## HB1007 L.008

## HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT Committee on Appropriations.

## HB22-1007 be amended as follows:

1	Amend	printed bill,	page 2, strike	lines 2 through 5	and substitute:

- 2 "SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-31-313, amend (10)(a)(I); and add (3)(b.5) and (9.7) as follows:
- 23-31-313. Healthy forests vibrant communities funds created - repeal. (3) Definitions. As used in this section, unless the context otherwise requires:
  - (b.5) "DIRECTOR" MEANS THE DIRECTOR OF THE FOREST SERVICE.
- 8 (9.7) Wildfire mitigation resources and best practices grant program. (a) There is".
- 10 Page 2, strike lines 12 through 16.
- 11 Page 3, strike line 1.

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- Page 3, line 2, strike "(3)" and substitute "(b)".
- Page 3, line 11, strike "(4)" and substitute "(c)".
- Page 3, line 17, strike "(5)" and substitute "(d)".
- Page 3, line 23, strike "(6)" and substitute "(e)".
- Page 4, line 2, strike "(7)" and substitute "(f)".
- 17 Page 4, strike lines 9 and 10 and substitute:
- 18 "(g) COMMENCING NO LATER THAN THE FISCAL YEAR THAT BEGINS
- 19 ON JULY 1, 2023, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL ANNUALLY
- 20 APPROPRIATE MONEY FROM THE GENERAL FUND TO THE HEALTHY FORESTS
- 21 AND VIBRANT COMMUNITIES FUND, CREATED IN SUBSECTION (10)(a)(I) OF
- 22 THIS SECTION, TO IMPLEMENT".
- Page 4, line 15, strike "(9)" and substitute "(h)", and strike "SECTION" and
- substitute "SUBSECTION (9.7)".
- 25 Page 4, after line 15 insert:
- 26 "(10) Healthy forests and vibrant communities fund.
- 27 (a) (I) There is hereby created in the state treasury the healthy forests and

vibrant communities fund. The fund consists of all money that may be 1 appropriated OR TRANSFERRED thereto by the general assembly and all private and public money received through gifts, grants, reimbursements, 4 or donations that are transmitted to the state treasurer and credited to the fund. All interest earned from the investment of money in the fund is credited to the fund. The money in the fund is hereby continuously 6 appropriated for the purposes specified in this subsection (10) SECTION and remains available until expended. Any money not expended at the 8 end of the fiscal year shall remain in the fund and shall not be transferred 9 10 to or revert to the general fund.".

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