>
2.29	<u>Bond Proceeds Fund (General Fund Debt Service)</u>		<u>934,098,000</u>
2.30	<u>Bond Proceeds Fund (User Financed Debt Service)</u>		<u>72,512,000</u>
2.31	<u>Maximum Effort School Loan Fund</u>		<u>16,000,000</u>
2.32	<u>State Transportation Fund</u>		<u>2,000,000</u>
2.33	<u>Remediation Fund</u>		<u>25,000,000</u>
2.34	<u>General Fund</u>		<u>15,057,000</u>
2.35	<u>Trunk Highway Fund</u>		<u>48,200,000</u>
2.36	<u>Bond Proceeds Cancellations</u>		<u>(27,100,000)</u>
2.37			<u>APPROPRIATIONS</u>
2.38	Sec. 2. <u>UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA</u>		
2.39	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	\$	<u>131,166,000</u>

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3.1	<u>To the Board of Regents of the University</u>	
3.2	<u>of Minnesota for the purposes specified in</u>	
3.3	<u>this section.</u>	
3.4	<u>Subd. 2. Higher Education Asset Preservation</u>	
3.5	<u>and Replacement (HEAPR)</u>	<u>35,000,000</u>
3.6	<u>To be spent in accordance with Minnesota</u>	
3.7	<u>Statutes, section 135A.046.</u>	
3.8	<u>Subd. 3. Twin Cities Campus</u>	
3.9	<u>(a) Science Teaching and Student Services</u>	<u>48,333,000</u>
3.10	<u>To design, construct, furnish, and equip a</u>	
3.11	<u>new science teaching and student services</u>	
3.12	<u>building on the Twin Cities campus near</u>	
3.13	<u>the Washington Avenue Bridge. This</u>	
3.14	<u>appropriation includes money to demolish</u>	
3.15	<u>the existing Science Classroom Building and</u>	
3.16	<u>to construct infrastructure required to serve</u>	
3.17	<u>the new building.</u>	
3.18	<u>(b) Bell Museum of Natural History</u>	<u>24,000,000</u>
3.19	<u>To complete design and to construct, furnish,</u>	
3.20	<u>and equip a new Bell Museum of Natural</u>	
3.21	<u>History on the St. Paul campus.</u>	
3.22	<u>Subd. 4. Duluth Campus</u>	
3.23	<u>Civil Engineering Addition</u>	<u>10,000,000</u>
3.24	<u>To design, construct, furnish, and equip</u>	
3.25	<u>an addition to Voss-Kovach Hall on the</u>	
3.26	<u>University of Minnesota Duluth campus for</u>	
3.27	<u>the Department of Civil Engineering. The</u>	
3.28	<u>addition will include teaching laboratories,</u>	
3.29	<u>research laboratories, classrooms, and</u>	
3.30	<u>administrative offices.</u>	
3.31	<u>Subd. 5. Morris Campus</u>	
3.32	<u>Community Services Building Renovation</u>	<u>5,000,000</u>

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4.1	<u>To design, construct, furnish, and equip</u>	
4.2	<u>a renovation of the Community Services</u>	
4.3	<u>Building on the University of Minnesota</u>	
4.4	<u>Morris campus to serve as the campus</u>	
4.5	<u>gateway center. This appropriation includes</u>	
4.6	<u>money to improve infrastructure required to</u>	
4.7	<u>serve the renovated building.</u>	
4.8	<u>Subd. 6. Research and Outreach Centers</u>	<u>3,500,000</u>
4.9	<u>(a) Northwest Research and Outreach Center,</u>	
4.10	<u>Crookston</u>	
4.11	<u>To design, construct, furnish, and equip a</u>	
4.12	<u>new maintenance and farm support facility.</u>	
4.13	<u>(b) West Central Research and Outreach</u>	
4.14	<u>Center, Morris</u>	
4.15	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip an addition</u>	
4.16	<u>to the administration building for research</u>	
4.17	<u>in renewable energy.</u>	
4.18	<u>Subd. 7. Classroom Renewal</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
4.19	<u>To renovate classrooms, including classroom</u>	
4.20	<u>technology and accessibility, on the</u>	
4.21	<u>Crookston, Duluth, Morris, and Twin Cities</u>	
4.22	<u>campuses.</u>	
4.23	<u>Subd. 8. Laboratory Renovation</u>	<u>3,333,000</u>
4.24	<u>To renovate research laboratories on the</u>	
4.25	<u>Crookston, Duluth, Morris, and Twin Cities</u>	
4.26	<u>campuses.</u>	
4.27	<u>Subd. 9. University Share</u>	
4.28	<u>Except for Higher Education Asset</u>	
4.29	<u>Preservation and Replacement (HEAPR)</u>	
4.30	<u>under subdivision 2, the appropriations in this</u>	
4.31	<u>section are intended to cover approximately</u>	
4.32	<u>two-thirds of the cost of each project. The</u>	
4.33	<u>remaining costs must be paid from university</u>	
4.34	<u>sources.</u>	

5.1 **Subd. 10. Unspent Appropriations**

5.2 Upon substantial completion of a project
5.3 authorized in this section and after written
5.4 notice to the commissioner of finance, the
5.5 Board of Regents must use any money
5.6 remaining in the appropriation for that
5.7 project for HEAPR under Minnesota
5.8 Statutes, section 135A.046. The Board of
5.9 Regents must report by February 1 of each
5.10 even-numbered year to the chairs of the house
5.11 and senate committees with jurisdiction over
5.12 capital investments and higher education
5.13 finance, and to the chairs of the house Ways
5.14 and Means and Finance Committees and
5.15 the senate Finance Committee, on how the
5.16 remaining money has been allocated or spent.

5.17 **Sec. 3. MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES**
5.18 **AND UNIVERSITIES**

5.19	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	\$ 280,935,000
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5.20 To the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota
5.21 State Colleges and Universities for the
5.22 purposes specified in this section.

5.23	<u>Subd. 2. Higher Education Asset Preservation</u>	
5.24	<u>And Replacement</u>	55,000,000

5.25 For the purposes specified in Minnesota
5.26 Statutes, section 135A.046, including safety
5.27 and statutory compliance, building envelope
5.28 integrity, mechanical systems, and space
5.29 restoration.

5.30 Subd. 3. **Alexandria Technical College**

5.31	Law Enforcement Center	10,500,000
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5.32 To complete design of and construct, furnish,
5.33 and equip a new Law Enforcement Center

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6.1	<u>and renovate, furnish, and equip classroom</u>	
6.2	<u>and laboratory space.</u>	
6.3	<u>Subd. 4. Anoka Ramsey Community College,</u>	
6.4	<u>Coon Rapids</u>	
6.5	<u>Classrooms and Laboratories</u>	<u>3,800,000</u>
6.6	<u>To design, construct, furnish, and equip an</u>	
6.7	<u>academic addition for classrooms and offices,</u>	
6.8	<u>and to design Phase 2 renovation of the Fine</u>	
6.9	<u>Arts Classroom and Laboratory Building.</u>	
6.10	<u>Subd. 5. Bemidji State University</u>	
6.11	<u>Sattgast Science Building Addition and</u>	
6.12	<u>Renovation</u>	<u>8,900,000</u>
6.13	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip an addition</u>	
6.14	<u>to and renovation of Sattgast Hall for biology</u>	
6.15	<u>and chemistry labs, science classrooms, and</u>	
6.16	<u>associated spaces, and to demolish the Peters</u>	
6.17	<u>Aquatics Lab.</u>	
6.18	<u>Subd. 6. Century College</u>	
6.19	<u>Classroom and Student Support Space</u>	
6.20	<u>Renovation</u>	<u>7,900,000</u>
6.21	<u>To design, renovate, furnish, and equip</u>	
6.22	<u>Phase 2 of the science and library project to</u>	
6.23	<u>renovate existing spaces for classrooms, labs</u>	
6.24	<u>and offices.</u>	
6.25	<u>Subd. 7. Dakota County Technical College</u>	
6.26	<u>Transportation and Emerging Technologies</u>	
6.27	<u>Labs</u>	<u>200,000</u>
6.28	<u>To design the relocation and renovation of</u>	
6.29	<u>transportation and emerging technologies</u>	
6.30	<u>classrooms, laboratories, and related spaces.</u>	
6.31	<u>Subd. 8. Hennepin Technical College</u>	
6.32	<u>Science Addition and Library and Student</u>	
6.33	<u>Service Design</u>	<u>2,400,000</u>

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7.1 To design, renovate, furnish, and equip
7.2 existing space at the Eden Prairie campus for
7.3 science labs and shared classrooms, and to
7.4 design a renovation of existing space at the
7.5 Brooklyn Park and Eden Prairie campuses
7.6 for a library and student services.

7.7 **Subd. 9. Inver Hills Community College**

7.8 **Classroom Addition and Renovation** 13,200,000

7.9 To construct, furnish, and equip a classroom
7.10 addition to and renovation of the Fine Arts
7.11 Building, to include classrooms, teaching
7.12 labs, and a renovated auditorium. This
7.13 appropriation includes funding to demolish
7.14 obsolete space in the building. College funds
7.15 may be added to this appropriation up to a
7.16 total project cost of \$13,450,000.

7.17 **Subd. 10. Lake Superior Community and**
7.18 **Technical College**

7.19 **Health and Science Center Addition** 11,000,000

7.20 To complete design of and to construct,
7.21 furnish, and equip an addition to the Health
7.22 and Science Center and to renovate existing
7.23 spaces.

7.24 **Subd. 11. Mesabi Range Community and**
7.25 **Technical College, Eveleth**

7.26 **Carpentry and Industrial Mechanical**
7.27 **Technology and Shops** 5,000,000

7.28 To construct, furnish and equip shop space
7.29 for the industrial mechanical technology
7.30 and carpentry programs. This appropriation
7.31 includes funding for renovation of existing
7.32 space for ADA compliance.

7.33 **Subd. 12. Metropolitan State University**

7.34 **(a) Smart Classroom Center** 4,980,000

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8.1	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip renovation</u>	
8.2	<u>of two floors of technology-enhanced</u>	
8.3	<u>classrooms and academic offices in the power</u>	
8.4	<u>plant building. This appropriation includes</u>	
8.5	<u>money to demolish the power plant annex to</u>	
8.6	<u>enable the new construction.</u>	
8.7	<u>(b) Law Enforcement Training Center</u>	<u>13,900,000</u>
8.8	<u>To complete design of and to construct,</u>	
8.9	<u>furnish, and equip, in cooperation with</u>	
8.10	<u>Minneapolis Community and Technical</u>	
8.11	<u>College, a colocated Law Enforcement</u>	
8.12	<u>Training Center on the campus of Hennepin</u>	
8.13	<u>Technical College in Brooklyn Park.</u>	
8.14	<u>Subd. 13. Minneapolis Community and</u>	
8.15	<u>Technical College</u>	
8.16	<u>Workforce Program Space</u>	<u>400,000</u>
8.17	<u>To design renovation of instructional</u>	
8.18	<u>space, support space, and infrastructure for</u>	
8.19	<u>workforce programs.</u>	
8.20	<u>Subd. 14. Minnesota State University, Mankato</u>	
8.21	<u>Trafton Science Center Renovation</u>	<u>25,500,000</u>
8.22	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip a renovation</u>	
8.23	<u>of south and center sections of Trafton</u>	
8.24	<u>Science Center. This appropriation includes</u>	
8.25	<u>money to replace the roof and upgrade</u>	
8.26	<u>exterior masonry and an outdoor plaza.</u>	
8.27	<u>Subd. 15. Minnesota State University,</u>	
8.28	<u>Moorhead</u>	
8.29	<u>(a) Lommen Hall Renovation</u>	<u>13,100,000</u>
8.30	<u>To complete design of and to construct,</u>	
8.31	<u>furnish, and equip renovation of Lommen</u>	
8.32	<u>Hall and construct an addition to the</u>	
8.33	<u>basement.</u>	

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9.1	<u>(b) Livingston Lord Library</u>	<u>400,000</u>
9.2	<u>To design renovation of the Livingston Lord</u>	
9.3	<u>Library.</u>	
9.4	<u>Subd. 16. Minnesota West Community and</u>	
9.5	<u>Technical College, Worthington</u>	
9.6	<u>Fieldhouse Renovation</u>	<u>450,000</u>
9.7	<u>To design renovation of and an addition to</u>	
9.8	<u>the Fieldhouse.</u>	
9.9	<u>Subd. 17. Moorhead Community and</u>	
9.10	<u>Technology College</u>	
9.11	<u>Trades Addition and Library Design</u>	<u>2,500,000</u>
9.12	<u>To design, construct, furnish and equip an</u>	
9.13	<u>addition for the mechanical construction</u>	
9.14	<u>trades, and to design a classroom-library</u>	
9.15	<u>addition.</u>	
9.16	<u>Subd. 18. Normandale Community College</u>	
9.17	<u>Classroom Addition and Renovation</u>	<u>7,000,000</u>
9.18	<u>To complete design of and to construct,</u>	
9.19	<u>furnish, and equip an addition to and</u>	
9.20	<u>renovation of the Health and Wellness</u>	
9.21	<u>Building for classrooms, laboratories, and</u>	
9.22	<u>related offices, and to renovate, furnish, and</u>	
9.23	<u>equip the Athletics Building for classrooms</u>	
9.24	<u>and related space. This appropriation</u>	
9.25	<u>includes funding to install an elevator to</u>	
9.26	<u>make the building ADA accessible.</u>	
9.27	<u>Subd. 19. North Hennepin Community College</u>	
9.28	<u>(a) Center for Business and Technology</u>	<u>13,300,000</u>
9.29	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip an addition</u>	
9.30	<u>to the Center for Business and Technology</u>	
9.31	<u>and to renovate the center for classrooms and</u>	
9.32	<u>related space.</u>	

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10.1	<u>(b) Science, Technology, Engineering, and</u>	
10.2	<u>Math Facilities</u>	<u>900,000</u>
10.3	<u>To design for construction and renovation of</u>	
10.4	<u>facilities at both North Hennepin Community</u>	
10.5	<u>College and Anoka Ramsey Community</u>	
10.6	<u>College, Coon Rapids, to support Science</u>	
10.7	<u>Technology Engineering and Math (STEM)</u>	
10.8	<u>program initiatives.</u>	
10.9	<u>Subd. 20. Northland Community and Technical</u>	
10.10	<u>College, East Grand Forks</u>	
10.11	<u>Nursing, Health Care, and Learning Resources</u>	
10.12	<u>Center</u>	<u>7,800,000</u>
10.13	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip a nursing</u>	
10.14	<u>addition and renovate spaces for allied</u>	
10.15	<u>health laboratories, library, learning resource</u>	
10.16	<u>center, student commons, bookstore,</u>	
10.17	<u>classrooms, ancillary spaces, and boiler</u>	
10.18	<u>system expansion.</u>	
10.19	<u>Subd. 21. Owatonna College and University</u>	
10.20	<u>Center</u>	
10.21	<u>Property Acquisition</u>	<u>3,500,000</u>
10.22	<u>To acquire the Owatonna College and</u>	
10.23	<u>University Center Building in Steele County,</u>	
10.24	<u>including the purchase of adjacent vacant</u>	
10.25	<u>land.</u>	
10.26	<u>Subd. 22. Ridgewater College, Willmar</u>	
10.27	<u>Technical Instruction Design and Construction</u>	<u>3,500,000</u>
10.28	<u>To design, construct, furnish, and equip</u>	
10.29	<u>new instructional space, including "smart"</u>	
10.30	<u>classrooms, and to renovate, furnish, and</u>	
10.31	<u>equip existing instructional space. This</u>	
10.32	<u>appropriation includes money to demolish</u>	
10.33	<u>outdated structures.</u>	

11.1	<u>Subd. 23. Rochester Community and Technical</u>	
11.2	<u>College</u>	
11.3	<u>Workforce Center Colocation</u>	<u>200,000</u>
11.4	<u>To design an addition to the Heintz Center for</u>	
11.5	<u>colocation of a workforce center, a career and</u>	
11.6	<u>technical education center, and for classroom</u>	
11.7	<u>renovation. The college may use additional</u>	
11.8	<u>resources to complete the design.</u>	
11.9	<u>Subd. 24. South Central College, Faribault</u>	
11.10	<u>Classroom Renovation and Addition</u>	<u>400,000</u>
11.11	<u>To design demolition of obsolete space, a</u>	
11.12	<u>small addition, and renovation of remaining</u>	
11.13	<u>space for classrooms, a learning resource</u>	
11.14	<u>center, and laboratories.</u>	
11.15	<u>Subd. 25. St. Cloud State University</u>	
11.16	<u>(a) Brown Science Hall Renovation</u>	<u>14,800,000</u>
11.17	<u>To complete design of and to construct,</u>	
11.18	<u>furnish, and equip a renovation of Brown</u>	
11.19	<u>Hall for classrooms, science laboratories, and</u>	
11.20	<u>other instructional and ancillary spaces. This</u>	
11.21	<u>appropriation includes funding to reglaze the</u>	
11.22	<u>existing skyway from the building and to</u>	
11.23	<u>construct a new skyway to Centennial Hall.</u>	
11.24	<u>(b) Science and Engineering Lab</u>	<u>900,000</u>
11.25	<u>To design an integrated science and</u>	
11.26	<u>engineering laboratory and student and</u>	
11.27	<u>academic support building.</u>	
11.28	<u>Subd. 26. St. Cloud Technical College</u>	
11.29	<u>Allied Health Center Renovation</u>	<u>200,000</u>
11.30	<u>To design renovation of the Allied Health</u>	
11.31	<u>Center.</u>	
11.32	<u>Subd. 27. St. Paul College</u>	

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12.1	<u>Transportation and Applied Technology</u>	
12.2	<u>Laboratories and Shops</u>	<u>13,500,000</u>
12.3	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip the</u>	
12.4	<u>renovation of classrooms, the transportation</u>	
12.5	<u>and applied technology and trades</u>	
12.6	<u>laboratories on the ground floor, and an</u>	
12.7	<u>expansion of the truck mechanics shop.</u>	
12.8	<u>Subd. 28. Southwest Minnesota State</u>	
12.9	<u>University</u>	
12.10	<u>(a) Science and Hotel and Restaurant</u>	
12.11	<u>Laboratories</u>	<u>9,000,000</u>
12.12	<u>To complete design of and to construct,</u>	
12.13	<u>furnish, and equip renovation of laboratories</u>	
12.14	<u>in the Science and Technology Building,</u>	
12.15	<u>laboratories and a classroom in the Science</u>	
12.16	<u>and Math Building, and hotel and restaurant</u>	
12.17	<u>industries teaching laboratories in the</u>	
12.18	<u>Individualized Learning Center.</u>	
12.19	<u>(b) Science Laboratory Renovation</u>	<u>200,000</u>
12.20	<u>To design renovation of the science</u>	
12.21	<u>laboratories and an addition to the Plant</u>	
12.22	<u>Science Learning Center in the Science and</u>	
12.23	<u>Math Building.</u>	
12.24	<u>Subd. 29. Winona State University</u>	
12.25	<u>Memorial Hall</u>	<u>8,400,000</u>
12.26	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip an addition</u>	
12.27	<u>to Memorial Hall and renovation of vacated</u>	
12.28	<u>spaces at Gildemeister Hall. The board may</u>	
12.29	<u>use nonstate money for the remainder of the</u>	
12.30	<u>cost of the construction.</u>	
12.31	<u>Subd. 30. Systemwide Initiatives</u>	
12.32	<u>(a) Science Laboratory and Classroom</u>	
12.33	<u>Renovation</u>	<u>5,775,000</u>

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- 13.1 To design, renovate, furnish, and equip
13.2 teaching laboratories and classrooms for
13.3 science and applied technology. Campuses
13.4 may use nonstate money to increase the
13.5 size of the projects. This appropriation
13.6 may be used only at the following
13.7 campuses: Alexandria Technical College;
13.8 Anoka Technical College; Anoka Ramsey
13.9 Community College, Cambridge; Bemidji
13.10 State University; Central Lakes College,
13.11 Brainerd; Century College, White Bear
13.12 Lake; Inver Hills Community College, Inver
13.13 Grove Heights; Hennepin Technical College,
13.14 Brooklyn Park and Eden Prairie; Northeast
13.15 Higher Education District Vermilion
13.16 Community College; and Ridgewater
13.17 Community Technical College, Willmar.
13.18 **(b) Classroom Renovation** 3,625,000
- 13.19 To design, construct, furnish, and equip
13.20 renovation of classroom and academic
13.21 space. Campuses may use nonstate money
13.22 to increase the size of the projects. This
13.23 appropriation may be used only at the
13.24 following campuses: Central Lakes College,
13.25 Brainerd; Minnesota State Community
13.26 Technical College, Moorhead and Wadena;
13.27 Minnesota West Community Technical
13.28 College, Pipestone; Northland Community
13.29 Technical College, Thief River Falls; Pine
13.30 Technical College, Pine City; and Rochester
13.31 Community Technical College, Rochester.
13.32 **(c) Property Acquisition** 8,805,000
- 13.33 To acquire real property adjacent to the state
13.34 college and university campuses or within
13.35 the boundaries of the campus master plan.

14.1 This appropriation may be used only at
14.2 Bemidji State University; Dakota County
14.3 Technical College; Fond du Lac Tribal
14.4 Community College; Minnesota State
14.5 University Moorhead; and Vermilion
14.6 Community College.

14.7 Subd. 31. **Debt Service**

14.8 (a) The board shall pay the debt service on
14.9 one-third of the principal amount of state
14.10 bonds sold to finance projects authorized
14.11 by this section, except for higher education
14.12 asset preservation and replacement and the
14.13 expansion of Memorial Hall at Winona State
14.14 University, and except that, where a nonstate
14.15 match is required, the debt service is due on
14.16 a principal amount equal to one-third of the
14.17 total project cost, less the match committed
14.18 before the bonds are sold. After each sale of
14.19 general obligation bonds, the commissioner
14.20 of finance shall notify the board of the
14.21 amounts assessed for each year for the life
14.22 of the bonds.

14.23 (b) The commissioner shall reduce the
14.24 board's assessment each year by one-third of
14.25 the net income from investment of general
14.26 obligation bond proceeds in proportion to the
14.27 amount of principal and interest otherwise
14.28 required to be paid by the board. The board
14.29 shall pay its resulting net assessment to the
14.30 commissioner of finance by December 1 each
14.31 year. If the board fails to make a payment
14.32 when due, the commissioner of finance
14.33 shall reduce allotments for appropriations
14.34 from the general fund otherwise available
14.35 to the board and apply the amount of the

15.1 reduction to cover the missed debt service
15.2 payment. The commissioner of finance
15.3 shall credit the payments received from the
15.4 board to the bond debt service account in
15.5 the state bond fund each December 1 before
15.6 money is transferred from the general fund
15.7 under Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.641,
15.8 subdivision 10.

15.9 **Subd. 32. Anoka Technical College;**
15.10 **Anoka-Hennepin School District Partnership**

15.11 (a) By June 30, 2008, the Board of Trustees
15.12 of the Minnesota State Colleges and
15.13 Universities shall enter into a memorandum
15.14 of understanding with the Anoka-Hennepin
15.15 School District on new and expanded joint
15.16 programs to be offered for the secondary
15.17 technical education program currently based
15.18 at the Anoka Technical College campus. The
15.19 programs may be offered at the site now
15.20 known as the "horticultural center" in Anoka
15.21 County and under the control of Anoka
15.22 Technical College.

15.23 (b) By July 31, 2008, the board shall transfer
15.24 the real property known as the "horticultural
15.25 center" to the Anoka-Hennepin School
15.26 District by quit claim deed for \$1. Minnesota
15.27 Statutes, section 136F.60, subdivision 5, does
15.28 not apply to the real estate transaction under
15.29 this subdivision.

15.30 **Subd. 33. Unspent Appropriations**

15.31 (a) Upon substantial completion of a project
15.32 authorized in this section and after written
15.33 notice to the commissioner of finance, the
15.34 Board of Trustees must use any money
15.35 remaining in the appropriation for that

16.1 project for HEAPR under Minnesota
16.2 Statutes, section 135A.046. The Board
16.3 of Trustees must report by February 1 of
16.4 each even-numbered year to the chairs
16.5 of the house and senate committees with
16.6 jurisdiction over capital investments and
16.7 higher education finance, and to the chairs of
16.8 the house Ways and Means Committee and
16.9 the senate Finance Committee, on how the
16.10 remaining money has been allocated or spent.

16.11 (b) The unspent portion of an appropriation
16.12 for a project in this section that is complete,
16.13 is available for higher education asset
16.14 preservation and replacement under this
16.15 subdivision, at the same campus as the
16.16 project for which the original appropriation
16.17 was made and the debt service requirement
16.18 under subdivision 23 is reduced accordingly.
16.19 Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, applies
16.20 from the date of the original appropriation to
16.21 the unspent amount transferred.

16.22 Sec. 4. **EDUCATION**

16.23 Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation** **\$ 19,740,000**

16.24 To the commissioner of education for the
16.25 purposes specified in this section.

16.26 Subd. 2. **Independent School District No. 11,**
16.27 **Anoka-Hennepin** **240,000**

16.28 For a grant to Independent School District
16.29 No. 11, Anoka-Hennepin, to acquire land
16.30 adjacent to Riverview Elementary School
16.31 and for improvements of a capital nature
16.32 to develop and restore wetland and native
16.33 prairie habitat on the land.

16.34 Subd. 3. **Independent School District No. 38,**
16.35 **Red Lake** **16,000,000**

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17.1 From the maximum effort school loan fund
17.2 for a capital loan to Independent School
17.3 District No. 38, Red Lake, as provided in
17.4 Minnesota Statutes, sections 126C.60 to
17.5 126C.72, to design, construct, furnish, and
17.6 equip renovation of existing facilities and
17.7 construction of new facilities.

17.8 The project paid for with this appropriation
17.9 includes a portion of the renovation and
17.10 construction identified as Phase 4 in the
17.11 review and comment performed by the
17.12 commissioner of education under the capital
17.13 loan provisions of Minnesota Statutes,
17.14 section 126C.69. This portion includes
17.15 part of the renovation of, and an addition
17.16 to, the high school and middle school to
17.17 provide classrooms and related facilities for
17.18 technology education, vocational education,
17.19 physical education, and community
17.20 education, and to provide for food services
17.21 and administrative offices.

17.22 As part of this project, the heating plant and
17.23 pipng for the high school and middle school
17.24 will be upgraded and the motor vehicle
17.25 fuel and propane tanks may be relocated.

17.26 Additional renovations to the high school
17.27 and middle school will be completed to the
17.28 extent that this appropriation permits.

17.29 Before any capital loan contract is approved
17.30 under this authorization, the district must
17.31 provide documentation acceptable to the
17.32 commissioner on how the capital loan will
17.33 be used.

17.34 Notwithstanding the 18-month deadline for
17.35 contracting in Minnesota Statutes, section

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18.1	<u>126C.69, subdivision 1, the unexpended</u>	
18.2	<u>balance of the appropriation in Laws 2005,</u>	
18.3	<u>chapter 20, article 1, section 5, subdivision</u>	
18.4	<u>2, as amended by Laws 2006, chapter 258,</u>	
18.5	<u>section 42, may be obligated by the district</u>	
18.6	<u>for purposes of the capital loan contract at</u>	
18.7	<u>any time before August 1, 2008.</u>	
18.8	<u>Subd. 4. Independent School District No. 279,</u>	
18.9	<u>Osseo</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
18.10	<u>For a grant to Independent School District</u>	
18.11	<u>No. 279, Osseo, to predesign, design,</u>	
18.12	<u>construct, furnish, and equip the Northwest</u>	
18.13	<u>Hennepin Family Center in Brooklyn Center.</u>	
18.14	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
18.15	<u>commissioner has determined that at least</u>	
18.16	<u>an equal amount has been committed from</u>	
18.17	<u>nonstate sources.</u>	
18.18	<u>No later than five years after the facility</u>	
18.19	<u>opens, the school district must report to</u>	
18.20	<u>the commissioner of education on how the</u>	
18.21	<u>facility has improved student achievement</u>	
18.22	<u>and reduced educational disparities.</u>	
18.23	<u>Subd. 5. Library Accessibility and</u>	
18.24	<u>Improvement Grants</u>	<u>1,500,000</u>
18.25	<u>For library accessibility and improvement</u>	
18.26	<u>grants under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
18.27	<u>134.45.</u>	
18.28	<u>Sec. 5. MINNESOTA STATE ACADEMIES</u>	
18.29	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$ 2,800,000</u>
18.30	<u>To the commissioner of administration for</u>	
18.31	<u>the purposes specified in this section.</u>	
18.32	<u>Subd. 2. Asset Preservation</u>	<u>2,400,000</u>

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19.1	<u>For asset preservation on both campuses of</u>		
19.2	<u>the academies, to be spent in accordance with</u>		
19.3	<u>Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.</u>		
19.4	<u>Subd. 3. Frechette Hall</u>		<u>100,000</u>
19.5	<u>For predesign for a new dorm to replace</u>		
19.6	<u>Frechette Hall.</u>		
19.7	<u>Subd. 4. Mott Memorial Hall</u>		<u>100,000</u>
19.8	<u>To predesign the renovation of Mott</u>		
19.9	<u>Memorial Hall.</u>		
19.10	<u>Subd. 5. Pollard Hall</u>		<u>200,000</u>
19.11	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip the</u>		
19.12	<u>renovation of Pollard Hall to house the Deaf</u>		
19.13	<u>and Hard of Hearing Children's Residential</u>		
19.14	<u>Treatment Center.</u>		
19.15	<u>Sec. 6. PERPICH CENTER FOR ARTS</u>		
19.16	<u>EDUCATION</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>355,000</u>
19.17	<u>To the commissioner of administration for</u>		
19.18	<u>asset preservation at the Perpich Center for</u>		
19.19	<u>Arts Education to be spent in accordance</u>		
19.20	<u>with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.</u>		
19.21	<u>Sec. 7. NATURAL RESOURCES</u>		
19.22	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>104,805,000</u>
19.23	<u>To the commissioner of natural resources for</u>		
19.24	<u>the purposes specified in this section.</u>		
19.25	<u>The appropriations in this section are</u>		
19.26	<u>subject to the requirements of the natural</u>		
19.27	<u>resources capital improvement program</u>		
19.28	<u>under Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.12,</u>		
19.29	<u>unless this section or the statutes referred</u>		
19.30	<u>to in this section provide more specific</u>		
19.31	<u>standards, criteria, or priorities for projects</u>		
19.32	<u>than Minnesota Statutes, section 86A.12.</u>		

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20.1 To the extent possible, prairie restorations
20.2 funded in whole or in part with this
20.3 appropriation must be made using best
20.4 management practices for native prairie
20.5 species of a local ecotype as defined
20.6 in Minnesota Statutes, section 84.02,
20.7 subdivision 2.

20.8 **Subd. 2. Statewide Asset Preservation** 1,000,000

20.9 For the renovation of state-owned facilities
20.10 operated by the commissioner of natural
20.11 resources, to be spent in accordance with
20.12 Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307. The
20.13 commissioner may use this appropriation
20.14 to replace buildings if, considering the
20.15 embedded energy in the building, that is the
20.16 most energy-efficient and carbon-reducing
20.17 method of renovation.

20.18 **Subd. 3. Flood Hazard Mitigation Grants** 33,900,000

20.19 For the state share of flood hazard
20.20 mitigation grants for publicly owned capital
20.21 improvements to prevent or alleviate flood
20.22 damage under Minnesota Statutes, section
20.23 103F.161.

20.24 The commissioner shall determine project
20.25 priorities as appropriate, based on need.

20.26 This appropriation includes money for the
20.27 following projects:

20.28 (a) Ada

20.29 (b) Agassiz Valley

20.30 (c) Area II of the Minnesota River Basin

20.31 (d) Austin

20.32 (e) Bois de Sioux Watershed District, North
20.33 Ottawa project

- 21.1 (f) Breckenridge
- 21.2 (g) Brandt-Angus
- 21.3 (h) Browns Valley
- 21.4 \$3,900,000 is from the general fund for the
- 21.5 Browns Valley project.
- 21.6 (i) Crookston
- 21.7 (j) Canisteo Mine
- 21.8 \$3,500,000 is for a grant to the Western
- 21.9 Mesabi Mine Planning Board to construct a
- 21.10 conveyance system, and other betterments to
- 21.11 accommodate water level and outflow control
- 21.12 of the water level in the Canisteo mine pit
- 21.13 in Itasca County. This appropriation does
- 21.14 not require a local match. The commissioner
- 21.15 of natural resources shall be responsible to
- 21.16 maintain the betterments after completion of
- 21.17 the project.
- 21.18 (k) Dawson
- 21.19 (l) Granite Falls
- 21.20 (m) Hay Creek-Norland
- 21.21 (n) Inver Grove Heights
- 21.22 (o) Malung
- 21.23 (p) Montevideo
- 21.24 (q) Moorhead
- 21.25 (r) Oakport Township
- 21.26 (s) Roseau
- 21.27 The Roseau project includes the state share
- 21.28 of land acquisition, engineering and design,
- 21.29 and bridge construction costs for the U.S.
- 21.30 Army Corps of Engineers East Diversion
- 21.31 Flood Control Project, which will protect the
- 21.32 city of Roseau from recurring flooding.

22.1 (t) Southeast Minnesota

22.2 (u) Stillwater

22.3 (v) Sweded Grove Lake

22.4 (w) Wild Rice River Watershed District,

22.5 Becker Dam project

22.6 For any project listed in this subdivision

22.7 that the commissioner determines is not

22.8 ready to proceed or does not expend all the

22.9 money allocated to it, the commissioner may

22.10 allocate that project's money to a project on

22.11 the commissioner's priority list.

22.12 To the extent that the cost of a project in Ada,

22.13 Breckenridge, Browns Valley, Crookston,

22.14 Dawson, Granite Falls, Montevideo, Oakport

22.15 Township, or Roseau exceeds two percent

22.16 of the median household income in the

22.17 municipality multiplied by the number

22.18 of households in the municipality, this

22.19 appropriation is also for the local share of the

22.20 project.

22.21 Subd. 4. **Red River Digital Elevation Model**

600,000

22.22 This appropriation is from the general fund

22.23 to develop and implement a high-resolution

22.24 digital elevation model for the Red River

22.25 basin.

22.26 Subd. 5. **Ground Water Monitoring and**

22.27 **Observation Wells**

500,000

22.28 To install new ground water level observation

22.29 wells to monitor and assess ground water for

22.30 water supply planning, including wells in the

22.31 metropolitan and adjoining areas and several

22.32 new monitoring wells in the south central

22.33 regions of the state to monitor the Mt. Simon

22.34 aquifer. This appropriation may also be used

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23.1 to seal existing obsolete monitoring wells

23.2 that are no longer functional.

23.3 Subd. 6. **Dam Renovation and Removal** 2,000,000

23.4 To renovate or remove publicly owned dams.

23.5 The commissioner shall determine project

23.6 priorities as appropriate under Minnesota

23.7 Statutes, sections 103G.511 and 103G.515.

23.8 This appropriation includes money for the

23.9 following projects:

23.10 (a) Clayton Lake, Pine County

23.11 (b) Cross Lake, Pine County

23.12 (c) Hartley, Saint Louis County

23.13 (d) King's Mill, Rice County

23.14 (e) Lake Bronson, Kittson County

23.15 (f) Luverne, Rock County

23.16 (g) Windom, Cottonwood County

23.17 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section

23.18 16A.69, subdivision 2, upon the award of

23.19 final contracts for the completion of a project

23.20 listed in this subdivision, the commissioner

23.21 may transfer the unencumbered balance

23.22 in the project account to any other dam

23.23 renovation or removal project on the

23.24 commissioner's priority list.

23.25 Subd. 7. **Water Control Structures** 500,000

23.26 To rehabilitate or replace water control

23.27 structures used to manage shallow lakes and

23.28 wetlands for waterfowl habitat on wildlife

23.29 management areas under Minnesota Statutes,

23.30 section 86A.05, subdivision 8, or for the

23.31 purposes of public water reserves under

23.32 Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.101; or

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24.1	<u>structures on other waters under Minnesota</u>	
24.2	<u>Statutes, section 103G.505.</u>	
24.3	<u>Subd. 8. Mississippi River Aquatic Invasive</u>	
24.4	<u>Species Barrier</u>	<u>500,000</u>
24.5	<u>To predesign and design an adequate</u>	
24.6	<u>barrier in the Mississippi River to prevent</u>	
24.7	<u>aquatic invasive species from migrating</u>	
24.8	<u>up river. This money may be used by the</u>	
24.9	<u>commissioner to match available federal</u>	
24.10	<u>money and money from other states. The</u>	
24.11	<u>commissioner must inform and work with</u>	
24.12	<u>affected federal and state agencies and local</u>	
24.13	<u>communities along the Mississippi River</u>	
24.14	<u>before constructing the river barrier.</u>	
24.15	<u>Subd. 9. Stream Protection and Restoration</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
24.16	<u>To design and construct stream protection</u>	
24.17	<u>and restoration projects that concentrate</u>	
24.18	<u>on downstream flooding protection. This</u>	
24.19	<u>appropriation may be used only for projects</u>	
24.20	<u>in flood areas on one or more of the following</u>	
24.21	<u>ivers: Rock River near Luverne, Snake</u>	
24.22	<u>River near Cross Lake, Lawndale Creek, and</u>	
24.23	<u>Des Moines River near Windom.</u>	
24.24	<u>Subd. 10. Shoreline and Critical Aquatic</u>	
24.25	<u>Habitat Acquisition</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
24.26	<u>To acquire land that is critical for fish</u>	
24.27	<u>and other aquatic life under Minnesota</u>	
24.28	<u>Statutes, section 86A.05, and to make</u>	
24.29	<u>public improvements and betterments of a</u>	
24.30	<u>capital nature to aquatic management areas</u>	
24.31	<u>established under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
24.32	<u>86A.05, subdivision 14.</u>	
24.33	<u>Subd. 11. Lake Zumbro Restoration</u>	<u>175,000</u>
24.34	<u>For a grant to Olmsted and Wabasha Counties</u>	
24.35	<u>to design and implement the restoration of</u>	

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25.1	<u>Lake Zumbro. The design must include</u>	
25.2	<u>public access.</u>	
25.3	<u>Subd. 12. Water Access Acquisition,</u>	
25.4	<u>Betterment, and Fishing Piers</u>	<u>650,000</u>
25.5	<u>For public water access acquisition,</u>	
25.6	<u>construction, and renovation projects of a</u>	
25.7	<u>capital nature on lakes and rivers, including</u>	
25.8	<u>water access through the provision of fishing</u>	
25.9	<u>piers and shoreline access under Minnesota</u>	
25.10	<u>Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 9.</u>	
25.11	<u>Subd. 13. Fish Hatchery Improvements</u>	<u>1,500,000</u>
25.12	<u>For improvements of a capital nature to</u>	
25.13	<u>create ponds and renovate fish culture</u>	
25.14	<u>facilities at hatcheries owned by the state</u>	
25.15	<u>and operated by the commissioner of natural</u>	
25.16	<u>resources under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
25.17	<u>97A.045, subdivision 1, and to design,</u>	
25.18	<u>construct, or acquire drainable ponds and</u>	
25.19	<u>other facilities for moving walleye rearing</u>	
25.20	<u>out of natural wetlands.</u>	
25.21	<u>Subd. 14. RIM - Wildlife Area Land</u>	
25.22	<u>Acquisition and Improvement</u>	<u>5,000,000</u>
25.23	<u>To acquire land in fee for wildlife</u>	
25.24	<u>management area purposes and for</u>	
25.25	<u>improvements of a capital nature to develop,</u>	
25.26	<u>protect, or improve habitat and facilities on</u>	
25.27	<u>wildlife management areas under Minnesota</u>	
25.28	<u>Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivision 8.</u>	
25.29	<u>Not less than five percent of this appropriation</u>	
25.30	<u>must be used for restoration of existing</u>	
25.31	<u>wildlife management areas. Not less than ten</u>	
25.32	<u>percent of this appropriation is for restoration</u>	
25.33	<u>on land acquired with this appropriation.</u>	
25.34	<u>Fifty percent of this appropriation is for</u>	

26.1 acquisition of land in the seven-county

26.2 metropolitan area.

26.3 To the extent possible, prairie restorations

26.4 funded in whole or in part with this

26.5 appropriation must use native prairie species

26.6 of a local ecotype as defined in Minnesota

26.7 Statutes, section 84.02, subdivision 6.

26.8 The commissioner shall submit a plan to

26.9 the legislature and the chairs of the house

26.10 and senate committees with jurisdiction over

26.11 the environment and natural resources on

26.12 the management of native prairie lands and

26.13 harvesting of native prairie vegetation for use

26.14 for energy production in a manner that does

26.15 not devalue the natural habitat, water quality

26.16 benefits, or carbon sequestration functions.

26.17 Subd. 15. **RIM Critical Habitat Match** 3,000,000

26.18 To provide the state match for the critical

26.19 habitat private sector matching account under

26.20 Minnesota Statutes, section 84.943.

26.21 Subd. 16. **Native Prairie Conservation and**

26.22 **Protection** 4,000,000

26.23 To acquire native prairie bank easements

26.24 under Minnesota Statutes, section 84.96,

26.25 to develop and restore certain tracts of

26.26 prairie bank lands for which the easement is

26.27 permanent, and to acquire native prairie for

26.28 scientific and natural areas, and for the native

26.29 prairie protection and improvements of a

26.30 capital nature in scientific and natural areas in

26.31 the prairie region under Minnesota Statutes,

26.32 sections 84.033 and 86A.05, subdivision 5.

26.33 Prairie restorations funded in whole or

26.34 in part with this appropriation must use

26.35 native prairie species of a local ecotype as

27.1	<u>defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 84.02,</u>	
27.2	<u>subdivision 6.</u>	
27.3	<u>Subd. 17. Scientific and Natural Area</u>	
27.4	<u>Acquisition And Development</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
27.5	<u>To acquire land for scientific and natural</u>	
27.6	<u>areas and for protection and improvements</u>	
27.7	<u>of a capital nature to scientific and natural</u>	
27.8	<u>areas under Minnesota Statutes, sections</u>	
27.9	<u>84.033 and 86A.05, subdivision 5. Not less</u>	
27.10	<u>than five percent of this appropriation is for</u>	
27.11	<u>restoration.</u>	
27.12	<u>This appropriation includes money for only</u>	
27.13	<u>the following projects:</u>	
27.14	<u>(a) Avon Hills Forest SNA additions in</u>	
27.15	<u>Stearns County</u>	
27.16	<u>(b) Big Woods of Cottonwood River in Lyon</u>	
27.17	<u>County</u>	
27.18	<u>(c) Clinton Falls Dwarf Trout Lily site in</u>	
27.19	<u>Steele County</u>	
27.20	<u>(d) Cooks Lake Forest in Otter Tail and</u>	
27.21	<u>Becker Counties</u>	
27.22	<u>(e) Des Moines R forest-prairie complex in</u>	
27.23	<u>Jackson County</u>	
27.24	<u>(f) Franconia Bluffs in Chisago County</u>	
27.25	<u>(g) Hovland Woods SNA addition in Cook</u>	
27.26	<u>County</u>	
27.27	<u>(h) Lester Lake Forest in Hubbard County</u>	
27.28	<u>(i) Morton Outcrops in Renville County</u>	
27.29	<u>(j) Nopeming Unconformity in Saint Louis</u>	
27.30	<u>County</u>	
27.31	<u>(k) Pine Bend Bluffs SNA addition in Dakota</u>	
27.32	<u>County</u>	

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28.1	<u>(l) Wycoff Balsam Fir SNA addition in</u>	
28.2	<u>Fillmore County</u>	
28.3	<u>Subd. 18. Forest Land and Forest Legacy</u>	
28.4	<u>Conservation Easements</u>	<u>3,000,000</u>
28.5	<u>To acquire conservation easements as</u>	
28.6	<u>described under Minnesota Statutes, chapter</u>	
28.7	<u>84C, on private forest lands and within</u>	
28.8	<u>Forest Legacy Areas established under</u>	
28.9	<u>United States Code, title 16, section 2103c.</u>	
28.10	<u>The conservation easements must guarantee</u>	
28.11	<u>public access, including hunting and fishing.</u>	
28.12	<u>Subd. 19. State Forest Land Reforestation</u>	<u>3,000,000</u>
28.13	<u>To increase reforestation activities to meet</u>	
28.14	<u>the reforestation requirements of Minnesota</u>	
28.15	<u>Statutes, section 89.002, subdivision 2,</u>	
28.16	<u>including planting, seeding, site preparation,</u>	
28.17	<u>and purchasing native seeds and native</u>	
28.18	<u>seedlings.</u>	
28.19	<u>Subd. 20. Forest Roads and Bridges</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
28.20	<u>For reconstruction, resurfacing, replacement,</u>	
28.21	<u>and construction of state forest roads and</u>	
28.22	<u>bridges under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
28.23	<u>89.002.</u>	
28.24	<u>Subd. 21. Diseased Shade Tree Removal and</u>	
28.25	<u>Replacement</u>	<u>500,000</u>
28.26	<u>For grants to cities, counties, townships, and</u>	
28.27	<u>park and recreation boards in cities of the first</u>	
28.28	<u>class for the identification, removal, disposal,</u>	
28.29	<u>and replacement of dead or dying shade trees</u>	
28.30	<u>located on public property that are lost to</u>	
28.31	<u>forest pests or disease. For purposes of this</u>	
28.32	<u>appropriation, "shade tree" means a woody</u>	
28.33	<u>perennial grown primarily for aesthetic or</u>	
28.34	<u>environmental purposes with minimal to</u>	
28.35	<u>residual timber value. The commissioner</u>	

29.1 shall consult with municipalities, park, and
29.2 recreation boards in cities of the first class,
29.3 nonprofit organizations, and other interested
29.4 parties in developing eligibility criteria.

29.5 **Subd. 22. State Park and Recreation Area**
29.6 **Acquisition, Rehabilitation, and Development**

19,041,000

29.7 (a) For projects within state parks established
29.8 under Minnesota Statutes, section 85.012,
29.9 and state recreation areas established
29.10 under Minnesota Statutes, section 85.013,
29.11 contained in the Department of Natural
29.12 Resources, Division of Parks and Recreation's
29.13 ten-year project list for "New and Deferred
29.14 Maintenance Bondable Projects" dated
29.15 March 20, 2008. This appropriation includes
29.16 money for new projects at Bear Head Lake,
29.17 Beaver Creek Valley, Blue Mounds, Buffalo
29.18 River, Cuyuna Country State Recreation
29.19 Area, Flandrau, Fort Ridgely, Frontenac,
29.20 Glendalough, Itasca, Lake Bemidji, Lake
29.21 Carlos, Maplewood, Sibley, Soudan Mine,
29.22 Split Rock Lighthouse, Temperance River,
29.23 Tettegouche, and William O'Brien State
29.24 Parks. The commissioner shall determine
29.25 project priorities as appropriate, based on
29.26 need.

29.27 (b) For infrastructure rehabilitation and
29.28 the renovation and development of
29.29 facilities within state parks established
29.30 under Minnesota Statutes, section 85.012,
29.31 contained in the Department of Natural
29.32 Resources, Division of Parks and Recreation's
29.33 ten-year project list for "New and Deferred
29.34 Maintenance Bondable Projects" dated
29.35 March 20, 2008. This appropriation includes
29.36 money for Interstate, Itasca, Jay Cooke, Lake

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30.1	<u>Louise, Lake Shetek, Maplewood, Split Rock</u>	
30.2	<u>Lighthouse, St. Croix, and Tettegouche.</u>	
30.3	<u>The commissioner shall determine project</u>	
30.4	<u>priorities as appropriate, based on need.</u>	
30.5	<u>\$2,400,000 is to acquire from willing sellers</u>	
30.6	<u>land within the boundaries of Greenleaf</u>	
30.7	<u>Lake State Recreation Area, established</u>	
30.8	<u>under Minnesota Statutes, section 85.013,</u>	
30.9	<u>subdivision 11b.</u>	
30.10	<u>\$200,000 is to develop campgrounds at Red</u>	
30.11	<u>River State Recreation Area.</u>	
30.12	<u>Subd. 23. Big Bog State Recreation Area</u>	<u>1,600,000</u>
30.13	<u>For improvements at the Big Bog State</u>	
30.14	<u>Recreation Area, including betterments to</u>	
30.15	<u>the contact station and forest restoration.</u>	
30.16	<u>Subd. 24. Fort Snelling Upper Bluff Emergency</u>	
30.17	<u>Building Stabilization</u>	<u>500,000</u>
30.18	<u>For a grant to Hennepin County to conduct</u>	
30.19	<u>emergency building stabilization at Fort</u>	
30.20	<u>Snelling Upper Bluff. This appropriation</u>	
30.21	<u>is not available until the commissioner of</u>	
30.22	<u>finance has determined that Hennepin County</u>	
30.23	<u>has entered into appropriate agreements to</u>	
30.24	<u>use Sentence to Serve labor for the project</u>	
30.25	<u>that will train the Sentence to Serve laborers</u>	
30.26	<u>in the skills needed for the work.</u>	
30.27	<u>Subd. 25. State Park Prairie Reconstruction</u>	
30.28	<u>and Forest Restoration Projects</u>	<u>545,000</u>
30.29	<u>\$290,000 is for prairie and savanna</u>	
30.30	<u>reconstruction projects at the following state</u>	
30.31	<u>parks: Big Stone, Blue Mounds, Camden,</u>	
30.32	<u>Crow Wing, Frontenac, Glacial Lakes,</u>	
30.33	<u>Maplewood, Split Rock Creek, Upper Sioux,</u>	
30.34	<u>and William O'Brien.</u>	

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31.1	<u>\$255,000 is for forest restoration projects</u>	
31.2	<u>at the following state parks: Itasca, Lake</u>	
31.3	<u>Bemidji, Nerstrand, and St. Croix.</u>	
31.4	<u>Prairie restorations, funded in whole or in</u>	
31.5	<u>part with funds from this appropriation,</u>	
31.6	<u>must include planting native prairie species</u>	
31.7	<u>of a local ecotype as defined in Minnesota</u>	
31.8	<u>Statutes, section 84.02, subdivision 6.</u>	
31.9	<u>Subd. 26. Regional and Local Park Grants</u>	<u>1,621,000</u>
31.10	<u>An appropriation in this subdivision is not</u>	
31.11	<u>available unless a covenant is placed, or has</u>	
31.12	<u>been placed, on the land to keep the land as a</u>	
31.13	<u>public park in perpetuity.</u>	
31.14	<u>\$492,000 is for a grant to the Central</u>	
31.15	<u>Minnesota Regional Parks and Trails</u>	
31.16	<u>Coordination Board to acquire 23 acres of</u>	
31.17	<u>land adjacent to Warner Lake Park in Stearns</u>	
31.18	<u>County.</u>	
31.19	<u>\$500,000 is for a grant to Chisago City</u>	
31.20	<u>to acquire land for the creation of Ojiketa</u>	
31.21	<u>Regional Park in Chisago County.</u>	
31.22	<u>\$129,000 is for a grant to the city of</u>	
31.23	<u>Ortonville to construct improvements of</u>	
31.24	<u>a capital nature at the Minnesota River</u>	
31.25	<u>Regional Park in the city of Ortonville.</u>	
31.26	<u>\$500,000 is for a grant to the city of Sartell</u>	
31.27	<u>to acquire 68 acres of land located along</u>	
31.28	<u>the Sauk River near the confluence of the</u>	
31.29	<u>Mississippi to serve as part of the Central</u>	
31.30	<u>Minnesota Regional Parks and Trails.</u>	
31.31	<u>Subd. 27. State Trail Acquisition,</u>	
31.32	<u>Rehabilitation, and Development</u>	<u>15,320,000</u>

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- 32.1 To acquire land for and to construct and
- 32.2 renovate state trails under Minnesota
- 32.3 Statutes, section 85.015.
- 32.4 \$970,000 is for the Chester Woods Trail from
- 32.5 Rochester to Dover.
- 32.6 \$700,000 is for the Casey Jones Trail.
- 32.7 \$750,000 is for the Gateway Trail, to replace
- 32.8 an at-grade crossing of the Gateway Trail
- 32.9 at Highway 120 with a grade-separated
- 32.10 crossing.
- 32.11 \$1,600,000 is for the Gitchi-Gami Trail
- 32.12 between Silver Bay and Tettegouche State
- 32.13 Park.
- 32.14 \$1,500,000 is for the Great River Ridge Trail
- 32.15 from Plainview to Elgin to Eyota.
- 32.16 \$1,500,000 is for the Heartland Trail.
- 32.17 \$500,000 is for the Mill Towns Trail from
- 32.18 Lake Byllesby Park to Cannon Falls.
- 32.19 \$150,000 is for the Mill Towns Trail within
- 32.20 the city of Faribault.
- 32.21 \$1,500,000 is for the Minnesota River Trail
- 32.22 from Appleton to Milan.
- 32.23 \$2,000,000 is for the Paul Bunyan Trail from
- 32.24 Walker to Guthrie.
- 32.25 \$250,000 is for the Root River Trail from
- 32.26 Preston to Forestville State Park.
- 32.27 \$100,000 is for the Root River Trail, the
- 32.28 eastern extension.
- 32.29 \$250,000 is for the Root River Trail, the
- 32.30 eastern extension Wagon Wheel.
- 32.31 \$550,000 is to connect the Stagecoach Trail
- 32.32 with the Douglas Trail in Olmsted County.

33.1	<u>\$3,000,000 is to rehabilitate state trails.</u>	
33.2	<u>For any project listed in this subdivision that</u>	
33.3	<u>the commissioner determines is not ready to</u>	
33.4	<u>proceed, the commissioner may allocate that</u>	
33.5	<u>project's money to another state trail project</u>	
33.6	<u>in this subdivision. The chairs of the house</u>	
33.7	<u>and senate committees with jurisdiction</u>	
33.8	<u>over environment and natural resources</u>	
33.9	<u>and legislators from the affected legislative</u>	
33.10	<u>districts must be notified of any changes.</u>	
33.11	<u>Subd. 28. Regional Trails</u>	<u>156,000</u>
33.12	<u>For matching grants under Minnesota</u>	
33.13	<u>Statutes, section 85.019, subdivision 4b.</u>	
33.14	<u>For a grant to the city of Cambridge to</u>	
33.15	<u>design and construct the Cambridge-Isanti</u>	
33.16	<u>Bike/Walk Trail connecting the city of</u>	
33.17	<u>Cambridge, the city of Isanti, and Isanti</u>	
33.18	<u>Township in Isanti County. The trail will</u>	
33.19	<u>be designed to provide safe biking and</u>	
33.20	<u>walking connections between the cities and</u>	
33.21	<u>township, and is envisioned to become part</u>	
33.22	<u>of the state's larger trail systems. Along with</u>	
33.23	<u>health and recreational benefits, the trail will</u>	
33.24	<u>help protect and provide an opportunity for</u>	
33.25	<u>environmental education and enjoyment of</u>	
33.26	<u>the wetlands in the area.</u>	
33.27	<u>It is anticipated that the total capital cost</u>	
33.28	<u>of the project will be \$1,080,000, with the</u>	
33.29	<u>federal and local governments contributing</u>	
33.30	<u>\$924,000. Through a joint powers agreement,</u>	
33.31	<u>Cambridge, Isanti, and Isanti Township will</u>	
33.32	<u>share in the maintenance and upkeep of the</u>	
33.33	<u>Cambridge-Isanti Bike/Walk Trail.</u>	
33.34	<u>Subd. 29. Trail Connections</u>	<u>697,000</u>

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34.1 For matching grants under Minnesota
34.2 Statutes, section 85.019, subdivision 4c.
34.3 \$225,000 is for a grant to Clara City to design
34.4 and construct a walking path in Clara City.
34.5 \$100,000 is for a grant to the city of Mora
34.6 for construction of pedestrian and bicycle
34.7 trails, bridge restoration and renovation, and
34.8 other improvements of a capital nature for
34.9 the Spring Lake Trail, located in the city of
34.10 Mora.
34.11 \$372,000 is for a grant to the city of Rockville
34.12 to design and construct the Rocori Trail from
34.13 Richmond through Cold Spring to Rockville,
34.14 connecting with the Glacial Lakes Trail, the
34.15 Beaver Island Trail, and the Lake Wobegon
34.16 Trail.
34.17 For any project listed in this subdivision
34.18 that the commissioner determines is not
34.19 ready to proceed, the commissioner may
34.20 allocate that project's money to another trail
34.21 connection project in this subdivision. The
34.22 chairs of the house and senate committees
34.23 with jurisdiction over the environment and
34.24 natural resources and legislators from the
34.25 affected legislative districts must be notified
34.26 of any changes.

34.27 **Subd. 30. Drill Core Library and Field Office**
34.28 **Renovation**

500,000

34.29 To design, construct, furnish, and equip an
34.30 addition to the minerals drill core library
34.31 facility in Hibbing.

34.32 **Subd. 31. Wildlife Rehabilitation Center**

500,000

34.33 This appropriation is from the general fund
34.34 for a grant to the Wildlife Rehabilitation

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35.1	<u>Center of Minnesota to retire loans incurred</u>		
35.2	<u>by the center for construction of its facility</u>		
35.3	<u>in the city of Roseville, and to complete</u>		
35.4	<u>educational technology infrastructure at the</u>		
35.5	<u>center.</u>		
35.6	<u>Subd. 32. Bell Museum Landscaping</u>		<u>500,000</u>
35.7	<u>To design and construct an environmental</u>		
35.8	<u>landscape at the new Bell Museum of Natural</u>		
35.9	<u>History.</u>		
35.10	<u>Subd. 33. Unspent Appropriations.</u>		
35.11	<u>The unspent portion of an appropriation, but</u>		
35.12	<u>not to exceed ten percent of the appropriation,</u>		
35.13	<u>for a project in this section that is complete,</u>		
35.14	<u>other than an appropriation for flood hazard</u>		
35.15	<u>mitigation, is available for asset preservation</u>		
35.16	<u>under Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.</u>		
35.17	<u>Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, applies</u>		
35.18	<u>from the date of the original appropriation</u>		
35.19	<u>to the unspent amount transferred for asset</u>		
35.20	<u>preservation.</u>		
35.21	<u>Sec. 8. POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY</u>		
35.22	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>30,000,000</u>
35.23	<u>To the Pollution Control Agency for the</u>		
35.24	<u>purposes specified in this section</u>		
35.25	<u>Subd. 2. Albert Lea Landfill</u>		<u>2,500,000</u>
35.26	<u>For a grant to the city of Albert Lea to</u>		
35.27	<u>construct remedial systems at the Albert</u>		
35.28	<u>Lea landfill. This includes relocating and</u>		
35.29	<u>incorporating waste from the former Albert</u>		
35.30	<u>Lea dump owned by the city of Albert</u>		
35.31	<u>Lea under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>		
35.32	<u>115B.403, which action may be taken by the</u>		
35.33	<u>Pollution Control Agency notwithstanding</u>		

36.1 the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, section
36.2 115B.403, paragraphs (a) and (b).
36.3 The appropriation in this subdivision is
36.4 added to the amounts for the city of Albert
36.5 Lea landfill funding in Laws 2006, chapter
36.6 258, section 8, subdivision 2.

36.7 Subd. 3. **Closed Landfill Cleanup Revenue**
36.8 **Bonds**

25,000,000

36.9 From the bond proceeds account in the
36.10 remediation fund under new Minnesota
36.11 Statutes, section 116.156.

36.12 This appropriation is for action at qualified
36.13 closed landfill facilities in Albert Lea,
36.14 Mille Lacs County, Washington County, the
36.15 Western Lake Superior Sanitary District,
36.16 and other locations as determined by the
36.17 commissioner of the Pollution Control
36.18 Agency.

36.19 If the dig and fill option is chosen for
36.20 remediation of the Washington County
36.21 landfill, the landfill must have a triple liner.

36.22 By January 15, 2009, the commissioner of
36.23 the Pollution Control Agency shall report to
36.24 the house and senate Finance Committees
36.25 and divisions with jurisdiction over the
36.26 environment on whether the remediation
36.27 fund needs additional revenue in order to
36.28 provide timely cleanup of closed landfills in
36.29 the state without depleting the remediation
36.30 fund. If the fund needs additional revenue,
36.31 the commissioner shall include in the report
36.32 recommendations for revenue sources and
36.33 amounts that will meet that need.

36.34 Subd. 4. **Beneficial Reuse of Wastewater Grant**
36.35 **Program**

2,500,000

37.1 For grants under new Minnesota Statutes,
37.2 section 116.195, to political subdivisions for
37.3 up to 50 percent of the costs to predesign,
37.4 design, and implement capital projects that
37.5 demonstrate the beneficial use of wastewater.

37.6 Sec. 9. **BOARD OF WATER AND SOIL**
37.7 **RESOURCES**

37.8 Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation** \$ **30,475,000**

37.9 To the Board of Water and Soil Resources
37.10 for the purposes specified in this section.

37.11 To the extent possible, prairie restorations,
37.12 funded in whole or in part with funds from
37.13 this appropriation, must be made using best
37.14 management practices for native prairie
37.15 restoration as defined under Minnesota
37.16 Statutes, section 84.02, subdivision 2.

37.17 Funds previously appropriated and waivers
37.18 previously authorized to the Board of Water
37.19 and Soil Resources for DR-1717 flood relief
37.20 and recovery in Minnesota Laws 2007, First
37.21 Special Session chapter 2, are available and
37.22 applicable until June 30, 2010.

37.23 Subd. 2. **RIM Conservation Reserve** 25,000,000

37.24 To acquire conservation easements from
37.25 landowners to preserve, restore, create, and
37.26 enhance wetlands, restore and enhance rivers
37.27 and streams, riparian lands, and associated
37.28 uplands in order to protect soil and water
37.29 quality, support fish and wildlife habitat,
37.30 reduce flood damages, and other public
37.31 benefits. The provisions of Minnesota
37.32 Statutes, section 103F.515, apply to this
37.33 appropriation, except that the board may
37.34 establish alternative payment rates for

38.1 easements and practices to establish restored
38.2 native prairies, as defined in Minnesota
38.3 Statutes, section 84.02, subdivision 7, and
38.4 to protect uplands. Of this appropriation, up
38.5 to ten percent may be used to implement the
38.6 program.

38.7 The board shall give priority to the area
38.8 designated for relief and recovery from the
38.9 flooding that occurred on or after August 18,
38.10 2007, in the area of Southeast Minnesota
38.11 designated under Presidential Declaration of
38.12 Major Disaster, DR-1717.

38.13 At least \$2,000,000 of this amount is
38.14 available for use by the Cedar River and
38.15 Turtle Creek Watershed Districts in Freeborn,
38.16 Mower, and Steele Counties to restore
38.17 wetlands and reduce flooding in the Austin
38.18 area.

38.19 Up to \$8,000,000 of this amount is available
38.20 for use in Becker, Clay, Kittson, Mahnommen,
38.21 Marshall, Norman, Pennington, Polk, Red
38.22 Lake, Roseau, and Wilkin Counties to restore
38.23 wetlands and reduce flooding in the Red
38.24 River Valley area.

38.25 The board is authorized to enter into new
38.26 agreements and amend past agreements
38.27 with landowners as required by Minnesota
38.28 Statutes, section 103F.515, subdivision 5, to
38.29 allow for restoration, including overseeding
38.30 and harvesting, of native prairie vegetation
38.31 for use for energy production in a manner that
38.32 does not devalue the natural habitat, water
38.33 quality benefits, or carbon sequestration
38.34 functions of the area enrolled in the easement.
38.35 This shall occur after seed production and

39.1 minimize impacts on wildlife. Of this
39.2 appropriation, up to five percent may be used
39.3 for restoration, including overseeding.

39.4 The board must submit to the legislative
39.5 committees with jurisdiction over
39.6 environment finance and capital investment
39.7 an interim report on this program by October
39.8 1, 2008, and a final report by February 1,
39.9 2009.

39.10 Subd. 3. **Wetland Replacement Due to Public**
39.11 **Road Projects**

4,200,000

39.12 To acquire land for wetland restoration or
39.13 preservation to replace wetlands drained
39.14 or filled as a result of the repair or
39.15 reconstruction, replacement, or rehabilitation
39.16 of existing public roads as required by
39.17 Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.222,
39.18 subdivision 1, paragraphs (l) and (m).

39.19 The provisions of Minnesota Statutes, section
39.20 103F.515, apply to this appropriation, except
39.21 that the board may establish alternative
39.22 payment rates for easements and practices
39.23 to establish restored native prairies, as
39.24 defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 84.02,
39.25 subdivision 7, and to protect uplands.

39.26 \$720,000 is to implement the program.

39.27 The purchase price paid for acquisition
39.28 of land, fee, or perpetual easement must
39.29 be the fair market value as determined
39.30 by the board. The board may enter into
39.31 agreements with the federal government,
39.32 other state agencies, political subdivisions,
39.33 and nonprofit organizations or fee owners to
39.34 acquire land and restore and create wetlands
39.35 and to acquire existing wetland banking

40.1 credits. Acquisition of or the conveyance
40.2 of land may be in the name of the political
40.3 subdivision.

40.4 Subd. 4. **Clean Water Legacy** 1,275,000

40.5 \$1,275,000 is for improving water quality.
40.6 The board may expend this amount for the
40.7 following purposes:

40.8 (1) \$800,000 for a grant to Kandiyohi
40.9 County to acquire conservation easements,
40.10 design and construct water control structures
40.11 and pumping infrastructure, and plant
40.12 native prairie species of a local ecotype as
40.13 defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 84.02,
40.14 subdivision 6, in order to restore the Grass
40.15 Lake prairie wetland basins adjacent to the
40.16 city of Willmar in Kandiyohi County. This
40.17 amount must be matched one-to-one by
40.18 funding from other sources;

40.19 (2) \$475,000 for a grant to the city of
40.20 Gaylord to improve water quality in the Lake
40.21 Titlow watershed. The funds may be used to
40.22 predesign and design holding ponds upstream
40.23 from Lake Titlow. The design must include
40.24 the best location for the ponds, an estimate
40.25 of the cost of land acquisition or easements,
40.26 construction costs of the holding ponds, and
40.27 the estimated expense of maintaining the
40.28 structures and who will be responsible for
40.29 the expense. The funds may also be used
40.30 to construct and reconstruct storm water
40.31 sewer drains and related facilities to divert
40.32 water that currently drains into Lake Titlow
40.33 into holding ponds south of the city. The
40.34 cost of reconstructing city streets as part of
40.35 this diversion, and as outlined in the city of

41.1	<u>Gaylord's street improvement plan, is the</u>		
41.2	<u>responsibility of the city. This diversion</u>		
41.3	<u>will keep phosphorus and other chemicals</u>		
41.4	<u>from entering the lake, and will improve</u>		
41.5	<u>the water quality of Lake Titlow. The city</u>		
41.6	<u>must also coordinate with state and county</u>		
41.7	<u>conservation officials to ensure correct</u>		
41.8	<u>conservation practices and improvements</u>		
41.9	<u>in the watershed. The information gained</u>		
41.10	<u>from this project must be made available for</u>		
41.11	<u>public use.</u>		
41.12	Sec. 10. <u>AGRICULTURE</u>	\$	<u>20,000</u>
41.13	<u>To the commissioner of administration to</u>		
41.14	<u>replace the roof of the potato inspection</u>		
41.15	<u>unit building located at 312 Fourth Avenue</u>		
41.16	<u>Northeast in East Grand Forks.</u>		
41.17	Sec. 11. <u>MINNESOTA ZOOLOGICAL</u>		
41.18	<u>GARDEN</u>	\$	<u>2,500,000</u>
41.19	<u>To the Minnesota Zoological Garden for</u>		
41.20	<u>capital asset preservation improvements and</u>		
41.21	<u>betterments, to be spent in accordance with</u>		
41.22	<u>Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.</u>		
41.23	<u>\$1,526,000 is to design and construct</u>		
41.24	<u>improvements to its water management</u>		
41.25	<u>system. The project must be designed to</u>		
41.26	<u>address inflow and infiltration problems</u>		
41.27	<u>associated with the Minnesota Zoo's water</u>		
41.28	<u>discharge flow to the city of Eagan.</u>		
41.29	Sec. 12. <u>ADMINISTRATION</u>		
41.30	Subdivision 1. <u>Total Appropriation</u>	\$	<u>15,725,000</u>
41.31	<u>To the commissioner of administration for</u>		
41.32	<u>the purposes specified in this section.</u>		
41.33	Subd. 2. <u>Property Acquisition</u>		<u>2,325,000</u>

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42.1	<u>To acquire property at 639 Jackson Street in</u>		
42.2	<u>St. Paul adjacent to the Harold E. Stassen</u>		
42.3	<u>Building, to demolish existing structures</u>		
42.4	<u>on the property, and to develop temporary</u>		
42.5	<u>parking on the site and adjacent areas.</u>		
42.6	<u>Subd. 3. State Capitol Building Restoration</u>		<u>13,400,000</u>
42.7	<u>For renovation of the State Capitol Building</u>		
42.8	<u>including, but not limited to: site work</u>		
42.9	<u>to stabilize the plaza; replacement and</u>		
42.10	<u>stabilization of the building's exterior</u>		
42.11	<u>envelope; replacement of air handling units</u>		
42.12	<u>at risk of failure; and projects to improve</u>		
42.13	<u>interior emergency lighting, dome lighting,</u>		
42.14	<u>and catwalks.</u>		
42.15	<u>Sec. 13. AMATEUR SPORTS COMMISSION</u>		
42.16	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>7,725,000</u>
42.17	<u>To the Minnesota Amateur Sports</u>		
42.18	<u>Commission for the purposes specified in</u>		
42.19	<u>this section.</u>		
42.20	<u>Subd. 2. National Sports Center - Blaine</u>		<u>1,400,000</u>
42.21	<u>For asset preservation at the National Sports</u>		
42.22	<u>Center in Blaine, to be spent in accordance</u>		
42.23	<u>with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.</u>		
42.24	<u>Subd. 3. National Volleyball Center - Rochester</u>		<u>3,000,000</u>
42.25	<u>For a grant to the city of Rochester to design,</u>		
42.26	<u>construct, furnish, and equip the Phase 2</u>		
42.27	<u>expansion of the National Volleyball Center</u>		
42.28	<u>in Rochester, designated by the Minnesota</u>		
42.29	<u>Amateur Sports Commission as a regional</u>		
42.30	<u>amateur sports center, subject to Minnesota</u>		
42.31	<u>Statutes, section 16A.695.</u>		
42.32	<u>Subd. 4. Metro North Regional Sports Center</u>		
42.33	<u>- Arden Hills</u>		<u>125,000</u>

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43.1	<u>To predesign the renovation of Building 189</u>	
43.2	<u>located within the Rice Creek Corridor in</u>	
43.3	<u>Ramsey County, formerly the Twin Cities</u>	
43.4	<u>Army Ammunition Plant, to serve as a</u>	
43.5	<u>regional, multiuse recreational amateur</u>	
43.6	<u>sports facility, to be known as the Metro</u>	
43.7	<u>North Regional Sports Facility.</u>	
43.8	<u>Subd. 5. Northwestern Minnesota Regional</u>	
43.9	<u>Sports Center - Moorhead</u>	<u>3,000,000</u>
43.10	<u>For a grant to the city of Moorhead to</u>	
43.11	<u>design, construct, furnish, and equip the</u>	
43.12	<u>Northwestern Minnesota Regional Sports</u>	
43.13	<u>Center.</u>	
43.14	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
43.15	<u>commissioner has determined that at least</u>	
43.16	<u>an equal amount has been committed to the</u>	
43.17	<u>project from nonstate sources. The match</u>	
43.18	<u>may include in-kind contributions, and may</u>	
43.19	<u>include contributions made since January 1,</u>	
43.20	<u>2007.</u>	
43.21	<u>Subd. 6. St. Paul Regional Amateur Sports</u>	
43.22	<u>Facility</u>	<u>100,000</u>
43.23	<u>To predesign the St. Paul Regional Amateur</u>	
43.24	<u>Sports Facility. The St. Paul facility may</u>	
43.25	<u>include, but is not limited to, facilities for</u>	
43.26	<u>the sports of soccer, lacrosse, football, and</u>	
43.27	<u>baseball.</u>	
43.28	<u>Subd. 7. Southwest Regional Amateur Sports</u>	
43.29	<u>Center - Marshall</u>	<u>100,000</u>
43.30	<u>For a grant to the city of Marshall to</u>	
43.31	<u>predesign the Southwest Regional Amateur</u>	
43.32	<u>Sports Center at Marshall.</u>	
43.33	<u>Sec. 14. MILITARY AFFAIRS</u>	
43.34	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$ 6,000,000</u>

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44.1	<u>To the adjutant general for the purposes</u>	
44.2	<u>specified in this section.</u>	
44.3	<u>Subd. 2. Asset Preservation</u>	<u>3,500,000</u>
44.4	<u>For asset preservation improvements and</u>	
44.5	<u>betterments of a capital nature at military</u>	
44.6	<u>affairs facilities statewide, to be spent in</u>	
44.7	<u>accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
44.8	<u>16B.307.</u>	
44.9	<u>This appropriation may be used to replace the</u>	
44.10	<u>roof at the Bemidji National Guard Training</u>	
44.11	<u>and Community Center and to replace the</u>	
44.12	<u>roof at the St. Cloud National Guard Training</u>	
44.13	<u>and Community Center.</u>	
44.14	<u>Subd. 3. Facility Life Safety Improvements</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
44.15	<u>For life safety improvements and to correct</u>	
44.16	<u>code deficiencies at military affairs facilities</u>	
44.17	<u>statewide, to be spent in accordance with</u>	
44.18	<u>Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.</u>	
44.19	<u>Subd. 4. Facility ADA Compliance</u>	<u>1,500,000</u>
44.20	<u>For Americans with Disabilities Act</u>	
44.21	<u>(ADA) alterations to existing National</u>	
44.22	<u>Guard Training and Community Centers in</u>	
44.23	<u>locations throughout the state, to be spent in</u>	
44.24	<u>accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
44.25	<u>16B.307.</u>	
44.26	<u>Subd. 5. Unspent Appropriations.</u>	
44.27	<u>The unspent portion of an appropriation for</u>	
44.28	<u>a project under this section that has been</u>	
44.29	<u>completed may be used for any other purpose</u>	
44.30	<u>permitted under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
44.31	<u>16B.307.</u>	
44.32	<u>Sec. 15. PUBLIC SAFETY</u>	
44.33	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$ 13,135,000</u>

45.1 To the commissioner of public safety, or other
45.2 named agency, for the purposes specified in
45.3 this section.

45.4 Subd. 2. **Anoka County Forensic Crime**
45.5 **Laboratory** 3,000,000

45.6 Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, this
45.7 appropriation is for a grant to Anoka County
45.8 to design, construct, furnish, and equip a
45.9 regional forensic crime laboratory for the use
45.10 of Anoka, Sherburne, and Wright Counties,
45.11 to be located in Anoka County.

45.12 This appropriation is not available until the
45.13 commissioner has determined that at least
45.14 \$7,500,000 has been committed or will be
45.15 committed from nonstate sources to the
45.16 forensic crime laboratory or a public safety
45.17 facility that will contain the forensic crime
45.18 laboratory, or both.

45.19 Subd. 3. **Camp Ripley Training and Exercising**
45.20 **Center** 5,000,000

45.21 To the commissioner of administration to
45.22 predesign, design, construct, furnish, and
45.23 equip Phase 1 of a tier-3 homeland security
45.24 and emergency management training and
45.25 exercise center at Camp Ripley, which
45.26 includes a classroom facility and several
45.27 facilities for field response training. Any
45.28 unspent portion of this appropriation may be
45.29 used to begin predesign for Phase 2 of this
45.30 project.

45.31 Nonmilitary public safety personnel from
45.32 Minnesota must be given access to the
45.33 facility.

45.34 Subd. 4. **Gonvick Public Safety Training**
45.35 **Center** 55,000

46.1 Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, for
46.2 a grant to the city of Gonvick to predesign a
46.3 regional emergency training administration
46.4 center in Gonvick.

46.5 This appropriation is not available until the
46.6 commissioner has determined that at least
46.7 an equal amount has been committed from
46.8 nonstate sources.

46.9 Subd. 5. **Marshall - Minnesota Emergency**
46.10 **Response and Industry Training Center** 300,000

46.11 For a grant to the city of Marshall to
46.12 predesign Phase 2 of the Minnesota
46.13 Emergency Response and Industry Training
46.14 (MERIT) Center, including a wind energy
46.15 training area, an ethanol fuels training area,
46.16 and other training facilities.

46.17 This appropriation is not available until the
46.18 commissioner has determined that at least
46.19 an equal amount has been committed from
46.20 nonstate sources. The match may include
46.21 in-kind contributions.

46.22 Subd. 6. **Nassau Public Safety Facility** 125,000

46.23 From the general fund for a grant to the city
46.24 of Nassau to predesign, design, construct,
46.25 furnish, and equip a new public safety facility
46.26 for fire and other equipment.

46.27 Subd. 7. **Scott County Public Safety Training**
46.28 **Center** 1,000,000

46.29 Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, for
46.30 a grant to Scott County to design, construct,
46.31 furnish, and equip a regional public safety
46.32 training center in Scott County.

46.33 This appropriation is not available until the
46.34 commissioner has determined that at least

47.1 an equal amount has been committed from
47.2 nonstate sources.

47.3 Subd. 8. **Southeastern Minnesota Regional**
47.4 **Public Safety Training Center** 3,655,000

47.5 Notwithstanding any law to the contrary,
47.6 for a grant to Olmsted County to design,
47.7 construct, furnish, and equip the Southeastern
47.8 Minnesota Regional Public Safety Training
47.9 Center in Olmsted County. The facility must
47.10 include, but is not limited to, a live burn
47.11 training simulator, a driving range, and a
47.12 weapons training facility.

47.13 This appropriation is not available until the
47.14 commissioner has determined that at least
47.15 an equal amount has been committed from
47.16 nonstate sources.

47.17 Subd. 9. **Crime Labs Strategic Plan**

47.18 The commissioner of public safety must
47.19 develop a long-term strategic plan for
47.20 maintenance and staffing of existing state
47.21 and regional crime labs and creation,
47.22 maintenance, and staffing of new regional
47.23 and local crime labs. The strategic plan must
47.24 include, but is not limited to, the following:

47.25 (1) an assessment and explanation of the
47.26 state's crime lab needs, including the need
47.27 for additional regional or local crime labs;

47.28 (2) specific recommendations for additional
47.29 regional or local crime labs, including
47.30 recommendations for locations for new
47.31 labs, and a ranking of the specific regions,
47.32 counties, or cities that need a crime lab in
47.33 order of urgency;

48.1 (3) a long-range plan for the training of
48.2 state crime lab employees, including the
48.3 possibility of sharing employee training costs
48.4 with users of the state lab or entities that
48.5 operate regional or local labs;
48.6 (4) a long-range funding plan for the state
48.7 crime lab and state owned regional labs;
48.8 (5) an assessment of the state crime lab's
48.9 response times and specific recommendations
48.10 for improving the lab's response time; and
48.11 (6) specific, clearly stated steps for
48.12 implementing the strategic plan.
48.13 The commissioner must submit the strategic
48.14 plan, as a recommendation, to the house of
48.15 representatives and senate committees with
48.16 responsibility for public safety finance by
48.17 February 1, 2009.

48.18 Sec. 16. **TRANSPORTATION**

48.19 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 65,700,000**

48.20 To the commissioner of transportation for the
48.21 purposes specified in this section.

48.22 **Subd. 2. Local Bridge Replacement and**
48.23 **Rehabilitation** **2,000,000**

48.24 This appropriation is from the bond proceeds
48.25 account in the state transportation fund as
48.26 provided in Minnesota Statutes, section
48.27 174.50, to match federal money and to
48.28 replace or rehabilitate local deficient bridges.

48.29 For a grant to Ramsey County for
48.30 the preliminary planning, design, and
48.31 engineering of the Rice Street bridge
48.32 where it crosses marked Trunk Highway
48.33 36 in Ramsey County to provide a better

49.1	<u>connection for the campuses of St. Jude</u>	
49.2	<u>Medical on both sides of the highway.</u>	
49.3	<u>Subd. 3. Urban Partnership Agreement</u>	
49.4	<u>(a) Technology, Telecommuting, and Outreach</u>	<u>4,300,000</u>
49.5	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>	
49.6	<u>General</u>	<u>3,500,000</u>
49.7	<u>Trunk Highway</u>	<u>800,000</u>
49.8	<u>For expenses related to technology</u>	
49.9	<u>improvements, telecommuting, and outreach</u>	
49.10	<u>efforts for the Urban Partnership Agreement.</u>	
49.11	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
49.12	<u>United States Department of Transportation</u>	
49.13	<u>authorizes funding under the Urban</u>	
49.14	<u>Partnership Agreement.</u>	
49.15	<u>This appropriation is onetime and is available</u>	
49.16	<u>until June 30, 2011.</u>	
49.17	<u>(b) Federal Grant Appropriation</u>	<u>47,400,000</u>
49.18	<u>From the trunk highway fund for the</u>	
49.19	<u>purposes specified in the federal grant</u>	
49.20	<u>implementing the Urban Partnership</u>	
49.21	<u>Agreement. This appropriation is in addition</u>	
49.22	<u>to the appropriations in Laws 2007, chapter</u>	
49.23	<u>143, article 1, section 3, subdivision 3; and</u>	
49.24	<u>Laws 2008, chapter 152, article 2, section 3,</u>	
49.25	<u>subdivision 4. This appropriation is available</u>	
49.26	<u>until June 30, 2011.</u>	
49.27	<u>Subd. 4. Greater Minnesota Transit</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
49.28	<u>For capital assistance for greater Minnesota</u>	
49.29	<u>transit systems to be used for transit capital</u>	
49.30	<u>facilities under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
49.31	<u>174.24, subdivision 3c. Money from this</u>	
49.32	<u>appropriation may be used to pay up to 80</u>	
49.33	<u>percent of the nonfederal share of these</u>	
49.34	<u>facilities.</u>	

50.1	<u>Subd. 5. Minnesota Valley Railroad Track</u>	
50.2	<u>Rehabilitation</u>	<u>3,000,000</u>
50.3	<u>For a grant to the Minnesota Valley Regional</u>	
50.4	<u>Rail Authority to rehabilitate a portion</u>	
50.5	<u>of railroad track from Norwood-Young</u>	
50.6	<u>America to Hanley Falls. A grant under this</u>	
50.7	<u>subdivision is in addition to any grant, loan,</u>	
50.8	<u>or loan guarantee for this project made by</u>	
50.9	<u>the commissioner under Minnesota Statutes,</u>	
50.10	<u>sections 222.46 to 222.62.</u>	
50.11	<u>Subd. 6. Northshore Express</u>	<u>1,500,000</u>
50.12	<u>For a grant to the St. Louis and Lake</u>	
50.13	<u>County Regional Rail Authority for</u>	
50.14	<u>railroad acquisition and track restoration,</u>	
50.15	<u>environmental impact studies, advanced</u>	
50.16	<u>corridor planning, preliminary design and</u>	
50.17	<u>preliminary engineering, station design,</u>	
50.18	<u>analysis of railroad capacity, and easement</u>	
50.19	<u>costs for intercity and passenger rail service</u>	
50.20	<u>between the city of Duluth and the cities of</u>	
50.21	<u>Minneapolis and St. Paul. This appropriation</u>	
50.22	<u>is added to the appropriation in Laws 2006,</u>	
50.23	<u>chapter 258, section 16, subdivision 5,</u>	
50.24	<u>paragraph (b), as added by this act.</u>	
50.25	<u>Subd. 7. St. Paul to Chicago High-Speed Rail</u>	
50.26	<u>Line</u>	<u>4,000,000</u>
50.27	<u>For the state's share of environmental</u>	
50.28	<u>analysis of a high-speed rail line connecting</u>	
50.29	<u>Chicago, LaCrescent, Winona, Red Wing,</u>	
50.30	<u>and the Union Depot Concourse Multimodal</u>	
50.31	<u>Transit Hub, located in downtown St. Paul</u>	
50.32	<u>in the area south of Kellogg Boulevard and</u>	
50.33	<u>east of Jackson Street.</u>	
50.34	<u>No part of this appropriation may be spent to</u>	
50.35	<u>acquire or better capital improvements that</u>	

51.1	<u>are located outside the state of Minnesota,</u>		
51.2	<u>that may be used from time to time outside</u>		
51.3	<u>the state of Minnesota, or that are part of</u>		
51.4	<u>a rail corridor that is not designated by the</u>		
51.5	<u>Midwest Interstate Passenger Rail Compact.</u>		
51.6	<u>The commissioner shall work with the</u>		
51.7	<u>Wisconsin Department of Transportation</u>		
51.8	<u>to coordinate application for federal capital</u>		
51.9	<u>assistance for the high-speed rail project.</u>		
51.10	<u>The commissioner shall develop a</u>		
51.11	<u>comprehensive rail plan, as part of the state</u>		
51.12	<u>transportation plan, including the high-speed</u>		
51.13	<u>rail project. The commissioner shall provide</u>		
51.14	<u>to the chairs of the legislative committees</u>		
51.15	<u>with jurisdiction over transportation policy</u>		
51.16	<u>and finance a copy of the draft state</u>		
51.17	<u>transportation plan for review and comment</u>		
51.18	<u>before the plan is adopted.</u>		
51.19	<u>Subd. 8. Southeast Express</u>		<u>500,000</u>
51.20	<u>For predesign, preliminary engineering, and</u>		
51.21	<u>alternatives analysis for a transit corridor</u>		
51.22	<u>between Rochester and St. Paul.</u>		
51.23	<u>Subd. 9. Port Development Assistance</u>		<u>2,000,000</u>
51.24	<u>For grants under Minnesota Statutes, chapter</u>		
51.25	<u>457A. Any improvements made with the</u>		
51.26	<u>proceeds of these grants must be publicly</u>		
51.27	<u>owned.</u>		
51.28	<u>Sec. 17. METROPOLITAN COUNCIL</u>		
51.29	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>139,200,000</u>
51.30	<u>To the Metropolitan Council for the purposes</u>		
51.31	<u>specified in this section.</u>		
51.32	<u>Subd. 2. Urban Partnership Agreement</u>		<u>16,672,000</u>

52.1 (a) \$8,360,000 is to acquire land, design, and
52.2 construct new or expanded park-and-rides
52.3 or transit stations in the Interstate 35W and
52.4 Trunk Highway 77/Cedar Avenue corridors.

52.5 (b) \$8,312,000 is for bus lane construction
52.6 and related street and sidewalk improvements
52.7 and bus shelters in downtown Minneapolis.

52.8 Up to \$6,433,000 of this appropriation is for
52.9 a grant to the city of Minneapolis for bus lane
52.10 construction and related street and sidewalk
52.11 improvements in downtown Minneapolis.

52.12 (c) The appropriations in this subdivision
52.13 are not available until the United States
52.14 Department of Transportation authorizes
52.15 funding under the Urban Partnership
52.16 Agreement.

52.17 Subd. 3. **Bottineau Boulevard Transit Way** 500,000

52.18 For a grant to the Hennepin County Regional
52.19 Rail Authority for preliminary engineering
52.20 for the Bottineau Transit Way corridor from
52.21 the Hiawatha light rail and Northstar transit
52.22 hub in downtown Minneapolis to the vicinity
52.23 of the Target development in northern
52.24 Brooklyn Park or the Arbor Lakes retail area
52.25 in Maple Grove.

52.26 Subd. 4. **Cedar Avenue Bus Rapid Transit** 4,000,000

52.27 To acquire land, or an interest in land, and
52.28 to design the Cedar Avenue Bus Rapid
52.29 Transit in Dakota County. This appropriation
52.30 may not be spent for capital improvements
52.31 within a trunk highway right-of-way. This
52.32 appropriation is added to the appropriation
52.33 in Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 17,
52.34 subdivision 3.

53.1	<u>Subd. 5. Central Corridor Transit Way</u>	<u>70,000,000</u>
53.2	<u>(a) For one or more of the following activities</u>	
53.3	<u>for the Central Corridor light rail transit line</u>	
53.4	<u>that will connect downtown Minneapolis with</u>	
53.5	<u>downtown St. Paul: preliminary engineering,</u>	
53.6	<u>final design, property acquisition, including</u>	
53.7	<u>improvements and betterments of a capital</u>	
53.8	<u>nature, relocation of utilities owned by public</u>	
53.9	<u>entities, and construction. No more than</u>	
53.10	<u>\$20,000,000 of the appropriation may be</u>	
53.11	<u>used for preliminary engineering.</u>	
53.12	<u>(b) Hennepin and Ramsey Counties need not</u>	
53.13	<u>spend their matching money for this project</u>	
53.14	<u>at a rate faster than dollar for dollar with the</u>	
53.15	<u>money from this appropriation.</u>	
53.16	<u>(c) District heating and district cooling</u>	
53.17	<u>nonprofit corporations organized under</u>	
53.18	<u>Minnesota Statutes, chapter 317A, that are</u>	
53.19	<u>exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3)</u>	
53.20	<u>of the United States Internal Revenue Code</u>	
53.21	<u>that are public right-of-way users under</u>	
53.22	<u>Minnesota Rules, chapter 7819, are eligible</u>	
53.23	<u>to receive grants and federal money for</u>	
53.24	<u>costs of relocating facilities from public</u>	
53.25	<u>rights-of-way to prevent interference with</u>	
53.26	<u>public light rail projects, unless eligibility</u>	
53.27	<u>would impact the project's Federal Transit</u>	
53.28	<u>Authority required cost effectiveness index.</u>	
53.29	<u>Subd. 6. I-94 Corridor Transit Way</u>	<u>750,000</u>
53.30	<u>For a grant to Washington County to</u>	
53.31	<u>work with the Metropolitan Council for</u>	
53.32	<u>predesign and preliminary engineering of</u>	
53.33	<u>transportation and transit improvements,</u>	
53.34	<u>including busways or rail transit, in the</u>	

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54.1	<u>marked Interstate Highway 94 Corridor,</u>	
54.2	<u>from the Minnesota-Wisconsin border</u>	
54.3	<u>extending westward through Washington</u>	
54.4	<u>County to downtown St. Paul and downtown</u>	
54.5	<u>Minneapolis.</u>	
54.6	<u>Subd. 7. I-494 Corridor Transit Way</u>	<u>500,000</u>
54.7	<u>For predesign and preliminary engineering</u>	
54.8	<u>of light rail transit in the I-494 corridor, on or</u>	
54.9	<u>near marked Interstate Highway 494, from</u>	
54.10	<u>Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport to</u>	
54.11	<u>a transit station on the proposed Southwest</u>	
54.12	<u>Corridor Transit Way.</u>	
54.13	<u>Subd. 8. Red Rock Corridor Transit Way</u>	<u>500,000</u>
54.14	<u>To design, construct, and furnish</u>	
54.15	<u>park-and-ride lots for the Red Rock</u>	
54.16	<u>Corridor Transit Way between Hastings and</u>	
54.17	<u>Minneapolis via St. Paul, and any extension</u>	
54.18	<u>between Hastings and Red Wing.</u>	
54.19	<u>Subd. 9. Robert Street Corridor Transit Way</u>	<u>500,000</u>
54.20	<u>For environmental studies and engineering</u>	
54.21	<u>of bus rapid transit or light rail transit for the</u>	
54.22	<u>Robert Street Corridor Transit Way along</u>	
54.23	<u>a corridor on or parallel to U.S. Highway</u>	
54.24	<u>52 and Robert Street from within the city</u>	
54.25	<u>of St. Paul to Dakota County Road 42 in</u>	
54.26	<u>Rosemount. This appropriation is added to</u>	
54.27	<u>the appropriation in Laws 2006, chapter 258,</u>	
54.28	<u>section 17, subdivision 6.</u>	
54.29	<u>Subd. 10. Rush Line Corridor Transit Way</u>	<u>500,000</u>
54.30	<u>For a grant to the Ramsey County Regional</u>	
54.31	<u>Railroad Authority to acquire land for,</u>	
54.32	<u>design, and construct park-and-ride or</u>	
54.33	<u>park-and-pool lots located along the Rush</u>	
54.34	<u>Line Corridor along I-35E/I-35W and</u>	

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55.1	<u>Highway 61 from the Union Depot in</u>	
55.2	<u>downtown St. Paul to Hinckley.</u>	
55.3	<u>Subd. 11. Southwest Corridor Transit Way</u>	<u>500,000</u>
55.4	<u>For a grant to the Hennepin County</u>	
55.5	<u>Regional Rail Authority to prepare a draft</u>	
55.6	<u>environmental impact statement (DEIS)</u>	
55.7	<u>and for preliminary engineering for the</u>	
55.8	<u>Southwest Corridor Transit Way, from the</u>	
55.9	<u>Hiawatha light rail transit line in downtown</u>	
55.10	<u>Minneapolis to the vicinity of the Southwest</u>	
55.11	<u>Station transit hub in Eden Prairie.</u>	
55.12	<u>Subd. 12. Unspent Transit Way Appropriations</u>	
55.13	<u>Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
55.14	<u>16A.69, subdivision 2, upon the award</u>	
55.15	<u>of final contracts for the completion of a</u>	
55.16	<u>transit way project listed in subdivisions 3 to</u>	
55.17	<u>11, the Metropolitan Council may transfer</u>	
55.18	<u>the unencumbered balance in the project</u>	
55.19	<u>account to any other transit way project</u>	
55.20	<u>in those subdivisions, or to design and</u>	
55.21	<u>construct public infrastructure for the Fridley</u>	
55.22	<u>station of the Northstar commuter rail. The</u>	
55.23	<u>Metropolitan Council shall obtain approval</u>	
55.24	<u>from the commissioner of finance and the</u>	
55.25	<u>chair of the senate Finance Committee and</u>	
55.26	<u>the chair of the house of representatives</u>	
55.27	<u>Ways and Means Committee before the</u>	
55.28	<u>transfer is made.</u>	
55.29	<u>Subd. 13. Union Depot</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
55.30	<u>For a grant to the Ramsey County Regional</u>	
55.31	<u>Railroad Authority to acquire land and</u>	
55.32	<u>structures, to renovate structures, and for</u>	
55.33	<u>design, engineering, and environmental</u>	
55.34	<u>work to revitalize Union Depot for use as a</u>	

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56.1	<u>multimodal transit center in St. Paul. This</u>	
56.2	<u>appropriation is added to the appropriation</u>	
56.3	<u>in Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 17,</u>	
56.4	<u>subdivision 7.</u>	
56.5	<u>Subd. 14. Metropolitan Regional Parks Capital</u>	
56.6	<u>Improvements</u>	
56.7	<u>(a) Metropolitan Council Priorities</u>	<u>10,500,000</u>
56.8	<u>For the cost of improvements and betterments</u>	
56.9	<u>of a capital nature and acquisition by the</u>	
56.10	<u>council and local government units of</u>	
56.11	<u>regional recreational open-space lands in</u>	
56.12	<u>accordance with the council's policy plan</u>	
56.13	<u>as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
56.14	<u>473.147. Priority must be given to park</u>	
56.15	<u>rehabilitation and land acquisition projects.</u>	
56.16	<u>This appropriation must not be used to</u>	
56.17	<u>purchase easements.</u>	
56.18	<u>(b) Old Cedar Avenue Bridge</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
56.19	<u>For a grant to the city of Bloomington for</u>	
56.20	<u>removal and replacement of the old Cedar</u>	
56.21	<u>Avenue bridge for bicycle commuters and</u>	
56.22	<u>recreational users. This appropriation is</u>	
56.23	<u>added to the appropriation in Laws 2006,</u>	
56.24	<u>chapter 258, section 17, subdivision 8.</u>	
56.25	<u>(c) Como Zoo</u>	<u>11,000,000</u>
56.26	<u>For a grant to the city of St. Paul to</u>	
56.27	<u>predesign, design, construct, furnish, and</u>	
56.28	<u>equip Phase 2 renovation of the polar bear</u>	
56.29	<u>and gorilla exhibits at the Como Zoo.</u>	
56.30	<u>(d) Coon Rapids 85th Avenue Bicycle Trail</u>	<u>500,000</u>
56.31	<u>For a grant to the city of Coon Rapids to</u>	
56.32	<u>predesign, design, and construct a bicycle</u>	
56.33	<u>and pedestrian trail connecting the city of</u>	
56.34	<u>Fridley bicycle and pedestrian trail along</u>	

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57.1	<u>85th Avenue to the Mississippi Regional</u>	
57.2	<u>Trail Corridor in the city of Coon Rapids.</u>	
57.3	<u>(e) Dakota County North Urban Regional Trail</u>	<u>1,400,000</u>
57.4	<u>For a grant to the city of South St. Paul</u>	
57.5	<u>to design and construct a span arch bridge</u>	
57.6	<u>under 19th Avenue in South St. Paul for</u>	
57.7	<u>connection with the Dakota County North</u>	
57.8	<u>Urban Regional Trail.</u>	
57.9	<u>(f) Grand Rounds Bridge</u>	<u>600,000</u>
57.10	<u>For a grant to the city of Minneapolis to</u>	
57.11	<u>acquire land for and to predesign, design,</u>	
57.12	<u>and construct a bridge for the Grand Rounds</u>	
57.13	<u>Scenic Byway on St. Anthony Parkway over</u>	
57.14	<u>the Northtown Rail Yard.</u>	
57.15	<u>(g) Grand Rounds National Scenic Byways</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
57.16	<u>For a grant to the Minneapolis Park</u>	
57.17	<u>and Recreation Board. \$1,000,000 is to</u>	
57.18	<u>purchase, install, and replace lighting</u>	
57.19	<u>fixtures along the routes of the Grand</u>	
57.20	<u>Rounds. Any outdoor lighting fixtures</u>	
57.21	<u>installed, replaced, maintained, or operated</u>	
57.22	<u>with this appropriation must be a full</u>	
57.23	<u>cutoff luminaire, as defined in Minnesota</u>	
57.24	<u>Statutes, section 16B.328, subdivision 1,</u>	
57.25	<u>if the rated output of the outdoor lighting</u>	
57.26	<u>fixture is greater than 1,800 lumens, and</u>	
57.27	<u>be the minimum illuminance adequate for</u>	
57.28	<u>the intended purpose with consideration</u>	
57.29	<u>given to nationally recognized standards.</u>	
57.30	<u>Full consideration must be given to energy</u>	
57.31	<u>conservation and savings, reduction of</u>	
57.32	<u>glare, minimization of light pollution, and</u>	
57.33	<u>preservation of the natural night environment.</u>	

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58.1	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
58.2	<u>commissioner of finance determines that at</u>	
58.3	<u>least an equal amount has been committed to</u>	
58.4	<u>the project from nonstate sources.</u>	
58.5	<u>\$1,000,000 is to design a roadway to</u>	
58.6	<u>complete the Grand Rounds National Scenic</u>	
58.7	<u>Byway in the city of Minneapolis between</u>	
58.8	<u>Stinson Boulevard in northeast Minneapolis</u>	
58.9	<u>and southeast Minneapolis at East River</u>	
58.10	<u>Road, and to repair and reconstruct portions</u>	
58.11	<u>of the existing 55-mile Grand Rounds</u>	
58.12	<u>National Scenic Byway.</u>	
58.13	<u>(h) Heritage Village Park</u>	<u>100,000</u>
58.14	<u>For a grant to the city of Inver Grove Heights</u>	
58.15	<u>to predesign the Heritage Village Park along</u>	
58.16	<u>the Mississippi River in the city.</u>	
58.17	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
58.18	<u>commissioner has determined that at least</u>	
58.19	<u>an equal amount has been committed from</u>	
58.20	<u>nonstate sources.</u>	
58.21	<u>(i) Inver Grove Heights - Swing Bridge</u>	<u>100,000</u>
58.22	<u>For a grant to the city of Inver Grove Heights</u>	
58.23	<u>to renovate Mississippi River Bridge 5600,</u>	
58.24	<u>the Swing Bridge, between Inver Grove</u>	
58.25	<u>Heights and St. Paul Park.</u>	
58.26	<u>(j) Lower Afton Road Trail</u>	<u>450,000</u>
58.27	<u>For a grant to Ramsey County to design and</u>	
58.28	<u>construct a paved bicycle and pedestrian</u>	
58.29	<u>trail on the north side of Lower Afton Road</u>	
58.30	<u>between McKnight Road and Point Douglas</u>	
58.31	<u>Road.</u>	
58.32	<u>(k) Minnehaha Creek</u>	<u>2,900,000</u>

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59.1	<u>For a grant to the Minneapolis Park and</u>	
59.2	<u>Recreation Board to be used in conjunction</u>	
59.3	<u>with the Minnehaha Creek Watershed</u>	
59.4	<u>District's plan to renovate Works Projects</u>	
59.5	<u>Administration projects in the glen area of</u>	
59.6	<u>Minnehaha Creek, to restore and stabilize the</u>	
59.7	<u>shoreline and cavernous banks of Minnehaha</u>	
59.8	<u>Creek as it flows past Minnehaha Falls, to</u>	
59.9	<u>restore fish and other natural habitat, and</u>	
59.10	<u>to provide storm water retention and creek</u>	
59.11	<u>bank management at or below the Minnesota</u>	
59.12	<u>Veterans Home.</u>	
59.13	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
59.14	<u>commissioner of finance determines that at</u>	
59.15	<u>least \$1,600,000 has been committed to the</u>	
59.16	<u>project from nonstate sources.</u>	
59.17	<u>(l) National Great River Park</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
59.18	<u>For a grant to the city of St. Paul to acquire</u>	
59.19	<u>blighted properties, clean up, remediate, and</u>	
59.20	<u>improve properties, predesign and design</u>	
59.21	<u>facilities, and develop a master plan for</u>	
59.22	<u>the National Great River Park along the</u>	
59.23	<u>Mississippi River in St. Paul.</u>	
59.24	<u>(m) Upper Landing Shoreline Protection</u>	<u>3,800,000</u>
59.25	<u>For a grant to the city of St. Paul to acquire</u>	
59.26	<u>land for and to predesign, design, construct,</u>	
59.27	<u>furnish, and equip river park development</u>	
59.28	<u>and redevelopment infrastructure in National</u>	
59.29	<u>Great River Park along the Mississippi River</u>	
59.30	<u>in St. Paul.</u>	
59.31	<u>The appropriation is added to the</u>	
59.32	<u>appropriation in Laws 2006, chapter 258,</u>	
59.33	<u>section 17, subdivision 8.</u>	
59.34	<u>(n) Rice Creek North Regional Trail</u>	<u>2,183,000</u>

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60.1	<u>For a grant to Anoka County as the local</u>		
60.2	<u>share to match federal money, to design and</u>		
60.3	<u>develop the Rice Creek North Regional Trail,</u>		
60.4	<u>extending from Rice Creek Chain of Lakes</u>		
60.5	<u>Park Reserve in Lino Lakes to the Ramsey</u>		
60.6	<u>County trail system in Shoreview.</u>		
60.7	<u>(o) Springbrook Nature Center</u>		<u>2,500,000</u>
60.8	<u>For a grant to the city of Fridley to</u>		
60.9	<u>predesign, design, construct, and equip</u>		
60.10	<u>the redevelopment and expansion of the</u>		
60.11	<u>Springbrook Nature Center. No nonstate</u>		
60.12	<u>match is required.</u>		
60.13	<u>(p) Tamarack Nature Center</u>		<u>745,000</u>
60.14	<u>For a grant to Ramsey County to design</u>		
60.15	<u>and construct a nature play area, woodland</u>		
60.16	<u>play stream, children's garden, and outdoor</u>		
60.17	<u>multiuse pavilion with restrooms, as well as</u>		
60.18	<u>associated parking lot expansion and access</u>		
60.19	<u>improvements for the Tamarack Nature</u>		
60.20	<u>Center located within the Bald Eagle-Otter</u>		
60.21	<u>Lakes Regional Park.</u>		
60.22	Sec. 18. <u>HUMAN SERVICES</u>		
60.23	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>9,505,000</u>
60.24	<u>To the commissioner of administration, or</u>		
60.25	<u>another named agency, for the purposes</u>		
60.26	<u>specified in this section.</u>		
60.27	<u>Subd. 2. Asset Preservation</u>		<u>3,000,000</u>
60.28	<u>For asset preservation improvements and</u>		
60.29	<u>betterments of a capital nature at Department</u>		
60.30	<u>of Human Services facilities statewide, to be</u>		
60.31	<u>spent in accordance with Minnesota Statutes,</u>		
60.32	<u>section 16B.307.</u>		

61.1	<u>Subd. 3. Systemwide Campus Redevelopment,</u>	
61.2	<u>Reuse, or Demolition</u>	<u>3,400,000</u>
61.3	<u>To demolish surplus, nonfunctional, or</u>	
61.4	<u>deteriorated facilities and infrastructure</u>	
61.5	<u>or to renovate surplus, nonfunctional, or</u>	
61.6	<u>deteriorated facilities and infrastructure</u>	
61.7	<u>at Department of Human Services</u>	
61.8	<u>campuses. These projects must facilitate the</u>	
61.9	<u>redevelopment or reuse of these campuses</u>	
61.10	<u>consistent with redevelopment plan concepts</u>	
61.11	<u>developed and approved under Laws 2003,</u>	
61.12	<u>First Special Session chapter 14, article</u>	
61.13	<u>6, section 64, subdivision 2. If a surplus</u>	
61.14	<u>campus is sold or transferred to a local unit</u>	
61.15	<u>of government, unspent portions of this</u>	
61.16	<u>appropriation may be granted to that local</u>	
61.17	<u>unit of government for the purposes stated in</u>	
61.18	<u>this subdivision.</u>	
61.19	<u>Up to \$400,000 is for preparation and</u>	
61.20	<u>site development, including demolition of</u>	
61.21	<u>buildings and infrastructure, to implement</u>	
61.22	<u>the redevelopment and reuse of the Ah Gwah</u>	
61.23	<u>Ching Regional Treatment Center. If the</u>	
61.24	<u>campus is sold or transferred to a local unit</u>	
61.25	<u>of government, unspent portions of this</u>	
61.26	<u>appropriation may be granted to that local</u>	
61.27	<u>unit of government for the purposes stated in</u>	
61.28	<u>this subdivision.</u>	
61.29	<u>Subd. 4. Early Childhood Learning and Child</u>	
61.30	<u>Protection Facilities</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
61.31	<u>To the commissioner of human services for</u>	
61.32	<u>grants to construct and rehabilitate facilities</u>	
61.33	<u>for programs under Minnesota Statutes,</u>	
61.34	<u>section 119A.45.</u>	
61.35	<u>Subd. 5. West Central Multicounty Secured</u>	
61.36	<u>Treatment Facility</u>	<u>150,000</u>

62.1	<u>To the commissioner of human services</u>		
62.2	<u>for a grant to Pope County to predesign</u>		
62.3	<u>a multicounty regional secured treatment</u>		
62.4	<u>facility in west central Minnesota. The</u>		
62.5	<u>commissioner shall prepare a report to the</u>		
62.6	<u>legislature assessing the need for and the</u>		
62.7	<u>viability of the facility and the benefits</u>		
62.8	<u>derived from a coordinated multicounty,</u>		
62.9	<u>regional approach to local chemical</u>		
62.10	<u>dependency needs in west central Minnesota.</u>		
62.11	<u>The report is due to the legislature by</u>		
62.12	<u>February 1, 2009.</u>		
62.13	<u>Subd. 6. Hennepin County Medical Center</u>		<u>820,000</u>
62.14	<u>For a grant to Hennepin County to predesign</u>		
62.15	<u>and design an outpatient clinic and health</u>		
62.16	<u>education facility at Hennepin County</u>		
62.17	<u>Medical Center that includes teaching clinics</u>		
62.18	<u>and an education center.</u>		
62.19	<u>Subd. 7. Remembering with Dignity</u>		<u>135,000</u>
62.20	<u>For grave markers or memorial monuments</u>		
62.21	<u>for unmarked graves of deceased residents of</u>		
62.22	<u>state hospitals or regional treatment centers.</u>		
62.23	<u>Sec. 19. VETERANS AFFAIRS</u>		
62.24	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>11,282,000</u>
62.25	<u>To the commissioner of administration for</u>		
62.26	<u>the purposes specified in this section.</u>		
62.27	<u>Subd. 2. Asset Preservation</u>		<u>4,000,000</u>
62.28	<u>For asset preservation improvements and</u>		
62.29	<u>betterments of a capital nature at veterans</u>		
62.30	<u>homes statewide, to be spent in accordance</u>		
62.31	<u>with Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.</u>		
62.32	<u>Subd. 3. Fergus Falls Veterans Home</u>		<u>2,700,000</u>

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63.1	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip a 21-bed</u>	
63.2	<u>special care unit to treat individuals with</u>	
63.3	<u>Alzheimer's disease or dementia.</u>	
63.4	<u>Subd. 4. Minneapolis Veterans Home Campus</u>	
63.5	<u>Building 17 HVAC Replacement</u>	<u>3,955,000</u>
63.6	<u>To replace the sections of the campus-wide</u>	
63.7	<u>heating, ventilation, and air conditioning</u>	
63.8	<u>system that serve Building 17.</u>	
63.9	<u>Subd. 5. Silver Bay Campus Master Plan</u>	
63.10	<u>Renovation</u>	<u>227,000</u>
63.11	<u>For the state share of the cost to design,</u>	
63.12	<u>construct, furnish, and equip an addition</u>	
63.13	<u>to and renovation of the nursing care</u>	
63.14	<u>facility. This appropriation is added to the</u>	
63.15	<u>appropriation to the Veterans Homes Board</u>	
63.16	<u>in Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 19,</u>	
63.17	<u>subdivision 7, for this project.</u>	
63.18	<u>Subd. 6. Veterans Memorial, Eden Prairie</u>	<u>100,000</u>
63.19	<u>For a grant to the city of Eden Prairie to</u>	
63.20	<u>design and construct improvements of a</u>	
63.21	<u>capital nature for a veterans memorial in</u>	
63.22	<u>Purgatory Creek Recreation Area in the city</u>	
63.23	<u>of Eden Prairie.</u>	
63.24	<u>Subd. 7. All Wars Memorial, Minneapolis</u>	<u>100,000</u>
63.25	<u>For a grant to the Minneapolis Park and</u>	
63.26	<u>Recreation Board to construct an All Wars</u>	
63.27	<u>Memorial at Sheridan Memorial Park on the</u>	
63.28	<u>Mississippi River.</u>	
63.29	<u>Subd. 8. All Veterans Memorial, Richfield</u>	<u>100,000</u>
63.30	<u>For a grant to the city of Richfield to design</u>	
63.31	<u>and construct the All Veterans Memorial, to</u>	
63.32	<u>be built in the city-owned Veterans Memorial</u>	
63.33	<u>Park. The All Veterans Memorial will</u>	

64.1 acknowledge the six branches of military
64.2 service at the first American flag raising of
64.3 the battle of Iwo Jima, and will feature a
64.4 bronze bust of Charles "Chuck" W. Lindberg,
64.5 who helped raise the first flag on February
64.6 23, 1945, and was the last flag raiser of both
64.7 Iwo Jima flag raisings to pass away. It is
64.8 anticipated that the total cost of the project
64.9 is \$711,500, with the city and nonprofit
64.10 organizations contributing \$611,500.

64.11 This appropriation is not available until the
64.12 commissioner of finance has determined that
64.13 at least an equal amount has been committed
64.14 from nonstate sources.

64.15 Subd. 9. **Veterans Memorial, Virginia** 100,000

64.16 For a grant to the city of Virginia to acquire
64.17 a bronze statue to complete an Iron Range
64.18 Veterans Memorial in City Center Park. Any
64.19 expenditures by the city for development and
64.20 construction of the veterans memorial and
64.21 City Center Park are considered the city's
64.22 match for this project.

64.23 Sec. 20. **CORRECTIONS**

64.24 Subdivision 1. **Total Appropriation** \$ 32,000,000

64.25 To the commissioner of administration for
64.26 the purposes specified in this section.

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

64.28 For improvements and betterments of a
64.29 capital nature at Minnesota correctional
64.30 facilities statewide, in accordance with
64.31 Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307.

64.32 Subd. 3. **Minnesota Correctional Facility -**
64.33 **Faribault**

65.1	<u>Expansion Phase 3</u>	<u>16,000,000</u>
65.2	<u>To design, construct, furnish, and equip a</u>	
65.3	<u>building to serve as a secure intake, receiving,</u>	
65.4	<u>warehouse, and security watch center at the</u>	
65.5	<u>Minnesota Correctional Facility - Faribault,</u>	
65.6	<u>including, but not limited to, a secure vehicle</u>	
65.7	<u>sally port for processing offenders and a</u>	
65.8	<u>receiving and distribution area to process and</u>	
65.9	<u>search incoming supplies. This appropriation</u>	
65.10	<u>includes funding to demolish two existing</u>	
65.11	<u>buildings on the site of this new building and</u>	
65.12	<u>remodel existing buildings and infrastructure</u>	
65.13	<u>as required to accommodate the new facility</u>	
65.14	<u>operations.</u>	
65.15	<u>Subd. 4. Minnesota Correctional Facility - Red</u>	
65.16	<u>Wing</u>	
65.17	<u>Vocational Education Building</u>	<u>6,000,000</u>
65.18	<u>To construct, furnish, and equip a new</u>	
65.19	<u>vocational education building with a</u>	
65.20	<u>combined classroom and shop complex.</u>	
65.21	<u>Sec. 21. EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC</u>	
65.22	<u>DEVELOPMENT</u>	
65.23	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$ 143,125,000</u>
65.24	<u>To the commissioner of employment and</u>	
65.25	<u>economic development or other named</u>	
65.26	<u>agency for the purposes specified in this</u>	
65.27	<u>section.</u>	
65.28	<u>Subd. 2. Greater Minnesota Business</u>	
65.29	<u>Development Infrastructure Grant Program</u>	<u>7,500,000</u>
65.30	<u>For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
65.31	<u>116J.431.</u>	
65.32	<u>Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
65.33	<u>116J.431, \$500,000 is for a grant to the city</u>	
65.34	<u>of Floodwood for acquisition of land and</u>	

66.1 site preparation and to construct or install
66.2 public infrastructure to support development
66.3 of a business park. This appropriation is not
66.4 available until the commissioner of finance
66.5 has determined that at least an equal amount
66.6 is committed to the project from nonstate
66.7 sources.

66.8 For the first 120 days after the effective
66.9 date of this section, up to \$1,750,000 of this
66.10 appropriation is reserved for grants and loans
66.11 to Minnesota school districts, municipalities,
66.12 and counties to build infrastructure
66.13 improvements that use Minnesota biomass
66.14 energy products to conserve energy and
66.15 reduce reliance on electricity, oil, and natural
66.16 gas.

66.17 **Subd. 3. Bioscience Business Development**
66.18 **Public Infrastructure Grant Program** 9,000,000

66.19 For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section
66.20 116J.435.

66.21 \$3,500,000 is for public infrastructure,
66.22 including land acquisition, to support a
66.23 private research park within a designated
66.24 bioscience subzone that is adjacent to and
66.25 complementary to research facilities of a
66.26 college or university.

66.27 \$1,000,000 is for a grant to the city of
66.28 Worthington for public infrastructure to
66.29 support an agricultural-based bioscience
66.30 training and testing center for incubator firms
66.31 developing new agricultural processes and
66.32 products.

66.33 **Subd. 4. Redevelopment Account** 8,500,000

66.34 For purposes of the redevelopment account
66.35 under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.571.

67.1 \$1,890,000 is for a grant to Cass County
67.2 to redevelop the Ah-Gwah-Ching site in
67.3 Walker. If this project does not proceed
67.4 prior to January 1, 2009, these funds shall be
67.5 available for other grants under Minnesota
67.6 Statutes, section 116J.571.

67.7 The commissioner may require that grant
67.8 money not committed by contract for
67.9 approved project activities within 120 days
67.10 after the grant agreement was signed be
67.11 returned and credited to the redevelopment
67.12 account.

67.13 \$750,000 is for a grant to St. Louis County
67.14 to design, construct, and install public
67.15 infrastructure from the city of Chisholm to
67.16 the regional competition and exhibit center.
67.17 This appropriation is not available until the
67.18 commissioner has determined that at least
67.19 an equal amount has been committed from
67.20 nonstate sources.

67.21 Subd. 5. **Bemidji Regional Event Center** 20,000,000

67.22 For a grant to the city of Bemidji to acquire
67.23 land, predesign, design, construct, furnish,
67.24 and equip a regional event center.

67.25 The appropriation is added to the
67.26 appropriation in Laws 2006, chapter 258,
67.27 section 21, subdivision 11.

67.28 This appropriation is not available until the
67.29 commissioner of finance determines that at
67.30 least \$25,000,000 is has been committed to
67.31 the project from nonstate sources.

67.32 Subd. 6. **Crookston** 10,000,000

67.33 For a grant to the city of Crookston to design,
67.34 construct, furnish, and equip an ice arena

68.1 complex to replace an existing facility that is
68.2 being relocated to accommodate a planned
68.3 flood control project.

68.4 This appropriation is not available until the
68.5 commissioner has determined that the city of
68.6 Crookston has committed at least \$1,720,825
68.7 to the project.

68.8 Subd. 7. **Duluth - DECC Arena** 38,000,000

68.9 For a grant to the Duluth Entertainment
68.10 and Convention Center Authority to
68.11 design, construct, furnish, and equip capital
68.12 improvements and renovations to the Duluth
68.13 Entertainment and Convention Center. The
68.14 capital improvements and renovations must
68.15 include an arena of at least 200,000 square
68.16 feet with an ice sheet of at least 200 feet
68.17 by 85 feet; trade show and concert space;
68.18 seating capacity of at least 6,500 with suites,
68.19 club seats, and concessions; updated locker
68.20 and training facilities; and accessible and
68.21 expanded media space.

68.22 Subd. 8. **Hibbing - Memorial Building** 250,000

68.23 For a grant to the city of Hibbing to design,
68.24 renovate, furnish, and equip the Memorial
68.25 Building.

68.26 Subd. 9. **Itasca County - Steel Plant**
68.27 Infrastructure 28,000,000

68.28 For a grant to Itasca County for public
68.29 infrastructure needed to support a steel plant
68.30 in Itasca County and economic development
68.31 projects in the surrounding area. Grant
68.32 money may be used by Itasca County to
68.33 acquire right-of-way and mitigate loss of
68.34 wetlands and runoff of storm water, to
68.35 predesign, design, construct, and equip

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69.1	<u>roads and rail lines, and in cooperation with</u>	
69.2	<u>Nashwauk Municipal Utility, to predesign,</u>	
69.3	<u>design, construct, and equip natural gas</u>	
69.4	<u>pipelines, electric infrastructure, water</u>	
69.5	<u>supply systems, and wastewater collection</u>	
69.6	<u>and treatment systems.</u>	
69.7	<u>Subd. 10. Mankato - Theater and Hockey</u>	
69.8	<u>Center</u>	<u>975,000</u>
69.9	<u>For a grant to the city of Mankato to</u>	
69.10	<u>predesign and design a performing arts</u>	
69.11	<u>theater and Southern Minnesota Women's</u>	
69.12	<u>Hockey Exposition Center attached to the</u>	
69.13	<u>Mankato Civic Center for use by Minnesota</u>	
69.14	<u>State University, Mankato.</u>	
69.15	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
69.16	<u>commissioner has determined that at least</u>	
69.17	<u>an equal amount has been committed to the</u>	
69.18	<u>project from nonstate sources.</u>	
69.19	<u>Subd. 11. Minneapolis - Orchestra Hall</u>	<u>3,000,000</u>
69.20	<u>For a grant to the city of Minneapolis to</u>	
69.21	<u>predesign the renovation of Orchestra Hall</u>	
69.22	<u>and Peavey Plaza at its current downtown</u>	
69.23	<u>Minneapolis location, subject to Minnesota</u>	
69.24	<u>Statutes, section 16A.695.</u>	
69.25	<u>Subd. 12. Rochester - Mayo Civic Center</u>	
69.26	<u>Complex</u>	<u>3,500,000</u>
69.27	<u>For a grant to the city of Rochester to design</u>	
69.28	<u>the renovation and expansion of the Mayo</u>	
69.29	<u>Civic Center Complex.</u>	
69.30	<u>Subd. 13. Roseville - Guidant John Rose</u>	
69.31	<u>Minnesota Oval</u>	<u>600,000</u>
69.32	<u>For a grant to the city of Roseville to</u>	
69.33	<u>predesign, design, construct, or install,</u>	
69.34	<u>furnish, and equip multiple improvements</u>	
69.35	<u>to the Guidant John Rose Minnesota Oval</u>	

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70.1	<u>including a geothermal heating and cooling</u>	
70.2	<u>system for the facility.</u>	
70.3	<u>Subd. 14. St. Cloud Civic Center Expansion</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
70.4	<u>For a grant to the city of St. Cloud to</u>	
70.5	<u>acquire land for and for pre-engineering,</u>	
70.6	<u>engineering, and design for an expansion of</u>	
70.7	<u>the St. Cloud Civic Center. The expansion</u>	
70.8	<u>includes approximately 66,000 square feet</u>	
70.9	<u>of new space and a 300-stall parking ramp.</u>	
70.10	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
70.11	<u>commissioner of finance determines that at</u>	
70.12	<u>least \$2,000,000 is committed to the project</u>	
70.13	<u>from nonstate sources.</u>	
70.14	<u>Subd. 15. St. Cloud State University - National</u>	
70.15	<u>Hockey Center</u>	<u>6,500,000</u>
70.16	<u>To the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota</u>	
70.17	<u>State Colleges and Universities to predesign,</u>	
70.18	<u>design, construct, furnish, and equip the</u>	
70.19	<u>renovation of the National Hockey Center.</u>	
70.20	<u>Subd. 16. St. Paul</u>	
70.21	<u>(a) Asian Pacific Cultural Center</u>	<u>5,000,000</u>
70.22	<u>For a grant to the Housing and</u>	
70.23	<u>Redevelopment Authority of the city</u>	
70.24	<u>of St. Paul, to construct, furnish, and equip</u>	
70.25	<u>an Asian Pacific Cultural Center, subject to</u>	
70.26	<u>Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695.</u>	
70.27	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
70.28	<u>commissioner has determined that at least</u>	
70.29	<u>an equal amount has been committed from</u>	
70.30	<u>nonstate sources.</u>	
70.31	<u>(b) Gillette Children's Specialty Healthcare</u>	<u>300,000</u>
70.32	<u>From the general fund for a grant to Ramsey</u>	
70.33	<u>County to predesign and design renovations</u>	
70.34	<u>for surgical suites and the pediatric intensive</u>	

71.1	<u>care unit at Gillette Children's Specialty</u>		
71.2	<u>Healthcare, which until 1989 was a state</u>		
71.3	<u>institution housed in a state building that</u>		
71.4	<u>served the medical needs of children with</u>		
71.5	<u>disabilities.</u>		
71.6	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>		
71.7	<u>commissioner has determined that at least</u>		
71.8	<u>an equal amount has been committed from</u>		
71.9	<u>nonstate sources.</u>		
71.10	Sec. 22. <u>PUBLIC FACILITIES AUTHORITY</u>		
71.11	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>49,800,000</u>
71.12	<u>To the Public Facilities Authority for the</u>		
71.13	<u>purposes specified in this section.</u>		
71.14	<u>Subd. 2. State Match For Federal Grants</u>		<u>30,000,000</u>
71.15	<u>(a) To match federal grants for the clean</u>		
71.16	<u>water revolving fund under Minnesota</u>		
71.17	<u>Statutes, section 446A.07, and the drinking</u>		
71.18	<u>water revolving fund under Minnesota</u>		
71.19	<u>Statutes, section 446A.081.</u>		
71.20	<u>(b) \$6,000,000 of this appropriation shall</u>		
71.21	<u>provide matching funds for the drinking</u>		
71.22	<u>water revolving fund to match the 2009 and</u>		
71.23	<u>2010 federal grants, with the balance to be</u>		
71.24	<u>made available to the clean water revolving</u>		
71.25	<u>fund.</u>		
71.26	<u>(c) This appropriation must be used for</u>		
71.27	<u>qualified capital projects.</u>		
71.28	<u>Subd. 3. Wastewater Infrastructure Funding</u>		
71.29	<u>Program</u>		<u>15,300,000</u>
71.30	<u>(a) For grants and loans to eligible</u>		
71.31	<u>municipalities under the wastewater</u>		
71.32	<u>infrastructure funding program under</u>		
71.33	<u>Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.072.</u>		

72.1 To the greatest practical extent, the authority
72.2 must use the appropriation for projects on
72.3 the 2008 project priority list in priority order
72.4 by qualified applicants that submit plans
72.5 and specifications to the Pollution Control
72.6 Agency or receive a funding commitment
72.7 from USDA Rural Economic and
72.8 Community Development by June 30, 2009,
72.9 or for projects on the 2009 project priority
72.10 list in priority order by qualified applicants
72.11 that submit plans and specifications to the
72.12 Pollution Control Agency or have received
72.13 a funding commitment from USDA Rural
72.14 Economic and Community Development by
72.15 June 30, 2010.

72.16 Of this appropriation, \$300,000 is to
72.17 implement the wastewater infrastructure
72.18 funding program.

72.19 (b) Up to \$2,000,000 may be used for
72.20 corrective action on wastewater treatment
72.21 systems listed in Laws 2005, chapter 20,
72.22 article 1, section 23, subdivision 3, paragraph
72.23 (b). Grants under this paragraph are not
72.24 subject to the 2008 or 2009 project priority
72.25 list nor to the limitations on grant amounts
72.26 set forth in Minnesota Statutes, section
72.27 446A.072, subdivision 5a.

72.28 (c) Notwithstanding the limitations and
72.29 conditions on loans under Minnesota
72.30 Statutes, section 446A.072, subdivisions 5a,
72.31 paragraph (b); 9; and 12, from any amounts
72.32 appropriated for the wastewater infrastructure
72.33 funding program, the Minnesota Public
72.34 Facilities Authority shall provide loans
72.35 not to exceed \$6,000,000 to the city of

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73.1	<u>Litchfield to design and construct wastewater</u>	
73.2	<u>treatment facility improvements to meet</u>	
73.3	<u>more stringent effluent limits required by</u>	
73.4	<u>the Pollution Control Agency, and not to</u>	
73.5	<u>exceed \$7,000,000 to the city of Willmar</u>	
73.6	<u>to design, construct, furnish, and equip a</u>	
73.7	<u>new wastewater treatment facility. Loans</u>	
73.8	<u>under this paragraph are in addition to any</u>	
73.9	<u>other grants and loans for which the cities of</u>	
73.10	<u>Litchfield and Willmar qualify for from the</u>	
73.11	<u>Public Facilities Authority.</u>	
73.12	<u>Subd. 4. Upper Sioux Community Water</u>	
73.13	<u>System</u>	<u>750,000</u>
73.14	<u>This appropriation is from the general fund</u>	
73.15	<u>for a grant to the Upper Sioux Community to</u>	
73.16	<u>improve the current water system to ensure</u>	
73.17	<u>continuity of service to the entire population</u>	
73.18	<u>of the community and to meet the demands</u>	
73.19	<u>of the planned community expansion over</u>	
73.20	<u>the next 20 years.</u>	
73.21	<u>This appropriation is not available until the</u>	
73.22	<u>Public Facilities Authority has determined</u>	
73.23	<u>that at least \$375,000 has been committed</u>	
73.24	<u>from nonstate sources.</u>	
73.25	<u>Subd. 5. Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL)</u>	
73.26	<u>Grants</u>	<u>2,000,000</u>
73.27	<u>For total maximum daily load grants under</u>	
73.28	<u>Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.073.</u>	
73.29	<u>Subd. 6. Small Community Wastewater Grants</u>	<u>1,500,000</u>
73.30	<u>For transfer to the small community</u>	
73.31	<u>wastewater treatment account for loans and</u>	
73.32	<u>grants under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>	
73.33	<u>446A.075.</u>	
73.34	<u>Subd. 7. Streamlined Infrastructure Financing</u>	<u>100,000</u>

74.1 From the general fund for staff and consultant
74.2 costs to develop a credit enhanced pooled
74.3 bond program for municipal infrastructure
74.4 projects.

74.5 Subd. 8. **Bayport Storm Sewer** 150,000

74.6 For a grant to the city of Bayport for
74.7 the Middle St. Croix River Watershed
74.8 Management Organization to complete the
74.9 sewer system extending from Minnesota
74.10 Department of Natural Resources pond
74.11 82-310P (the prison pond) in Bayport
74.12 through the Stillwater prison grounds to the
74.13 St. Croix River. This appropriation is in
74.14 addition to the appropriations in Laws 2000,
74.15 chapter 492, article 1, section 21, subdivision
74.16 8, to the commissioner of corrections and
74.17 in Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, section
74.18 23, subdivision 3, to the Public Facilities
74.19 Authority, for the same project.

74.20 Sec. 23. **MINNESOTA HOUSING FINANCE**
74.21 **AGENCY** \$ 1,000,000

74.22 To the Minnesota Housing Finance Agency
74.23 for transfer to the housing development fund
74.24 for the purposes specified in this section.

74.25 This appropriation is for loans or grants: (1)
74.26 for publicly owned emergency shelter; (2)
74.27 for publicly owned temporary or transitional
74.28 housing under Minnesota Statutes, section
74.29 462A.202, subdivision 2; and (3) for publicly
74.30 owned permanent rental housing under
74.31 Minnesota Statutes, section 462A.202,
74.32 subdivision 3a, for persons who have been
74.33 without a permanent residence either for at
74.34 least 12 months or on at least four occasions
74.35 in the last three years, or who were at

75.1	<u>significant risk of lacking a permanent</u>		
75.2	<u>residence for at least 12 months or on at</u>		
75.3	<u>least four occasions in the last three years.</u>		
75.4	<u>Loans or grants under Minnesota Statutes,</u>		
75.5	<u>section 462A.202, subdivision 3a, must be</u>		
75.6	<u>for housing that provides or coordinates with</u>		
75.7	<u>linkages to services necessary for residents</u>		
75.8	<u>to maintain housing stability and maximize</u>		
75.9	<u>opportunities for education and employment.</u>		
75.10	Sec. 24. <u>MINNESOTA HISTORICAL</u>		
75.11	<u>SOCIETY</u>		
75.12	<u>Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation</u>	\$	<u>9,594,000</u>
75.13	<u>To the Minnesota Historical Society for the</u>		
75.14	<u>purposes specified in this section</u>		
75.15	<u>Subd. 2. Historic Sites Asset Preservation</u>		<u>4,000,000</u>
75.16	<u>For capital improvements and betterments</u>		
75.17	<u>at state historic sites, buildings, landscaping</u>		
75.18	<u>at historic buildings, exhibits, markers, and</u>		
75.19	<u>monuments, to be spent in accordance with</u>		
75.20	<u>Minnesota Statutes, section 16B.307. The</u>		
75.21	<u>society shall determine project priorities as</u>		
75.22	<u>appropriate based on need.</u>		
75.23	<u>Subd. 3. Historic Fort Snelling Museum and</u>		
75.24	<u>Visitor Center</u>		<u>3,000,000</u>
75.25	<u>For projects of a capital nature at historic</u>		
75.26	<u>Fort Snelling to preserve historic structures</u>		
75.27	<u>and to enhance visitor services.</u>		
75.28	<u>Subd. 4. County and Local Preservation</u>		
75.29	<u>Grants</u>		<u>2,000,000</u>
75.30	<u>To be allocated to county and local</u>		
75.31	<u>jurisdictions as matching money for historic</u>		
75.32	<u>preservation projects of a capital nature, as</u>		
75.33	<u>provided in new Minnesota Statutes, section</u>		
75.34	<u>138.0525. This appropriation includes</u>		

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76.1 money for grants to the city of Hokah to
76.2 renovate the Hokah City Hall building; and
76.3 the Houston County Historical Society to
76.4 renovate existing space and to predesign,
76.5 design, and construct an addition to the
76.6 Houston County Historical Society building
76.7 located in the city of Caledonia.

76.8 \$400,000 is for a grant to the city of Chatfield
76.9 to predesign, design, construct, furnish, and
76.10 equip a community center that will, among
76.11 other uses, house the Chatfield Brass Band
76.12 Music Lending Library.

76.13 \$100,000 is for a grant to the city of Wells to
76.14 renovate the historic Wells Train Depot. No
76.15 match is required for this grant.

76.16 Subd. 5. **Oliver H. Kelley Farm Historic Site** 300,000

76.17 For predesign and design for the renovation
76.18 of the Oliver H. Kelley Farm Historic Site.
76.19 Any unexpended funds may be used for the
76.20 construction of visitor amenities including
76.21 rest room and picnic facilities.

76.22 Subd. 6. **Heritage Trails** 294,000

76.23 To complete development of the educational
76.24 interpretive trail system at the Fort Ridgely
76.25 historic site.

76.26 Sec. 25. **BOND SALE EXPENSES** \$ 998,000

76.27 To the commissioner of finance for bond sale
76.28 expenses under Minnesota Statutes, section
76.29 16A.641, subdivision 8.

76.30 Sec. 26. **BOND SALE SCHEDULE**

76.31 The commissioner of finance shall schedule the sale of state general obligation
76.32 bonds so that, during the biennium ending June 30, 2009, no more than \$871,424,000 will
76.33 need to be transferred from the general fund to the state bond fund to pay principal and

77.1 interest due and to become due on outstanding state general obligation bonds. During the
77.2 biennium, before each sale of state general obligation bonds, the commissioner of finance
77.3 shall calculate the amount of debt service payments needed on bonds previously issued
77.4 and shall estimate the amount of debt service payments that will be needed on the bonds
77.5 scheduled to be sold. The commissioner shall adjust the amount of bonds scheduled to be
77.6 sold so as to remain within the limit set by this section. The amount needed to make the
77.7 debt service payments is appropriated from the general fund as provided in Minnesota
77.8 Statutes, section 16A.641.

77.9 Sec. 27. **BOND SALE AUTHORIZATION.**

77.10 Subdivision 1. **Bond proceeds fund.** To provide the money appropriated in this act
77.11 from the bond proceeds fund, the commissioner of finance shall sell and issue bonds of the
77.12 state in an amount up to \$1,006,610,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect
77.13 prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota
77.14 Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

77.15 Subd. 2. **Maximum effort school loan fund.** To provide the money appropriated in
77.16 this act from the maximum effort school loan fund, the commissioner of finance shall sell
77.17 and issue bonds of the state in an amount up to \$16,000,000 in the manner, upon the terms,
77.18 and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by
77.19 the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7. The proceeds of the bonds, except
77.20 accrued interest and any premium received on the sale of the bonds, must be credited to a
77.21 bond proceeds account in the maximum effort school loan fund.

77.22 Subd. 3. **Transportation fund bond proceeds account.** To provide the money
77.23 appropriated in this article from the state transportation fund, the commissioner of finance
77.24 shall sell and issue bonds of the state in an amount up to \$2,000,000 in the manner, upon
77.25 the terms, and with the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to
77.26 16A.675, and by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7. The proceeds of
77.27 the bonds, except accrued interest and any premium received on the sale of the bonds,
77.28 must be credited to a bond proceeds account in the state transportation fund.

77.29 Sec. 28. **CANCELLATIONS; BOND SALE AUTHORIZATION REDUCTIONS.**

77.30 (a) \$17,262,000 of the appropriation in Laws 2002, chapter 393, section 19,
77.31 subdivision 2, to the Metropolitan Council for the Northwest busway, is canceled. The
77.32 bond sale authorization in Laws 2002, chapter 393, section 30, is reduced by \$17,262,000.

77.33 (b) \$2,571,000 of the appropriation in Laws 2003, First Special Session chapter 20,
77.34 article 1, section 2, subdivision 2, paragraph (c), for the teaching and technology center, is

78.1 canceled. The bond sale authorization in Laws 2003, First Special Session chapter 20,
78.2 article 1, section 16, is reduced by \$2,571,000.

78.3 (c) The bond sale authorization in Laws 2003, First Special Session chapter 20,
78.4 article 1, section 16, is reduced by \$1,500,000.

78.5 (d) The bond sale authorization in Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, section 28,
78.6 subdivision 1, is reduced by \$2,000,000.

78.7 (e) The bond sale authorization in Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 25, subdivision
78.8 1, is reduced by \$3,767,000.

78.9 Sec. 29. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 16B.32, is amended by adding a subdivision
78.10 to read:

78.11 Subd. 1a. **Onsite energy generation from renewable sources.** A state agency
78.12 that prepares a predesign for a new building must consider meeting at least two percent
78.13 of the energy needs of the building from renewable sources located on the building site.
78.14 For purposes of this subdivision, "renewable sources" are limited to wind and the sun.
78.15 The predesign must include an explicit cost and price analysis of complying with the
78.16 two-percent requirement compared with the present and future costs of energy supplied
78.17 by a public utility from a location away from the building site and the present and future
78.18 costs of controlling carbon emissions. If the analysis concludes that the building should
78.19 not meet at least two-percent of its energy needs from renewable sources located on the
78.20 building site, the analysis must provide explicit reasons why not. The building may not
78.21 receive further state appropriations for design or construction unless at least two percent of
78.22 its energy needs are designed to be met from renewable sources, unless the commissioner
78.23 finds that the reasons given by the agency for not meeting the two-percent requirement
78.24 were supported by evidence in the record.

78.25 Sec. 30. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 16B.325, is amended to read:

78.26 **16B.325 SUSTAINABLE BUILDING GUIDELINES.**

78.27 Subdivision 1. **Development of sustainable building guidelines.** The Department
78.28 of Administration and the Department of Commerce, with the assistance of other agencies,
78.29 shall develop sustainable building design guidelines for all new state buildings by January
78.30 15, 2003, and for all major renovations of state buildings by February 1, 2009. The
78.31 primary objectives of these guidelines are to ensure that all new state buildings, and
78.32 major renovations of state buildings, initially exceed ~~existing~~ the state energy code, as
78.33 established in Minnesota Rules, chapter 7676, by at least 30 percent.

79.1 Subd. 2. **Lowest possible cost; energy conservation.** The guidelines must focus
79.2 on achieving the lowest possible lifetime cost for new buildings and major renovations,
79.3 and allow for changes in the guidelines that encourage continual energy conservation
79.4 improvements in new buildings and major renovations. The guidelines shall define
79.5 "major renovations" for purposes of this section. The definition may not allow "major
79.6 renovations" to encompass less than 10,000 square feet or to encompass less than the
79.7 complete replacement of the mechanical, ventilation, or cooling system of the building or
79.8 a section of the building. The design guidelines must establish sustainability guidelines
79.9 that include air quality and lighting standards and that create and maintain a healthy
79.10 environment and facilitate productivity improvements; specify ways to reduce material
79.11 costs; and must consider the long-term operating costs of the building, including the use of
79.12 renewable energy sources and distributed electric energy generation that uses a renewable
79.13 source or natural gas or a fuel that is as clean or cleaner than natural gas.

79.14 Subd. 3. **Development of guidelines; applicability.** In developing the guidelines,
79.15 the departments shall use an open process, including providing the opportunity for public
79.16 comment. The guidelines established under this section are mandatory for all new
79.17 buildings receiving funding from the bond proceeds fund after January 1, 2004, and for all
79.18 major renovations receiving funding from the bond proceeds fund after January 1, 2009.

79.19 Sec. 31. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 16B.335, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

79.20 Subd. 2. **Other projects.** All other capital projects for which a specific appropriation
79.21 is made must not proceed until the recipient undertaking the project has notified the chair
79.22 of the senate Finance Committee, the chair of the house Capital Investment Committee,
79.23 and the chair of the house Ways and Means Committee that the work is ready to begin.
79.24 Notice is not required for capital projects needed to comply with the Americans with
79.25 Disabilities Act, for asset preservation projects to which section 16A.307 applies, or
79.26 for projects funded by an agency's operating budget or by a capital asset preservation
79.27 and replacement account under section 16A.632, or a higher education ~~capital~~ asset
79.28 preservation and ~~renewal~~ replacement account under section 135A.046.

79.29 Sec. 32. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 103D.335, subdivision 17, is amended to
79.30 read:

79.31 Subd. 17. **Borrowing funds.** The managers may borrow funds from an agency of
79.32 the federal government, a state agency, a county where the watershed district is located
79.33 in whole or in part, or a financial institution authorized under chapter 47 to do business
79.34 in this state. A county board may lend the amount requested by a watershed district. A

80.1 watershed district may not have more than a total of ~~\$200,000~~ \$600,000 in loans from
80.2 counties and financial institutions under this subdivision outstanding at any time.

80.3 Sec. 33. Minnesota Statutes 2007 Supplement, section 103G.222, subdivision 1,
80.4 is amended to read:

80.5 Subdivision 1. **Requirements.** (a) Wetlands must not be drained or filled, wholly
80.6 or partially, unless replaced by restoring or creating wetland areas of at least equal
80.7 public value under a replacement plan approved as provided in section 103G.2242, a
80.8 replacement plan under a local governmental unit's comprehensive wetland protection
80.9 and management plan approved by the board under section 103G.2243, or, if a permit to
80.10 mine is required under section 93.481, under a mining reclamation plan approved by the
80.11 commissioner under the permit to mine. Mining reclamation plans shall apply the same
80.12 principles and standards for replacing wetlands by restoration or creation of wetland areas
80.13 that are applicable to mitigation plans approved as provided in section 103G.2242. Public
80.14 value must be determined in accordance with section 103B.3355 or a comprehensive
80.15 wetland protection and management plan established under section 103G.2243. Sections
80.16 103G.221 to 103G.2372 also apply to excavation in permanently and semipermanently
80.17 flooded areas of types 3, 4, and 5 wetlands.

80.18 (b) Replacement must be guided by the following principles in descending order
80.19 of priority:

80.20 (1) avoiding the direct or indirect impact of the activity that may destroy or diminish
80.21 the wetland;

80.22 (2) minimizing the impact by limiting the degree or magnitude of the wetland
80.23 activity and its implementation;

80.24 (3) rectifying the impact by repairing, rehabilitating, or restoring the affected
80.25 wetland environment;

80.26 (4) reducing or eliminating the impact over time by preservation and maintenance
80.27 operations during the life of the activity;

80.28 (5) compensating for the impact by restoring a wetland; and

80.29 (6) compensating for the impact by replacing or providing substitute wetland
80.30 resources or environments.

80.31 For a project involving the draining or filling of wetlands in an amount not exceeding
80.32 10,000 square feet more than the applicable amount in section 103G.2241, subdivision 9,
80.33 paragraph (a), the local government unit may make an on-site sequencing determination
80.34 without a written alternatives analysis from the applicant.

81.1 (c) If a wetland is located in a cultivated field, then replacement must be
81.2 accomplished through restoration only without regard to the priority order in paragraph
81.3 (b), provided that a deed restriction is placed on the altered wetland prohibiting
81.4 nonagricultural use for at least ten years.

81.5 (d) If a wetland is drained under section 103G.2241, subdivision 2, paragraphs
81.6 (b) and (e), the local government unit may require a deed restriction that prohibits
81.7 nonagricultural use for at least ten years unless the drained wetland is replaced as provided
81.8 under this section. The local government unit may require the deed restriction if it
81.9 determines the wetland area drained is at risk of conversion to a nonagricultural use within
81.10 ten years based on the zoning classification, proximity to a municipality or full service
81.11 road, or other criteria as determined by the local government unit.

81.12 (e) Restoration and replacement of wetlands must be accomplished in accordance
81.13 with the ecology of the landscape area affected and ponds that are created primarily to
81.14 fulfill stormwater management, and water quality treatment requirements may not be
81.15 used to satisfy replacement requirements under this chapter unless the design includes
81.16 pretreatment of runoff and the pond is functioning as a wetland.

81.17 (f) Except as provided in paragraph (g), for a wetland or public waters wetland
81.18 located on nonagricultural land, replacement must be in the ratio of two acres of replaced
81.19 wetland for each acre of drained or filled wetland.

81.20 (g) For a wetland or public waters wetland located on agricultural land or in a greater
81.21 than 80 percent area, replacement must be in the ratio of one acre of replaced wetland
81.22 for each acre of drained or filled wetland.

81.23 (h) Wetlands that are restored or created as a result of an approved replacement plan
81.24 are subject to the provisions of this section for any subsequent drainage or filling.

81.25 (i) Except in a greater than 80 percent area, only wetlands that have been restored
81.26 from previously drained or filled wetlands, wetlands created by excavation in nonwetlands,
81.27 wetlands created by dikes or dams along public or private drainage ditches, or wetlands
81.28 created by dikes or dams associated with the restoration of previously drained or filled
81.29 wetlands may be used in a statewide banking program established in rules adopted under
81.30 section 103G.2242, subdivision 1. Modification or conversion of nondegraded naturally
81.31 occurring wetlands from one type to another are not eligible for enrollment in a statewide
81.32 wetlands bank.

81.33 (j) The Technical Evaluation Panel established under section 103G.2242, subdivision
81.34 2, shall ensure that sufficient time has occurred for the wetland to develop wetland
81.35 characteristics of soils, vegetation, and hydrology before recommending that the wetland
81.36 be deposited in the statewide wetland bank. If the Technical Evaluation Panel has reason

to believe that the wetland characteristics may change substantially, the panel shall postpone its recommendation until the wetland has stabilized.

(k) This section and sections 103G.223 to 103G.2242, 103G.2364, and 103G.2365 apply to the state and its departments and agencies.

(l) For projects involving draining or filling of wetlands associated with a new public transportation project, and for projects expanded solely for additional traffic capacity, public transportation authorities may purchase credits from the board at the cost to the board to establish credits. Proceeds from the sale of credits provided under this paragraph are appropriated to the board for the purposes of this paragraph. For the purposes of this paragraph, "transportation project" does not include an airport project.

(m) A replacement plan for wetlands is not required for individual projects that result in the filling or draining of wetlands for the repair, rehabilitation, reconstruction, or replacement of a currently serviceable existing state, city, county, or town public road necessary, as determined by the public transportation authority, to meet state or federal design or safety standards or requirements, excluding new roads or roads expanded solely for additional traffic capacity lanes. This paragraph only applies to authorities for public transportation projects that:

(1) minimize the amount of wetland filling or draining associated with the project and consider mitigating important site-specific wetland functions on-site;

(2) except as provided in clause (3), submit project-specific reports to the board, the Technical Evaluation Panel, the commissioner of natural resources, and members of the public requesting a copy at least 30 days prior to construction that indicate the location, amount, and type of wetlands to be filled or drained by the project or, alternatively, convene an annual meeting of the parties required to receive notice to review projects to be commenced during the upcoming year; and

(3) for minor and emergency maintenance work impacting less than 10,000 square feet, submit project-specific reports, within 30 days of commencing the activity, to the board that indicate the location, amount, and type of wetlands that have been filled or drained.

Those required to receive notice of public transportation projects may appeal minimization, delineation, and on-site mitigation decisions made by the public transportation authority to the board according to the provisions of section 103G.2242, subdivision 9. The Technical Evaluation Panel shall review minimization and delineation decisions made by the public transportation authority and provide recommendations regarding on-site mitigation if requested to do so by the local government unit, a contiguous landowner, or a member of the Technical Evaluation Panel.

83.1 Except for state public transportation projects, for which the state Department of
83.2 Transportation is responsible, the board must replace the wetlands, and wetland areas of
83.3 public waters if authorized by the commissioner or a delegated authority, drained or filled
83.4 by public transportation projects on existing roads.

83.5 Public transportation authorities at their discretion may deviate from federal and
83.6 state design standards on existing road projects when practical and reasonable to avoid
83.7 wetland filling or draining, provided that public safety is not unreasonably compromised.
83.8 The local road authority and its officers and employees are exempt from liability for
83.9 any tort claim for injury to persons or property arising from travel on the highway and
83.10 related to the deviation from the design standards for construction or reconstruction under
83.11 this paragraph. This paragraph does not preclude an action for damages arising from
83.12 negligence in construction or maintenance on a highway.

83.13 (n) If a landowner seeks approval of a replacement plan after the proposed project
83.14 has already affected the wetland, the local government unit may require the landowner to
83.15 replace the affected wetland at a ratio not to exceed twice the replacement ratio otherwise
83.16 required.

83.17 (o) A local government unit may request the board to reclassify a county or
83.18 watershed on the basis of its percentage of presettlement wetlands remaining. After
83.19 receipt of satisfactory documentation from the local government, the board shall change
83.20 the classification of a county or watershed. If requested by the local government unit,
83.21 the board must assist in developing the documentation. Within 30 days of its action to
83.22 approve a change of wetland classifications, the board shall publish a notice of the change
83.23 in the Environmental Quality Board Monitor.

83.24 (p) One hundred citizens who reside within the jurisdiction of the local government
83.25 unit may request the local government unit to reclassify a county or watershed on the basis
83.26 of its percentage of presettlement wetlands remaining. In support of their petition, the
83.27 citizens shall provide satisfactory documentation to the local government unit. The local
83.28 government unit shall consider the petition and forward the request to the board under
83.29 paragraph (o) or provide a reason why the petition is denied.

83.30 Sec. 34. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 115A.908, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

83.31 Subd. 2. **Deposit of revenue.** ~~(a) From July 1, 2003, through June 30, 2007, revenue~~
83.32 ~~collected shall be credited to the general fund.~~

83.33 ~~(b) After June 30, 2007, From the revenue collected under this section, the amount~~
83.34 necessary to make debt service payments on revenue bonds issued under section 116.156

84.1 is annually appropriated to the commissioner of finance. Any remaining revenue collected
84.2 shall be credited to the environmental fund.

84.3 Sec. 35. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 116.155, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

84.4 Subd. 3. **Revenues.** The following revenues shall be deposited in the general
84.5 portion of the remediation fund:

84.6 (1) response costs and natural resource damages related to releases of hazardous
84.7 substances, or pollutants or contaminants, recovered under sections 115B.17, subdivisions
84.8 6 and 7, 115B.443, 115B.444, or any other law;

84.9 (2) money paid to the agency or the Agriculture Department by voluntary parties
84.10 who have received technical or other assistance under sections 115B.17, subdivision 14,
84.11 115B.175 to 115B.179, and 115C.03, subdivision 9;

84.12 (3) money received in the form of gifts, grants, reimbursement, or appropriation from
84.13 any source for any of the purposes provided in subdivision 2, except federal grants; ~~and~~

84.14 (4) money received from revenue bonds sold under section 116.156 and placed
84.15 in a special bond proceeds account; and

84.16 (5) interest accrued on the fund.

84.17 Sec. 36. **[116.156] CLOSED LANDFILL CLEANUP REVENUE BONDS.**

84.18 Subdivision 1. **Bonding authority.** (a) The commissioner of finance, if requested
84.19 by the commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency, shall sell and issue state revenue
84.20 bonds for the following purposes:

84.21 (1) to take actions related to hazardous substances, pollutants, or contaminants at
84.22 and from qualified landfill facilities as provided in section 115B.42, subdivision 2;

84.23 (2) to pay the costs of issuance, debt service, and bond insurance or other credit
84.24 enhancements and to fund reserves; and

84.25 (3) to refund bonds issued under this section.

84.26 (b) The amount of bonds that may be issued for the purposes of paragraph (a),
84.27 clause (1), may not exceed \$25,000,000. The amount of bonds that may be issued for the
84.28 purposes of paragraph (a), clauses (2) and (3), is not limited.

84.29 Subd. 2. **Procedure.** The commissioner of finance may sell and issue the bonds
84.30 on the terms and conditions the commissioner of finance determines to be in the best
84.31 interests of the state. The bonds may be sold at public or private sale. The commissioner
84.32 of finance may enter any agreements or pledges the commissioner of finance determines
84.33 necessary or useful to sell the bonds that are not inconsistent with this section. Sections
84.34 16A.672 to 16A.675 apply to the bonds. The proceeds of the bonds issued under this

section must be credited to a special bond proceeds account in the remediation fund and are appropriated to the commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency for the purposes specified in subdivision 1.

Subd. 3. **Revenue sources.** The debt service on the bonds is payable only from the following sources:

(1) the motor vehicle transfer fee under section 115A.908; and

(2) other revenues pledged to the payment of the bonds.

Subd. 4. **Refunding bonds.** The commissioner of finance may issue bonds to refund outstanding bonds issued under subdivision 1, including the payment of any redemption premiums on the bonds and any interest accrued or to accrue to the first redemption date after delivery of the refunding bonds. The proceeds of the refunding bonds may, in the discretion of the commissioner of finance, be applied to the purchases or payment at maturity of the bonds to be refunded, or the redemption of the outstanding bonds on the first redemption date after delivery of the refunding bonds and may, until so used, be placed in escrow to be applied to the purchase, retirement, or redemption. Refunding bonds issued under this subdivision must be issued and secured in the manner provided by the commissioner of finance.

Subd. 5. **Not a general or moral obligation.** Bonds issued under this section are not public debt, and the full faith, credit, and taxing powers of the state are not pledged for their payment. The bonds may not be paid, directly in whole or in part from a tax of statewide application on any class of property, income, transaction, or privilege. Payment of the bonds is limited to the revenues explicitly authorized to be pledged under this section. The state neither makes nor has a moral obligation to pay the bonds if the pledged revenues and other legal security for them is insufficient.

Subd. 6. **Trustee.** The commissioner of finance may contract with and appoint a trustee for bondholders. The trustee has the powers and authority vested in it by the commissioner of finance under the bond and trust indentures.

Subd. 7. **Pledges.** Any pledge made by the commissioner of finance is valid and binding from the time the pledge is made. The money or property pledged and later received by the commissioner of finance is immediately subject to the lien of the pledge without any physical delivery of the property or money or further act, and the lien of any pledge is valid and binding as against all parties having claims of any kind in tort, contract, or otherwise against the commissioner of finance, whether or not those parties have notice of the lien or pledge. Neither the order nor any other instrument by which a pledge is created need be recorded.

Subd. 8. **Bonds; purchase and cancellation.** The commissioner of finance, subject to agreements with bondholders that may then exist, may, out of any money available for the purpose, purchase bonds of the commissioner of finance at a price not exceeding (1) if the bonds are then redeemable, the redemption price then applicable plus accrued interest to the next interest payment date thereon, or (2) if the bonds are not redeemable, the redemption price applicable on the first date after the purchase upon which the bonds become subject to redemption plus accrued interest to that date.

Subd. 9. **State pledge against impairment of contracts.** The state pledges and agrees with the holders of any bonds that the state will not limit or alter the rights vested in the commissioner of finance to fulfill the terms of any agreements made with the bondholders, or in any way impair the rights and remedies of the holders until the bonds, together with interest on them, with interest on any unpaid installments of interest, and all costs and expenses in connection with any action or proceeding by or on behalf of the bondholders, are fully met and discharged. The commissioner of finance may include this pledge and agreement of the state in any agreement with the holders of bonds issued under this section.

Sec. 37. **[116.195] BENEFICIAL USE OF WASTEWATER; CAPITAL GRANTS FOR DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS.**

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

(b) "Agency" means the Pollution Control Agency.

(c) "Beneficial use of wastewater" means use of the effluent from a wastewater treatment plant that replaces use of groundwater.

(d) "Capital project" means the acquisition or betterment of public land, buildings, and other public improvements of a capital nature for the treatment of wastewater intended for beneficial use. Capital project includes projects to retrofit, expand, or construct new treatment facilities.

Subd. 2. **Grants for capital project design.** The agency shall make grant awards to political subdivisions for up to 50 percent of the costs to predesign and design capital projects that demonstrate the beneficial use of wastewater. The maximum amount for a grant under this subdivision is \$500,000. The grant agreement must provide that the predesign and design work being funded is public information and available to anyone without charge. The agency must make the predesign and design work available on its Web site.

87.1 Subd. 3. **Grants for capital project implementation.** The agency shall make
87.2 grant awards to political subdivisions for up to 50 percent of the costs to acquire,
87.3 construct, install, furnish, and equip capital projects that demonstrate the beneficial use
87.4 of wastewater. The political subdivision must submit design plans and specifications
87.5 to the agency as part of the application.

87.6 The agency must consult with the Public Facilities Authority and the commissioner
87.7 of natural resources in reviewing and ranking applications for grants under this section.

87.8 The application must identify the uses of the treated wastewater and greater weight
87.9 will be given to applications that include a binding commitment to participate by the
87.10 user or users.

87.11 The agency must give preference to projects that will reduce use of the greatest
87.12 volume of groundwater from aquifers with the slowest rate of recharge.

87.13 Subd. 4. **Application form; procedures.** The agency shall develop an application
87.14 form and procedures.

87.15 Subd. 5. **Reports.** The agency shall report by February 1 of each year to the chairs
87.16 of the house and senate committees with jurisdiction over environment policy and finance
87.17 and capital investment on the grants made and projects funded under this section. For each
87.18 demonstration project funded, the report must include information on the scale of water
87.19 constraints for the area, the volume of treated wastewater supply, the quality of treated
87.20 wastewater supplied and treatment implications for the industrial user, impacts to stream
87.21 flow and downstream users, and any considerations related to water appropriation and
87.22 discharge permits.

87.23 Sec. 38. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 116J.423, is amended by adding a
87.24 subdivision to read:

87.25 Subd. 2a. **Grants authorized.** Notwithstanding subdivision 2, the commissioner
87.26 may use money in the fund to make grants to a municipality or county, or to a county
87.27 regional rail authority as appropriate, for public infrastructure needed to support an
87.28 eligible project under this section. Grant money may be used by the municipality, county,
87.29 or regional rail authority to acquire right-of-way and mitigate loss of wetlands and runoff
87.30 of storm water; to predesign, design, construct, and equip roads and rail lines; and, in
87.31 cooperation with municipal utilities, to predesign, design, construct, and equip natural
87.32 gas pipelines, electric infrastructure, water supply systems, and wastewater collection and
87.33 treatment systems. Grants made under this subdivision are available until expended.

Sec. 39. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 119A.45, is amended to read:

119A.45 EARLY CHILDHOOD LEARNING AND CHILD PROTECTION FACILITIES.

Subdivision 1. Grant authority. The commissioner may make grants to state agencies and political subdivisions to construct or rehabilitate facilities for early childhood programs, ~~with priority to centers in counties or municipalities with the highest percentage of children living in poverty. The commissioner may also make grants to state agencies and political subdivisions to construct or rehabilitate facilities for crisis nurseries, or~~ parenting time centers. The following requirements apply:

(a) The facilities must be owned by the state or a political subdivision, but may be leased under section 16A.695 to organizations that operate the programs. The commissioner must prescribe the terms and conditions of the leases.

(b) A grant for an individual facility must not exceed ~~\$200,000~~ \$300,000 for each program that is housed in the facility, up to a maximum of ~~\$500,000~~ \$750,000 for a facility that houses three programs or more. Programs include Head Start, ~~early childhood and family education programs~~ School Readiness, Early Childhood Family Education, licensed child care, and other early childhood intervention programs.

(c) State appropriations must be matched on a 50 percent basis with nonstate funds. The matching requirement must apply program wide and not to individual grants.

Subd. 2. Grant priority. (a) The commissioner must give priority to:

(1) projects in counties or municipalities with the highest percentage of children living in poverty;

(2) grants that involve collaboration among sponsors of programs under this section;
and

(3) where feasible, grants for programs that utilize Youthbuild under sections 116L.361 to 116L.366 for at least 25 percent of each grant awarded or \$50,000 of the labor portion of the construction, whichever is less, if:

(i) the work is appropriate for Youthbuild, as mutually agreed upon by the grantee and the local Youthbuild program, considering safety and skills needed;

(ii) it is demonstrated by Youthbuild that using Youthbuild will not increase the overall cost of the project; and

(iii) eligible programs consult with appropriate labor organizations to deliver education and training.

(b) The commissioner may give priority to:

(1) projects that collaborate with child care providers, including all-day and school-age child care programs, special needs care, sick child care, nontraditional

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hour care, and programs that include services to refugee and immigrant families. ~~The commissioner may give priority to; and~~

~~(2) grants for programs that will increase their child care workers' wages as a result of the grant. If there is work that is appropriate for youthbuild, as mutually agreed upon by the grantee and the local youthbuild program, considering safety and skills needed, and if it is demonstrated by youthbuild that using youthbuild will not increase the overall cost of the project, then priority must be given to grants for programs that utilize youthbuild under sections 116L.361 to 116L.366 for at least 25 percent of each grant awarded or \$50,000, whichever is less, of the labor portion of the construction. Eligible programs must consult with appropriate labor organizations to deliver education and training. State appropriations must be matched on a 50 percent basis with nonstate funds. The matching requirement must apply programwide and not to individual grants.~~

Sec. 40. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 136F.10, is amended to read:

136F.10 DESIGNATION.

The following are designated as the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities: the community colleges located at Austin, Bloomington, Brainerd, Brooklyn Park, Cloquet, Coon Rapids, Ely, Fergus Falls, Grand Rapids, Hibbing, International Falls, Inver Grove Heights, Minneapolis, Rochester, Thief River Falls, Virginia, White Bear Lake, Willmar, and Worthington; the community college centers located at Cambridge ~~and~~, Duluth, and Owatonna; the state universities located at Bemidji, Mankato, Marshall, Moorhead, St. Cloud, Winona, and the Twin Cities metropolitan area; and the technical colleges located at Alexandria, Albert Lea, Anoka, Austin, Bemidji, Brainerd, Brooklyn Park, Canby, Detroit Lakes, Duluth, East Grand Forks, Eden Prairie, Eveleth, Faribault, Granite Falls, Hibbing, Hutchinson, Jackson, Minneapolis, Mahtomedi, Moorhead, North Mankato, Pine City, Pipestone, Red Wing, Rochester, Rosemount, St. Cloud, St. Paul, Staples, Thief River Falls, Wadena, Willmar, and Winona.

Sec. 41. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 136F.60, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. **Disposition of surplus property.** (a) The board may declare state lands or improvements under its control that are no longer needed by the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system to be surplus and may offer them for public sale in a manner consistent with the procedures set forth in sections 16B.282 to 16B.286 for disposition of state lands by the commissioner of administration. The parcels must not be exchanged or transferred for no or nominal consideration.

90.1 (b) Proceeds from the sale or disposition of land or improvements under this
90.2 subdivision, after paying all expenses incurred in selling or disposing of the land and
90.3 then paying any amounts due under section 16A.695, are appropriated to the board for
90.4 use for capital projects at the institution that was responsible for management of the
90.5 land or improvements.

90.6 Sec. 42. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 136F.64, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

90.7 Subdivision 1. **General authority; construction; improvements.** (a) Specific
90.8 legislative authority is not required for repairs or minor capital projects financed with
90.9 operating appropriation or institutional receipts that:

90.10 (1) are undertaken for asset preservation or code compliance purposes; or

90.11 (2) do not materially increase the net square footage of the institution; and

90.12 (3) do not materially increase the costs of instructional programs.

90.13 For any project under this section with a cost in excess of ~~\$50,000~~ \$1,500,000,
90.14 unless the Board of Trustees determines that an emergency exists, the board must notify
90.15 the chair of the Finance Committee of the senate, and the chairs of the Ways and Means
90.16 Committee and the Capital Investment Committee of the house in writing before incurring
90.17 any contractual obligations.

90.18 (b) The board shall supervise and control the preparation of plans and specifications
90.19 for the construction, alteration, repair, or enlargement of state college and university
90.20 buildings, structures, and improvements for which appropriations are made to the
90.21 board. The board shall advertise for bids and award contracts in connection with the
90.22 improvements, supervise and inspect the work, approve necessary changes in the plans
90.23 and specifications, approve estimates for payment, and accept the improvements when
90.24 completed according to the plans and specifications.

90.25 Sec. 43. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 136F.98, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

90.26 Subdivision 1. **Issuance of bonds.** The Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State
90.27 Colleges and Universities or a successor may issue revenue bonds under sections 136F.90
90.28 to 136F.97 whose aggregate principal amount at any time may not exceed ~~\$150,000,000~~
90.29 \$200,000,000, and payable from the revenue appropriated to the fund established by
90.30 section 136F.94, and use the proceeds together with other public or private money that
90.31 may otherwise become available to acquire land, and to acquire, construct, complete,
90.32 remodel, and equip structures or portions thereof to be used for dormitory, residence hall,
90.33 student union, food service, parking purposes, or for any other similar revenue-producing
90.34 building or buildings of such type and character as the board finds desirable for the good

91.1 and benefit of the state universities. Before issuing the bonds or any part of them, the
91.2 board shall consult with and obtain the advisory recommendations of the chairs of the
91.3 house Ways and Means Committee and the senate Finance Committee about the facilities
91.4 to be financed by the bonds.

91.5 Sec. 44. **[137.61] PURPOSE.**

91.6 Sections 137.61 to 137.65 provide for a biomedical science research funding
91.7 program to further the investment in biomedical science research facilities in Minnesota to
91.8 benefit the state's economy, advance the biomedical technology industry, benefit human
91.9 health, and facilitate research collaboration between the University of Minnesota and other
91.10 private and public institutions in this state.

91.11 Sec. 45. **[137.62] DEFINITIONS.**

91.12 Subdivision 1. **Applicability.** The definitions in this section apply to sections
91.13 137.61 to 137.65.

91.14 Subd. 2. **Biomedical science research facility.** "Biomedical science research
91.15 facility" means a facility located on the campus of the University of Minnesota to be used
91.16 as a research facility and laboratory for biomedical science and biomedical technology. A
91.17 hospital licensed under sections 144.50 to 144.56 is not a biomedical science research
91.18 facility.

91.19 Subd. 3. **Commissioner.** "Commissioner" means the commissioner of finance.

91.20 Subd. 4. **Project costs.** "Project costs" means the sum of all obligations incurred,
91.21 paid, or to be paid that are reasonably required for the design, construction, and completion
91.22 of the project, including, but not limited to:

91.23 (1) site acquisition;

91.24 (2) soil and environmental testing, surveys, estimates, plans and specifications,
91.25 supervision of construction, and other engineering and architectural services;

91.26 (3) payments under construction contracts and payments for performance bonds; and

91.27 (4) purchase and installation of furniture, fixtures, and equipment.

91.28 Subd. 5. **Project.** "Project" means the acquisition, construction, improvement,
91.29 expansion, repair, or rehabilitation of all or part of a structure, facility, infrastructure, or
91.30 equipment necessary for a biomedical science research facility approved by the Board of
91.31 Regents.

91.32 Sec. 46. **[137.63] BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE RESEARCH FACILITIES**
91.33 **FUNDING PROGRAM.**

92.1 Subdivision 1. **Program established.** A biomedical science research facilities
92.2 funding program is established to provide appropriations to the Board of Regents of the
92.3 University of Minnesota for up to 75 percent of the project costs for each of four projects
92.4 approved by the Board of Regents under section 137.64.

92.5 Subd. 2. **Project requirements.** The Board of Regents of the University of
92.6 Minnesota, either acting on its own or in collaboration with another private or public
92.7 entity, must pay at least 25 percent of the project costs for each of four projects. The
92.8 board must not use tuition revenue to pay for the university's share of the costs for the
92.9 projects approved under section 137.64.

92.10 Sec. 47. **[137.64] CONDITIONS FOR PAYMENTS TO UNIVERSITY.**

92.11 Subdivision 1. **Certifications.** Before the commissioner may make any payments
92.12 authorized in this section to the Board of Regents for a biomedical science research facility
92.13 project, the commissioner must certify that the board has, by board resolution, approved
92.14 the maximum project cost for the project and complied with the requirements of section
92.15 137.63, subdivision 2. For each project approved by the board, the board must certify to
92.16 the commissioner the amount of the annual payments of principal and interest required to
92.17 service each series of bonds issued by the University of Minnesota for the project, and
92.18 the actual amount of the state's annual payment to the University of Minnesota under
92.19 subdivision 2. The annual payment must not exceed the amount required to pay debt
92.20 service on the bonds issued to finance 75 percent of the project costs.

92.21 Subd. 2. **Payments.** On July 15 of each year after the certification under subdivision
92.22 1, but no earlier than July 15, 2009, and for so long thereafter as any bonds issued by the
92.23 board for the construction of a project are outstanding, the state must transfer to the board
92.24 annual payments as certified under subdivision 1, up to the maximum amounts in the
92.25 appropriation schedule under subdivision 3. Payments under this section are to reimburse
92.26 the Board of Regents for the state's share of the project costs for the biomedical science
92.27 research facility projects, provided that the principal amount of bonds issued by the
92.28 University of Minnesota to pay the state's share of the costs must not exceed \$219,000,000.

92.29 Subd. 3. **Appropriations.** Annual appropriations are made from the general fund to
92.30 the commissioner of finance for transfer to the Board of Regents, as follows:

92.31 (1) up to \$850,000 is appropriated in fiscal year 2010;
92.32 (2) up to \$3,650,000 is appropriated in fiscal year 2011;
92.33 (3) up to \$7,825,000 is appropriated in fiscal year 2012;
92.34 (4) up to \$12,100,000 is appropriated in fiscal year 2013;
92.35 (5) up to \$14,825,000 is appropriated in fiscal year 2014; and

(6) up to \$15,550,000 is appropriated in fiscal year 2015 and each year thereafter, up to 25 years following the certification of the last project by the commissioner.

Subd. 4. **Report to legislature.** The Board of Regents must report to the committees of the legislature with responsibility for capital investment by January 15 of each even-numbered year on the biomedical science research facility projects authorized under this section. The report must at a minimum include for each project, the total cost, the number of researchers, research grants, and the amount of debt issued by the Board.

Subd. 5. **Reinvestment.** The Board of Regents must, to the extent permitted under federal law and University of Minnesota policies, place a priority on reducing the state's share of project costs by dedicating a share of the proceeds from any commercialization or licensing revenues attributable to research conducted in the biomedical science facilities to reducing the appropriations needed under subdivision 3.

Subd. 6. **Services to individuals and firms.** Consistent with its mission and governing policies and the requirements for tax exempt bonds, the university shall make available laboratory and other services on a fee-for-service basis to individuals and firms in the bioscience industry in Minnesota. The university will not assert patent rights when providing services that do not involve its innovative intellectual contributions.

Sec. 48. [137.65] NO FULL FAITH AND CREDIT.

Any bonds or other obligations issued by the board under sections 137.61 to 137.65, are not public debt of the state, and the full faith and credit and taxing powers of the state are not pledged for their payment, or of any payments that the state agrees to make under sections 137.61 to 137.65.

Sec. 49. [138.0525] COUNTY AND LOCAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION CAPITAL GRANTS.

Subdivision 1. **Historic preservation capital grant program established.** The Minnesota Historical Society may make grants to political subdivisions to pay up to 50 percent of the eligible project capital costs to restore an historic structure owned by the political subdivision, as incurred according to the project grant agreement and state law governing the project.

Subd. 2. **Match requirement.** The political subdivision receiving a grant must provide for the remainder of the costs of the project.

Subd. 3. **Criteria.** The Minnesota Historical Society may set criteria for program priorities and standards of review.

94.1 Sec. 50. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 462A.21, is amended by adding a
94.2 subdivision to read:

94.3 Subd. 32. **Nonprofit housing bonds account.** The agency may establish a
94.4 nonprofit housing bond account as a separate account within the housing development
94.5 fund. Proceeds of nonprofit housing bonds and payments made by the state under section
94.6 462A.36 may be credited to the account. The agency may transfer the proceeds of
94.7 nonprofit housing bonds to another account within the housing development fund that it
94.8 determines appropriate to accomplish the purposes for which the bonds are authorized
94.9 under section 462A.36.

94.10 Sec. 51. **[462A.36] NONPROFIT HOUSING BONDS; AUTHORIZATION;**
94.11 **STANDING APPROPRIATION.**

94.12 Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** (a) For purposes of this section the following terms have
94.13 the meanings given them in this subdivision.

94.14 (b) "Debt service" means the amount payable in any fiscal year of principal,
94.15 premium, if any, and interest on nonprofit housing bonds and the fees, charges, and
94.16 expenses related to the bonds.

94.17 (b) "Internal Revenue Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

94.18 (c) "Nonprofit housing bonds" means bonds issued by the agency under chapter
94.19 462A that are "qualified 501(c)(3) bonds" (within the meaning of Section 145(a) of
94.20 the Internal Revenue Code) or are not "private activity bonds" (within the meaning of
94.21 Section 141(a) of the Internal Revenue Code), for the purpose of financing or refinancing
94.22 affordable housing authorized under chapter 462A.

94.23 (d) "Permanent supportive housing" means housing that is not time-limited and
94.24 provides or coordinates with linkages to services necessary for residents to maintain
94.25 housing stability and maximize opportunities for education and employment.

94.26 Subd. 2. **Authorization.** (a) The agency may issue up to \$30 million of nonprofit
94.27 housing bonds in one or more series to which the payments made under this section may
94.28 be pledged. The nonprofit housing bonds authorized in this subdivision may be issued
94.29 for the purpose of making loans, on terms and conditions the agency deems appropriate,
94.30 to finance the costs of the construction, acquisition, preservation, and rehabilitation of
94.31 permanent supportive housing for individuals and families who: (1) either have been
94.32 without a permanent residence for at least 12 months or at least four times in the last three
94.33 years; or (2) are at significant risk of lacking a permanent residence for 12 months or
94.34 at least four times in the last three years.

95.1 (b) An insubstantial portion of the bond proceeds may be used for permanent
95.2 supportive housing for individuals and families experiencing homelessness who do not
95.3 meet the criteria of paragraph (a).

95.4 Subd. 3. **No full faith and credit.** The nonprofit housing bonds are not public debt
95.5 of the state, and the full faith and credit and taxing powers of the state are not pledged
95.6 to the payment of the nonprofit housing bonds or to any payment that the state agrees to
95.7 make under this section. The bonds must contain a conspicuous statement to that effect.

95.8 Subd. 4. **Appropriation; payment to the agency or trustee.** (a) The agency must
95.9 certify annually to the commissioner of finance the actual amount of annual debt service
95.10 on each series of bonds issued under subdivision 2.

95.11 (b) Each July 15, beginning in 2009 and through 2031, if any nonprofit housing
95.12 bonds issued under subdivision 2 remain outstanding, the commissioner of finance must
95.13 transfer to the nonprofit housing bond account established under section 462A.21,
95.14 subdivision 32, the amount certified under paragraph (a), not to exceed \$2,400,000
95.15 annually. The amounts necessary to make the transfers is appropriated from the general
95.16 fund to the commissioner of finance.

95.17 (c) The agency may pledge to the payment of the nonprofit housing bonds the
95.18 payments to be made by the state under this section.

95.19 Sec. 52. Laws 2003, First Special Session chapter 20, article 1, section 12, subdivision
95.20 3, is amended to read:

95.21	Subd. 3. Wastewater Infrastructure Funding	15,000,000
95.22	Program	<u>13,500,000</u>

95.23 To the public facilities authority for grants to
95.24 eligible municipalities under the wastewater
95.25 infrastructure program established in
95.26 Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.072.

95.27 To the greatest practical extent, the authority
95.28 should use the grants for projects on the
95.29 2002 project priority list in priority order to
95.30 qualified applicants that submit plans and
95.31 specifications to the pollution control agency
95.32 or receive a funding commitment from
95.33 USDA rural development before December
95.34 1, 2003.

96.1 ~~\$1,500,000 is for grants to the Larsmont~~
96.2 ~~portion of the Knife River-Larsmont sanitary~~
96.3 ~~district. This appropriation must be used to~~
96.4 ~~reduce the amount of the municipality's loan~~
96.5 ~~from the water pollution revolving fund that~~
96.6 ~~exceeds five percent of the market value of~~
96.7 ~~the properties in the project service area.~~
96.8 ~~This appropriation is in addition to grants~~
96.9 ~~from other appropriations.~~

96.10 Sec. 53. Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, section 7, subdivision 21, is amended to read:

96.11 Subd. 21. **State Park and Recreation Area**
96.12 **Acquisition** 2,500,000

96.13 For acquisition of land under Minnesota
96.14 Statutes, section 86A.05, subdivisions 2 and
96.15 3, from willing sellers of private lands within
96.16 state park and recreation area boundaries
96.17 established by law.

96.18 \$500,000 is to purchase land within the
96.19 boundaries of Greenleaf Lake state ~~park~~
96.20 recreation area in Meeker county.

96.21 Sec. 54. Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, section 17, is amended to read:

96.22 Section 1. **PUBLIC SAFETY** **642,000**

96.23 To the commissioner of public safety for
96.24 a grant to the Economic Development
96.25 Authority in and for the city of Blue Earth
96.26 to acquire land for and to predesign, design,
96.27 construct, furnish, and equip a fire and
96.28 police station. This appropriation is not
96.29 available until the commissioner of finance
96.30 has determined that at least an equal amount
96.31 has been committed to the project from
96.32 nonstate sources.

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

97.1 Sec. 55. Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, section 23, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

97.2 Subd. 3. **Wastewater Infrastructure Funding**

97.3 **Program** 29,900,000

97.4 (a) To the Public Facilities Authority for

97.5 the purposes specified in this subdivision.

97.6 \$29,300,000 of this appropriation is for

97.7 grants and loans to eligible municipalities

97.8 under the wastewater infrastructure program

97.9 established in Minnesota Statutes, section

97.10 446A.072.

97.11 To the greatest practical extent, the authority

97.12 must use the appropriation for projects on

97.13 the 2005 project priority list in priority

97.14 order to qualified applicants that submit

97.15 plans and specifications to the Pollution

97.16 Control Agency or receive a funding

97.17 commitment from USDA Rural Economic

97.18 and Community Development before

97.19 December 1, 2006.

97.20 \$600,000 of this appropriation is to

97.21 implement the wastewater infrastructure

97.22 program.

97.23 (b) The grants listed in this paragraph are not

97.24 subject to the 2005 project priority list nor

97.25 to the limitations on grant amounts set forth

97.26 in Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.072,

97.27 subdivision 5a.

97.28 \$1,500,000 is for a grant to the city of Aurora

97.29 to reconstruct its wastewater treatment plant,

97.30 damaged in an explosion May 5, 2004.

97.31 \$1,700,000 is for a grant to the Central Iron

97.32 Range Sanitary Sewer District Authority to

97.33 predesign and design the necessary facilities

97.34 to collect, treat, and dispose of sewage in the

98.1 district, including a pump-storage facility
98.2 and a wind-energy facility.

98.3 Up to \$5,000,000 may be used as grants to
98.4 the cities of Dunnell, Dumont, Henriette,
98.5 Lewisville, McGrath, and Ostrander to
98.6 undertake corrective action on systems
98.7 built since 2001 with federal money from
98.8 USDA Rural Economic and Community
98.9 Development. A grant must not exceed
98.10 the amount of federal money used in the
98.11 construction of systems that incorporated
98.12 sand filter treatment, fixed activated sludge
98.13 treatment, or mechanical package plant
98.14 treatment technologies.

98.15 \$4,950,000 is for a grant to the city of
98.16 Duluth for design and construction of
98.17 sanitary sewer overflow storage facilities at
98.18 selected locations in the city of Duluth. This
98.19 appropriation is available when matched by
98.20 \$1 of money secured or provided by the city
98.21 of Duluth for each \$1 of state money.

98.22 \$1,700,000 is for a grant to the city of
98.23 Eagle Bend to predesign, design, construct,
98.24 furnish, and equip a wastewater collection
98.25 and treatment system.

98.26 \$1,500,000 is for a grant to the city of Two
98.27 Harbors to retire loans, whether interfund
98.28 or otherwise, incurred to acquire land for,
98.29 design, construct, furnish, and equip a
98.30 2,500,000 gallon equalization basin and a
98.31 chlorine-contact tank of at least 100,000
98.32 gallon capacity, adjacent to the city's
98.33 wastewater treatment plant. The equalization
98.34 basin is required under the city's National
98.35 Pollution Discharge Elimination System

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99.1 permit. This appropriation is not available
99.2 until the commissioner of finance determines
99.3 that \$325,000 has been committed to the
99.4 project from nonstate sources.

99.5 \$1,550,000 for a grant to the city of Bayport
99.6 for the Middle St. Croix River Watershed
99.7 Management Organization to complete the
99.8 sewer system extending from Minnesota
99.9 Department of Natural Resources pond
99.10 82-310P (the prison pond) in Bayport
99.11 through the Stillwater prison grounds to the
99.12 St. Croix River. Notwithstanding Minnesota
99.13 Statutes, section 16A.642, this appropriation
99.14 is available until December 31, 2011.

99.15 \$2,000,000 is to the commissioner of
99.16 employment and economic development for
99.17 a grant to the city of New Brighton to relocate
99.18 a sanitary sewer interceptor in the Northwest
99.19 Quadrant to allow for redevelopment of that
99.20 area.

99.21 Sec. 56. Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, section 23, subdivision 8, is amended to read:

99.22 Subd. 8. **Lewis and Clark Rural Water System,**
99.23 **Inc.**

2,000,000

99.24 This appropriation is from the general fund
99.25 to the Public Facilities Authority for grants
99.26 to the ~~city of Luverne, city of Worthington~~
99.27 ~~Public Utilities, Lincoln-Pipestone rural~~
99.28 ~~water system, and Rock County rural water~~
99.29 ~~system~~ Lewis and Clark Joint Powers
99.30 Board to acquire land, predesign, design,
99.31 construct, furnish, and equip ~~one or more~~
99.32 water transmission and storage facilities ~~to~~
99.33 ~~accommodate the connection with~~ of the
99.34 Lewis and Clark Rural Water System, Inc.
99.35 that will serve southwestern Minnesota.

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100.1 ~~The grants~~ Payment to the Lewis and Clark
100.2 Rural Water System, Inc., must be awarded
100.3 ~~to projects~~ approved by the Lewis and Clark
100.4 Joint Powers Board.

100.5 This appropriation is available only to the
100.6 extent that each \$1 of state money is matched
100.7 by at least \$1 of local money paid to the
100.8 Lewis and Clark Rural Water System, Inc.
100.9 ~~for each \$1 of state money to be used to~~
100.10 ~~reimburse costs incurred on eligible projects.~~

100.11 This appropriation is the first phase of the
100.12 state share for the Lewis and Clark Rural
100.13 Water System, Inc. project as defined in the
100.14 federal Lewis and Clark Rural Water System
100.15 Act of 2000.

100.16 Sec. 57. Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, section 23, subdivision 11, as amended by
100.17 Laws 2006, chapter 171, section 1, is amended to read:
100.18 Subd. 11. **Redevelopment Account** 15,000,000

100.19 For purposes of the redevelopment account
100.20 created in Minnesota Statutes, section
100.21 116J.571.

100.22 \$5,000,000 cumulatively is for grants to the
100.23 counties of Ramsey and Anoka for public
100.24 improvements to the portions of County
100.25 Road J located within each county, including
100.26 predesign and design, the acquisition of
100.27 interests in land, and the repayment of loans
100.28 the proceeds of which were used for the
100.29 public improvements. The grants to the
100.30 individual counties shall be in amounts
100.31 proportionate to the individual counties' costs
100.32 associated with the public improvements.
100.33 This grant is exempt from the requirements

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101.1 of Minnesota Statutes, sections 116J.572 to
101.2 116J.575.

101.3 \$1,000,000 is for a grant to the city of
101.4 Willmar to pay part of the cost of acquiring
101.5 land for the new city airport and to construct
101.6 or acquire, furnish, and equip hangars
101.7 ~~and a precision lighting system~~ at the
101.8 airport, to renovate facilities to house RCO
101.9 communications equipment and to relocate
101.10 RCO communications equipment from the
101.11 old airport to the new airport and for a
101.12 perimeter security fencing and monitoring
101.13 system. This appropriation may be used
101.14 to design and construct ramp and taxiway
101.15 expansions. Notwithstanding Minnesota
101.16 Statutes, section 116J.575, no match is
101.17 required for this project.

101.18 \$600,000 is for a grant to the city of Rushford
101.19 to acquire real property for, and to design,
101.20 construct, and renovate, furnish, and equip a
101.21 facility for the Institute of Nanotechnology.

101.22 Sec. 58. Laws 2005, chapter 20, article 1, section 23, subdivision 16, is amended to
101.23 read:

101.24 Subd. 16. **Minneapolis**

101.25 (a) Minnesota Planetarium 22,000,000

101.26 For a grant to ~~the city of Minneapolis~~
101.27 Hennepin County to complete design and
101.28 to construct, furnish, and equip a new
101.29 Minnesota planetarium and space discovery
101.30 center in conjunction with the Minneapolis
101.31 downtown library.

101.32 (b) Heritage Park

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- 102.1 Any unspent balance remaining on December
102.2 31, 2004, in the appropriation made by
102.3 Laws 2000, chapter 492, article 1, section
102.4 22, subdivision 10, for a grant to the city of
102.5 Minneapolis, may be used by the city for
102.6 improvements to the Heritage Park project.
102.7 (c) Minnesota Shubert Center 1,000,000
- 102.8 For a grant to the city of Minneapolis to
102.9 predesign and design and provide for related
102.10 capital costs for an associated atrium to
102.11 create the Minnesota Shubert Center.
- 102.12 Sec. 59. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 7, subdivision 3, as amended by Laws 2007,
102.13 chapter 122, section 4, is amended to read:
102.14 Subd. 3. **Flood Hazard Mitigation Grants** 25,000,000
- 102.15 For the state share of flood hazard
102.16 mitigation grants for publicly owned capital
102.17 improvements to prevent or alleviate flood
102.18 damage under Minnesota Statutes, section
102.19 103F.161.
- 102.20 The commissioner shall determine project
102.21 priorities as appropriate, based on need.
- 102.22 This appropriation includes money for the
102.23 following projects:
- 102.24 (a) Austin
102.25 (b) Albert Lea
102.26 (c) Browns Valley
102.27 (d) Crookston
102.28 (e) Canisteo Mine
102.29 (f) Delano
102.30 (g) East Grand Forks
102.31 (h) Golden Valley

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103.1 (i) Grand Marais Creek

103.2 (j) Granite Falls

103.3 (k) Inver Grove Heights

103.4 (l) Manston Slough

103.5 (m) Oakport Township

103.6 (n) Riverton Township

103.7 (o) Roseau

103.8 (p) Shell Rock Watershed District

103.9 ~~(p)~~ (q) St. Vincent

103.10 ~~(q)~~ (r) Wild Rice River Watershed District

103.11 For any project listed in this subdivision

103.12 that the commissioner determines is not

103.13 ready to proceed or does not expend all the

103.14 money allocated to it, the commissioner may

103.15 allocate that project's money to a project on

103.16 the commissioner's priority list.

103.17 To the extent that the cost of a project in Ada,

103.18 Breckenridge, Browns Valley, Crookston,

103.19 Dawson, East Grand Forks, Granite Falls,

103.20 Montevideo, Oakport Township, Roseau,

103.21 St. Vincent, or Warren exceeds two percent

103.22 of the median household income in the

103.23 municipality multiplied by the number

103.24 of households in the municipality, this

103.25 appropriation is also for the local share of the

103.26 project. The local share for the St. Vincent

103.27 dike may not exceed \$30,000.

103.28 Sec. 60. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 7, subdivision 7, is amended to read:

103.29 Subd. 7. **Lake Superior safe harbors** 3,000,000

103.30 To design and construct capital improvements

103.31 to public accesses and small craft harbors on

103.32 Lake Superior in accordance with Minnesota

104.1 Statutes, sections 86A.20 to 86A.24, and in
104.2 cooperation with the United States Army
104.3 Corps of Engineers.

104.4 This appropriation may be used to develop
104.5 the harbor of refuge and marina at Two
104.6 Harbors and is added to the appropriations
104.7 in Laws 1998, chapter 404, section 7,
104.8 subdivision 24; and Laws 2000, chapter
104.9 492, article 1, section 7, subdivision 21,
104.10 as amended by Laws 2005, chapter 20,
104.11 article 1, section 42. Notwithstanding
104.12 those laws, the commissioner may proceed
104.13 with the Two Harbors project by providing
104.14 up to \$1,500,000 to complete the design
104.15 specifications and environmental work
104.16 currently underway. The commissioner may
104.17 spend the remaining money for the project
104.18 upon securing an agreement with the U.S.
104.19 Army Corps of Engineers that commits
104.20 federal expenditures of at least \$4,000,000
104.21 to the project.

104.22 Sec. 61. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 7, subdivision 11, is amended to read:

104.23 Subd. 11. **Water control structures** 1,000,000

104.24 To rehabilitate or replace water control
104.25 structures used to manage shallow lakes and
104.26 wetlands for waterfowl habitat on wildlife
104.27 management areas under Minnesota Statutes,
104.28 section 86A.05, subdivision 8, or for the
104.29 purposes of public water reserves under
104.30 Minnesota Statutes, section 97A.101.

104.31 Sec. 62. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 7, subdivision 22, is amended to read:

104.32 ~~1,133,000~~

104.33 Subd. 22. **Regional trails** 648,000

105.1 For matching grants under Minnesota
105.2 Statutes, section 85.019, subdivision 4b.
105.3 \$648,000 is for the Agassiz Recreational
105.4 ATV Trail. Snowmobile trail grant money
105.5 received under Minnesota Statutes, section
105.6 84.83, subdivision 3, and all-terrain vehicle
105.7 trail grant money received under Minnesota
105.8 Statutes, section 84.927, subdivision 2, may
105.9 be counted as part of the county's required 50
105.10 percent nonstate match.
105.11 ~~\$485,000 is for a grant to the Central~~
105.12 ~~Minnesota Regional Parks and Trails~~
105.13 ~~Coordination Board to design, engineer,~~
105.14 ~~and construct 6.3 miles of trail and two~~
105.15 ~~parking areas along the Mississippi River~~
105.16 ~~in Sherburne County, to be known as Xcel~~
105.17 ~~Energy Great River Woodland Trail.~~

105.18 Sec. 63. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 16, subdivision 5, is amended to read:
105.19 Subd. 5. **Northeast Minnesota rail initiative** 1,300,000
105.20 (a) Heritage and Arts Center 400,000

105.21 For a grant to St. Louis County to renovate
105.22 the St. Louis County Heritage and Arts
105.23 Center (the Duluth Depot).
105.24 (b) Passenger Rail Service 900,000

105.25 ~~and to match federal money for~~ For a
105.26 grant to the St. Louis and Lake County
105.27 Regional Rail Authority for Phase 1 of
105.28 preliminary engineering, environmental
105.29 studies, and construction of the rail line,
105.30 railway stations, park-and-ride lots, and
105.31 other railroad appurtenances necessary
105.32 to facilitate the return of intercity and
105.33 commuter/passenger rail service within

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106.1 Duluth and the Duluth/Twin Cities rail
106.2 corridor.

106.3 Sec. 64. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 17, subdivision 8, is amended to read:

106.4 Subd. 8. **Metropolitan Regional Parks**
106.5 **Capital Improvements** 35,362,000

106.6 For the cost of improvements and betterments
106.7 of a capital nature and acquisition by the
106.8 council and local government units of
106.9 regional recreational open-space lands in
106.10 accordance with the council's policy plan
106.11 as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section
106.12 473.147. Priority must be given to park
106.13 rehabilitation and land acquisition projects.

106.14 \$300,000 is for a grant to the city of
106.15 Bloomington to renovate the old Cedar
106.16 Avenue bridge to serve as a hiking and
106.17 bicycling trail connection.

106.18 \$6,000,000 is for a grant to the county of
106.19 Dakota to acquire land for a regional park
106.20 and wildlife area adjacent to the ~~Empire~~
106.21 ~~Wetlands~~ Vermillion Highlands Research,
106.22 Recreation, and Wildlife Management Area
106.23 and Regional Park in Dakota County.

106.24 \$1,800,000 is for a grant to the city of
106.25 Minneapolis to complete land acquisition for
106.26 and construction of the Cedar Lake Trail.

106.27 \$3,500,000 is for a grant to the Minneapolis
106.28 Park and Recreation Board to design,
106.29 construct, furnish, and equip a new cultural
106.30 and community center in the East Phillips
106.31 neighborhood in Minneapolis.

106.32 \$250,000 is for a grant to the Minneapolis
106.33 Park and Recreation Board to predesign
106.34 completion of the Grand Rounds National

107.1 Scenic Byway by providing a link between
107.2 northeast Minneapolis on Stinson Avenue
107.3 and Southeast Minneapolis at East River
107.4 Road.

107.5 \$2,500,000 is for a grant to the Minneapolis
107.6 Park and Recreation Board to mitigate
107.7 flooding at Lake of the Isles in the city
107.8 of Minneapolis. The grant must be used
107.9 for shoreline stabilization and restoration,
107.10 dredging, wetland replacement, and other
107.11 infrastructure improvements necessary to
107.12 deal with the 1997 flood damage and to
107.13 prevent future flooding.

107.14 \$321,000 is for a grant to Ramsey County
107.15 to construct a bicycle and pedestrian trail on
107.16 the north side of Lower Afton Road between
107.17 Century Avenue and McKnight Road in the
107.18 city of Maplewood. This appropriation is
107.19 not available until the commissioner has
107.20 determined that at least an equal amount has
107.21 been committed from nonstate sources.

107.22 \$9,000,000 is for a grant to the city of St.
107.23 Paul to predesign, design, construct, furnish,
107.24 equip, and redevelop infrastructure at the
107.25 Como Zoo.

107.26 \$2,500,000 is for a grant to the city of St.
107.27 Paul to acquire land for and to predesign,
107.28 design, construct, furnish, and equip river
107.29 park development and redevelopment
107.30 infrastructure in National Great River Park
107.31 along the Mississippi River in St. Paul.

107.32 \$2,000,000 is for a grant to the city of
107.33 South St. Paul for the closure, capping, and
107.34 remediation of approximately 80 acres of
107.35 the Port Crosby construction and demolition

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108.1 debris landfill in South St. Paul, as the fifth
108.2 phase of converting the land into parkland,
108.3 and to restore approximately 80 acres of
108.4 riverfront land along the Mississippi River.

108.5 \$191,000 is for a grant to the city of White
108.6 Bear Lake to construct the Lake Avenue
108.7 Regional Trail connecting Highway 96
108.8 Regional Trail with Ramsey Beach.

108.9 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective retroactively from June 2, 2006.

108.10 Sec. 65. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 21, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

108.11 Subd. 6. **Redevelopment Account** 9,000,000

108.12 For purposes of the redevelopment account
108.13 under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.571.

108.14 \$800,000 is for a grant to the city of
108.15 Worthington to remediate contaminated
108.16 soil and redevelop the site of the former
108.17 Campbell Soup factory. This grant is exempt
108.18 from the requirements of Minnesota Statutes,
108.19 sections 116J.572 to 116J.575.

108.20 \$250,000 is for a grant to the city of Winona
108.21 to predesign facilities for a multipurpose
108.22 events center and arena to be used for the
108.23 Shakespeare Festival as part of the riverfront
108.24 redevelopment plan, Beethoven Festival, and
108.25 Winona State University events. This grant is
108.26 exempt from the requirements of Minnesota
108.27 Statutes, sections 116J.572 to 116J.575.

108.28 Sec. 66. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 21, subdivision 14, is amended to read:

108.29 Subd. 14. **Itasca County - infrastructure** 12,000,000

108.30 For a grant to Itasca County for public
108.31 infrastructure needed to support a steel plant
108.32 in Itasca County ~~or an innovative energy~~

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109.1 ~~project in Itasca County under Minnesota~~
109.2 ~~Statutes, section 216B.1694, that uses clean~~
109.3 ~~energy technology as defined in Minnesota~~
109.4 ~~Statutes, section 216B.1693, or both and~~
109.5 economic development projects in the
109.6 surrounding area. Grant money may be used
109.7 by Itasca County to acquire right-of-way and
109.8 mitigate loss of wetlands and runoff of storm
109.9 water, to predesign, design, construct, and
109.10 equip roads and rail lines, and, in cooperation
109.11 with ~~municipal public utilities~~ Nashwauk
109.12 Municipal Utility, to predesign, design,
109.13 construct, and equip natural gas pipelines,
109.14 electric infrastructure, water supply systems,
109.15 and wastewater collection and treatment
109.16 systems.

109.17 Up to \$4,000,000 of this appropriation may
109.18 be spent before the full financing for either
109.19 project has been closed.

109.20 Sec. 67. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 21, subdivision 15, is amended to read:

109.21 Subd. 15. **Lewis and Clark Rural Water**
109.22 **System, Inc.**

3,282,000

109.23 This appropriation is from the general fund
109.24 to the Public Facilities Authority for grants
109.25 to the ~~city of Luverne, city of Worthington~~
109.26 ~~Public Utilities, Lincoln-Pipestone rural~~
109.27 ~~water system, and Rock County rural water~~
109.28 ~~system~~ Lewis and Clark Joint Powers
109.29 Board to acquire land, predesign, design,
109.30 construct, furnish, and equip ~~one or more~~
109.31 water transmission and storage facilities ~~to~~
109.32 ~~accommodate the connection with~~ of the
109.33 Lewis and Clark Rural Water System, Inc.
109.34 that will serve southwestern Minnesota.

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110.1 ~~The grants~~ Payment to the Lewis and Clark
110.2 Rural Water System, Inc. must be awarded
110.3 ~~to projects~~ approved by the Lewis and Clark
110.4 Joint Powers Board.

110.5 This appropriation is available to the extent
110.6 that each \$1 of state money is matched by at
110.7 least \$1 of local money paid to the Lewis and
110.8 Clark Rural Water System, Inc. ~~to reimburse~~
110.9 ~~the system for costs incurred on eligible~~
110.10 ~~projects.~~

110.11 Sec. 68. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 23, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

110.12 Subd. 3. **Historic Fort Snelling Museum and**
110.13 **Visitor Center** 1,100,000

110.14 ~~To design the restoration and renovation of~~
110.15 ~~the 1904 Cavalry Barracks Building for the~~
110.16 historic Fort Snelling Museum and Visitor
110.17 Center and other site improvements to
110.18 revitalize historic Fort Snelling.

110.19 Sec. 69. Laws 2006, chapter 282, article 11, section 2, subdivision 6, is amended to
110.20 read:

110.21 Subd. 6. **Itasca County infrastructure** 11,500,000

110.22 For transfer to the Minnesota minerals 21st
110.23 century fund for a grant to Itasca County
110.24 to design, construct, and equip roads, rail
110.25 lines, and in cooperation with Nashwauk
110.26 Municipal Utility to predesign, design,
110.27 construct, and equip electric infrastructure,
110.28 natural gas pipelines, water supply systems,
110.29 or wastewater collection and treatment
110.30 systems for a steel plant in Itasca County. Of
110.31 this amount, up to \$500,000 may be used for
110.32 other mineral related projects in the taconite
110.33 relief area. This is a onetime appropriation.

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111.1 Sec. 70. Laws 2007, chapter 148, article 1, section 3, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

111.2	Subd. 4. Legislative Coordinating Commission	16,188,000	16,121,000
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111.3 Appropriations by Fund

111.4	General	16,010,000	15,943,000
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111.5	Health Care Access	178,000	178,000
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111.6 The base general fund budget for the

111.7 Legislative Coordinating Commission shall

111.8 be \$15,893,000 in fiscal year 2010 and

111.9 \$15,893,000 in fiscal year 2011.

111.10 (a) \$5,624,000 the first year and \$5,469,000

111.11 the second year are for the Office of the

111.12 Revisor of Statutes.

111.13 (b) \$1,257,000 the first year and \$1,254,000

111.14 the second year are for the Legislative

111.15 Reference Library.

111.16 (c) \$5,719,000 the first year and \$5,720,000

111.17 the second year are for the Office of the

111.18 Legislative Auditor.

111.19 (d) \$250,000 ~~the first year~~ is to the Legislative

111.20 Coordinating Commission for a facilitated

111.21 planning process relating to the Capitol

111.22 building and the Capitol complex. The

111.23 process must be conducted in cooperation

111.24 with the Capitol Area Architectural and

111.25 Planning Board and the commissioner

111.26 of administration, and must include

111.27 consideration of issues relating to renovation

111.28 and possible expansion of the Capitol

111.29 building, phasing strategies relating to

111.30 renovation of the Capitol, and related Capitol

111.31 complex planning issues. The process must

111.32 include consideration of as many options as

111.33 feasible relating to renovation of the Capitol

111.34 and related Capitol complex buildings. The

111.35 ~~process must be completed by September~~

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112.1 ~~30, 2007. Beginning October 1, 2007,~~
112.2 ~~the Legislative Coordinating Commission~~
112.3 ~~may transfer any unexpended balance from~~
112.4 ~~this appropriation to the commissioner of~~
112.5 ~~administration for additional planning and~~
112.6 ~~design for the renovation of the Capitol~~
112.7 ~~complex. This appropriation is available~~
112.8 until June 30, 2009.

112.9 (e) All legislative offices should, whenever
112.10 possible, implement information technology
112.11 systems that are compatible and work
112.12 seamlessly across the legislature. Wherever
112.13 possible, single systems should be
112.14 implemented to avoid unnecessary
112.15 duplication and inefficiency. The directors
112.16 of information technology for the senate,
112.17 house of representatives, and the Legislative
112.18 Coordinating Commission must submit
112.19 a written report describing their efforts
112.20 to collaborate on implementing shared
112.21 information technology systems. The report
112.22 must be submitted to the chairs of the house
112.23 of representatives and senate committees
112.24 with jurisdiction over rules and to the
112.25 Legislative Coordinating Commission on
112.26 January 15, 2008, and January 15, 2009.

112.27 Sec. 71. **NASHWAUK GAS UTILITY.**

112.28 In addition to the authority granted in, and notwithstanding any limitation in, Laws
112.29 1997, chapter 21, section 1, the city of Nashwauk may establish a municipal gas utility
112.30 under Minnesota Statutes, section 412.321, without the election required under Minnesota
112.31 Statutes, section 412.321, subdivision 2, for the purpose of constructing, owning, and
112.32 operating distribution and transmission gas pipelines, and providing gas to retail and
112.33 wholesale customers within or without the municipal boundaries of Nashwauk, and
112.34 exercising any other power or authority available to municipal gas utilities under law.

113.1 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day after compliance by the city
113.2 of Nashwauk with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021, subdivision 3.

113.3 Sec. 72. **STAKEHOLDER CONSULTATION; REPORT.**

113.4 (a) The Minnesota Housing Finance Agency shall meet with the stakeholders
113.5 described in paragraph (b) for the following purposes:

113.6 (1) to consider the use of 501(c)(3) bonds as a means to prevent residential mortgage
113.7 foreclosures and to address the effects of widespread residential mortgage foreclosures;

113.8 (2) to consider means to make community activity set aside (CASA) mortgages
113.9 more accessible to neighborhood land trusts; and

113.10 (3) to consider alternative tax classifications for neighborhood land trust properties
113.11 to make taxation of such properties more equitable and to provide an incentive for greater
113.12 utilization of neighborhood land trusts.

113.13 (b) The stakeholders referenced in paragraph (a) must include individuals with
113.14 experience in community land trusts, providers of mortgage foreclosure prevention
113.15 services, bankers, individuals who have experienced mortgage foreclosure, legal aid
113.16 attorneys, and a representative of the property tax division of the Department of Revenue.

113.17 (c) The Minnesota Housing Finance Agency shall report the results and
113.18 recommendations of the meetings under paragraph (a) to the legislative committees with
113.19 jurisdiction over housing policy and finance by January 1, 2009.

113.20 Sec. 73. **REPORT ON EAST PHILLIPS CULTURAL AND COMMUNITY**
113.21 **CENTER.**

113.22 The Metropolitan Council shall report by January 1, 2009, to the legislative
113.23 committees with jurisdiction over capital investment on the terms of the grant agreement
113.24 and progress on design and construction of the East Phillips Cultural and Community
113.25 Center by the Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board with the appropriation in Laws
113.26 2006, chapter 258, section 17, subdivision 8.

113.27 Sec. 74. **PUBLIC FACILITIES AUTHORITY.**

113.28 To the greatest practical extent, projects on the Public Facilities Authority's 2008
113.29 intended use plan, the listings for which were based on the Pollution Control Agency's
113.30 2006 project priority list, shall be carried over to the 2009 intended use plan for potential
113.31 funding from the clean water revolving fund.

113.32 Sec. 75. **CALCULATION OF DEBT SERVICE.**

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114.1 In calculating the debt service limits under the Department of Finance's guidelines,
114.2 the commissioner of finance must assume that the bonding amount in future odd-numbered
114.3 years will be at the same amount assumed in the budget forecast and assume a bonding
114.4 amount in future even-numbered years will be an amount that will allow general fund debt
114.5 service payments to meet the guidelines.

114.6 Sec. 76. **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

114.7 Except as otherwise provided, this act is effective the day following final enactment.