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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 Veterans and Military Affairs Finance and Policy

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A bill for an act
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relating to capital investment; appropriating money for railway and highway safety
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improvements for pedestrian and bicycle trails in Dakota County along the Veterans
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Memorial Greenway; 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. **DAKOTA COUNTY; VETERANS MEMORIAL GREENWAY.**
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Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$13,000,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds
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fund to the Metropolitan Council for a grant to Dakota County for right-of-way acquisition,
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veteran-themed memorials, and for design and construction of pedestrian safety-related
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improvements, including grade-separated crossings of railroads and multilane highways in
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Dakota County, within the trail corridor between Lebanon Hills Regional Park and the
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Mississippi River.
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Subd. 2. **Bond sale.** To provide the money appropriated in this section from the bond
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proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue bonds of
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the state in an amount up to \$13,000,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect
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prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota
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Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.
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EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.