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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Higher Education Policy and Finance

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A bill for an act

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relating to capital investment; appropriating money for Winona State University's

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education village phase 2; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

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Section 1. **WINONA STATE UNIVERSITY; EDUCATION VILLAGE PHASE 2.**

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Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$22,630,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds

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fund to the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities for phase 2

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of the education village project. This includes money to design, renovate, furnish, and

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equip Wabasha Hall, Wabasha Recreation Center, and Cathedral School to create an

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education village of classrooms, laboratories, offices, and meeting and support spaces

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enabling the college of education to integrate with southeastern Minnesota communities

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and school districts to jointly provide an extraordinary experience for the preparation of

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teachers and school professionals.

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Subd. 2. **Bond sale.** To provide the money appropriated in this section from the

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bond proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue

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bonds of the state in an amount up to \$22,630,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with

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the effect prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the

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Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

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