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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 2044

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Policy and Finance

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Heartland Trail extension
1.3 from Park Rapids to Itasca State Park; authorizing the sale and issuance of state
1.4 bonds.

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

1.6 Section 1. **HEARTLAND TRAIL; PARK RAPIDS.**

1.7 Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$250,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds fund
1.8 to the commissioner of natural resources to acquire land for and to predesign, design, and
1.9 construct an extension of the Heartland Trail, extending from Park Rapids to Itasca State
1.10 Park. This appropriation is not available until a route for the trail is selected. \$100,000 is
1.11 appropriated from the bond proceeds fund to the commissioner of natural resources to
1.12 acquire property and to predesign, design, construct, and equip a trailhead adjacent to the
1.13 Heartland Trail at the intersection of County Highway 4 and 204th Street near Park Rapids.

1.14 Subd. 2. **Bond sale.** To provide the money appropriated in this section from the bond
1.15 proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue bonds of
1.16 the state in an amount up to \$350,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect
1.17 prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota
1.18 Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

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