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NINETY-THIRD SESSION**

S.F. No. 5105

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Introduction and first reading
Referred to Capital Investment

OFFICIAL STATUS

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to capital investment; appropriating money for a regional wastewater
1.3 collection system in Itasca County; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

1.5 Section 1. **LONE PINE TOWNSHIP; REGIONAL WASTEWATER COLLECTION**
1.6 **SYSTEM.**

1.7 Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$5,000,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds fund
1.8 to the Public Facilities Authority for a grant to the Lone Pine Township to design, construct,
1.9 and equip connections from onsite sewage collection systems in Lone Pine Township in
1.10 the Swan Lake area to the wastewater treatment facility in Nashwauk. This project includes
1.11 capital improvements to the Nashwauk treatment facility to accommodate flow from the
1.12 Swan Lake area, new lift stations and a force main to convey wastewater from Swan Lake
1.13 to the wastewater treatment facility in Nashwauk, and a low-pressure collection system
1.14 around Swan Lake for Lone Pine Township to transmit wastewater through the new Swan
1.15 Lake lift station. This appropriation also includes money for improvements necessary to
1.16 connect the cities of Marble and Calumet to the system.

1.17 Subd. 2. **Bond sale.** To provide the money appropriated in this section from the bond
1.18 proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue bonds of
1.19 the state in an amount up to \$5,000,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect
1.20 prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota
1.21 Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

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