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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-NINTH SESSION

H. F. No. 3577

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment

1.1A bill for an act

1.2relating to capital investment; extending availability of an earlier appropriation

1.3for a Lake Zumbro project; amending Laws 2012, chapter 293, section 7,

1.4subdivision 8.

1.5BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6Section 1. Laws 2012, chapter 293, section 7, subdivision 8, is amended to read:

1.7Subd. 8. **Lake Zumbro**3,000,000

1.8For a grant to Olmsted County for the

1.9removal of sedimentation in Lake Zumbro,

1.10including final engineering, dredging,

1.11and dredged soil disposal from the sites

1.12identified in the Preliminary Engineering

1.13Report for Dredging Lake Zumbro.

1.14This project is designed to improve the

1.15recreational economy, water quality, and

1.16habitat, and increase water storage capacity

1.17within the lake to achieve renewable

1.18energy goals by optimizing long-term

1.19hydroelectric operations. This appropriation

1.20is not available until the commissioner

1.21has determined that at least an equal

1.22amount has been committed to the project

1.23from nonstate sources. Notwithstanding

1.24Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642, the

- 2.1 bond authorization and appropriation of bond
- 2.2 proceeds for this project are available until
- 2.3 December 31, 2018.