

SENATE  
STATE OF MINNESOTA  
NINETY-THIRD SESSION

S.F. No. 4786

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03/07/2024	12064	Introduction and first reading Referred to Agriculture, Broadband, and Rural Development

1.1A bill for an act

1.2relating to agriculture; transferring money to the University of Minnesota for the

1.3Forever Green Initiative.

1.4BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.5Section 1. **FOREVER GREEN INITIATIVE; TRANSFER.**

1.6\$1,200,000 in fiscal year 2025 is transferred from the general fund to the agriculture

1.7research, education, extension, and technology account under Minnesota Statutes, section

1.841A.14, subdivision 3, to fund the Forever Green Initiative and protect the state's natural

1.9resources while increasing the efficiency, profitability, and productivity of Minnesota farmers

1.10by incorporating perennial and winter-annual crops into existing agricultural practices. This

1.11transfer is in addition to the amounts transferred in Laws 2023, chapter 43, article 1, section

1.122, subdivision 4. This is a onetime transfer.