

purchase as federal laws may prescribe. The lands acquired pursuant to this section shall be administered in the same manner as provided for other state parks and shall be perpetually dedicated for such use.

Subd. 2. **RICE LAKE STATE PARK, STEELE COUNTY.** All that part of the North Half of Government Lot 3, Section 11, Township 107 North, Range 19 West, lying southerly of C.S.A.H. 19 excepting therefrom the West 10 acres of said North Half of Government Lot 3, also excepting the east 250 feet of said North Half of Government Lot 3.

Approved May 23, 1973.

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## CHAPTER 609—H.F.No.1042

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*An act relating to waters; southern Minnesota river basin commission; amending Laws 1971, Chapter 705, Section 3, Subdivision 1; and Section 5; repealing Laws 1971, Chapter 705, Section 11.*

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Laws 1971, Chapter 705, Section 3, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Sec. 3. **[114A.03] SOUTHERN MINNESOTA RIVERS BASIN COMMISSION; PURPOSE AND INTENT.** Subdivision 1. The southern Minnesota rivers basin commission is hereby established to serve as the regional organization for guiding the creation and implementation of a comprehensive environmental conservation and development plan for the basin. All state departments and agencies are hereby directed to cooperate with the commission, and to assist it in the performance of its duties. In cooperation with all federal agencies, including but not limited to the United States departments of agriculture and interior and the corps of engineers, all state agencies, departments, and commissions, including but not limited to the department of natural resources, Minnesota geological survey, water resources board, state planning agency, department of highways, soil and water conservation commission, pollution control agency, department of economic development, department of agriculture, and the institute of agriculture of the University of Minnesota, and local governments and citizens within the basin, the commission shall initiate, coordinate and prepare its

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overall comprehensive environmental conservation and development plan. The Minnesota soil and water conservation commission and local soil and water conservation districts and watershed districts within the basin shall provide technical assistance to the commission in the creation and implementation of the plan. Upon the request of the commission, the governor or the legislature may require any other department or agency of the state to furnish assistance, technical or otherwise, to the commission in the performance of its duties or in the exercise of its powers authorized by law. The plan may include, but is not limited to, planning for the following purposes:

- (1) Control or alleviation of damages by flood waters;
- (2) Improvement of stream channels for handling of surface waters, navigation, and any other public purposes;
- (3) Reclaiming or filling of wet and overflowed lands;
- (4) Regulating the flow of streams and conserving the waters thereof;
- (5) Diverting or changing watercourses in whole or in part;
- (6) Providing and maintaining water quality and supply for municipal, domestic, industrial, recreational, agricultural, aesthetic, wildlife, fishery, or other public use;
- (7) Providing for sanitation and public health and regulating uses of streams, ditches, or watercourses for the purpose of disposing of waste and maintaining water quality;
- (8) Repair, improvement, relocation, modification, consolidation or abandonment in whole or in part of previously established public drainage systems within the territory;
- (9) Imposition of prevention or remedial measures for the control or alleviation of land and soil erosion and siltation of watercourses or bodies of water affected thereby;
- (10) Regulation of improvements and land development by abutting landowners of the beds, banks, and shores of lakes, streams, watercourses, and marshes by permit or otherwise in order to preserve the same for beneficial use; such regulation to be in accordance with state department of natural resource standards and criteria;
- (11) Regulation of construction of improvements on the prevention of encroachments in the flood plains of the rivers, and the lakes, marshes and streams of the basin; such regulation to be in accordance with state department of natural resource standards and criteria.

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Sec. 2. Laws 1971, Chapter 705, Section 5, is amended to read:

Sec. 5. **[114A.05] COMMISSION; POWERS, DUTIES.** In order to give effect to the purposes of this act, the commission shall have the power to adopt guidelines and regulations to coordinate natural resources management so as to prevent the pollution, impairment or destruction of the air, water, land or other natural resources located within the basin, assuring that the commission's activities will not unnecessarily overlap or conflict with any similar activities authorized by the legislature and performed by established agencies. The commission, in order to give effect to the purposes of this act, shall develop and coordinate an efficient system whereby the political subdivisions, commissions, departments, agencies, local units of governments and other authorities within the basin having the necessary powers may carry out, in an efficient and coordinated manner, all activities reasonable and necessary to prepare and approve the commission's comprehensive environmental conservation and development plan for the basin and thereafter to foster and promote its implementation by the various federal, state and local units of governments thereby affected.

Sec. 3. Laws 1971, Chapter 705, Section 11, is repealed.

Sec. 4. This act is effective July 1, 1973.

Approved May 23, 1973.

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## CHAPTER 610—H.F.No.1045

*An act relating to automobile insurance; cancellation; right to complain; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Sections 65B.19, and 65B.21.*

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 65B.19, is amended to read:

**65B.19 AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE; CANCELLATION; NOTICE OF RIGHT TO COMPLAIN.** When the insurer notifies the policyholder of nonrenewal, cancellation or reduction in the limits of liability of coverage under sections 65B.16 or 65B.17, the insurer shall also notify the named insured of his right to complain within 14 30 days of his receipt of notice of nonrenewal, cancellation or

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