

**SENATE  
STATE OF MINNESOTA  
NINETIETH SESSION**

**S.F. No. 497**

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Introduction and first reading  
Referred to Agriculture, Rural Development, and Housing Finance

OFFICIAL STATUS

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the Agricultural Utilization  
1.3 Research Institute upgrades.

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

1.5 Section 1. AGRICULTURAL UTILIZATION RESEARCH INSTITUTE (AURI).

1.6 \$690,000 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of agriculture for  
1.7 a grant to the Agricultural Utilization Research Institute (AURI) for construction of a  
1.8 development kitchen, sensory lab, and safety and security upgrades at AURI's Marshall  
1.9 facility and for communications and information technology upgrades at the Crookston,  
1.10 Marshall, and Waseca facilities.

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