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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETY-SECOND SESSION

H. F. No. **2179**

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

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to agriculture; appropriating money for statewide mental health counseling  
1.3 support.

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

1.5 Section 1. **APPROPRIATION; STATEWIDE MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING**  
1.6 **SUPPORTS.**

1.7 \$238,000 in fiscal year 2022 and \$238,000 in fiscal year 2023 are appropriated to the  
1.8 commissioner of agriculture for transfer to the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State  
1.9 Colleges and Universities for statewide mental health counseling support to farm families  
1.10 and business operators through the Minnesota State Agricultural Centers of Excellence.  
1.11 South Central College and Central Lakes College shall serve as the fiscal agents.