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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETY-SECOND SESSION

H. F. No. 2879

01/31/2022 Authored by Hausman, Lillie and Hansen, R., The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to capital investment; appropriating money for improvements to Gibbs
1.3 Farm Museum: Pathways to Dakota and Pioneer Life; authorizing the sale and
1.4 issuance of state bonds.

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

1.6 Section 1. RAMSEY COUNTY; GIBBS FARM MUSEUM: PATHWAYS TO
1.7 DAKOTA AND PIONEER LIFE.

1.8 Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$7,600,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds fund
1.9 to the commissioner of employment and economic development for a grant to Ramsey
1.10 County to predesign, design, renovate, construct, furnish, and equip site improvements,
1.11 buildings, and facilities at Gibbs Farm, a museum dedicated to the history of early Minnesota
1.12 agriculture and the relationship between the Dakota people of Heyata Othunwe and the Jane
1.13 and Heman Gibbs family. This appropriation is not available until the commissioner of
1.14 management and budget determines that at least \$7,000,000 has been committed from
1.15 nonstate sources to complete the project.

1.16 Subd. 2. **Bond sale.** To provide the money appropriated in this section from the bond
1.17 proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue bonds of
1.18 the state in an amount up to \$7,600,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect
1.19 prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota
1.20 Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

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