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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Capital Investment

02/06/2017 Adoption of Report: Re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

02/16/2017 Adoption of Report: Placed on the General Register

Read for the Second Time

05/17/2017 Calendar for the Day, Amended

Read Third Time as Amended

1.1 A bill for an act

relating to capital investment; authorizing spending to acquire and better public 1.2 land and buildings and other improvements of a capital nature with certain 13 conditions; modifying previous appropriations; establishing new programs and 1.4 modifying existing programs; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds; 1.5 appropriating money; amending Minnesota Statutes 2016, sections 16A.967; 1.6 84.946, subdivision 2; 85.34, subdivision 1; 174.50, subdivisions 5, 6b, 6c, 7; 1.7 446A.072; 446A.073; 446A.081, subdivision 9; 446A.12, subdivision 1; 462A.37, 1.8 subdivisions 2a, 2b, 5, by adding a subdivision; Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 1.9 18, subdivision 6, as amended; Laws 2012, chapter 293, sections 7, subdivision 1.10 3; 17, subdivision 4; Laws 2014, chapter 294, article 1, section 17, subdivision 1.11 12; Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 5, article 1, section 10, subdivisions 1.12 3, 7; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapters 16C; 219; 1.13 repealing Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 123A.446. 1.14

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

1.16 ARTICLE 1

1.17 APPROPRIATIONS

Section 1. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS.

The sums shown in the column under "Appropriations" are appropriated from the bond proceeds fund, or another named fund, to the state agencies or officials indicated, to be spent for public purposes. Appropriations of bond proceeds must be spent as authorized by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, paragraph (a), to acquire and better public land and buildings and other public improvements of a capital nature, or as authorized by the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, section 5, paragraphs (b) to (j), or article XIV. Unless otherwise specified, money appropriated in this act for a capital program or project may be used to pay state agency staff costs that are attributed directly to the capital program or project in accordance with accounting policies adopted by the commissioner of management

2.1	and budget. Unless otherwise specified, the appropriations in this act	are availa	ble until the
2.2	project is completed or abandoned subject to Minnesota Statutes, sec	tion 16A.	642. Unless
2.3	otherwise specified in this act, money appropriated in this act for activity	ties unde	r Minnesota
2.4	Statutes, sections 16B.307, 84.946, and 135A.046, should not be used	l for proje	ects that can
2.5	be financed within a reasonable time frame under Minnesota Statutes	, section	16B.322 or
2.6	<u>16C.144.</u>		
2.7		APPRO	PRIATIONS
2.8	Sec. 2. <u>UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA</u>		
2.9	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	<u>58,267,000</u>
2.10	To the Board of Regents of the University of		
2.11	Minnesota for the purposes specified in this		
2.12	section.		
2.13 2.14	Subd. 2. Higher Education Asset Preservation and Replacement (HEAPR)		30,000,000
2.15	To be spent in accordance with Minnesota		
2.16	Statutes, section 135A.046.		
2.17 2.18	Subd. 3. Duluth - Chemical Sciences and Advanced Materials Science Building		28,267,000
2.19	To design, construct, furnish, and equip a new		
2.20	laboratory building on the Duluth campus,		
2.21	including classrooms and research and		
2.22	undergraduate instructional laboratories.		
2.23	Subd. 4. University Share		
2.24	Except for the appropriation for HEAPR, the		
2.25	appropriations in this section are intended to		
2.26	cover approximately two-thirds of the cost of		
2.27	each project. The remaining costs must be paid		
2.28	from university sources.		
2.29	Subd. 5. Unspent Appropriations		
2.30	Upon substantial completion of a project		
2.31	authorized in this section and after written		
2.32	notice to the commissioner of management		
2.33	and budget, the Board of Regents must use		

3.1	any money remaining in the appropriation for		
3.2	that project for HEAPR under Minnesota		
3.3	Statutes, section 135A.046. The Board of		
3.4	Regents must report by February 1 of each		
3.5	even-numbered year to the chairs of the house		
3.6	of representatives and senate committees with		
3.7	jurisdiction over capital investment and higher		
3.8	education finance, and to the chairs of the		
3.9	house of representatives Ways and Means		
3.10	Committee and the senate Finance Committee,		
3.11	on how the remaining money has been		
3.12	allocated or spent.		
3.13 3.14	Sec. 3. MINNESOTA STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES		
3.15	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	36,244,000
3.16	To the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota		
3.17	State Colleges and Universities for the		
3.18	purposes specified in this section.		
3.19 3.20	Subd. 2. Higher Education Asset Preservation and Replacement (HEAPR)		25,000,000
3.21	To be spent in accordance with Minnesota		
3.22	Statutes, section 135A.046.		
3.23 3.24	Subd. 3. Minnesota State Community and Technical College		
3.25	(a) Fergus Falls Campus		978,000
3.26	To design, renovate, furnish, and equip a new		
3.27	Center for Student and Workforce Success		
3.28	(CSWS) that integrates the Regional		
3.29	Workforce Center. The board must enter into		
3.30	a lease agreement with the commissioner of		
3.31	employment and economic development, or		
3.32	partners of the commissioner, for use of the		
3.33	workforce center subject to Minnesota		
3.34	Statutes, section 16A.695. The board must use		

4.1	nonstate money for the remainder of the cost	
4.2	of the renovation.	
4.3	(b) Wadena Campus	820,000
4.4	To design, renovate, furnish, and equip the	
4.5	relocation of the current library to	
4.6	underutilized space and convert the vacated	
4.7	space into a centralized student services center.	
4.8 4.9	Subd. 4. Northland Community and Technical College, East Grand Forks	826,000
4.10	To design, renovate, furnish, and equip science	
4.11	and radiological lab space on the East Grand	
4.12	Forks campus.	
4.13	Subd. 5. South Central College, North Mankato	8,600,000
4.14	To design, renovate, renew, furnish, and equip	
4.15	laboratory, classroom, and office spaces on	
4.16	the North Mankato campus.	
4.17	Subd. 6. Debt Service	
4.18	(a) Except as provided in paragraph (b), the	
4.19	Board of Trustees shall pay the debt service	
4.20	on one-third of the principal amount of state	
4.21	bonds sold to finance projects authorized by	
4.22	this section. After each sale of general	
4.23	obligation bonds, the commissioner of	
4.24	management and budget shall notify the board	
4.25	of the amounts assessed for each year for the	
4.26	life of the bonds.	
4.27	(b) The board need not pay debt service on	
4.28	bonds sold to finance HEAPR. Where a	
4.29	nonstate match is required, the debt service is	
4.30	due on a principal amount equal to one-third	
4.31	of the total project cost, less the match	
4.32	committed before the bonds are sold.	
4.33	(c) The commissioner of management and	
4.34	budget shall reduce the board's assessment	

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each year by one-third of the net income f	from		

5.2	investment of general obligation bond
5.3	proceeds in proportion to the amount of
5.4	principal and interest otherwise required to be
5.5	paid by the board. The board shall pay its
5.6	resulting net assessment to the commissioner
5.7	of management and budget by December 1
5.8	each year. If the board fails to make a payment
5.9	when due, the commissioner of management
5.10	and budget shall reduce allotments for
5.11	appropriations from the general fund otherwise
5.12	available to the board and apply the amount
5.13	of the reduction to cover the missed debt
5.14	service payment. The commissioner of
5.15	management and budget shall credit the
5.16	payments received from the board to the bond
5.17	debt service account in the state bond fund
5.18	each December 1 before money is transferred
5.19	from the general fund under Minnesota
5.20	Statutes, section 16A.641, subdivision 10.
5.21	Subd. 7. Unspent Appropriations
5.22	(a) Upon substantial completion of a project
5.23	authorized in this section and after written
5.24	notice to the commissioner of management
5.25	and budget, the board must use any money
5.26	remaining in the appropriation for that project
5.27	for HEAPR under Minnesota Statutes, section
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	135A.046. The Board of Trustees must report
5.29	135A.046. The Board of Trustees must report by February 1 of each even-numbered year to
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5.29	by February 1 of each even-numbered year to
5.29 5.30	by February 1 of each even-numbered year to the chairs of the house of representatives and
5.29 5.30 5.31	by February 1 of each even-numbered year to the chairs of the house of representatives and senate committees with jurisdiction over
5.29 5.30 5.31 5.32	by February 1 of each even-numbered year to the chairs of the house of representatives and senate committees with jurisdiction over capital investment and higher education

6.1	the remaining money has been allocated or		
6.2	spent.		
6.3	(b) The unspent portion of an appropriation		
6.4	for a project in this section that is complete is		
6.5	available for HEAPR under this subdivision,		
6.6	at the same campus as the project for which		
6.7	the original appropriation was made and the		
6.8	debt service requirement under this section is		
6.9	reduced accordingly. Minnesota Statutes,		
6.10	section 16A.642, applies from the date of the		
6.11	original appropriation to the unspent amount		
6.12	<u>transferred.</u>		
6.13	Sec. 4. EDUCATION		
6.14	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	3,500,000
6.15	To the commissioner of education for the		
6.16	purposes specified in this section.		
6.17	Subd. 2. Library Construction Grants		2,000,000
6.18	For library construction grants under		
6.19	Minnesota Statutes, section 134.45.		
6.20 6.21	Subd. 3. Olmsted County - Dyslexia Institute of Minnesota		1,500,000
6.22	For a grant to Olmsted County to acquire land		
6.23	for, and to predesign, design, construct,		
6.24	furnish, and equip a facility in Olmsted County		
6.25	to support the local, regional, and national		
6.26	literacy work of the Dyslexia Institute of		
6.27	Minnesota, subject to Minnesota Statutes,		
6.28	section 16A.695. This appropriation is not		
6.29	available until the commissioner of		
6.30	management and budget determines that an		
6.31	amount sufficient to complete the project is		
6.32	committed to it from nonstate sources.		
6.33	Sec. 5. MINNESOTA STATE ACADEMIES		

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section 84.946:

commissioner of natural resources to be spent

in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section

84.946. Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes,

8.1	(1) the commissioner may use this	
8.2	appropriation to replace buildings if,	
8.3	considering the embedded energy in the	
8.4	building, that is the most energy-efficient and	
8.5	carbon-reducing method of renovation; and	
8.6	(2) this appropriation may be used for projects	
8.7	to remove life safety hazards such as building	
8.8	code violations or structural defects.	
8.9	Subd. 3. Flood Hazard Mitigation	11,555,000
8.10	(a) For the state share of flood hazard	
8.11	mitigation grants for publicly owned capital	
8.12	improvements to prevent or alleviate flood	
8.13	damage under Minnesota Statutes, section	
8.14	<u>103F.161.</u>	
8.15	(b) Levee projects, to the extent practical, shall	
8.16	meet the state standard of three feet above the	
8.17	100-year flood elevation.	
8.18	(c) Project priorities shall be determined by	
8.19	the commissioner as appropriate and based on	
8.20	need.	
8.21	(d) This appropriation includes \$1,700,000 for	
8.22	the Cedar River Watershed District, \$750,000	
8.23	for the city of Browns Valley project, and	
8.24	\$1,800,000 for the city of Ortonville project.	
8.25	(e) For any project listed in this subdivision	
8.26	that the commissioner determines is not ready	
8.27	to proceed or does not expend all the money	
8.28	allocated to it, the commissioner may allocate	
8.29	that project's money to a project on the	
8.30	commissioner's priority list.	
8.31	(f) To the extent that the cost of a project	
8.32	exceeds two percent of the median household	
8.33	income in a municipality or township	
8.34	multiplied by the number of households in the	

9.1	municipality or township, this appropriation	
9.2	is also for the local share of the project.	
9.3	Subd. 4. Dam Renovation, Repair, Removal	15,000,000
9.4	(a) For design, engineering, and construction	
9.5	to repair, reconstruct, or remove dams and	
9.6	respond to dam safety emergencies. The	
9.7	commissioner shall determine project priorities	
9.8	as appropriate under Minnesota Statutes,	
9.9	sections 103G.511 and 103G.515. Of this	
9.10	appropriation:	
9.11	(1) \$500,000 is for emergencies on	
9.12	state-owned dams;	
9.13	(2) \$3,600,000 is for a grant to the city of	
9.14	Lanesboro for repair of the Lanesboro dam	
9.15	and notwithstanding the match requirements	
9.16	in Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.511, does	
9.17	not require a nonstate contribution. This	
9.18	includes funding for repairs of the hydropower	
9.19	system;	
9.20	(3) \$2,500,000 is for repairs to the Lake	
9.21	Bronson dam;	
9.22	(4) \$500,000 is for a grant to the city of	
9.23	Pelican Rapids for engineering work on the	
9.24	Pelican Rapids dam;	
9.25	(5) \$200,000 is for a grant to the city of Pine	
9.26	River for engineering work on the Norway	
9.27	Lake dam;	
9.28	(6) \$200,000 is for a grant to Yellow Medicine	
9.29	County for the Canby R-6 impoundment dam;	
9.30	(7) \$100,000 is for a grant to St. Louis County	
9.31	for the Little Stone Lake dam;	
9.32	(8) \$6,000,000 is for a grant to Dakota County	
9.33	to design and construct capital improvements	

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10.1	to the hydroelectric generating facility,	
10.2	including replacement of obsolete turbines, at	
10.3	the Byllesby Dam located on the Cannon	
10.4	River; and	
10.5	(9) \$1,400,000 is for state dams at Brawner,	
10.6	West Leaf Lake, Collinwood, Grindstone	
10.7	River, and Sullivan.	
10.8	(b) If the commissioner determines that a	
10.9	project is not ready to proceed, this	
10.10	appropriation may be used for other projects	
10.11	on the commissioner's priority list.	
10.12	Subd. 5. Reforestation and Stand Improvement	1,000,000
10.13	To provide for reforestation and stand	
10.14	improvement on state forest lands to meet the	
10.15	reforestation requirements of Minnesota	
10.16	Statutes, section 89.002, subdivision 2,	
10.17	including purchasing native seeds and native	
10.18	seedlings, planting, seeding, site preparation,	
10.19	and protection on state lands administered by	
10.20	the commissioner.	
10.21 10.22	Subd. 6. State Trail Acquisition and Development	3,130,000
10.23	For acquisition and development of the	
10.24	Gitchi-Gami State Trail, from Grand Marais	
10.25	to Cascade State Park, and through the town	
10.26	of Tofte.	
10.27	Subd. 7. Champlin - Mill Pond	3,300,000
10.28	For a grant to the city of Champlin to dredge	
10.29	and remove sediment and for other capital	
10.30	improvements to the Champlin Mill Pond	
10.31	necessary to improve water quality, restore	
10.32	fish habitat, and provide other public benefits.	
10.33	Subd. 8. Unspent Appropriations	

11.1	The unspent portion of an appropriation for a		
11.2	project in this section that is complete, upon		
11.3	written notice to the commissioner of		
11.4	management and budget, is available for asset		
11.5	preservation under Minnesota Statutes, section		
11.6	84.946. Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.642,		
11.7	applies from the date of the original		
11.8	appropriation to the unspent amount		
11.9	transferred.		
11.10	Sec. 7. POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY		
11.11	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	46,000,000
11.12	To the Pollution Control Agency for the		
11.13	purposes specified in this section.		
11.14	Subd. 2. St. Louis River Cleanup		25,400,000
11.15	To design and implement contaminated		
11.16	sediment management actions identified in		
11.17	the St. Louis River remedial action plan to		
11.18	restore water quality in the St. Louis River		
11.19	Area of Concern.		
11.20	Subd. 3. Closed Landfill Cleanup		11,350,000
11.21	To design and construct remedial systems and		
11.22	acquire land at closed landfills throughout the		
11.23	state in accordance with the closed landfill		
11.24	program under Minnesota Statutes, sections		
11.25	115B.39 to 115B.42. The agency must follow		
11.26	the agency priorities, which includes a		
11.27	construction project at the waste disposal		
11.28	engineering (WDE) site in Anoka County.		
11.29	Subd. 4. Capital Assistance Program		9,250,000
11.30	This appropriation is for a grant to Polk		
11.31	County under the solid waste capital assistance		
11.32	grant program under Minnesota Statutes,		
11.33	section 115A.54, in order to complete a		

12.1	regional integrated solid waste management		
12.2	system.		
12.3 12.4	Sec. 8. BOARD OF WATER AND SOIL RESOURCES		
12.5	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	15,000,000
12.6	To the Board of Water and Soil Resources for		
12.7	the purposes specified in this section.		
12.8 12.9	Subd. 2. Reinvest in Minnesota (RIM) Reserve Program		10,000,000
12.10	(a) To acquire conservation easements from		
12.11	landowners to preserve, restore, create, and		
12.12	enhance wetlands and associated uplands of		
12.13	prairie and grasslands, and restore and enhance		
12.14	rivers and streams, riparian lands, and		
12.15	associated uplands of prairie and grasslands		
12.16	in order to protect soil and water quality,		
12.17	support fish and wildlife habitat, reduce flood		
12.18	damage, and provide other public benefits.		
12.19	The provisions of Minnesota Statutes, section		
12.20	103F.515, apply to this program.		
12.21	(b) The board shall give priority to leveraging		
12.22	federal money by enrolling targeted new lands		
12.23	or enrolling environmentally sensitive lands		
12.24	that have expiring federal conservation		
12.25	agreements.		
12.26	(c) The board is authorized to enter into new		
12.27	agreements and amend past agreements with		
12.28	landowners as required by Minnesota Statutes,		
12.29	section 103F.515, subdivision 5, to allow for		
12.30	restoration. Of this appropriation, up to five		
12.31	percent may be used for restoration and		
12.32	enhancement.		
12.33 12.34	Subd. 3. Local Government Roads Wetland Replacement Program		5,000,000

13.1	To acquire land or permanent easements and		
13.2	to restore, create, enhance, and preserve		
13.3	wetlands to replace those wetlands drained or		
13.4	filled as a result of the repair, reconstruction,		
13.5	replacement, or rehabilitation of existing		
13.6	public roads as required by Minnesota		
13.7	Statutes, section 103G.222, subdivision 1,		
13.8	paragraphs (l) and (m). The board may vary		
13.9	the priority order of Minnesota Statutes,		
13.10	section 103G.222, subdivision 3, paragraph		
13.11	(a), to implement an in-lieu fee agreement		
13.12	approved by the U.S. Army Corps of		
13.13	Engineers under section 404 of the Clean		
13.14	Water Act. The purchase price paid for		
13.15	acquisition of land or perpetual easement must		
13.16	be a fair market value as determined by the		
13.17	board. The board may enter into agreements		
13.18	with the federal government, other state		
13.19	agencies, political subdivisions, nonprofit		
13.20	organizations, fee title owners, or other		
13.21	qualified private entities to acquire wetland		
13.22	replacement credits in accordance with		
13.23	Minnesota Rules, chapter 8420.		
13.24	A new public road project to improve public		
13.25	safety in a greater than 80 percent area, as		
13.26	defined in Minnesota Statutes, section		
13.27	103G.005, subdivision 10b, is eligible for		
13.28	funding under this program.		
13.29	Sec. 9. MINNESOTA ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN		
13.30	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	4,000,000
13.31	To the Minnesota Zoological Garden Board		
13.32	for the purposes specified in this section.		
13.33	Subd. 2. Asset Preservation		4,000,000

14.1	For capital asset preservation improvements		
14.2	and betterments to infrastructure and exhibits		
14.3	at the Minnesota Zoo, to be spent in		
14.4	accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section		
14.5	16B.307. Notwithstanding the specified uses		
14.6	of money under Minnesota Statutes, section		
14.7	16B.307, the board may use this appropriation		
14.8	to replace buildings that are in poor condition,		
14.9	outdated, and no longer support the work of		
14.10	the Minnesota Zoo and to construct and		
14.11	renovate trails and roads on the Minnesota		
14.12	Zoo site.		
14.13	Sec. 10. <u>ADMINISTRATION</u>		
14.14	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	12,500,000
14.15	To the commissioner of administration for the		
14.16	purposes specified in this section.		
14.17	Subd. 2. Capitol Complex - Physical Security		
14.18	<u>Upgrades</u>		10,500,000
14.19	For the design, construction, and equipping		
14.20	required to upgrade the physical security		
14.21	elements and systems for one or more of the		
14.22	buildings listed below, their attached tunnel		
14.23	systems and surrounding grounds, and parking		
14.24	facilities as identified in the 2014 Minnesota		
14.25	State Capitol Complex Physical Security Study		
14.26	conducted by Miller Dunwiddie Architecture.		
14.27	Work includes but is not limited to the		
14.28	installation of bollards, blast protection,		
14.29	infrastructure security screen walls, door		
14.30	access controls, emergency call stations,		
14.31	security kiosks, locking devices, and traffic		
14.32	control to the extent these funds allow. This		
14.33	appropriation is for work associated with one		
14.34	or more of the following buildings:		
14.35	Administration, Centennial, Judicial,		

specified in this section.

To the named official for the purposes

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16.1	Subd. 2. Camp Ripley Training Facility		3,521,000
16.2	To the adjutant general to predesign, design,		
16.3	construct, and equip a joint emergency railroad		
16.4	and pipeline emergency response training		
16.5	facility at Camp Ripley. The project includes		
16.6	construction of stations and capital		
16.7	infrastructure needed for mock disaster		
16.8	training, including infrastructure for training		
16.9	in hazardous materials abatement and site		
16.10	recovery work.		
16.11	Sec. 14. TRANSPORTATION		
16.12	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	248,717,000
16.13	To the commissioner of transportation for the		
16.14	purposes specified in this section.		
16.15 16.16	Subd. 2. Local Bridge Replacement and Rehabilitation		59,000,000
16.17	From the bond proceeds account in the state		
16.18	transportation fund to match federal money		
16.19	and to replace or rehabilitate local deficient		
16.20	bridges as provided in Minnesota Statutes,		
16.21	section 174.50.		
16.22	Subd. 3. Local Road Improvement Fund Grants		104,691,000
16.23	(a) From the bond proceeds account in the		
16.24	state transportation fund as provided in		
16.25	Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for trunk		
16.26	highway corridor projects under Minnesota		
16.27	Statutes, section 174.52, subdivision 2, for		
16.28	construction and reconstruction of local roads		
16.29	with statewide or regional significance under		
16.30	Minnesota Statutes, section 174.52,		
16.31	subdivision 4, or for grants to counties to assist		
16.32	in paying the costs of rural road safety capital		
16.33	improvement projects on county state-aid		

highways under Minnesota Statutes, section

17.2	174.52, subdivision 4a.
17.3	(b) Of this amount, \$9,000,000 is for a grant
17.4	to Anoka County to realign and make
17.5	associated improvements to County State-Aid
17.6	Highway 23 (Lake Drive), County State-Aid
17.7	Highway 54 (West Freeway Drive), and to
17.8	Hornsby Street in the city of Columbus.
17.9	(c) Of this amount, \$3,246,000 is for a grant
17.10	to the city of Blaine to predesign, design, and
17.11	reconstruct 105th Avenue in the vicinity of
17.12	the National Sports Center in Blaine. The
17.13	reconstruction will include changing the street
17.14	$\underline{\text{from five lanes to four lanes with median, turn}}$
17.15	lanes, sidewalk, trail, landscaping, lighting,
17.16	and consolidation of access driveways. This
17.17	appropriation is not available until the
17.18	commissioner of management and budget
17.19	determines that at least \$3,000,000 is
17.20	committed to the project from sources
17.21	available to the city, including municipal state
17.22	aid and county turnback funds.
17.23	(d) Of this amount, \$25,000,000 is for a grant
17.24	to Hennepin County, the city of Minneapolis,
17.25	or both, for design, right-of-way acquisition,
17.26	engineering, and construction of public
17.27	improvements related to the Interstate
17.28	Highway 35W and Lake Street access project
17.29	and related improvements within the Interstate
17.30	Highway 35W corridor. This appropriation is
17.31	not available until the commissioner of
17.32	management and budget determines that an
17.33	amount sufficient to complete this portion of
17.34	the Interstate Highway 35W and Lake Street

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18.1	access project has been committed	to the		
18.2	project.			
18.3	(e) Of this amount \$10,500,000 is	for a grant		
18.4	to Carver County for environmenta	al analysis		
18.5	and to acquire right-of-way access,	predesign,		
18.6	design, engineer, and construct an in	nterchange		
18.7	at marked Trunk Highway 212 and	Carver		
18.8	County Road 44 in the city of Char	ska <u>,</u>		
18.9	including a new bridge and ramps,	to support		
18.10	the development of approximately	400 acres		
18.11	of property in the city of Chaska's			
18.12	comprehensive plan.			
18.13	(f) Of this amount, \$700,000 is for	a grant to		
18.14	Redwood County to pave Nobles A	Avenue as		
18.15	the main access road to a new State	e Veterans		
18.16	Cemetery to be located in Paxton 7	Township.		
18.17	Subd. 4. Rail Grade Separation of	n Crude Oil		(0. (24.000
18.18	Rail Corridors			69,624,000
18.19	(a) Of this amount, \$42,262,000 is	for a grant		
18.20	to the city of Moorhead for environ	<u>nmental</u>		
18.21	analysis, design, engineering, remo	oval of an		
18.22	existing structure, and construction	of a rail		
18.23	grade crossing separation in the vic	cinity of		
18.24	21st Street South.			
18.25	(b) \$12,600,000 is for a grant to And	oka County		
18.26	for environmental analysis, design	<u>.</u>		
18.27	engineering, removal of an existing	structure,		
18.28	and construction of a rail grade cro	ssing		
18.29	separation at Anoka County State-	Aid		
18.30	Highway 78, known as Hanson Bo	ulevard, in		
18.31	Coon Rapids.			
18.32	(c) Of this amount, \$14,762,000 is	for a grant		
18.33	to the city of Red Wing for enviror	nmental_		

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analysis, design, engineering, removal of an

existing structure, and construction of a rail

19.1	grade crossing separation at Sturgeon Lake	
19.2	Road.	
19.3	(d) Any unspent portion of this appropriation	
19.4	after completion of a project in this	
19.5	subdivision may be used for grants in	
19.6	accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section	
19.7	<u>219.016.</u>	
19.8	Subd. 5. Railroad Warning Devices	1,000,0
19.9	To design, construct, and equip replacement	
19.10	of active highway-rail grade warning devices	
19.11	that have reached the end of their useful life.	
19.12 19.13	Subd. 6. Minnesota Valley Regional Railroad Authority	4,000,0
19.14	For a grant to the Minnesota Valley Regional	
19.15	Rail Authority for the rehabilitation of a	
19.16	portion of the railroad track between Winthrop	
19.17	and Hanley Falls. The grant under this	
19.18	subdivision may also be used for any required	
19.19	environmental documentation and	
19.20	remediation, predesign, design, and	
19.21	rehabilitation or replacement of bridges with	
19.22	new bridges or culverts between Winthrop and	
19.23	Hanley Falls. A grant under this section is in	
19.24	addition to any grant, loan, or loan guarantee	
19.25	for this project made by the commissioner	
19.26	under Minnesota Statutes, sections 222.46 to	
19.27	222.62. This appropriation is in addition to	
19.28	the appropriations in Laws 2006, chapter 258,	
19.29	section 16, subdivision 6; Laws 2008, chapter	
19.30	179, section 16, subdivision 5; Laws 2009,	
19.31	chapter 93, article 1, section 11, subdivision	
19.32	4; Laws 2010, chapter 189, section 15,	
19.33	subdivision 5; and Laws 2015, First Special	
19.34	Session chapter 5, article 1, section 10,	
19 35	subdivision 4	

20.1	Subd. 7. Port Development Assistance	5,000,000
20.2	For grants under Minnesota Statutes, chapter	
20.3	457A. Any improvements made with the	
20.4	proceeds of these grants must be publicly	
20.5	owned.	
20.6 20.7	Subd. 8. International Falls-Koochiching County Airport Commission	3,000,000
20.8	(a) For a grant to the International	
20.9	Falls-Koochiching County Airport	
20.10	Commission for the following improvements	
20.11	to the Falls International Airport:	
20.12	(1) demolition of the existing terminal	
20.13	building;	
20.14	(2) rehabilitation;	
20.15	(3) site preparation, including utilities and civil	
20.16	work;	
20.17	(4) design, construction, furnishing, and	
20.18	equipping Phase II of the new terminal	
20.19	building, including a Transportation Safety	
20.20	Administration office, weather office,	
20.21	conference room, circulation corridor, airport	
20.22	administration offices, United States Customs	
20.23	and Border Protection storage rooms, offices,	
20.24	restrooms, passenger-processing area,	
20.25	wet-hold room, interview room, search room,	
20.26	precustoms and postcustoms passenger waiting	
20.27	areas, and vestibule; and	
20.28	(5) associated appurtenances of a capital	
20.29	<u>nature.</u>	
20.30	(b) After completion of the improvements	
20.31	under paragraph (a), any unspent money from	
20.32	this appropriation may be used by the	
20.33	International Falls-Koochiching County	
20.34	Airport Commission for a commercial airline	

22.1 22.2	Subd. 3. Metropolitan Cities Inflow and Infiltration Grants	3,739,000
22.3	For grants to cities within the metropolitan	
22.4	area, as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section	
22.5	473.121, subdivision 2, for capital	
22.6	improvements in municipal wastewater	
22.7	collection systems to reduce the amount of	
22.8	inflow and infiltration to the Metropolitan	
22.9	Council's metropolitan sanitary sewer disposal	
22.10	system. Grants from this appropriation are for	
22.11	up to 50 percent of the cost to mitigate inflow	
22.12	and infiltration in the publicly owned	
22.13	municipal wastewater collection systems. To	
22.14	be eligible for a grant, a city must be identified	
22.15	by the council as a contributor of excessive	
22.16	inflow and infiltration in the metropolitan	
22.17	disposal system or have a measured flow rate	
22.18	within 20 percent of its allowable	
22.19	council-determined inflow and infiltration	
22.20	limits. The council must award grants based	
22.21	on applications from cities that identify	
22.22	eligible capital costs and include a timeline	
22.23	for inflow and infiltration mitigation	
22.24	construction, pursuant to guidelines	
22.25	established by the council.	
22.26	Subd. 4. Metro Orange Line BRT	12,100,000
22.27	<u>Up to \$12,100,000</u> , but an amount that is no	
22.28	more than ten percent of the total project cost,	
22.29	is for the Metropolitan Council, or for the	
22.30	Metropolitan Council to make grants to	
22.31	political subdivisions, for design, acquisition	
22.32	of right-of-way, engineering, and construction	
22.33	of capital improvements along the I-35W	
22.34	corridor for completion of the Metro Orange	
22.35	Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) Line.	

23.1	Sec. 16. <u>HUMAN SERVICES</u>		
23.2	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	92,035,000
23.3	To the commissioner of administration, or		
23.4	another named agency, for the purposes		
23.5	specified in this section.		
23.6	Subd. 2. Minnesota Security Hospital - St. Peter		70,255,000
23.7	To complete design, remodel, construct,		
23.8	furnish, and equip the second phase of the		
23.9	two-phase project to remodel existing, and to		
23.10	develop new, residential, program, activity,		
23.11	and ancillary facilities for the Minnesota		
23.12	Security Hospital on the upper campus of the		
23.13	St. Peter Regional Treatment Center. This		
23.14	appropriation includes money to: demolish,		
23.15	renovate, and remodel existing space;		
23.16	construct new space; address fire and life		
23.17	safety, and other building code deficiencies;		
23.18	replace or renovate interior finishes; purchase		
23.19	furnishings, fixtures, and equipment; replace		
23.20	or renovate the Minnesota Security Hospital		
23.21	building's HVAC, plumbing, electrical,		
23.22	security, and life safety systems; tuck-point;		
23.23	replace windows and doors; design and abate		
23.24	asbestos and hazardous materials; and		
23.25	complete site work necessary to support the		
23.26	programmed use of the facilities on the St.		
23.27	Peter Regional Treatment Center upper		
23.28	campus.		
23.29 23.30	Subd. 3. Child and Adolescent Behavioral Health Services		7,530,000
23.31	(a) To predesign, design, construct, furnish,		
23.32	and equip a new community-based 16-bed		
23.33	psychiatric hospital facility to house the Child		
23.34	and Adolescent Behavioral Health Services		
23.35	(CABHS) program to be located in or near the		

24.1	city of Willmar. This appropriation includes	
24.2	funds for land purchase, surveying, predesign	
24.3	and design fees, construction administration,	
24.4	project management, site work, site and	
24.5	building infrastructure, construction, and	
24.6	furniture, fixtures, and equipment.	
24.7	(b) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary,	
24.8	the 16 hospital beds licensed to the CABHS's	
24.9	facility on January 1, 2017, by the Department	
24.10	of Health, may transfer to this new facility	
24.11	upon completion, and approved inspection by	
24.12	the Departments of Health and Human	
24.13	Services.	
24.14 24.15	Subd. 4. Anoka Metro Regional Treatment Center - Safety and Security Renovations	2,250,000
24.16	To provide security upgrades of a capital	
24.17	nature at the Anoka Metro Regional Treatment	
24.18	Center campus, including but not limited to	
24.19	control centers, electronic monitoring and	
24.20	perimeter security equipment, new or updated	
24.21	security fencing, and other building security	
24.22	renovations. This appropriation includes	
24.23	money for: predesign, design, furnishing,	
24.24	fixtures, and equipment; construction of safety	
24.25	and security improvements to courtyards on	
24.26	residential treatment units; securely enclosing	
24.27	the nursing station on Unit G; and installing	
24.28	a campus-wide closed-circuit television video	
24.29	security system, a facility-wide personal	
24.30	duress alarm system, a key control system,	
24.31	and an electronic access control system.	
24.32 24.33	Subd. 5. St. Paul - Dorothy Day Opportunity Center	12,000,000
24.34	To the commissioner of human services for a	
24.35	grant to the city of St. Paul to predesign,	
24.36	design, construct, furnish, and equip an	

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25.1	opportunity center to serve as an integrated		
25.2	one-stop delivery system connecting persons		
25.3	at risk of becoming homeless, and persons		
25.4	working to move up and out of homelessness,		
25.5	and to provide services that improve their		
25.6	health, income, housing stability, or		
25.7	well-being, subject to Minnesota Statutes,		
25.8	section 16A.695. This appropriation may be		
25.9	used to acquire property for these purposes.		
25.10	This appropriation is not available until the		
25.11	commissioner of management and budget has		
25.12	determined that at least an equal amount has		
25.13	been committed to the project from nonstate		
25.14	sources.		
25.15	Sec. 17. <u>VETERANS AFFAIRS</u>		
25.16	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	12,851,000
25.17	To the commissioner of administration for the		
25.18	purposes specified in this section.		
25.19	Subd. 2. Asset Preservation		5,000,000
25.20	For asset preservation improvements and		
25.21	betterments of a capital nature at the veterans		
25.22	homes in Minneapolis, Hastings, Fergus Falls,		
25.23	Silver Bay, and Luverne, to be spent in		
25.24	accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section		
25.25	<u>16B.307.</u>		
25.26	Subd. 3. Minneapolis Veterans Home Truss		
25.27	Bridge Project		7,851,000
25.28	To design, construct, renovate, and equip the		
25.29	historic truss bridge on the Minneapolis		
25.30	Veterans Home campus, including asbestos		
25.31	and hazardous materials abatement and		
25.32	associated site work.		
25.33	Sec. 18. CORRECTIONS		

26.1	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	39,000,000
26.2	To the commissioner of administration for the		
26.3	purposes specified in this section.		
26.4	Subd. 2. Asset Preservation		20,000,000
26.5	For asset preservation improvements and		
26.6	betterments of a capital nature at Minnesota		
26.7	correctional facilities statewide, to be spent in		
26.8	accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section		
26.9	<u>16B.307.</u>		
26.10 26.11	Subd. 3. Minnesota Correctional Facility - St. Cloud		19,000,000
26.12	To construct and equip a new intake unit and		
26.13	a loading dock with a secure connection to a		
26.14	new central warehouse at the St. Cloud		
26.15	correctional facility.		
26.16 26.17	Sec. 19. EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT		
26.18	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	45,272,000
26.18 26.19	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation To the commissioner of employment and	<u>\$</u>	45,272,000
		<u>\$</u>	45,272,000
26.19	To the commissioner of employment and	<u>\$</u>	45,272,000
26.19 26.20	To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes	<u>\$</u>	<u>45,272,000</u> <u>7,000,000</u>
26.19 26.20 26.21	To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section.	<u>\$</u>	
26.19 26.20 26.21 26.22	To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section. Subd. 2. Transportation Economic Development	<u>\$</u>	
26.19 26.20 26.21 26.22 26.23	To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section. Subd. 2. Transportation Economic Development For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section	<u>\$</u>	
26.19 26.20 26.21 26.22 26.23 26.24 26.25	To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section. Subd. 2. Transportation Economic Development For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.436. Subd. 3. Greater Minnesota Business	<u>\$</u>	7,000,000
26.19 26.20 26.21 26.22 26.23 26.24 26.25 26.26	To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section. Subd. 2. Transportation Economic Development For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.436. Subd. 3. Greater Minnesota Business Development Public Infrastructure Grants	<u>\$</u>	7,000,000
26.19 26.20 26.21 26.22 26.23 26.24 26.25 26.26	To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section. Subd. 2. Transportation Economic Development For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.436. Subd. 3. Greater Minnesota Business Development Public Infrastructure Grants For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section	<u>\$</u>	7,000,000
26.19 26.20 26.21 26.22 26.23 26.24 26.25 26.26 26.27 26.28	To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section. Subd. 2. Transportation Economic Development For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.436. Subd. 3. Greater Minnesota Business Development Public Infrastructure Grants For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.431.	<u>\$</u>	7,000,000
26.19 26.20 26.21 26.22 26.23 26.24 26.25 26.26 26.27 26.28	To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section. Subd. 2. Transportation Economic Development For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.436. Subd. 3. Greater Minnesota Business Development Public Infrastructure Grants For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.431. Of this amount, \$1,600,000 is for a grant to	<u>\$</u>	7,000,000
26.19 26.20 26.21 26.22 26.23 26.24 26.25 26.26 26.27 26.28 26.29 26.30	To the commissioner of employment and economic development for the purposes specified in this section. Subd. 2. Transportation Economic Development For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.436. Subd. 3. Greater Minnesota Business Development Public Infrastructure Grants For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section 116J.431. Of this amount, \$1,600,000 is for a grant to the city of Thief River Falls to support utility	<u>\$</u>	7,000,000

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27.1	center at least 700,000 square feet in size and	
27.2	investing a minimum of \$200,000,000.	
27.3	Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section	
27.4	116J.431, a local match is not required.	
27.5 27.6	Subd. 4. Innovative Business Development Public Infrastructure Grants	2,500,000
27.7	For grants under Minnesota Statutes, section	
27.8	<u>116J.435.</u>	
27.9	Subd. 5. Eagle's Healing Nest	300,000
27.10	From the general fund for a grant to Eagle's	
27.11	Healing Nest in Sauk Centre.	
27.12 27.13	Subd. 6. Chisago County Law Enforcement and Emergency Operations Center	3,000,000
27.14	For a grant to Chisago County to predesign,	
27.15	design, construct, furnish, and equip a	
27.16	municipal complex that includes a law	
27.17	enforcement and emergency operations center,	
27.18	and related facilities and infrastructure, for	
27.19	interconnection to the county emergency	
27.20	communications center. This appropriation is	
27.21	not available until the commissioner has	
27.22	determined that at least an equal amount has	
27.23	been committed to the project from nonstate	
27.24	sources. Amounts expended by Chisago	
27.25	County for project costs since July 1, 2015,	
27.26	shall count toward the matching requirement.	
27.27 27.28	Subd. 7. Litchfield - Phase 2 Power Generation Improvements	3,000,000
27.29	For a grant to the city of Litchfield to design	
27.30	and construct electrical generation	
27.31	improvements in the city of Litchfield to	
27.32	expand the current standby capacity. This	
27.33	appropriation is not available until the	
27.34	commissioner of management and budget	
27.35	determines that at least an equal amount is	

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28.1	committed to the project from nonstate	
28.2	sources.	
28.3 28.4	Subd. 8. Minneapolis - Pioneers and Soldiers Cemetery Restoration	1,029,000
28.5	For a grant to the city of Minneapolis to	
28.6	restore the historic steel and limestone pillar	
28.7	fence along Cedar Avenue and Lake Street,	
28.8	install a new steel fence and pillars along 21st	
28.9	Avenue South, and install a waterproofing	
28.10	system for preservation of the fence and	
28.11	pillars, at the Pioneer and Soldiers Cemetery.	
28.12	This appropriation does not require a nonstate	
28.13	contribution.	
28.14	Subd. 9. St. James - Public Infrastructure	3,443,000
28.15	For a grant to the city of St. James. Of this	
28.16	amount, \$2,193,000 is for engineering,	
28.17	right-of-way acquisition, and reconstruction	
28.18	of streets, sidewalks, storm water and sanitary	
28.19	sewer, water mains, lighting, utilities, and	
28.20	other capital improvements of publicly owned	
28.21	infrastructure required for the reconstruction	
28.22	of marked Trunk Highway 4 in the city of St.	
28.23	James, and \$1,250,000 is for replacement of	
28.24	the storm sewer drain that serves St. James	
28.25	Lake and the entire southern section of the	
28.26	city of St. James.	
28.27 28.28	Subd. 10. St. Paul - Science Museum of Minnesota Building Preservation	13,000,000
28.29	For a grant to the city of St. Paul for predesign,	
28.30	design, and construction work to replace	
28.31	water-damaged elements of the Science	
28.32	Museum of Minnesota's exterior envelope and	
28.33	some resultant interior damage caused by	
28.34	latent design and construction defects, subject	
28.35	to Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.695. This	

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29.1	appropriation is not available until the		
29.2	commissioner of management and budget		
29.3	determines that an equal amount has been		
29.4	committed to the project from nonstate		
29.5	sources. Capital costs paid by the Science		
29.6	Museum of Minnesota since January 1, 2014,		
29.7	relating to the water intrusion damage, shall		
29.8	count towards the match requirement.		
29.9	Sec. 20. PUBLIC FACILITIES AUTHORITY Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	¢	114 062 000
29.10	Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation	<u>\$</u>	114,963,000
29.11	To the Public Facilities Authority for the		
29.12	purposes specified in this section. The Public		
29.13	Facilities Authority may use the funds in this		
29.14	section or other available funds to amend		
29.15	project financing agreements awarded after		
29.16	July 1, 2016, based on program changes to		
29.17	Minnesota Statutes, sections 446A.072 and		
29.18	446A.073, in article 2 of this act.		
29.19	Subd. 2. State Match for Federal Grants		17,000,000
29.20	To match federal grants for the clean water		
29.21	revolving fund under Minnesota Statutes,		
29.22	section 446A.07, and the drinking water		
29.23	revolving fund under Minnesota Statutes,		
29.24	section 446A.081. This appropriation must be		
29.25	used for qualified capital projects.		
29.26	Subd. 3. Water Infrastructure Funding Program		55,000,000
29.27	(a) For grants to eligible municipalities under		
29.28	the water infrastructure funding program under		
29.29	Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.072.		
29.30	(b) \$40,000,000 is for wastewater projects		
29.31	listed on the Pollution Control Agency's		
29.32	project priority list in the fundable range under		
29.33	the clean water revolving fund program.		

30.1	(c) \$15,000,000 is for drinking water projects	
30.2	listed on the Department of Health's project	
30.3	priority list in the fundable range under the	
30.4	drinking water revolving fund program.	
30.5	(d) After all eligible projects under paragraph	
30.6	(b) or (c) have been funded, the Public	
30.7	Facilities Authority may transfer any	
30.8	remaining, uncommitted money to eligible	
30.9	projects under a program defined in paragraph	
30.10	(b) or (c) based on that program's project	
30.11	priority list.	
30.12 30.13	Subd. 4. Point Source Implementation Grants Program	33,737,000
30.14	For grants to eligible municipalities under the	
30.15	point source implementation grants program	
30.16	under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.073.	
30.17	This appropriation must be used for qualified	
30.18	capital projects.	
30.19 30.20	Subd. 5. Big Lake Area Sanitary District - Sewer System and Force Main	1,200,000
30.21	For a grant to the Big Lake Area Sanitary	
30.22	District to construct a pressure sewer system	
30.23	and force main to convey sewage to the	
30.24	Western Lake Superior Sanitary District	
30.25	connection in the city of Cloquet. This	
30.26	appropriation is not available until the	
30.27	commissioner of management and budget	
30.28	determines that an equal amount is committed	
30.29	from nonstate sources. This appropriation is	
30.30	in addition to the appropriation in Laws 2014,	
30.31	chapter 294, article 1, section 22, subdivision	
30.32	<u>4.</u>	
30.33 30.34	Subd. 6. Dennison - Sewage Treatment System Improvements	726,000

31.1	For a grant to the city of Dennison to	
31.2	predesign, design, and construct a new lift	
31.3	station and make sewage pond improvements.	
31.4	This appropriation does not require a nonstate	
31.5	contribution.	
31.6 31.7	Subd. 7. East Grand Forks - Wastewater Interconnection Infrastructure	5,300,000
31.8	For a grant to the city of East Grand Forks to	
31.9	design and construct Phase I of the wastewater	
31.10	infrastructure improvements interconnecting	
31.11	the wastewater system of East Grand Forks to	
31.12	the wastewater treatment system in Grand	
31.13	Forks, North Dakota, and to design and	
31.14	construct Phase II, decommissioning of the	
31.15	wastewater stabilization ponds in East Grand	
31.16	Forks, Minnesota. This appropriation may not	
31.17	be used for improvements outside the state.	
31.18	This appropriation is in addition to grants	
31.19	under Minnesota Statutes, section 446A.072.	
31.20	A nonstate match is not required.	
31.21 31.22	Subd. 8. Koochiching County - Voyageurs National Park Clean Water Project	2,000,000
31.23	(a) For a grant to Koochiching County to	
31.24	acquire land or interests in land, and to design,	
31.25	engineer, construct, and equip sanitary sewage	
31.26	systems and facilities to implement a portion	
31.27	or portions of the Voyageurs National Park	
31.28	clean water project comprehensive plan. This	
31.29	appropriation is available after the	
31.30	commissioner of management and budget	
31.31	determines that \$4,500,000 is committed from	
31.32	nonstate sources.	
31.33	(b) This appropriation is in addition to the	
31.34	appropriation in Laws 2014, chapter 294,	
31.35	article 1, section 22, subdivision 7.	
31.36	Notwithstanding the match requirement in	

32.1	Laws 2014, chapter 294, article 1, section 22,		
32.2	subdivision 7, the nonstate match required for		
32.3	this appropriation and the 2014 appropriation		
32.4	for a grant to Koochiching County is 25		
32.5	percent of the state grant amounts. Any money		
32.6	remaining from this appropriation after		
32.7	completion of the projects in paragraph (a) is		
32.8	available for grants to Koochiching County		
32.9	or St. Louis County to be used for other capital		
32.10	projects described in the comprehensive plan		
32.11	and as determined by the Voyageurs National		
32.12	Park Clean Water Joint Powers Board.		
32.13	Sec. 21. MINNESOTA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY	C	10,000,000
32.14	AGENCI	<u>\$</u>	10,000,000
32.15	For transfer to the housing development fund		
32.16	to finance the costs of rehabilitation to		
32.17	preserve public housing under Minnesota		
32.18	Statutes, section 462A.202, subdivision 3a.		
32.19	For purposes of this section, "public housing"		
32.20	means housing for low-income persons and		
32.21	households financed by the federal		
32.22	government and owned and operated by the		
32.23	public housing authorities and agencies formed		
32.24	by cities and counties. Public housing		
32.25	authorities receiving a public housing		
32.26	assessment composite score of 80 or above or		
32.27	an equivalent designation are eligible to		
32.28	receive funding. Priority must be given to		
32.29	proposals that maximize federal or local		
32.30	resources to finance the capital costs. The		
32.31	priority in Minnesota Statutes, section		
32.32	462A.202, subdivision 3a, for projects to		
32.33	increase the supply of affordable housing and		
32.34	the restrictions of Minnesota Statutes, section		

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34.1 Sec. 25. CANCELLATIONS; BOND SALE AUTHORIZATION REDUCTI
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- (a) The remaining uncommitted appropriations from the bond proceeds fund in Laws 1990, chapter 610, are canceled and the bond sale authorization in Laws 1990, chapter 610, article 1, section 30, subdivision 1, as amended, is reduced by \$3,129.
- (b) The remaining uncommitted appropriations from the bond proceeds fund in Laws
 1994, chapter 643, are canceled and the bond sale authorization in Laws 1994, chapter 643,
 section 31, subdivision 1, as amended, is reduced by \$24,480.
- (c) The remaining uncommitted appropriations from the bond proceeds fund in Laws
 1997, Second Special Session chapter 2, are canceled and the bond sale authorization in
 Laws 1997, Second Special Session chapter 2, section 12, as amended, is reduced by \$96,992.
- (d) The remaining uncommitted appropriations from the bond proceeds fund in Laws
 1999, chapter 240, are canceled and the bond sale authorization in Laws 1999, chapter 240,
 article 1, section 13, subdivision 1, as amended, is reduced by \$212,472.
- (e) The remaining uncommitted appropriations from the bond proceeds fund in Laws
 2000, chapter 492, are canceled and the bond sale authorization in Laws 2000, chapter 492,
 article 1, section 26, subdivision 1, as amended, is reduced by \$7,933,538.
- (f) The remaining uncommitted appropriations from the bond proceeds fund in Laws
 2002, chapter 393, are canceled and the bond sale authorization in Laws 2002, chapter 393,
 section 30, subdivision 1, as amended, is reduced by \$188,471.
- (g) The remaining uncommitted appropriations from the bond proceeds fund in Laws
 2002, First Special Session chapter 1, are canceled and the bond sale authorization in Laws
 2002, First Special Session chapter 1, section 9, subdivision 1, is reduced by \$217,959.
- (h) The remaining uncommitted appropriations from the trunk highway bond proceeds
 fund in Laws 2003, First Special Session chapter 19, article 3, are canceled and the bond
 sale authorization in Laws 2003, First Special Session chapter 19, article 3, section 2, is
 reduced by \$201,530.
- (i) The remaining uncommitted appropriations from the trunk highway bond proceeds
 fund in Laws 2003, First Special Session chapter 19, article 4, are canceled and the bond
 sale authorization in Laws 2003, First Special Session chapter 19, article 4, section 4, is
 reduced by \$326,534.
- (j) The remaining uncommitted appropriations from the bond proceeds fund in Laws
 2005, chapter 20, are canceled and the bond sale authorization in Laws 2005, chapter 20,
 article 1, section 28, subdivision 1, as amended, is reduced by \$3,366,628.

35.1	(k) The \$700,000 appropriation from the bond proceeds fund in Laws 2011, First Special
35.2	Session chapter 12, section 13, subdivision 8, for St. Louis Park noise barriers, is canceled
35.3	and the bond sale authorization in Laws 2011, First Special Session chapter 12, section 23,
35.4	subdivision 1, is reduced by the same amount.
35.5	(1) The \$2,285,000 appropriation from the bond proceeds fund in Laws 2012, First
35.6	Special Session chapter 1, article 1, section 3, subdivision 2, to the commissioner of public
35.7	safety for disaster relief, is canceled and the bond sale authorization in Laws 2012, First
35.8	Special Session chapter 1, article 1, section 16, subdivision 1, is reduced by the same amount.
35.9	(m) \$1,380,000 of the appropriation from the bond proceeds fund in Laws 2012, First
35.10	Special Session chapter 1, article 1, section 6, to the Public Facilities Authority for disaster
35.11	relief, is canceled and the bond sale authorization in Laws 2012, First Special Session chapter
35.12	1, article 1, section 16, subdivision 1, is reduced by the same amount.
35.13	(n) The \$300,000 appropriation from the general fund in Laws 2015, First Special Session
35.14	chapter 5, article 1, section 14, subdivision 4, for Eagle's Healing Nest is canceled.
35.15	Sec. 26. BOND SALE SCHEDULE.
33.13	SCC. 20. BOND SALE SCHEDULE.
35.16	The commissioner of management and budget shall schedule the sale of state general
35.17	obligation bonds so that, during the biennium ending June 30, 2019, no more than
35.18	\$1,142,817,000 will need to be transferred from the general fund to the state bond fund to
35.19	pay principal and interest due and to become due on outstanding state general obligation
35.20	bonds. During the biennium, before each sale of state general obligation bonds, the
35.21	commissioner of management and budget shall calculate the amount of debt service payments
35.22	needed on bonds previously issued and shall estimate the amount of debt service payments
35.23	that will be needed on the bonds scheduled to be sold. The commissioner shall adjust the
35.24	amount of bonds scheduled to be sold so as to remain within the limit set by this section.
35.25	The amount needed to make the debt service payments is appropriated from the general
35.26	fund as provided in Minnesota Statutes, section 16A.641.
35.27	Sec. 27. EFFECTIVE DATE.
35.28	Except as otherwise provided, this article is effective the day following final enactment.
35.29	ARTICLE 2
35.30	MISCELLANEOUS
35.31	Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 16A.967, is amended to read:

Article 2 Section 1.

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16A.967 LEWIS AND CLARK APPROPRIATION BONDS.

- Subdivision 1. **Definitions.** (a) The definitions in this subdivision apply to this section.
- 36.3 (b) "Appropriation bond" or "bond" means a bond, note, or other similar instrument of 36.4 the state payable during a biennium from one or more of the following sources:
 - (1) money appropriated by law from the general fund in any biennium for debt service due with respect to obligations described in subdivision 2, paragraph (c) subdivisions 2a and 2b;
- 36.8 (2) proceeds of the sale of obligations described in subdivision 2, paragraph (c) subdivisions 2a and 2b;
 - (3) payments received for that purpose under agreements and ancillary arrangements described in subdivision 2, paragraph (e) (d); and
- 36.12 (4) investment earnings on amounts in clauses (1) to (3).
- 36.13 (c) "Debt service" means the amount payable in any biennium of principal, premium, if 36.14 any, and interest on appropriation bonds.
 - Subd. 2. **Authorization to issue appropriation bonds.** (a) Subject to the limitations of this subdivision, the commissioner may sell and issue appropriation bonds of the state under this section for public purposes as provided by law, including, in particular, the financing of the land acquisition, design, engineering, and construction of facilities and infrastructure necessary to complete the next phase of the Lewis and Clark Regional Water System project, including completion of the pipeline to Magnolia, extension of the project to the Lincoln-Pipestone Rural Water System connection near Adrian, and engineering, design, and easement acquisition for the final phase of the project to Worthington. No bonds shall be sold until the commissioner determines that a nonstate match of at least \$9,000,000 is committed to this project phase. Grant agreements entered into under this section must provide for reimbursement to the state from any federal money provided for the project, consistent with the Lewis and Clark Regional Water System, Inc., agreement.
 - (b) The appropriation bonds may be issued and sold only after the commissioner determines that the construction and administration for work done on the project will comply with (1) all federal requirements and regulations associated with the Lewis and Clark Rural Water System Act of 2000, and (2) the cooperative agreement between the United States Department of the Interior and the Lewis and Clark Regional Water System, Inc. Proceeds of the appropriation bonds must be credited to a special appropriation Lewis and Clark bond proceeds fund in the state treasury. All income from investment of the bond proceeds, as

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estimated by the commissioner, is appropriated to the commissioner for the payment of principal and interest on the appropriation bonds.

(c) Appropriation bonds may be sold and issued in amounts that, in the opinion of the commissioner, are necessary to provide sufficient money, not to exceed \$19,000,000 net of costs of issuance, for the purposes as provided under paragraph (a), and pay debt service including capitalized interest, costs of issuance, costs of credit enhancement, or make payments under other agreements entered into under paragraph (e).

(d) (c) Appropriation bonds may be issued in one or more issues or series on the terms and conditions the commissioner determines to be in the best interests of the state, but the term on any series of appropriation bonds may not exceed 25 years. The appropriation bonds of each issue and series thereof shall be dated and bear interest, and may be includable in or excludable from the gross income of the owners for federal income tax purposes.

(e) (d) At the time of, or in anticipation of, issuing the appropriation bonds, and at any time thereafter, so long as the appropriation bonds are outstanding, the commissioner may enter into agreements and ancillary arrangements relating to the appropriation bonds, including but not limited to trust indentures, grant agreements, lease or use agreements, operating agreements, management agreements, liquidity facilities, remarketing or dealer agreements, letter of credit agreements, insurance policies, guaranty agreements, reimbursement agreements, indexing agreements, or interest exchange agreements. Any payments made or received according to the agreement or ancillary arrangement shall be made from or deposited as provided in the agreement or ancillary arrangement. The determination of the commissioner included in an interest exchange agreement that the agreement relates to an appropriation bond shall be conclusive.

(f) (e) The commissioner may enter into written agreements or contracts relating to the continuing disclosure of information necessary to comply with or facilitate the issuance of appropriation bonds in accordance with federal securities laws, rules, and regulations, including Securities and Exchange Commission rules and regulations in Code of Federal Regulations, title 17, section 240.15c 2-12. An agreement may be in the form of covenants with purchasers and holders of appropriation bonds set forth in the order or resolution authorizing the issuance of the appropriation bonds, or a separate document authorized by the order or resolution.

(g) (f) The appropriation bonds are not subject to chapter 16C.

Subd. 2a. **Project authorization.** Appropriation bonds may be sold and issued in amounts that, in the opinion of the commissioner, are necessary to provide sufficient money to the

Public Facilities Authority under subdivision 7, paragraph (a), not to exceed \$19,000,000 38.1 net of costs of issuance, for the purposes as provided under this subdivision, and pay debt 38.2 38.3 service including capitalized interest, costs of issuance, costs of credit enhancement, or make payments under other agreements entered into under subdivision 2, paragraph (d). 38.4 The bonds authorized by this subdivision are for the purposes of financing the land 38.5 acquisition, design, engineering, and construction of facilities and infrastructure necessary 38.6 to complete Phase 2 of the Lewis and Clark Regional Water System project, including 38.7 38.8 completion of the pipeline to Magnolia; extension of the project to the Lincoln-Pipestone Rural Water System connection near Adrian; engineering, design, and easement acquisition 38.9 for the final phase of the project to Worthington; and to begin and proceed with Phase 3, 38.10 described in subdivision 2b. No bonds shall be sold under this subdivision until the 38.11 commissioner determines that a nonstate match of at least \$9,000,000 is committed to this 38.12 project phase. Upon certification by the Lewis and Clark Joint Powers Board that the bond 38.13 sale authorization provided by this subdivision has fully met the needs of Phase 2 of the 38.14 project, and to the extent there is additional authorization remaining, this authorization is 38.15 also available for the purposes of and on the same conditions as subdivision 2b. 38.16 Subd. 2b. Additional project authorization. Appropriation bonds may be sold and 38.17 issued in amounts that, in the opinion of the commissioner, are necessary to provide sufficient 38.18 money to the Public Facilities Authority under subdivision 7, paragraph (b), not to exceed 38.19 \$3,500,000 net of costs of issuance, for the purposes as provided under this subdivision, 38.20 and pay debt service including capitalized interest, costs of issuance, costs of credit 38.21 enhancement, or make payments under other agreements entered into under subdivision 2, 38.22 paragraph (d). The bonds authorized by this subdivision are for the purposes of financing 38.23 the land acquisition, design, engineering, and construction of facilities and infrastructure 38.24 necessary to complete Phase 3 of the Lewis and Clark Regional Water System project, 38.25 including extension of the project from the Lincoln-Pipestone Rural Water System connection 38.26 near Adrian to Worthington, construction of a reservoir in Nobles County and a meter 38.27 building in Worthington, and acquisition and installation of a supervisory control and data 38.28 acquisition (SCADA) system. No bonds shall be sold under this subdivision until the 38.29 commissioner determines that a nonstate match of at least \$9,000,000 is committed to the 38.30 38.31 final phase of the project. Subd. 3. Form; procedure. (a) Appropriation bonds may be issued in the form of bonds, 38.32 notes, or other similar instruments, and in the manner provided in section 16A.672. In the 38.33 event that any provision of section 16A.672 conflicts with this section, this section shall 38.34 38.35 control.

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- (b) Every appropriation bond shall include a conspicuous statement of the limitation established in subdivision 6.
- (c) Appropriation bonds may be sold at either public or private sale upon such terms as the commissioner shall determine are not inconsistent with this section and may be sold at any price or percentage of par value. Any bid received may be rejected.
 - (d) Appropriation bonds must bear interest at a fixed or variable rate.
- (e) Notwithstanding any other law, appropriation bonds issued under this section shall be fully negotiable.
- Subd. 4. **Refunding bonds.** The commissioner may issue appropriation bonds for the purpose of refunding any appropriation bonds then outstanding, including the payment of any redemption premiums on the bonds, any interest accrued or to accrue to the redemption date, and costs related to the issuance and sale of the refunding bonds. The proceeds of any refunding bonds may, in the discretion of the commissioner, be applied to the purchase or payment at maturity of the appropriation bonds to be refunded, to the redemption of the outstanding appropriation bonds on any redemption date, or to pay interest on the refunding bonds and may, pending application, be placed in escrow to be applied to the purchase, payment, retirement, or redemption. Any escrowed proceeds, pending such use, may be invested and reinvested in obligations that are authorized investments under section 11A.24. The income earned or realized on the investment may also be applied to the payment of the appropriation bonds to be refunded or interest or premiums on the refunded appropriation bonds, or to pay interest on the refunding bonds. After the terms of the escrow have been fully satisfied, any balance of the proceeds and any investment income may be returned to the general fund or, if applicable, the special appropriation Lewis and Clark bond proceeds fund for use in any lawful manner. All refunding bonds issued under this subdivision must be prepared, executed, delivered, and secured by appropriations in the same manner as the appropriation bonds to be refunded.
- Subd. 5. **Appropriation bonds as legal investments.** Any of the following entities may legally invest any sinking funds, money, or other funds belonging to them or under their control in any appropriation bonds issued under this section:
- (1) the state, the investment board, public officers, municipal corporations, political subdivisions, and public bodies;
- (2) banks and bankers, savings and loan associations, credit unions, trust companies, savings banks and institutions, investment companies, insurance companies, insurance associations, and other persons carrying on a banking or insurance business; and

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(3) personal representatives, guardians, trustees, and other fiduciaries.

Subd. 6. **No full faith and credit; state not required to make appropriations.** The appropriation bonds are not public debt of the state, and the full faith, credit, and taxing powers of the state are not pledged to the payment of the appropriation bonds or to any payment that the state agrees to make under this section. Appropriation bonds shall not be obligations paid directly, in whole or in part, from a tax of statewide application on any class of property, income, transaction, or privilege. Appropriation bonds shall be payable in each fiscal year only from amounts that the legislature may appropriate for debt service for any fiscal year, provided that nothing in this section shall be construed to require the state to appropriate money sufficient to make debt service payments with respect to the appropriation bonds in any fiscal year. Appropriation bonds shall be canceled and shall no longer be outstanding on the earlier of (1) the first day of a fiscal year for which the legislature shall not have appropriated amounts sufficient for debt service, or (2) the date of final payment of the principal of and interest on the appropriation bonds.

- Subd. 7. **Appropriation of proceeds.** (a) The proceeds of appropriation bonds <u>issued</u> under subdivision 2a and interest credited to the special appropriation Lewis and Clark bond proceeds fund are appropriated as follows:
- 40.18 (1) to the commissioner Public Facilities Authority for a grant to the Lewis and Clark
 40.19 Joint Powers Board for payment of capital expenses for the purposes provided by as specified
 40.20 in subdivision 2, paragraph (a), 2a; and
 - (2) to the commissioner for debt service on the bonds including capitalized interest, nonsalary costs of issuance of the bonds, costs of credit enhancement of the bonds and payments under any agreements entered into under subdivision 2, paragraph (e) (d), each as permitted by state and federal law, and such proceeds may be granted, loaned, or otherwise provided for the public purposes provided by subdivision 2, paragraph (a).
 - (b) The proceeds of appropriation bonds issued under subdivision 2b and interest credited to the special appropriation Lewis and Clark bond proceeds fund are appropriated as follows:
 - (1) to the Public Facilities Authority for a grant to the Lewis and Clark Joint Powers

 Board for payment of capital expenses as specified in subdivision 2b; and
 - (2) to the commissioner for debt service on the bonds including capitalized interest, nonsalary costs of issuance of the bonds, costs of credit enhancement of the bonds, and payments under any agreements entered into under subdivision 2, paragraph (d), each as permitted by state and federal law.

41.1	Subd. 8. Appropriation for debt service and other purposes. (a) An amount, up to
41.2	\$1,351,000 needed to pay principal and interest on appropriation bonds issued under this
41.3	section subdivision 2a is appropriated each fiscal year from the general fund to the
41.4	commissioner, subject to repeal, unallotment under section 16A.152, or cancellation,
41.5	otherwise pursuant to subdivision 6, for deposit into the bond payments account established
41.6	for such purpose in the special Lewis and Clark appropriation bond proceeds fund. The
41.7	appropriation is available beginning in fiscal year 2017 and through fiscal year 2038.
41.8	(b) An amount up to \$265,000 needed to pay principal and interest on appropriation
41.9	bonds issued under subdivision 2b is appropriated each fiscal year from the general fund
41.10	to the commissioner, subject to repeal, unallotment under section 16A.152, or cancellation,
41.11	otherwise pursuant to subdivision 6, for deposit into the bond payments account established
41.12	for such purpose in the special Lewis and Clark appropriation bond proceeds fund. The
41.13	appropriation is available beginning in fiscal year 2018 and through fiscal year 2039.
41.14	Subd. 9. Waiver of immunity. The waiver of immunity by the state provided for by
41.15	section 3.751, subdivision 1, shall be applicable to the appropriation bonds and any ancillary
41.16	contracts to which the commissioner is a party.
41.17	Sec. 2. [16C.054] ACCOMMODATION FOR HARD-OF-HEARING IN
41.17	STATE-FUNDED CAPITAL PROJECTS.
41.10	STATE-FUNDED CATTIAL I ROJECTS.
41.19	Subdivision 1. Definition. For purposes of this section, "public gathering space" means
41.20	a space that is constructed or renovated as part of the project: (1) that accommodates and
41.21	is intended to be used for gatherings of 15 or more people; and (2) in which audible
41.22	communications are integral to a use of the space.
41.23	Subd. 2. Accommodation for hard-of-hearing in state-funded capital projects. No
41.24	commissioner or agency head may approve a contract or grant state funds for a capital
41.25	improvement project to construct or renovate a public gathering space in a building unless:
41.26	(1) the project includes equipping the public gathering space, if the public gathering
41.27	space has or will have a permanent audio-amplification system, with audio-induction loops
41.28	to provide an electromagnetic signal for hearing aids and cochlear implants; and
41.29	(2) the project includes meeting the American National Standards Institute Acoustical
41.30	Performance Criteria, Design Requirements and Guidelines for Schools on maximum
41.31	background noise level and reverberation times in the public gathering space.
41.32	Subd. 3. Exemption. A commissioner or agency head may approve a contract or grant
41.33	state funds for a capital improvement project to construct or renovate a building that does

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42.1	not meet a requirement of subdivision 2, when the commissioner or agency head determines
42.2	that meeting that requirement is not feasible, is in conflict with other requirements in law,
42.3	is in conflict with other project requirements, or that costs outweigh the benefits. The
42.4	commissioner must consult with the Commission of Deaf, Deafblind, and Hard-of-Hearing
42.5	Minnesotans before making the determination.
42.6	Subd. 4. Exemption reports. A commissioner or agency head who determines a contract
42.7	is exempt under subdivision 3 must report the exemption to the Commission of Deaf,
42.8	Deafblind, and Hard-of-Hearing Minnesotans within three months of making the
42.9	determination. The chair of the Commission of Deaf, Deafblind, and Hard-of-Hearing
42.10	Minnesotans shall submit a report to the chairs and ranking minority members of the
42.11	committees in the house of representatives and senate with jurisdiction over state contracting
42.12	by January 30 of even-numbered years beginning in 2020 identifying each exemption
42.13	reported in the previous two calendar years.
42.14	EFFECTIVE DATE. (a) This section is effective the day following final enactment,
42.15	and, except as provided in paragraph (b), applies to any project funded with an appropriation
42.16	enacted after January 1, 2017.
42.17	(b) This section does not apply to a project that has completed schematic design on the
42.18	effective date of this section, but the commissioner and agency heads are encouraged to
42.19	comply with it.
42.20	Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 84.946, subdivision 2, is amended to read:
42.21	Subd. 2. Standards. (a) An appropriation for asset preservation may be used only for a
42.22	capital expenditure on a capital asset previously owned by the state, within the meaning of
42.23	generally accepted accounting principles as applied to public expenditures. The commissioner
42.24	of natural resources will consult with the commissioner of management and budget to the
42.25	extent necessary to ensure this and will furnish the commissioner of management and budget
42.26	a list of projects to be financed from the account in order of their priority. The legislature
42.27	assumes that many projects for preservation and replacement of portions of existing capital
42.28	assets will constitute betterments and capital improvements within the meaning of the
42.29	Constitution and capital expenditures under generally accepted accounting principles, and
42.30	will be financed more efficiently and economically under this section than by direct
42.31	appropriations for specific projects.
42.32	(b) An appropriation for asset preservation must not be used to acquire land or to acquire
42.33	or construct buildings or other facilities.

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- (c) Capital budget expenditures for natural resource asset preservation and replacement projects must be for one or more of the following types of capital projects that support the existing programmatic mission of the department: code compliance including health and safety, Americans with Disabilities Act requirements, hazardous material abatement, access improvement, or air quality improvement; building energy efficiency improvements using current best practices; building or infrastructure repairs necessary to preserve the interior and exterior of existing buildings; projects to remove life safety hazards such as building code violations or structural defects; or renovation of other existing improvements to land, including but not limited to trails and bridges.
- (d) Up to ten percent of an appropriation awarded under this section may be used for design costs for projects eligible to be funded from this account in anticipation of future funding from the account.
- Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 85.34, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. Upper bluff; lease terms. The commissioner of natural resources with the approval of the Executive Council may lease for purposes of restoration, preservation, historical, recreational, educational, and commercial use and development, that portion of Fort Snelling State Park known as the upper bluff consisting of officer's row, area J, the polo grounds, the adjacent golf course, and all buildings and improvements located thereon, all lying within an area bounded by Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport, Trunk Highways numbered 5 and 55, and Bloomington Road. The lease or leases shall be in a form approved by the attorney general and for a term of not to exceed 99 years. The lease or leases may provide for the provision of capital improvements or other performance by the tenant or tenants in lieu of all or some of the payments of rent that would otherwise be required. Notwithstanding the continuing ownership of the upper bluff by the state, any lease of one or more buildings improved with state general obligation bond proceeds that exceeds 50 years shall be treated as a sale of the buildings for purposes of section 16A.695, subdivision 3. Any disposition proceeds payable to the commissioner upon execution of a lease relating to state-bond-financed buildings at the upper bluff shall be applied according to section 16A.695, subdivision 3, and used to pay, redeem, or defease state general obligation bonds issued for purposes of improving those buildings. Any lease revenues paid to the commissioner subsequent to the payment, redemption, or defeasance of state general obligation bonds shall be used by the commissioner as further described in this section.

44.1	Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 174.50, subdivision 5, is amended to read:
44.2	Subd. 5. Certification and disbursal for project of political subdivision. Before
44.3	disbursement of an appropriation made from the fund to the commissioner of transportation
44.4	for grants to subdivisions of the state, the commissioner shall must certify that:
44.5	(1) that the project for which the grant is made has been reviewed as provided in
44.6	subdivision 4;
44.7	(2) that the project conforms to the program authorized by the appropriation law and
44.8	rules adopted by the Department of Transportation consistent therewith; and
44.9	(3) that (2) the financing of any estimated cost of the project in excess of the amount of
44.10	the grant is assured by the appropriation of the proceeds of bonds or other funds of the
44.11	subdivision, or by a grant from an agency of the federal government, within the amount of
44.12	funds then appropriated to that agency and allocated by it to projects within the state, and
44.13	by an irrevocable undertaking, in a resolution of the governing body of the subdivision, to
44.14	use all funds so made available exclusively for the project, and to pay any additional amount
44.15	by which the cost exceeds the estimate through appropriation to the construction fund of
44.16	additional funds or the proceeds of additional bonds to be issued by the subdivision.
44.17	Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 174.50, subdivision 6b, is amended to read:
44.18	Subd. 6b. Bridge costs in smaller cities. (a) The commissioner may make grants from
44.19	the state transportation fund to a home rule or statutory city with a population of 5,000 or
44.20	less for design, engineering, and construction of bridges on city streets.
44.21	(b) Grants under this subdivision are subject to the procedures and criteria established
44.22	under subdivisions 5, 6, and 7.
44.23	(e) (b) Grants may be used for:
44.24	(1) 100 percent of the design and engineering costs that are in excess of \$10,000;
44.25	(2) 100 percent of the bridge approach work costs that are in excess of \$10,000; and
44.26	(3) 100 percent of the bridge construction work costs.
44.27	Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 174.50, subdivision 6c, is amended to read:
44.28	Subd. 6c. Fracture-critical bridges. (a) The commissioner may make a grant to any
44.29	political subdivision for replacement or rehabilitation of a fracture-critical bridge. To be

eligible for a grant under this subdivision, the project must produce a bridge structure:

(1) that is no longer classified as fracture critical, by having alternate load paths; and 45.1 (2) whose failure of a main component will not result in the collapse of the bridge. 45.2 (b) A grant under this subdivision is subject to the procedures and criteria established 45.3 under subdivisions 5 and 6. 45.4 Sec. 8. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 174.50, subdivision 7, is amended to read: 45.5 Subd. 7. **Bridge grant program; rulemaking.** (a) The commissioner of transportation 45.6 shall develop rules, procedures for application for grants, conditions of grant administration, 45.7 standards, and criteria as provided under subdivision 6, including bridge specifications, in 45.8 cooperation with road authorities of political subdivisions, for use in the administration of 45.9 funds appropriated to the commissioner and for the administration of grants to subdivisions. 45.10 Grants under this section are subject to the procedures and criteria established in this 45.11 subdivision and in subdivisions 5 and 6. 45.12 45.13 (b) The maximum use of standardized bridges is encouraged. Regardless of the size of the existing bridge, a bridge or replacement bridge is eligible for assistance from the state 45.14 transportation fund if a hydrological survey indicates that the bridge or replacement bridge 45.15 must be ten feet or more in length. 45.16 (c) As part of the standards or rules, the commissioner shall, in consultation with local 45.17 road authorities, establish a minimum distance between any two bridges that cross over the 45.18 same river, stream, or waterway, so that only one of the bridges is eligible for a grant under 45.19 this section. As appropriate, the commissioner may establish exceptions from the minimum 45.20 distance requirement or procedures for obtaining a variance. 45.21 (d) Political subdivisions may use grants made under this section to construct or 45.22 reconstruct bridges, including but not limited to: 45.23 45.24 (1) matching federal aid grants to construct or reconstruct key bridges; (2) paying the costs to abandon an existing bridge that is deficient and in need of 45.25 replacement but where no replacement will be made; and 45.26 (3) paying the costs to construct a road or street to facilitate the abandonment of an 45.27 existing bridge if the commissioner determines that the bridge is deficient, and that 45.28 construction of the road or street is more economical than replacement of the existing bridge. 45.29 (e) Funds appropriated to the commissioner from the Minnesota state transportation 45.30

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fund shall be segregated from the highway tax user distribution fund and other funds created

46.1	(f) The commissioner is prohibited from awarding a grant under this section for a local
46.2	bridge replacement or rehabilitation project with a total project cost estimate of \$7,000,000
46.3	or more.
46.4	(g) Notwithstanding paragraph (f), the commissioner may award a grant under this
46.5	section for a portion of a local bridge replacement or rehabilitation project with a total
46.6	project cost estimate of \$7,000,000 or more if every other local bridge replacement or
46.7	rehabilitation project on the commissioner's priority list with a total project cost estimate
46.8	of less than \$7,000,000 has been fully funded.
46.9	Sec. 9. [219.016] HAZARDOUS MATERIALS RAIL SAFETY.
46.10	Subdivision 1. Program established. A hazardous materials rail safety program is
46.11	established for the purpose of reducing the risks associated with the transportation of oil,
46.12	ethanol, and other hazardous material by rail.
46.13	Subd. 2. Accounts established. Two hazardous materials rail safety program accounts
46.14	are created, one in the special revenue fund and one in the bond proceeds fund. The account
46.15	in the special revenue fund consists of money as provided by law, and any other money
46.16	donated, allotted, transferred, or otherwise provided to the account. Money in each account
46.17	is appropriated to the commissioner of transportation to make grants as provided in this
46.18	section. Money in the accounts is available until spent, notwithstanding section 16A.28 or
46.19	<u>16A.642.</u>
46.20	Subd. 3. Eligible applicant. A county, statutory or home rule charter city, or town that
46.21	is responsible for establishing and maintaining public highway-rail grade crossings on rail
46.22	corridors transporting crude oil and other hazardous materials may apply to the commissioner
46.23	for financial assistance under this section.
46.24	Subd. 4. Eligible project. (a) A project is eligible for a grant from the account in the
46.25	bond proceeds fund if the project is for the acquisition or betterment of public land, buildings,
46.26	and other public improvements of a capital nature within the meaning of the Minnesota
46.27	Constitution, article XI, section 5, clause (a) or (i), including capital costs associated with
46.28	hazardous materials rail safety projects on public highway-rail grade crossings. Qualifying
46.29	capital costs include but are not limited to upgrades to existing protection systems, the
46.30	closing of crossings and necessary roadwork, and reconstruction of at-grade crossings to
46.31	full grade separations.
46.32	(b) A project is eligible for a grant from the account in the special revenue fund if it is
46.33	for purposes described in paragraph (a) or other capital facility improvement purposes that

47.1	support the purposes for which this grant program is established, including capital costs
47.2	associated with planning, engineering, administration, and construction of public highway-rail
47.3	grade crossing improvements on rail corridors transporting crude oil and other hazardous
47.4	materials. Improvements may include upgrades to existing protection systems, the closing
47.5	of crossings and necessary roadwork, and reconstruction of at-grade crossings to full grade
47.6	separations.
47.7	Subd. 5. Grants; criteria for grant award. The commissioner must consider the
47.8	following criteria to evaluate applications for a grant award under this section:
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47.9	(1) whether the crossing was identified as a potential candidate for grade separation in
47.10	the Department of Transportation's crude by rail grade crossing study (Improvements to
47.11	Highway Grade Crossings and Rail Safety, December 2014);
47.12	(2) roadway traffic volumes and speeds;
47.13	(3) train volumes and speeds;
47.14	(4) adjacent land use;
47.15	(5) crash history;
47.16	(6) use of the crossing by emergency vehicles;
47.17	(7) use of the crossing by vehicles carrying hazardous materials; and
47.18	(8) local financial contributions to the project.
47.19	Subd. 6. Process. The commissioner must develop forms and procedures for soliciting
47.20	and reviewing applications for grants under this section. An applicant must apply for a grant
47.21	in the manner and at the times determined by the commissioner. The grant agreement must
47.22	be approved by the commissioner of management and budget and is subject to cancellation
47.23	under subdivision 7.
47.24	Subd. 7. Grant cancellation. If the commissioner determines that a grantee is unable
47.25	to proceed with an approved project or has not expended or obligated the grant money within
47.26	four years of entering into the grant agreement with the commissioner, the commissioner
47.27	must cancel the grant. Money canceled under this subdivision is available for the
47.28	commissioner to make other grants under this section.
47.29	Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 446A.072, is amended to read:
47.30	446A.072 WASTEWATER WATER INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDING PROGRAM.

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Subdivision 1. Establishment of program. The authority will establish a wastewater
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units receiving funding through the clean water revolving fund program, the drinking water
revolving fund program, or the United States Department of Agriculture Rural Economic
and Community Development's (USDA/RECD) Water and Waste Disposal Loans and
Grants program for the predesign, design, and construction of municipal wastewater treatment
and drinking water systems, including purchase of land and easements. The purpose of the
program is to assist governmental units demonstrating financial need to build cost-effective
projects to address existing environmental or public health problems. To implement the
program, the authority shall establish a wastewater water infrastructure fund to provide
grants and loans for the purposes authorized under title VI of the Federal Water Pollution
Control Act and the federal Safe Drinking Water Act. The fund shall be credited with all
investment income from the fund and all repayments of loans, grants, and penalties.

- Subd. 3. **Program administration.** (a) The authority shall provide supplemental assistance, as provided in subdivision 5a to governmental units:
- (1) whose projects are listed on the Pollution Control Agency's project priority list <u>or</u> the Department of Health's project priority list;
- (2) that demonstrate their projects are a cost-effective solution to an existing environmental or public health problem; and
- (3) whose projects are approved by the USDA/RECD or certified by the commissioner of the Pollution Control Agency or the Department of Health.
- (b) For a governmental unit receiving grant funding from the USDA/RECD, applications must be made to the USDA/RECD with additional information submitted to the authority as required by the authority. Eligible project costs and affordability criteria shall be determined by the USDA/RECD.
- (c) For a governmental unit not receiving grant funding from the USDA/RECD, application must be made to the authority on forms prescribed by the authority for the clean water revolving fund program or the drinking water revolving fund program with additional information as required by the authority. In accordance with section 116.182, the Pollution Control Agency or Department of Health shall:
- (1) calculate the essential project component percentage <u>based on the portion of project</u> <u>costs necessary to convey or treat the existing wastewater flows and loadings or, for drinking water projects, to provide safe drinking water to meet existing needs, which must be</u>

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multiplied by the total project cost to determine the eligible project cost for the program under this section; and

- (2) review and certify approved projects to the authority.
- (d) Each fiscal year the authority shall make funds available for projects based on their ranking on the Pollution Control Agency's project priority list or the Department of Health's project priority list. The authority shall reserve funds for a project when the applicant receives a funding commitment from the United States Department of Agriculture Rural Development (USDA/RECD) or submits plans and specifications to the project is certified by the Pollution Control Agency or Department of Health. Funds must be reserved in an amount based on the project cost estimate submitted to the authority prior to the appropriation of the funds and awarded based on the lesser of that amount or the as-bid cost when the project is certified or the as-bid cost, whichever is less.
- Subd. 5a. **Type and amount of assistance.** (a) For a governmental unit receiving grant funding from the USDA/RECD, the authority may provide assistance in the form of a grant of up to 65 percent of the eligible grant need determined by USDA/RECD. A governmental unit may not receive a grant under this paragraph for more than \$4,000,000 \$5,000,000 per project or \$15,000 \$20,000 per existing connection, whichever is less, unless specifically approved by law.
- (b) For a governmental unit receiving a loan from the clean water revolving fund under section 446A.07, the authority may provide assistance under this section in the form of a grant if the average annual residential wastewater system cost after completion of the project would otherwise exceed 1.4 percent of the median household income of the project service area. In determining whether the average annual residential wastewater system cost would exceed 1.4 percent, the authority must consider the total costs associated with building, operating, and maintaining the wastewater system, including existing wastewater debt service, debt service on the eligible project cost, and operation and maintenance costs. Debt service costs for the proposed project are calculated based on the maximum loan term permitted for the clean water revolving fund loan under section 446A.07, subdivision 7. The amount of the grant is equal to 80 percent of the amount needed to reduce the average annual residential wastewater system cost to 1.4 percent of median household income in the project service area, to a maximum of \$4,000,000 \$5,000,000 per project or \$15,000 \$20,000 per existing connection, whichever is less, unless specifically approved by law. The eligible project cost is determined by multiplying the total project costs minus any other grants by the essential project component percentage calculated under subdivision 3,

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paragraph (c), clause (1). In no case may the amount of the grant exceed 80 percent of the eligible project cost.

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(c) For a governmental unit receiving a loan from the drinking water revolving fund under section 446A.081, the authority may provide assistance under this section in the form of a grant if the average annual residential drinking water system cost after completion of the project would otherwise exceed 1.2 percent of the median household income of the project service area. In determining whether the average annual residential drinking water system cost would exceed 1.2 percent, the authority must consider the total costs associated with building, operating, and maintaining the drinking water system, including existing drinking water debt service, debt service on the eligible project cost, and operation and maintenance costs. Debt service costs for the proposed project are calculated based on the maximum loan term permitted for the drinking water revolving fund loan under section 446A.081, subdivision 8, paragraph (c). The amount of the grant is equal to 80 percent of the amount needed to reduce the average annual residential drinking water system cost to 1.2 percent of median household income in the project service area, to a maximum of \$5,000,000 per project or \$20,000 per existing connection, whichever is less, unless specifically approved by law. The eligible project cost is determined by multiplying the total project costs minus any other grants by the essential project component percentage calculated under subdivision 3, paragraph (c), clause (1). In no case may the amount of the grant exceed 80 percent of the eligible project cost.

(e) (d) Notwithstanding the limits in paragraphs (a) and, (b), and (c), for a governmental unit receiving supplemental assistance under this section after January 1, 2002, if the authority determines that the governmental unit's construction and installation costs are significantly increased due to geological conditions of crystalline bedrock or karst areas and discharge limits that are more stringent than secondary treatment, the maximum award under this section shall not be more than \$25,000 per existing connection.

Subd. 5b. Special assessment deferral. A governmental unit receiving a loan under subdivision 5a that levies special assessments to repay the loan under subdivision 5a or section 446A.07 may defer payment of such assessments under the provisions of sections 435.193 to 435.195.

Subd. 6. **Disbursements.** Disbursements of grants or loans awarded under this section by the authority to recipients must be made for eligible project costs as incurred by the recipients, and must be made by the authority in accordance with the project financing agreement and applicable state and federal laws and rules governing the payments.

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Subd. 7. Loan repayments. Notwithstanding the limitations set forth in section 475.54, subdivision 1, this subdivision shall govern the maturities and mandatory sinking fund redemptions of the loans under this section. A governmental unit receiving a loan under this section shall repay the loan in semiannual payment amounts determined by the authority. The payment amount must be based on the average payments on the governmental unit's clean water revolving fund loan or, if greater, the minimum amount required to fully repay the loan by the maturity date. Payments must begin within one year of the date of the governmental unit's final payment on the clean water revolving fund loan. The final maturity date of the loan under this section must be no later than 20 years from the date of the first payment on the clean water revolving fund loan.

Subd. 8. **Eligibility.** A governmental unit is eligible for assistance under this section only after applying for grant funding from other sources and funding has been obtained, rejected, or the authority has determined that the potential funding is unlikely.

Subd. 9. **Funding limitation.** Supplemental assistance may not be used to reduce the sewer service charges of a significant wastewater contributor industrial user that has a separate service charge agreement with the recipient, or a single user that has caused the need for the project or whose current or projected flow and load exceed usage exceeds one-half of the current wastewater treatment plant's or drinking water system capacity.

Subd. 11. **Report on needs.** By February 1 of each even-numbered year, the authority, in conjunction with the Pollution Control Agency and the Department of Health, shall prepare a report to the Finance Division of the senate Environment and Natural Resources Committee and the house of representatives Environment and Natural Resources Finance Committee on wastewater and drinking water funding assistance needs of governmental units under this section.

Subd. 12. **System replacement fund.** Each governmental unit receiving a loan or grant under this section shall establish a system replacement fund and shall annually deposit a minimum of \$.50 per 1,000 gallons of flow for major rehabilitation or expansion, or replacement of the treatment wastewater or drinking water system, or replacement of the treatment system at the end of its useful life. Money must remain in the account for the life of the corresponding project loan from the authority or USDA/RECD, unless use of the fund is approved in writing by the authority for major rehabilitation, expansion, or replacement of the treatment wastewater or drinking water system. By March 1 each year during the life of the loan, each recipient shall submit a report to the authority regarding the amount deposited and the fund balance for the prior calendar year. A recipient is not required

52.1	to maintain a fund balance greater than the amount of the grant received. Failure to comply
52.2	with the requirements of this subdivision shall result in the authority assessing a penalty
52.3	fee to the recipient equal to one percent of the supplemental assistance amount for each
52.4	year of noncompliance. Failure to make the required deposit or pay the penalty fee as
52.5	required constitutes a default on the loan.
52.6	Subd. 14. Consistency with land use plans. A governmental unit applying for a project
52.7	in an unsewered area shall include in its application to the authority a certification from the
52.8	county in which the project is located that:
52.9	(1) the project is consistent with the county comprehensive land use plan, if the county
52.10	has adopted one;
52.11	(2) the project is consistent with the county water plan, if the county has adopted one;
52.12	and
52.13	(3) the county has adopted specific land use ordinances or controls so as to meet or
52.14	exceed the requirements of Minnesota Rules, part 7082.0050.
52.15	Sec. 11. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 446A.073, is amended to read:
52.16	446A.073 POINT SOURCE IMPLEMENTATION GRANTS.
52.17	Subdivision 1. Program established. When money is appropriated for grants under this
52.18	program, the authority shall award grants up to a maximum of \$3,000,000 \$7,000,000 to
52.19	governmental units to cover up to one-half 80 percent of the cost of water infrastructure
52.20	projects made necessary by:
52.21	(1) a wasteload reduction prescribed under a total maximum daily load plan required by
52.22	section 303(d) of the federal Clean Water Act, United States Code, title 33, section 1313(d);
52.23	(2) a phosphorus concentration or mass limit which requires discharging one milligram
52.24	per liter or less at permitted design flow which is incorporated into a permit issued by the
52.25	Pollution Control Agency;
52.26	(3) any other water quality-based effluent limit established under section 115.03,
52.27	subdivision 1, paragraph (e), clause (8), and incorporated into a permit issued by the Pollution
52.28	Control Agency that exceeds secondary treatment limits; or
52.29	(4) a total nitrogen concentration or mass limit of that requires discharging ten milligrams
52.30	per liter or less for a land-based treatment system at permitted design flow.
52.31	Subd. 2. Grant application. Application for a grant must be made to the authority on

forms prescribed by the authority for the total maximum daily load grant program, with

53.1	additional information as required by the authority, including a project schedule and cost
53.2	estimate for the work necessary to comply with the point source wasteload allocation
53.3	requirements listed in subdivision 1. The Pollution Control Agency shall:
53.4	(1) in accordance with section 116.182, calculate the essential project component
53.5	percentage, which must be multiplied by the total project cost to determine the eligible
53.6	project cost; and
53.7	(2) review and certify to the authority those projects that have plans and specifications
53.8	approved under section 115.03, subdivision 1, paragraph (f).
53.9	Subd. 3. Project priorities. When money is appropriated for grants under this program,
53.10	The authority shall accept applications <u>under this program</u> during the month of July and .
53.11	When a project is certified by the Pollution Control Agency the authority shall reserve
53.12	money for projects expected to proceed with construction by the end of the fiscal year the
53.13	project in the order listed on the Pollution Control Agency's project priority list and in an
53.14	amount based on the cost estimate submitted to the authority in the grant application when
53.15	the project is certified or the as-bid costs, whichever is less. Notwithstanding Minnesota
53.16	Rules, chapter 7077, the Pollution Control Agency may rank a drinking water infrastructure
53.17	project on the agency's project priority list if the project is necessary to meet an applicable
53.18	requirement in subdivision 1.
53.19	Subd. 4. Grant approval. The authority must make a grant for an eligible project only
53.20	after:
53.21	(1) the applicant has submitted the as-bid cost for the water infrastructure project;
53.22	(2) the Pollution Control Agency has approved the as-bid costs and certified the grant
53.23	eligible portion of the project; and
53.24	(3) the authority has determined that the additional financing necessary to complete the
53.25	project has been committed from other sources.
53.26	Subd. 5. Grant disbursement. Disbursement of a grant must be made for eligible project
53.27	costs as incurred by the governmental unit and in accordance with a project financing
53.28	agreement and applicable state and federal laws and rules governing the payments.
53.29	Sec. 12. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 446A.081, subdivision 9, is amended to read:
53.30	Subd. 9. Other uses of fund. (a) The drinking water revolving loan fund may be used
53.31	as provided in the act, including the following uses:

54.1	(1) to buy or refinance the debt obligations, at or below market rates, of public water	
54.2	systems for drinking water systems, where the debt was incurred after the date of enactment	
54.3	of the act, for the purposes of construction of the necessary improvements to comply with	
54.4	the national primary drinking water regulations under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act;	
54.5	(2) to purchase or guarantee insurance for local obligations to improve credit market	
54.6	access or reduce interest rates;	
54.7	(3) to provide a source of revenue or security for the payment of principal and interest	
54.8	on revenue or general obligation bonds issued by the authority if the bond proceeds are	
54.9	deposited in the fund;	
54.10	(4) to provide loans or loan guarantees for similar revolving funds established by a	
54.11	governmental unit or state agency;	
54.12	(5) to earn interest on fund accounts;	
54.13	(6) to pay the reasonable costs incurred by the authority, the Department of Employment	
54.14	and Economic Development, and the Department of Health for conducting activities as	
54.15	authorized and required under the act up to the limits authorized under the act;	
54.16	(7) to develop and administer programs for water system supervision, source water	
54.17	protection, and related programs required under the act;	
54.18	(8) notwithstanding Minnesota Rules, part 7380.0280, to provide principal forgiveness	
54.19	or grants to the extent permitted under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act and other federal	
54.20	law, based on the criteria and requirements established for drinking water projects under	
54.21	the water infrastructure funding program under section 446A.072;	
54.22	(9) to provide loans, principal forgiveness or grants to the extent permitted under the	
54.23	federal Safe Drinking Water Act and other federal law to address green infrastructure, water	
54.24	or energy efficiency improvements, or other environmentally innovative activities; and	
54.25	(10) to provide principal forgiveness, or grants for 50 percent of the project cost up to	
54.26	a maximum of \$10,000 for projects needed to comply with national primary drinking water	
54.27	standards for an existing community or noncommunity public water system.	
54.28	(b) Principal forgiveness or grants under paragraph (a), clause (8), must only be provided	
54.29	if the average annual residential drinking water system cost after completion of the project	
54.30	would otherwise exceed 1.2 percent of the median household income in the project service	

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and maintenance costs. Debt service costs for the proposed project must be calculated based on the maximum loan term permitted for the drinking water revolving fund loan under this section. The amount of the principal forgiveness or grant must be equal to 80 percent of the amount needed to reduce the average annual residential drinking water system cost to 1.2 percent of median household income in the project service area, to a maximum of \$4,000,000 or \$15,000 per connection, whichever is less, and not to exceed 80 percent of the total project cost.

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(e) (b) Principal forgiveness or grants provided under paragraph (a), clause (9), may not exceed 25 percent of the eligible project costs as determined by the Department of Health for project components directly related to green infrastructure, water or energy efficiency improvements, or other environmentally innovative activities, up to a maximum of \$1,000,000.

(d) The authority may reduce the percentage of median household income at which a loan term could extend to 30 years under subdivision 8, paragraph (c), and at which principal forgiveness or grants could be provided under paragraph (b) if it determines that the federal money allotted to the state cannot be fully utilized without the reduction. If it determines that the reduction is necessary to fully utilize the federal money, the authority must effect the change through its approval of the annual intended use plan.

Sec. 13. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 446A.12, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **Bonding authority.** The authority may issue negotiable bonds in a principal amount that the authority determines necessary to provide sufficient funds for achieving its purposes, including the making of loans and purchase of securities, the payment of interest on bonds of the authority, the establishment of reserves to secure its bonds, the payment of fees to a third party providing credit enhancement, and the payment of all other expenditures of the authority incident to and necessary or convenient to carry out its corporate purposes and powers, but not including the making of grants. Bonds of the authority may be issued as bonds or notes or in any other form authorized by law. The principal amount of bonds issued and outstanding under this section at any time may not exceed \$1,500,000,000 \$2,000,000,000, excluding bonds for which refunding bonds or crossover refunding bonds have been issued, and excluding any bonds issued under the program. The principal amount of bonds issued and outstanding under section 446A.087, may not exceed \$500,000,000, excluding bonds for which refunding bonds or crossover refunding bonds have been issued.

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Sec. 14. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 462A.37, subdivision 2a, is amended to read: 56.1 Subd. 2a. Additional authorization. In addition to the amount authorized in subdivision 56.2 2, the agency may issue up to \$80,000,000 \$95,000,000 of housing infrastructure bonds in 56.3 one or more series to which the payments made under this section may be pledged. 56.4 Sec. 15. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 462A.37, subdivision 2b, is amended to read: 56.5 Subd. 2b. Additional authorization. In addition to the amount authorized in subdivisions 56.6 2 and 2a, the agency may issue up to \$10,000,000 \$15,000,000 of housing infrastructure 56.7 bonds in one or more series to which the payments made under this section may be pledged. 56.8 Sec. 16. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 462A.37, is amended by adding a subdivision 56.9 56.10 to read: Subd. 2c. **Additional authorization.** In addition to the amount authorized in subdivisions 56.11 2, 2a, and 2b, the agency may issue up to \$35,000,000 in housing infrastructure bonds in 56.12 one or more series to which the payments under this section may be pledged. 56.13 56.14 Sec. 17. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 462A.37, subdivision 5, is amended to read: Subd. 5. Additional appropriation. (a) The agency must certify annually to the 56.15commissioner of management and budget the actual amount of annual debt service on each 56.16 series of bonds issued under subdivisions 2a and, 2b, and 2c. 56.17 (b) Each July 15, beginning in 2015 and through 2037, if any housing infrastructure 56.18 bonds issued under subdivision 2a remain outstanding, the commissioner of management 56.19 and budget must transfer to the housing infrastructure bond account established under section 56.20 462A.21, subdivision 33, the amount certified under paragraph (a), not to exceed \$6,400,000 56.21 annually. The amounts necessary to make the transfers are appropriated from the general 56.22 56.23 fund to the commissioner of management and budget. (c) Each July 15, beginning in 2017 and through 2038, if any housing infrastructure 56.24 bonds issued under subdivision 2b remain outstanding, the commissioner of management 56.25 and budget must transfer to the housing infrastructure bond account established under section 56.26 462A.21, subdivision 33, the amount certified under paragraph (a), not to exceed \$800,000 56.27 annually. The amounts necessary to make the transfers are appropriated from the general 56.28 fund to the commissioner of management and budget. 56.29 (d) Each July 15, beginning in 2018 and through 2039, if any housing infrastructure 56.30

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bonds issued under subdivision 2c remain outstanding, the commissioner of management

57.1	and budget must transfer to the housing infrastructure bond account established under section	
57.2	462A.21, subdivision 33, the amount certified under paragraph (a), not to exceed \$1,250,000	
57.3	in fiscal year 2018 and \$2,800,000 annually thereafter. The amounts necessary to make the	
57.4	transfers are appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of management and	
57.5	budget.	
57.6	(e) The agency may pledge to the payment of the housing infrastructure bonds the	
57.7	payments to be made by the state under this section.	
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57.8	Sec. 18. Laws 2006, chapter 258, section 18, subdivision 6, as amended by Laws 2013,	
57.9	chapter 136, section 13, is amended to read:	
57.10 57.11	Subd. 6. Systemwide Redevelopment, Reuse, or Demolition 5,000,000	
37.11	2,000,000	
57.12	To abate hazardous materials, design,	
57.13	construct, or improve basic infrastructure,	
57.14	including sanitary and storm sewer and water	
57.15	lines, public streets, curb, gutter, street lights,	
57.16	or sidewalks, to make improvements for	
57.17	building envelope and structural integrity for	
57.18	the purposes of stabilizing the buildings for	
57.19	sale, demolish all or portions of surplus,	
57.20	nonfunctional, or deteriorated facilities and	
57.21	infrastructure or to renovate surplus,	
57.22	nonfunctional, or deteriorated facilities and	
57.23	infrastructure to facilitate redevelopment of	
57.24	Department of Human Services campuses that	
57.25	the commissioner of administration is	
57.26	authorized to convey to a local unit of	
57.27	government under Laws 2005, chapter 20,	
57.28	article 1, section 46, or other law. These	
57.29	projects must facilitate the redevelopment or	
57.30	reuse of these campuses and must be	
57.31	implemented consistent with the	
57.32	comprehensive redevelopment plans	
57.33	developed and approved under Laws 2003,	
57.34	First Special Session chapter 14, article 6,	
57.35	section 64, subdivision 2, unless expressly	

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58.1	provided otherwise. If a surplus campus is sold	
58.2	or transferred to a local unit of government,	
58.3	unspent portions of this appropriation may be	
58.4	granted to that local unit of government for	
58.5	the purposes stated in this subdivision.	
58.6	Notwithstanding the inclusion of the	
58.7	unencumbered and unobligated balance of the	
58.8	bond sale authorization and appropriation of	
58.9	bond proceeds in this subdivision in the report	
58.10	submitted to the legislature in January 2017	
58.11	pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section	
58.12	16A.642, the unencumbered and obligated	
58.13	balance of the bond sale authorization and	
58.14	appropriation of bond proceeds in this	
58.15	subdivision are, estimated to be \$1,991,456.32,	
58.16	is reauthorized and available until December	
58.17	31, 2016 <u>2020</u> .	
58.18	Sec. 19. Laws 2012, chapter 293, section 7, subdivision 3, is amended to read	l:
58.19 58.20	Subd. 3. Dam Repair, Reconstruction, and Removal	3,000,000
58.21	To renovate or remove publicly owned dams.	
58.22	The commissioner shall determine project	
58.23	priorities as appropriate under Minnesota	
58.24	Statutes, sections 103G.511 and 103G.515.	
58.25	Notwithstanding the match requirements in	
58.26	Minnesota Statutes, section 103G.511, a grant	
58.27	to the city of Lanesboro does not require any	
58.28	nonstate match.	
58.29	Sec. 20. Laws 2012, chapter 293, section 17, subdivision 4, is amended to rea	ıd:
58.30	Subd. 4. Phillips Community Center	1,750,000
58.31	For a grant to the Minneapolis Park and	
58.32	Recreation Board to predesign, design,	
58.33	engineer, reconstruct, renovate, furnish, and	
58.34	equip the Phillips Community Center indoor	

59.1	competitive swimming pool and to predesign,
59.2	design, engineer, and construct an additional
59.3	indoor multipurpose family pool and facilities
59.4	associated with an aquatic center in the
59.5	community center, subject to Minnesota
59.6	Statutes, section 16A.695.
59.7	This appropriation is not available until the
59.8	commissioner determines that at least
59.9	\$350,000 is committed from nonstate sources.
59.10	Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section
59.11	16A.642, the bond sale authorization and
59.12	appropriation of bond proceeds for this project
59.13	are available until December 31, 2022.
59.14	Sec. 21. Laws 2014, chapter 294, article 1, section 17, subdivision 12, is amended to read:
59.15 59.16	Subd. 12. West St. Paul - North Urban River to River Regional Trail Bridge Greenway 2,000,000
59.17	For a grant to the city of West St. Paul to
59.18	predesign, design, and construct a pedestrian
59.19	bridge for the North Urban Regional Trail as
59.20	an overpass grade separated crossing of Robert
59.21	Street in the area near Wentworth Avenue in
59.22	West St. Paul for the River to River Regional
59.23	Greenway. This appropriation may also be
59.24	used to acquire property or purchase
59.25	rights-of-way needed for bridge construction.
59.26	A nonstate match is not required.
59.27	Sec. 22. Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 5, article 1, section 10, subdivision 3,
59.28	is amended to read:
59.29	Subd. 3. Local Road Improvement Fund Grants 8,910,000
59.30	(a) From the bond proceeds account in the
59.31	state transportation fund as provided in
59.32	Minnesota Statutes, section 174.50, for
59.33	construction and reconstruction of local roads

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with statewide or regional significance under

60.2	Minnesota Statutes, section 174.52,
60.3	subdivision 4, or for grants to counties to assist
60.4	in paying the costs of rural road safety capital
60.5	improvement projects on county state-aid
60.6	highways under Minnesota Statutes, section
60.7	174.52, subdivision 4a.
60.8	(b) This appropriation includes \$850,000 for
60.9	a grant to the city of Sandstone for predesign,
60.10	design, engineering, and construction of a road
60.11	extending south off of marked Trunk Highway
60.12	23 across from Lundorff Drive to the airport
60.13	area, and including a bridge over Skunk Creek
60.14	in Sandstone, in order to facilitate repurposing
60.15	of an area of the airport into a business park.
60.16	This appropriation is not available until the
60.17	commissioner of management and budget
60.18	determines that sufficient resources to
60.19	complete the project are committed to it from
60.20	other sources, including any funds made
60.21	available from the commissioner of
60.22	transportation.
60.23	(c) This appropriation includes \$3,770,000 for
60.24	a grant to Kandiyohi County for construction
60.25	and reconstruction of local roads to facilitate
60.26	the construction of highway-rail grade
60.27	separations at U.S. Highway 12 and Minnesota
60.28	Highway 40 as part of in conjunction with the
60.29	Willmar Wye project as well as to re-establish
60.30	the local road network on the southwest side
60.31	of Willmar.
60.32	Sec. 23. Laws 2015, First Special Session chapter 5, article 1, section 10, subdivision 7,
60.33	is amended to read:
60 34	Subd 7 Richfield - 77th Street Undernass 10 000 000

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61.1	For a grant to the city of Richfield for
61.2	right-of-way acquisition and construction of
61.3	for an extension of 77th Street under marked
61.4	Trunk Highway 77/Cedar Avenue in the city
61.5	of Richfield to provide local and regional
61.6	access between Richfield, the Minneapolis/St.
61.7	Paul International Airport, the city of
61.8	Bloomington, and the Mall of America. After
61.9	right-of-way acquisition is completed, the city
61.10	may use any remaining money appropriated
61.11	in this subdivision for construction of the
61.12	extension. Notwithstanding Minnesota
61.13	Statutes, section 16A.642, the bond sale
61.14	authorization and appropriation of bond
61.15	proceeds for the project in this subdivision are
61.16	available until December 31, 2021.
61.17	Sec. 24. NATIONAL SPORTS CENTER; LEASE.
61.18	Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.695, 16B.24, and 240A.03, subdivision
61.19	6, the Minnesota Amateur Sports Commission may lease for educational purposes that
61.20	portion of property described as a portion of the property acquired by the commission
61.21	pursuant to Laws 1987, chapter 400, section 8, subdivision 3, not currently needed for
61.22	amateur sports purposes to Independent School District No. 16, Spring Lake Park. The lease
61.23	shall be in a form approved by the attorney general and for a term not to exceed 99 years.
61.24	The lease may provide for the provision of capital improvements or other performance by
61.25	the tenant in lieu of all or some of the payments of rent that would otherwise be required.
61.26	Any lease revenues paid to the commission are appropriated to the commission.
61.27	Sec. 25. REVISOR'S INSTRUCTION.
61.28	In Minnesota Statutes, the revisor of statutes shall replace references to Minnesota
61.29	Statutes, section 123A.446, with Minnesota Statutes, section 123A.445.
61.30	Sec. 26. REPEALER.
61.31	Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 123A.446, is repealed.

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Except as otherwise provided, this article is effective the day following final enactment.

Article 2 Sec. 27.

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123A.446 STATE BOND AUTHORIZATION.

To provide money for the cooperative secondary facilities grant program, the commissioner of management and budget, upon the request of the commissioner of education, shall issue and sell bonds of the state up to the amount of \$14,000,000 in the manner, upon the terms and with the effect prescribed by sections 16A.631 to 16A.675 and the Minnesota Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.