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		Referred to Energy, Utilities, Environment, and Climate
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1.1 A bill for an act

1.2 relating to energy; appropriating money for an anaerobic digester energy system.

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

1.4 Section 1. **APPROPRIATION; ANAEROBIC DIGESTOR ENERGY SYSTEM.**

1.5 (a) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 116C.779, subdivision 1, paragraph (j),

1.6 \$10,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 and \$20,000,000 in fiscal year 2025 are appropriated from

1.7 the renewable development account established in Minnesota Statutes, section 116C.779,

1.8 subdivision 1, to the commissioner of commerce for a grant to Recycling and Energy, in

1.9 partnership with Dem-Con HZI Bioenergy, LLC, to construct an anaerobic digester energy

1.10 system in the city of Shakopee.

1.11 (b) For the purposes of this section, "anaerobic digester energy system" means a facility

1.12 that uses diverted food and organic waste from a metropolitan county, as defined under

1.13 Minnesota Statutes, section 473.121, subdivision 4, to create renewable natural gas and

1.14 biochar.

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