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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETY-FIRST SESSION

H. F. No. 2209

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to state government; appropriating money for environment and natural
1.3 resources; modifying fees; creating accounts and providing for disposition of
1.4 certain receipts; modifying public sale requirements for surplus state-owned land;
1.5 modifying bough buyer provisions; modifying certain permit provisions; authorizing
1.6 sales of certain surplus state land; amending Minnesota Statutes 2018, sections
1.7 85.42; 85.47; 86B.415, subdivisions 1, 1a, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7; 88.642, subdivisions 1, 3;
1.8 88.6435; 90.01, by adding a subdivision; 90.195; 94.10, subdivision 2; 97A.075,
1.9 subdivision 1; 103G.301, subdivision 2; Laws 2016, chapter 189, article 3, sections
1.10 2, subdivision 2; 3, subdivision 8; Laws 2017, chapter 93, article 1, section 2,
1.11 subdivision 6.

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

1.13 ARTICLE 1
1.14 ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES APPROPRIATIONS

1.15 Section 1. ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES APPROPRIATIONS.

1.16 The sums shown in the columns marked "Appropriations" are appropriated to the agencies
1.17 and for the purposes specified in this article. The appropriations are from the general fund,
1.18 or another named fund, and are available for the fiscal years indicated for each purpose.
1.19 The figures "2020" and "2021" used in this article mean that the appropriations listed under
1.20 them are available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020, or June 30, 2021, respectively.
1.21 "The first year" is fiscal year 2020. "The second year" is fiscal year 2021. "The biennium"
1.22 is fiscal years 2020 and 2021. Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, are
1.23 effective the day following final enactment.

1.24 APPROPRIATIONS
1.25 Available for the Year

2.1 **Ending June 30**  
 2.2 **2020** **2021**

2.3 **Sec. 2. POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY**

2.4 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation** **\$ 106,769,000** **\$ 103,328,000**

2.5 **Appropriations by Fund**

	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
2.6 <u>General</u>	<u>11,314,000</u>	<u>7,348,000</u>
2.7 <u>State Government</u>		
2.8 <u>Special Revenue</u>	<u>75,000</u>	<u>75,000</u>
2.9 <u>Environmental</u>	<u>81,270,000</u>	<u>81,795,000</u>
2.10 <u>Remediation</u>	<u>14,110,000</u>	<u>14,110,000</u>

2.11 The amounts that may be spent for each  
 2.12 purpose are specified in the following  
 2.13 subdivisions.

2.14 **Subd. 2. Environmental Analysis and Outcomes** **13,076,000** **13,166,000**

2.15 **Appropriations by Fund**

	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
2.16 <u>General</u>	<u>204,000</u>	<u>204,000</u>
2.17 <u>Environmental</u>	<u>12,671,000</u>	<u>12,671,000</u>
2.18 <u>Remediation</u>	<u>201,000</u>	<u>201,000</u>

2.19 \$89,000 the first year and \$89,000 the second  
 2.20 year are for:

2.21 (1) a municipal liaison to assist municipalities  
 2.22 in implementing and participating in the  
 2.23 rulemaking process for water quality standards  
 2.24 and navigating the NPDES/SDS permitting  
 2.25 process;

2.26 (2) enhanced economic analysis in the  
 2.27 rulemaking process for water quality  
 2.28 standards, including more-specific analysis  
 2.29 and identification of cost-effective permitting;

2.30 (3) developing statewide economic analyses  
 2.31 and templates to reduce the amount of  
 2.32 information and time required for

3.1 municipalities to apply for variances from  
3.2 water quality standards; and  
3.3 (4) coordinating with the Public Facilities  
3.4 Authority to identify and advocate for the  
3.5 resources needed for municipalities to achieve  
3.6 permit requirements.  
3.7 \$205,000 the first year and \$205,000 the  
3.8 second year are from the environmental fund  
3.9 for a monitoring program under Minnesota  
3.10 Statutes, section 116.454.  
3.11 \$115,000 the first year and \$115,000 the  
3.12 second year are for monitoring water quality  
3.13 and operating assistance programs.  
3.14 \$347,000 the first year and \$347,000 the  
3.15 second year are from the environmental fund  
3.16 for monitoring ambient air for hazardous  
3.17 pollutants.  
3.18 \$90,000 the first year and \$90,000 the second  
3.19 year are from the environmental fund for  
3.20 duties related to harmful chemicals in products  
3.21 under Minnesota Statutes, sections 116.9401  
3.22 to 116.9407. Of this amount, \$57,000 each  
3.23 year is transferred to the commissioner of  
3.24 health.  
3.25 \$109,000 the first year and \$109,000 the  
3.26 second year are from the environmental fund  
3.27 for registering wastewater laboratories.  
3.28 \$926,000 the first year and \$926,000 the  
3.29 second year are from the environmental fund  
3.30 to continue perfluorochemical biomonitoring  
3.31 in eastern metropolitan communities, as  
3.32 recommended by the Environmental Health  
3.33 Tracking and Biomonitoring Advisory Panel,  
3.34 and to address other environmental health

4.1 risks, including air quality. The communities  
 4.2 must include Hmong and other immigrant  
 4.3 farming communities. Of this amount, up to  
 4.4 \$689,000 the first year and \$689,000 the  
 4.5 second year are for transfer to the Department  
 4.6 of Health.

4.7 \$51,000 the first year and \$51,000 the second  
 4.8 year are from the environmental fund for the  
 4.9 listing procedures for impaired waters required  
 4.10 under this act.

4.11 **Subd. 3. Industrial** 15,080,000 15,213,000

Appropriations by Fund

	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
<u>Environmental</u>	<u>14,079,000</u>	<u>14,212,000</u>
<u>Remediation</u>	<u>1,001,000</u>	<u>1,001,000</u>

4.16 \$1,001,000 the first year and \$1,001,000 the  
 4.17 second year are from the remediation fund for  
 4.18 the leaking underground storage tank program  
 4.19 to investigate, clean up, and prevent future  
 4.20 releases from underground petroleum storage  
 4.21 tanks and for the petroleum remediation  
 4.22 program for vapor assessment and  
 4.23 remediation. These same annual amounts are  
 4.24 transferred from the petroleum tank fund to  
 4.25 the remediation fund.

4.26 **Subd. 4. Municipal** 7,859,000 7,859,000

Appropriations by Fund

	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
<u>General</u>	<u>164,000</u>	<u>164,000</u>
<u>Environmental</u>	<u>7,695,000</u>	<u>7,695,000</u>

4.31 \$164,000 the first year and \$164,000 the  
 4.32 second year are for:  
 4.33 (1) a municipal liaison to assist municipalities  
 4.34 in implementing and participating in the

5.1 rulemaking process for water quality standards  
5.2 and navigating the NPDES/SDS permitting  
5.3 process;  
5.4 (2) enhanced economic analysis in the  
5.5 rulemaking process for water quality  
5.6 standards, including more-specific analysis  
5.7 and identification of cost-effective permitting;  
5.8 (3) developing statewide economic analyses  
5.9 and templates to reduce the amount of  
5.10 information and time required for  
5.11 municipalities to apply for variances from  
5.12 water quality standards; and  
5.13 (4) coordinating with the Public Facilities  
5.14 Authority to identify and advocate for the  
5.15 resources needed for municipalities to achieve  
5.16 permit requirements.  
5.17 \$50,000 the first year and \$50,000 the second  
5.18 year are from the environmental fund for  
5.19 transfer to the Office of Administrative  
5.20 Hearings to establish sanitary districts.  
5.21 \$671,000 the first year and \$671,000 the  
5.22 second year are from the environmental fund  
5.23 for subsurface sewage treatment system  
5.24 (SSTS) program administration and  
5.25 community technical assistance and education,  
5.26 including grants and technical assistance to  
5.27 communities for water-quality protection. Of  
5.28 this amount, \$129,000 each year is for  
5.29 assistance to counties through grants for SSTS  
5.30 program administration. A county receiving  
5.31 a grant from this appropriation must submit  
5.32 the results achieved with the grant to the  
5.33 commissioner as part of its annual SSTS  
5.34 report. Any unexpended balance in the first

6.1 year does not cancel but is available in the  
 6.2 second year.  
 6.3 \$784,000 the first year and \$784,000 the  
 6.4 second year are from the environmental fund  
 6.5 to address the need for continued increased  
 6.6 activity in new technology review, technical  
 6.7 assistance for local governments, and  
 6.8 enforcement under Minnesota Statutes,  
 6.9 sections 115.55 to 115.58, and to complete the  
 6.10 requirements of Laws 2003, chapter 128,  
 6.11 article 1, section 165.

6.12 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section  
 6.13 16A.28, the appropriations encumbered on or  
 6.14 before June 30, 2021, as grants or contracts  
 6.15 for subsurface sewage treatment systems,  
 6.16 surface water and groundwater assessments,  
 6.17 storm water, and water-quality protection in  
 6.18 this subdivision are available until June 30,  
 6.19 2024.

6.20 Subd. 5. Operations 8,326,000 8,337,000

6.21	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>	
6.22	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
6.23	<u>2,490,000</u>	<u>2,490,000</u>
6.24	<u>5,008,000</u>	<u>5,019,000</u>
6.25	<u>828,000</u>	<u>828,000</u>

6.26 \$180,000 the first year and \$180,000 the  
 6.27 second year are from the remediation fund for  
 6.28 the leaking underground storage tank program  
 6.29 to investigate, clean up, and prevent future  
 6.30 releases from underground petroleum storage  
 6.31 tanks and for the petroleum remediation  
 6.32 program for vapor assessment and  
 6.33 remediation. These same annual amounts are  
 6.34 transferred from the petroleum tank fund to  
 6.35 the remediation fund.

7.1 \$2,490,000 the first year and \$2,490,000 the  
 7.2 second year are to support agency information  
 7.3 technology services provided at the enterprise  
 7.4 and agency level.

7.5 \$800,000 the first year and \$800,000 the  
 7.6 second year are from the environmental fund  
 7.7 to develop and maintain systems to support  
 7.8 permitting and regulatory business processes  
 7.9 and agency data.

7.10 **Subd. 6. Remediation** 12,894,000 12,945,000

7.11	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>		
7.12		<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
7.13	<u>General</u>	<u>216,000</u>	<u>-0-</u>
7.14	<u>Environmental</u>	<u>832,000</u>	<u>1,099,000</u>
7.15	<u>Remediation</u>	<u>11,846,000</u>	<u>11,846,000</u>

7.16 All money for environmental response,  
 7.17 compensation, and compliance in the  
 7.18 remediation fund not otherwise appropriated  
 7.19 is appropriated to the commissioners of the  
 7.20 Pollution Control Agency and agriculture for  
 7.21 purposes of Minnesota Statutes, section  
 7.22 115B.20, subdivision 2, clauses (1), (2), (3),  
 7.23 (6), and (7). At the beginning of each fiscal  
 7.24 year, the two commissioners must jointly  
 7.25 submit to the commissioner of management  
 7.26 and budget an annual spending plan that  
 7.27 maximizes resource use and appropriately  
 7.28 allocates the money between the two  
 7.29 departments. This appropriation is available  
 7.30 until June 30, 2021.

7.31 \$216,000 the first year from the general fund  
 7.32 is a onetime appropriation and \$217,000 the  
 7.33 first year and \$484,000 the second year are  
 7.34 from the environmental fund to manage  
 7.35 contaminated sediment projects at multiple

8.1 sites identified in the St. Louis River remedial  
 8.2 action plan to restore water quality in the St.  
 8.3 Louis River Area of Concern.  
 8.4 \$3,961,000 the first year and \$3,961,000 the  
 8.5 second year are from the remediation fund for  
 8.6 the leaking underground storage tank program  
 8.7 to investigate, clean up, and prevent future  
 8.8 releases from underground petroleum storage  
 8.9 tanks and for the petroleum remediation  
 8.10 program for vapor assessment and  
 8.11 remediation. These same annual amounts are  
 8.12 transferred from the petroleum tank fund to  
 8.13 the remediation fund.

8.14 \$257,000 the first year and \$257,000 the  
 8.15 second year are from the remediation fund for  
 8.16 transfer to the commissioner of health for  
 8.17 private water-supply monitoring and health  
 8.18 assessment costs in areas contaminated by  
 8.19 unpermitted mixed municipal solid waste  
 8.20 disposal facilities and drinking water  
 8.21 advisories and public information activities  
 8.22 for areas contaminated by hazardous releases.

8.23 **Subd. 7. Resource Management and Assistance**                      38,925,000                      35,199,000

8.24	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>		
8.25		<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
8.26	<u>General</u>	<u>5,200,000</u>	<u>1,450,000</u>
8.27	<u>State Government</u>		
8.28	<u>Special Revenue</u>	<u>75,000</u>	<u>75,000</u>
8.29	<u>Environmental</u>	<u>33,650,000</u>	<u>33,674,000</u>

8.30 Up to \$150,000 the first year and \$150,000  
 8.31 the second year may be transferred from the  
 8.32 environmental fund to the small business  
 8.33 environmental improvement loan account  
 8.34 under Minnesota Statutes, section 116.993.



9.1 \$1,000,000 the first year and \$1,000,000 the  
9.2 second year are for competitive recycling  
9.3 grants under Minnesota Statutes, section  
9.4 115A.565. Of this amount, \$700,000 each year  
9.5 is from the general fund and \$300,000 is from  
9.6 the environmental fund. This appropriation is  
9.7 available until June 30, 2023. Any  
9.8 unencumbered grant balances in the first year  
9.9 do not cancel but are available for grants in  
9.10 the second year.

9.11 \$694,000 the first year and \$694,000 the  
9.12 second year are from the environmental fund  
9.13 for emission-reduction activities and grants to  
9.14 small businesses and other  
9.15 nonpoint-emission-reduction efforts. Of this  
9.16 amount, \$100,000 the first year and \$100,000  
9.17 the second year are to continue work with  
9.18 Clean Air Minnesota, and the commissioner  
9.19 may enter into an agreement with  
9.20 Environmental Initiative to support this effort.  
9.21 Any unencumbered grant balances in the first  
9.22 year do not cancel but are available for grants  
9.23 in the second year.

9.24 \$17,250,000 the first year and \$17,250,000  
9.25 the second year are from the environmental  
9.26 fund for SCORE block grants to counties. Any  
9.27 unencumbered grant balances in the first year  
9.28 do not cancel but are available for grants in  
9.29 the second year.

9.30 \$119,000 the first year and \$119,000 the  
9.31 second year are from the environmental fund  
9.32 for environmental assistance grants or loans  
9.33 under Minnesota Statutes, section 115A.0716.  
9.34 Any unencumbered grant and loan balances

10.1 in the first year do not cancel but are available  
10.2 for grants and loans in the second year.

10.3 \$112,000 the first year and \$112,000 the  
10.4 second year are from the environmental fund  
10.5 for subsurface sewage treatment system  
10.6 (SSTS) program administration and  
10.7 community technical assistance and education,  
10.8 including grants and technical assistance to  
10.9 communities for water-quality protection.

10.10 \$169,000 the first year and \$169,000 the  
10.11 second year are from the environmental fund  
10.12 to address the need for continued increased  
10.13 activity in new technology review, technical  
10.14 assistance for local governments, and  
10.15 enforcement under Minnesota Statutes,  
10.16 sections 115.55 to 115.58, and to complete the  
10.17 requirements of Laws 2003, chapter 128,  
10.18 article 1, section 165.

10.19 \$750,000 the first year and \$750,000 the  
10.20 second year are for reducing and diverting  
10.21 food waste, redirecting edible food for  
10.22 consumption, and removing barriers to  
10.23 collecting and recovering organic waste. Of  
10.24 this amount, \$500,000 each year is for grants  
10.25 to increase food rescue and waste prevention.

10.26 This appropriation is available until June 30,  
10.27 2023. Any unencumbered grant balances in  
10.28 the first year do not cancel but are available  
10.29 for grants in the second year.

10.30 \$250,000 the first year is for public  
10.31 engagement and outreach that supports  
10.32 developing and implementing policies to  
10.33 address climate change. This is a onetime  
10.34 appropriation.

11.1 \$2,000,000 the first year is for a generic  
11.2 environmental impact statement to study and  
11.3 address nitrate pollution of groundwater in the  
11.4 karst region of southeastern Minnesota. This  
11.5 is a onetime appropriation.

11.6 \$1,500,000 the first year is for grants to  
11.7 develop infrastructure along highway corridors  
11.8 for charging electronic vehicles. This  
11.9 appropriation is available until June 30, 2023.  
11.10 This is a onetime appropriation.

11.11 \$400,000 the first year and \$400,000 the  
11.12 second year are from the environmental fund  
11.13 for grants to develop and expand recycling  
11.14 markets for Minnesota businesses. Any  
11.15 unencumbered grant balances in the first year  
11.16 do not cancel but are available for grants in  
11.17 the second year.

11.18 All money deposited in the environmental  
11.19 fund for the metropolitan solid waste landfill  
11.20 fee in accordance with Minnesota Statutes,  
11.21 section 473.843, and not otherwise  
11.22 appropriated, is appropriated for the purposes  
11.23 of Minnesota Statutes, section 473.844.

11.24 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section  
11.25 16A.28, the appropriations encumbered on or  
11.26 before June 30, 2021, as contracts or grants  
11.27 for environmental assistance awarded under  
11.28 Minnesota Statutes, section 115A.0716;  
11.29 technical and research assistance under  
11.30 Minnesota Statutes, section 115A.152;  
11.31 technical assistance under Minnesota Statutes,  
11.32 section 115A.52; and pollution prevention  
11.33 assistance under Minnesota Statutes, section  
11.34 115D.04, are available until June 30, 2023.

12.1	<b><u>Subd. 8. Watershed</u></b>		<u>9,335,000</u>	<u>9,335,000</u>
12.2	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>			
12.3		<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	
12.4	<u>General</u>	<u>1,959,000</u>	<u>1,959,000</u>	
12.5	<u>Environmental</u>	<u>7,142,000</u>	<u>7,142,000</u>	
12.6	<u>Remediation</u>	<u>234,000</u>	<u>234,000</u>	
12.7	<u>\$1,959,000 the first year and \$1,959,000 the</u>			
12.8	<u>second year are for grants to delegated</u>			
12.9	<u>counties to administer the county feedlot</u>			
12.10	<u>program under Minnesota Statutes, section</u>			
12.11	<u>116.0711, subdivisions 2 and 3. Money</u>			
12.12	<u>remaining after the first year is available for</u>			
12.13	<u>the second year.</u>			
12.14	<u>\$208,000 the first year and \$208,000 the</u>			
12.15	<u>second year are from the environmental fund</u>			
12.16	<u>for the costs of implementing general</u>			
12.17	<u>operating permits for feedlots over 1,000</u>			
12.18	<u>animal units.</u>			
12.19	<u>\$122,000 the first year and \$122,000 the</u>			
12.20	<u>second year are from the remediation fund for</u>			
12.21	<u>the leaking underground storage tank program</u>			
12.22	<u>to investigate, clean up, and prevent future</u>			
12.23	<u>releases from underground petroleum storage</u>			
12.24	<u>tanks and for the petroleum remediation</u>			
12.25	<u>program for vapor assessment and</u>			
12.26	<u>remediation. These same annual amounts are</u>			
12.27	<u>transferred from the petroleum tank fund to</u>			
12.28	<u>the remediation fund.</u>			
12.29	<b><u>Subd. 9. Environmental Quality Board</u></b>		<u>1,274,000</u>	<u>1,274,000</u>
12.30	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>			
12.31		<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	
12.32	<u>General</u>	<u>1,081,000</u>	<u>1,081,000</u>	
12.33	<u>Environmental</u>	<u>193,000</u>	<u>193,000</u>	
12.34	<b><u>Subd. 10. Transfers</u></b>			

13.1 The commissioner must transfer up to  
 13.2 \$44,000,000 from the environmental fund to  
 13.3 the remediation fund for purposes of the  
 13.4 remediation fund under Minnesota Statutes,  
 13.5 section 116.155, subdivision 2.

13.6 **Sec. 3. NATURAL RESOURCES**

13.7 **Subdivision 1. Total Appropriation**                                 **\$**         **307,609,000**         **\$**         **310,778,000**

13.8   Appropriations by Fund

13.9		<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
13.10	<u>General</u>	<u>97,738,000</u>	<u>97,119,000</u>
13.11	<u>Natural Resources</u>	<u>107,834,000</u>	<u>109,186,000</u>
13.12	<u>Game and Fish</u>	<u>101,416,000</u>	<u>103,846,000</u>
13.13	<u>Remediation</u>	<u>106,000</u>	<u>109,000</u>
13.14	<u>Permanent School</u>	<u>515,000</u>	<u>518,000</u>

13.15 The amounts that may be spent for each  
 13.16 purpose are specified in the following  
 13.17 subdivisions.

13.18 **Subd. 2. Land and Mineral Resources**  
 13.19 **Management**

6,324,000   6,406,000

13.20   Appropriations by Fund

13.21		<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
13.22	<u>General</u>	<u>1,825,000</u>	<u>1,846,000</u>
13.23	<u>Natural Resources</u>	<u>3,940,000</u>	<u>3,998,000</u>
13.24	<u>Game and Fish</u>	<u>344,000</u>	<u>344,000</u>
13.25	<u>Permanent School</u>	<u>215,000</u>	<u>218,000</u>

13.26 \$319,000 the first year and \$319,000 the  
 13.27 second year are for environmental research  
 13.28 relating to mine permitting, of which \$200,000  
 13.29 each year is from the minerals management  
 13.30 account and \$119,000 each year is from the  
 13.31 general fund.

13.32 \$3,032,000 the first year and \$3,083,000 the  
 13.33 second year are from the minerals  
 13.34 management account in the natural resources

14.1 fund for use as provided under Minnesota  
 14.2 Statutes, section 93.2236, paragraph (c), for  
 14.3 mineral resource management, projects to  
 14.4 enhance future mineral income, and projects  
 14.5 to promote new mineral-resource  
 14.6 opportunities.

14.7 \$215,000 the first year and \$218,000 the  
 14.8 second year are from the state forest suspense  
 14.9 account in the permanent school fund to secure  
 14.10 maximum long-term economic return from  
 14.11 the school trust lands consistent with fiduciary  
 14.12 responsibilities and sound natural resources  
 14.13 conservation and management principles.

14.14 **Subd. 3. Ecological and Water Resources** 38,147,000 36,832,000

14.15	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>	
14.16	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
14.17	<u>General</u>	<u>20,922,000</u> <u>19,322,000</u>
14.18	<u>Natural Resources</u>	<u>11,814,000</u> <u>11,986,000</u>
14.19	<u>Game and Fish</u>	<u>5,411,000</u> <u>5,524,000</u>

14.20 \$3,393,000 the first year and \$3,442,000 the  
 14.21 second year are from the invasive species  
 14.22 account in the natural resources fund and  
 14.23 \$3,206,000 the first year and \$3,206,000 the  
 14.24 second year are from the general fund for  
 14.25 management, public awareness, assessment  
 14.26 and monitoring research, and water access  
 14.27 inspection to prevent the spread of invasive  
 14.28 species; management of invasive plants in  
 14.29 public waters; and management of terrestrial  
 14.30 invasive species on state-administered lands.

14.31 \$5,476,000 the first year and \$5,556,000 the  
 14.32 second year are from the water management  
 14.33 account in the natural resources fund for only  
 14.34 the purposes specified in Minnesota Statutes,  
 14.35 section 103G.27, subdivision 2.

- 15.1 \$124,000 the first year and \$124,000 the  
15.2 second year are for a grant to the Mississippi  
15.3 Headwaters Board for up to 50 percent of the  
15.4 cost of implementing the comprehensive plan  
15.5 for the upper Mississippi within areas under  
15.6 the board's jurisdiction.
- 15.7 \$10,000 the first year and \$10,000 the second  
15.8 year are for payment to the Leech Lake Band  
15.9 of Chippewa Indians to implement the band's  
15.10 portion of the comprehensive plan for the  
15.11 upper Mississippi River.
- 15.12 \$264,000 the first year and \$264,000 the  
15.13 second year are for grants for up to 50 percent  
15.14 of the cost of implementing the Red River  
15.15 mediation agreement.
- 15.16 \$2,259,000 the first year and \$2,298,000 the  
15.17 second year are from the heritage enhancement  
15.18 account in the game and fish fund for only the  
15.19 purposes specified in Minnesota Statutes,  
15.20 section 297A.94, paragraph (h), clause (1).
- 15.21 \$971,000 the first year and \$985,000 the  
15.22 second year are from the nongame wildlife  
15.23 management account in the natural resources  
15.24 fund for nongame wildlife management.
- 15.25 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section  
15.26 290.431, \$100,000 the first year and \$100,000  
15.27 the second year may be used for nongame  
15.28 wildlife information, education, and  
15.29 promotion.
- 15.30 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section  
15.31 84.943, \$13,000 the first year and \$13,000 the  
15.32 second year from the critical habitat private  
15.33 sector matching account may be used to

- 16.1 publicize the critical habitat license plate  
16.2 match program.
- 16.3 \$6,000,000 the first year and \$6,000,000 the  
16.4 second year are for the following activities:
- 16.5 (1) financial reimbursement and technical  
16.6 support to soil and water conservation districts  
16.7 or other local units of government for  
16.8 groundwater-level monitoring;
- 16.9 (2) surface water monitoring and analysis,  
16.10 including installing monitoring gauges;
- 16.11 (3) groundwater analysis to assist with  
16.12 water-appropriation permitting decisions;
- 16.13 (4) permit application review incorporating  
16.14 surface water and groundwater technical  
16.15 analysis;
- 16.16 (5) precipitation data and analysis to improve  
16.17 irrigation use;
- 16.18 (6) information technology, including  
16.19 electronic permitting and integrated data  
16.20 systems; and
- 16.21 (7) compliance and monitoring.
- 16.22 \$410,000 the first year and \$410,000 the  
16.23 second year are from the heritage enhancement  
16.24 account in the game and fish fund for grants  
16.25 to the Minnesota Aquatic Invasive Species  
16.26 Research Center at the University of  
16.27 Minnesota to prioritize, support, and develop  
16.28 research-based solutions that can reduce the  
16.29 effects of aquatic invasive species in  
16.30 Minnesota by preventing spread, controlling  
16.31 populations, and managing ecosystems and to  
16.32 advance knowledge to inspire actions by  
16.33 others.



17.1 \$1,854,000 the first year is for an  
 17.2 environmental study of Pineland Sands  
 17.3 aquifer. This appropriation is available until  
 17.4 June 30,2023.

17.5 **Subd. 4. Forest Management** 49,968,000 50,603,000

17.6	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>	
17.7	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
17.8	<u>General</u>	<u>32,951,000</u>
17.9	<u>Natural Resources</u>	<u>15,619,000</u>
17.10	<u>Game and Fish</u>	<u>1,398,000</u>

17.11 \$7,521,000 the first year and \$7,521,000 the  
 17.12 second year are for prevention, presuppression,  
 17.13 and suppression costs of emergency  
 17.14 firefighting and other costs incurred under  
 17.15 Minnesota Statutes, section 88.12. The amount  
 17.16 necessary to pay for presuppression and  
 17.17 suppression costs during the biennium is  
 17.18 appropriated from the general fund. By  
 17.19 January 15 of each year, the commissioner of  
 17.20 natural resources must submit a report to the  
 17.21 chairs and ranking minority members of the  
 17.22 house and senate committees and divisions  
 17.23 having jurisdiction over environment and  
 17.24 natural resources finance that identifies all  
 17.25 firefighting costs incurred and reimbursements  
 17.26 received in the prior fiscal year. These  
 17.27 appropriations may not be transferred. Any  
 17.28 reimbursement of firefighting expenditures  
 17.29 made to the commissioner from any source  
 17.30 other than federal mobilizations must be  
 17.31 deposited into the general fund.

17.32 \$15,119,000 the first year and \$15,386,000  
 17.33 the second year are from the forest  
 17.34 management investment account in the natural  
 17.35 resources fund for only the purposes specified

18.1 in Minnesota Statutes, section 89.039,  
 18.2 subdivision 2.  
 18.3 \$1,398,000 the first year and \$1,417,000 the  
 18.4 second year are from the heritage enhancement  
 18.5 account in the game and fish fund to advance  
 18.6 ecological classification systems (ECS)  
 18.7 scientific management tools for forest and  
 18.8 invasive species management.  
 18.9 \$836,000 the first year and \$847,000 the  
 18.10 second year are for the Forest Resources  
 18.11 Council to implement the Sustainable Forest  
 18.12 Resources Act.  
 18.13 \$1,131,000 the first year and \$1,131,000 the  
 18.14 second year are for the Next Generation Core  
 18.15 Forestry data system.  
 18.16 \$500,000 the first year and \$500,000 the  
 18.17 second year are from the forest management  
 18.18 investment account in the natural resources  
 18.19 fund for forest road maintenance on state  
 18.20 forest roads.  
 18.21 \$500,000 the first year and \$500,000 the  
 18.22 second year are for forest road maintenance  
 18.23 on county forest roads.

18.24 **Subd. 5. Parks and Trails Management** 92,315,000 93,251,000

18.25	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>	
18.26	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
18.27	<u>General</u>	<u>27,893,000</u> <u>28,230,000</u>
18.28	<u>Natural Resources</u>	<u>62,130,000</u> <u>62,721,000</u>
18.29	<u>Game and Fish</u>	<u>2,292,000</u> <u>2,300,000</u>

18.30 \$1,075,000 the first year and \$1,075,000 the  
 18.31 second year are from the water recreation  
 18.32 account in the natural resources fund for  
 18.33 enhancing public water-access facilities.

19.1 \$6,344,000 the first year and \$6,435,000 the  
19.2 second year are from the natural resources  
19.3 fund for state trail, park, and recreation area  
19.4 operations. This appropriation is from revenue  
19.5 deposited in the natural resources fund under  
19.6 Minnesota Statutes, section 297A.94,  
19.7 paragraph (h), clause (2).

19.8 \$18,552,000 the first year and \$18,828,000  
19.9 the second year are from the state parks  
19.10 account in the natural resources fund to  
19.11 operate and maintain state parks and state  
19.12 recreation areas.

19.13 \$1,005,000 the first year and \$1,005,000 the  
19.14 second year are from the natural resources  
19.15 fund for park and trail grants to local units of  
19.16 government on land to be maintained for at  
19.17 least 20 years for parks or trails. This  
19.18 appropriation is from revenue deposited in the  
19.19 natural resources fund under Minnesota  
19.20 Statutes, section 297A.94, paragraph (h),  
19.21 clause (4). Any unencumbered balance does  
19.22 not cancel at the end of the first year and is  
19.23 available for the second year.

19.24 \$9,624,000 the first year and \$9,624,000 the  
19.25 second year are from the snowmobile trails  
19.26 and enforcement account in the natural  
19.27 resources fund for the snowmobile  
19.28 grants-in-aid program. Any unencumbered  
19.29 balance does not cancel at the end of the first  
19.30 year and is available for the second year.

19.31 \$2,135,000 the first year and \$2,135,000 the  
19.32 second year are from the natural resources  
19.33 fund for the off-highway vehicle grants-in-aid  
19.34 program. Of this amount, \$1,660,000 each  
19.35 year is from the all-terrain vehicle account;

20.1 \$150,000 each year is from the off-highway  
 20.2 motorcycle account; and \$325,000 each year  
 20.3 is from the off-road vehicle account. Any  
 20.4 unencumbered balance does not cancel at the  
 20.5 end of the first year and is available for the  
 20.6 second year.

20.7 \$116,000 the first year and \$117,000 the  
 20.8 second year are from the cross-country-ski  
 20.9 account in the natural resources fund for  
 20.10 grooming and maintaining cross-country-ski  
 20.11 trails in state parks, trails, and recreation areas.

20.12 \$266,000 the first year and \$269,000 the  
 20.13 second year are from the state land and water  
 20.14 conservation account in the natural resources  
 20.15 fund for priorities established by the  
 20.16 commissioner for eligible state projects and  
 20.17 administrative and planning activities  
 20.18 consistent with Minnesota Statutes, section  
 20.19 84.0264, and the federal Land and Water  
 20.20 Conservation Fund Act. Any unencumbered  
 20.21 balance does not cancel at the end of the first  
 20.22 year and is available for the second year.

20.23 \$250,000 the first year and \$250,000 the  
 20.24 second year are for matching grants for local  
 20.25 parks and outdoor recreation areas under  
 20.26 Minnesota Statutes, section 85.019,  
 20.27 subdivision 2.

20.28 \$250,000 the first year and \$250,000 the  
 20.29 second year are for matching grants for local  
 20.30 trail connections under Minnesota Statutes,  
 20.31 section 85.019, subdivision 4c.

20.32 **Subd. 6. Fish and Wildlife Management** 69,330,000 70,174,000

20.33 Appropriations by Fund  
 20.34 2020 2021

21.1	<u>General</u>	<u>2,060,000</u>	<u>1,460,000</u>
21.2	<u>Natural Resources</u>	<u>1,954,000</u>	<u>1,982,000</u>
21.3	<u>Game and Fish</u>	<u>65,316,000</u>	<u>66,732,000</u>

21.4 \$8,539,000 the first year and \$8,658,000 the  
 21.5 second year are from the heritage enhancement  
 21.6 account in the game and fish fund only for  
 21.7 activities specified under Minnesota Statutes,  
 21.8 section 297A.94, paragraph (h), clause (1).

21.9 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section  
 21.10 297A.94, five percent of this appropriation  
 21.11 may be used for expanding hunter and angler  
 21.12 recruitment and retention.

21.13 \$2,060,000 the first year and \$1,460,000 the  
 21.14 second year are for planning and emergency  
 21.15 response to disease outbreaks in wildlife. Base  
 21.16 funding for this activity is \$1,100,000 in fiscal  
 21.17 year 2022 and thereafter.

21.18	<b><u>Subd. 7. Enforcement</u></b>	<u>46,450,000</u>	<u>48,106,000</u>
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21.19	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>		
21.20		<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
21.21	<u>General</u>	<u>7,632,000</u>	<u>8,175,000</u>
21.22	<u>Natural Resources</u>	<u>12,057,000</u>	<u>12,293,000</u>
21.23	<u>Game and Fish</u>	<u>26,655,000</u>	<u>27,529,000</u>
21.24	<u>Remediation</u>	<u>106,000</u>	<u>109,000</u>

21.25 \$1,718,000 the first year and \$1,718,000 the  
 21.26 second year are from the general fund for  
 21.27 enforcement efforts to prevent the spread of  
 21.28 aquatic invasive species.

21.29 \$1,580,000 the first year and \$1,580,000 the  
 21.30 second year are from the heritage enhancement  
 21.31 account in the game and fish fund for only the  
 21.32 purposes specified under Minnesota Statutes,  
 21.33 section 297A.94, paragraph (h), clause (1).

22.1 \$1,482,000 the first year and \$1,482,000 the  
22.2 second year are from the water recreation  
22.3 account in the natural resources fund for grants  
22.4 to counties for boat and water safety. Any  
22.5 unencumbered balance does not cancel at the  
22.6 end of the first year and is available for the  
22.7 second year.

22.8 \$315,000 the first year and \$315,000 the  
22.9 second year are from the snowmobile trails  
22.10 and enforcement account in the natural  
22.11 resources fund for grants to local law  
22.12 enforcement agencies for snowmobile  
22.13 enforcement activities. Any unencumbered  
22.14 balance does not cancel at the end of the first  
22.15 year and is available for the second year.

22.16 \$250,000 the first year and \$250,000 the  
22.17 second year are from the all-terrain vehicle  
22.18 account in the natural resources fund for grants  
22.19 to qualifying organizations to assist in safety  
22.20 and environmental education and monitoring  
22.21 trails on public lands under Minnesota  
22.22 Statutes, section 84.9011. Grants issued under  
22.23 this paragraph must be issued through a formal  
22.24 agreement with the organization. By  
22.25 December 15 each year, an organization  
22.26 receiving a grant under this paragraph must  
22.27 report to the commissioner with details on  
22.28 expenditures and outcomes from the grant. Of  
22.29 this appropriation, \$25,000 each year is for  
22.30 administering these grants. Any unencumbered  
22.31 balance does not cancel at the end of the first  
22.32 year and is available for the second year.

22.33 \$510,000 the first year and \$510,000 the  
22.34 second year are from the natural resources  
22.35 fund for grants to county law enforcement

23.1 agencies for off-highway vehicle enforcement  
 23.2 and public education activities based on  
 23.3 off-highway vehicle use in the county. Of this  
 23.4 amount, \$498,000 each year is from the  
 23.5 all-terrain vehicle account, \$11,000 each year  
 23.6 is from the off-highway motorcycle account,  
 23.7 and \$1,000 each year is from the off-road  
 23.8 vehicle account. The county enforcement  
 23.9 agencies may use money received under this  
 23.10 appropriation to make grants to other local  
 23.11 enforcement agencies within the county that  
 23.12 have a high concentration of off-highway  
 23.13 vehicle use. Of this appropriation, \$25,000  
 23.14 each year is for administering these grants.  
 23.15 Any unencumbered balance does not cancel  
 23.16 at the end of the first year and is available for  
 23.17 the second year.  
 23.18 \$176,000 the first year and \$176,000 the  
 23.19 second year are for an ice safety program.  
 23.20 The base for fiscal year 2022 and thereafter is  
 23.21 \$7,553,000 from the general fund,  
 23.22 \$27,951,000 from the game and fish fund,  
 23.23 \$12,380,000 from the natural resources fund,  
 23.24 and \$111,000 from the remediation fund.  
 23.25 These base level adjustments include pension  
 23.26 costs as provided in Laws 2018, chapter 211,  
 23.27 article 21, section 1, paragraph (a).  
 23.28 **Subd. 8. Operations Support**  
 23.29 \$2,357,000 the first year and \$3,208,000 the  
 23.30 second year are available for legal costs. Of  
 23.31 this amount, up to \$720,000 the first year and  
 23.32 \$918,000 the second year may be transferred  
 23.33 to the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency.  
 23.34 This is a onetime appropriation and is  
 23.35 available until June 30, 2023.

4,268,000

4,599,000

24.1 \$1,411,000 the first year and \$1,391,000 the  
 24.2 second year are available for protecting the  
 24.3 department's business systems and associated  
 24.4 infrastructure.

24.5 **Subd. 9. Pass Through Funds** 807,000 807,000

24.6	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>	
24.7	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
24.8	<u>General</u>	<u>187,000</u>
24.9	<u>Natural Resources</u>	<u>320,000</u>
24.10	<u>Permanent School</u>	<u>300,000</u>

24.11 \$320,000 the first year and \$320,000 the  
 24.12 second year are from the natural resources  
 24.13 fund for grants to be divided equally between  
 24.14 the city of St. Paul for the Como Park Zoo and  
 24.15 Conservatory and the city of Duluth for the  
 24.16 Lake Superior Zoo. This appropriation is from  
 24.17 revenue deposited to the natural resources fund  
 24.18 under Minnesota Statutes, section 297A.94,  
 24.19 paragraph (h), clause (5).

24.20 \$187,000 the first year and \$187,000 the  
 24.21 second year are for the Office of School Trust  
 24.22 Lands.

24.23 \$300,000 the first year and \$300,000 the  
 24.24 second year should be transferred from the  
 24.25 forestry suspense account in the permanent  
 24.26 school fund for the Office of School Trust  
 24.27 Lands.

24.28 **Sec. 4. BOARD OF WATER AND SOIL**  
 24.29 **RESOURCES** \$ 15,751,000 \$ 15,556,000

24.30 \$3,423,000 the first year and \$3,423,000 the  
 24.31 second year are for natural resources block  
 24.32 grants to local governments to implement the  
 24.33 Wetland Conservation Act and shoreland  
 24.34 management under Minnesota Statutes,



25.1 chapter 103F, and local water management  
25.2 under Minnesota Statutes, chapter 103B. The  
25.3 board may reduce the amount of the natural  
25.4 resources block grant to a county by an  
25.5 amount equal to any reduction in the county's  
25.6 general services allocation to a soil and water  
25.7 conservation district from the county's  
25.8 previous year allocation when the board  
25.9 determines that the reduction was  
25.10 disproportionate.

25.11 \$3,116,000 the first year and \$3,116,000 the  
25.12 second year are for grants to soil and water  
25.13 conservation districts for the purposes of  
25.14 Minnesota Statutes, sections 103C.321 and  
25.15 103C.331, and for general purposes, nonpoint  
25.16 engineering, and implementation and  
25.17 stewardship of the reinvest in Minnesota  
25.18 reserve program. Expenditures may be made  
25.19 from these appropriations for supplies and  
25.20 services benefiting soil and water conservation  
25.21 districts. Any district receiving a payment  
25.22 under this paragraph must maintain a web page  
25.23 that publishes, at a minimum, its annual report,  
25.24 annual audit, annual budget, and meeting  
25.25 notices.

25.26 \$761,000 the first year and \$761,000 the  
25.27 second year are to implement, enforce, and  
25.28 provide oversight for the Wetland  
25.29 Conservation Act, including administering the  
25.30 wetland banking program and in-lieu fee  
25.31 mechanism.

25.32 \$1,560,000 the first year and \$1,560,000 the  
25.33 second year are for the following cost-share  
25.34 programs:

- 26.1 (1) \$260,000 each year is for the feedlot water  
26.2 quality cost-sharing program for feedlots under  
26.3 500 animal units and nutrient and manure  
26.4 management projects in watersheds where  
26.5 there are impaired waters;
- 26.6 (2) \$1,200,000 each year is for cost-sharing  
26.7 programs of soil and water conservation  
26.8 districts for perennially vegetated riparian  
26.9 buffers, erosion control, water retention and  
26.10 treatment, and other high-priority conservation  
26.11 practices; and
- 26.12 (3) \$100,000 each year is for county  
26.13 cooperative weed management programs and  
26.14 to restore native plants in selected invasive  
26.15 species management sites.
- 26.16 \$166,000 the first year and \$166,000 the  
26.17 second year are to provide technical assistance  
26.18 to local drainage management officials and  
26.19 for the costs of the Drainage Work Group.
- 26.20 The board must coordinate with the Drainage  
26.21 Work Group according to Minnesota Statutes,  
26.22 section 103B.101, subdivision 13.
- 26.23 \$100,000 the first year and \$100,000 the  
26.24 second year are for a grant to the Red River  
26.25 Basin Commission for water quality and  
26.26 floodplain management, including  
26.27 administration of programs. This appropriation  
26.28 must be matched by nonstate funds.
- 26.29 \$140,000 the first year and \$140,000 the  
26.30 second year are for grants to Area II  
26.31 Minnesota River Basin Projects for floodplain  
26.32 management.

27.1 \$500,000 the first year and \$500,000 the  
27.2 second year are for conservation easement  
27.3 stewardship.

27.4 \$269,000 the first year and \$259,000 the  
27.5 second year are for critical information  
27.6 technology upgrades, development, and  
27.7 security improvements.

27.8 \$240,000 the first year and \$240,000 the  
27.9 second year are for a grant to the Lower  
27.10 Minnesota River Watershed District to defray  
27.11 the annual cost of operating and maintaining  
27.12 sites for dredge spoil to sustain the state,  
27.13 national, and international commercial and  
27.14 recreational navigation on the lower Minnesota  
27.15 River.

27.16 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section  
27.17 103C.501, the board may shift money in this  
27.18 section and may adjust the technical and  
27.19 administrative assistance portion of the funds  
27.20 to leverage federal or other nonstate funds or  
27.21 to address accountability, oversight, local  
27.22 government performance, or high-priority  
27.23 needs identified in local water management  
27.24 plans or comprehensive water management  
27.25 plans.

27.26 The appropriations for grants in this section  
27.27 are available until June 30, 2023. Returned  
27.28 grant funds must be regranted consistent with  
27.29 the purposes of this section. If an appropriation  
27.30 for grants in either year is insufficient, the  
27.31 appropriation in the other year is available for  
27.32 it.

27.33 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section  
27.34 16B.97, the appropriations for grants in this

28.1 section are exempt from the Department of  
 28.2 Administration, Office of Grants Management  
 28.3 Policy 08-10 Grant Monitoring.  
 28.4 \$5,745,000 the first year and \$5,550,000 the  
 28.5 second year are for BWSR agency  
 28.6 administration and operation. Of this, \$.....  
 28.7 is for cybersecurity. The base for agency  
 28.8 administration is \$5,351,000 in fiscal year  
 28.9 2022 and thereafter.

28.10 **Sec. 5. METROPOLITAN COUNCIL                    \$            8,540,000 \$            8,540,000**

28.11                    Appropriations by Fund

28.12		<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
28.13	<u>General</u>	<u>2,540,000</u>	<u>2,540,000</u>
28.14	<u>Natural Resources</u>	<u>6,000,000</u>	<u>6,000,000</u>

28.15 \$2,540,000 the first year and \$2,540,000 the  
 28.16 second year are for metropolitan-area regional  
 28.17 parks operation and maintenance according  
 28.18 to Minnesota Statutes, section 473.351.  
 28.19 \$6,000,000 the first year and \$6,000,000 the  
 28.20 second year are from the natural resources  
 28.21 fund for metropolitan-area regional parks and  
 28.22 trails maintenance and operations. This  
 28.23 appropriation is from revenue deposited in the  
 28.24 natural resources fund under Minnesota  
 28.25 Statutes, section 297A.94, paragraph (h),  
 28.26 clause (3).

28.27 **Sec. 6. CONSERVATION CORPS**  
 28.28 **MINNESOTA                    \$            945,000 \$            945,000**

28.29                    Appropriations by Fund

28.30		<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
28.31	<u>General</u>	<u>455,000</u>	<u>455,000</u>
28.32	<u>Natural Resources</u>	<u>490,000</u>	<u>490,000</u>

28.33 Conservation Corps Minnesota may receive  
 28.34 money appropriated from the natural resources

29.1 fund under this section only as provided in an  
 29.2 agreement with the commissioner of natural  
 29.3 resources.

29.4 **Sec. 7. ZOOLOGICAL BOARD** **\$ 10,831,000 \$ 9,969,000**

29.5	<u>Appropriations by Fund</u>	
29.6	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
29.7	<u>General</u>	<u>10,671,000</u>
29.8	<u>Natural Resources</u>	<u>9,809,000</u>
	<u>160,000</u>	<u>160,000</u>

29.9 \$160,000 the first year and \$160,000 the  
 29.10 second year are from the natural resources  
 29.11 fund from revenue deposited under Minnesota  
 29.12 Statutes, section 297A.94, paragraph (h),  
 29.13 clause (5).

29.14 \$499,000 the first year is to upgrade critical  
 29.15 communication and security technology  
 29.16 infrastructure. This is a onetime appropriation.

29.17 \$507,000 the first year is to purchase a fleet  
 29.18 of vehicles to facilitate guest transportation  
 29.19 and mobility. This is a onetime appropriation.

29.20 **Sec. 8. SCIENCE MUSEUM** **\$ 1,079,000 \$ 1,079,000**

29.21 **Sec. 9. EXPLORE MINNESOTA TOURISM** **\$ 15,344,000 \$ 15,344,000**

29.22 \$500,000 the first year and \$500,000 the  
 29.23 second year must be matched from nonstate  
 29.24 sources to develop maximum private sector  
 29.25 involvement in tourism. Each \$1 of state  
 29.26 incentive must be matched with \$6 of private  
 29.27 sector money. "Matched" means revenue to  
 29.28 the state or documented cash expenditures  
 29.29 directly expended to support Explore  
 29.30 Minnesota Tourism programs. Up to one-half  
 29.31 of the private sector contribution may be  
 29.32 in-kind or soft match. The incentive in fiscal  
 29.33 year 2020 is based on fiscal year 2019 private  
 29.34 sector contributions. The incentive in fiscal

30.1 year 2021 is based on fiscal year 2020 private  
 30.2 sector contributions. This incentive is ongoing.  
 30.3 Money for marketing grants is available either  
 30.4 year of the biennium. Unexpended grant  
 30.5 money from the first year are available in the  
 30.6 second year.  
 30.7 \$1,000,000 the first year and \$1,000,000 the  
 30.8 second year are for the major events grants  
 30.9 program. This appropriation is available until  
 30.10 June 30, 2021.  
 30.11 \$100,000 each year is for a grant to the  
 30.12 Northern Lights International Music Festival.

## 30.13 **ARTICLE 2**

### 30.14 **ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES**

30.15 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 85.42, is amended to read:

#### 30.16 **85.42 USER FEE; VALIDITY.**

30.17 (a) The fee for an annual cross-country-ski pass is ~~\$19~~ \$24 for an individual age 16 and  
 30.18 over. The fee for a three-year pass is ~~\$54~~ \$69 for an individual age 16 and over. This fee  
 30.19 ~~shall~~ must be collected at the time the pass is purchased. Three-year passes are valid for  
 30.20 three years beginning the previous July 1. Annual passes are valid for one year beginning  
 30.21 the previous July 1.

30.22 (b) The cost for a daily cross-country skier pass is ~~\$5~~ \$9 for an individual age 16 and  
 30.23 over. This fee ~~shall~~ must be collected at the time the pass is purchased. The daily pass is  
 30.24 valid only for the date designated on the pass form.

30.25 (c) A pass must be signed by the skier across the front of the pass to be valid and ~~becomes~~  
 30.26 is nontransferable on signing when signed.

30.27 (d) The commissioner and agents ~~shall~~ must issue a duplicate pass to a person whose  
 30.28 pass is lost or destroyed; using the process established under section 97A.405, subdivision  
 30.29 3, and rules adopted thereunder. The fee for a duplicate cross-country-ski pass is \$2.

31.1 Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 85.47, is amended to read:

31.2 **85.47 SPECIAL USE PERMITS; FEES.**

31.3 Fees collected for special use permits to use state trails not on state forest, state park, or  
 31.4 state recreation area lands and for use of state water access sites must be deposited in the  
 31.5 natural resources fund and are appropriated to the commissioner of natural resources for  
 31.6 operating and maintaining state trails and water access sites.

31.7 Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 86B.415, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

31.8 Subdivision 1. **Watercraft 19 feet or less.** (a) Except as provided in paragraph (b) and  
 31.9 subdivision 1a, the fee for a watercraft license for watercraft 19 feet or less in length is ~~\$27~~  
 31.10 \$39.25.

31.11 (b) The watercraft license ~~fee~~ fees for the specified watercraft are as follows:

31.12 (1) for watercraft, other than personal watercraft, 19 feet in length or less that is offered  
 31.13 for rent or lease, ~~the fee is \$9~~ \$11.25;

31.14 (2) for a sailboat, 19 feet in length or less, ~~the fee is \$10.50~~ \$15.25;

31.15 (3) for a watercraft 19 feet in length or less used by a nonprofit corporation for teaching  
 31.16 boat and water safety, ~~the fee is~~ as provided in subdivision 4;

31.17 (4) for a watercraft owned by a dealer under a dealer's license, ~~the fee is~~ as provided in  
 31.18 subdivision 5;

31.19 (5) for a personal watercraft, ~~the fee is \$37.50~~ \$54.50, except for a personal watercraft  
 31.20 that is offered for rent or lease according to section 86B.313, subdivision 4, \$47; and

31.21 (6) for a watercraft less than 17 feet in length, other than a watercraft listed in clauses  
 31.22 (1) to (5), ~~the fee is \$18~~ \$26.

31.23 Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 86B.415, subdivision 1a, is amended to read:

31.24 Subd. 1a. **Canoes, kayaks, sailboards, paddleboards, paddleboats, or rowing**  
 31.25 **shells.** The fee for a watercraft license for a canoe, kayak, sailboard, paddleboard, paddleboat,  
 31.26 or rowing shell over ten feet in length is ~~\$10.50~~ \$15.25.

31.27 Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 86B.415, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

31.28 Subd. 2. **Watercraft over 19 feet.** Except as provided in subdivisions 1a, 3, 4, and 5,  
 31.29 the watercraft license fee:

32.1 (1) for a watercraft more than 19 feet but less than 26 feet in length is ~~\$45~~ \$65.25;

32.2 (2) for a watercraft 26 feet but less than 40 feet in length is ~~\$67.50~~ \$98; and

32.3 (3) for a watercraft 40 feet in length or longer is ~~\$90~~ \$130.50.

32.4 Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 86B.415, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

32.5 Subd. 3. **Watercraft over 19 feet for hire.** The license fee for a watercraft more than  
32.6 19 feet in length for hire with an operator is ~~\$75~~ \$108.75 each.

32.7 Sec. 7. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 86B.415, subdivision 4, is amended to read:

32.8 Subd. 4. **Watercraft used by nonprofit corporation for teaching.** The watercraft  
32.9 license fee for a watercraft used by a nonprofit organization for teaching boat and water  
32.10 safety is ~~\$4.50~~ \$5.75 each.

32.11 Sec. 8. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 86B.415, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

32.12 Subd. 5. **Dealer's license.** There is no separate fee for watercraft owned by a dealer  
32.13 under a dealer's license. The fee for a dealer's license is ~~\$67.50~~ \$98.

32.14 Sec. 9. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 86B.415, subdivision 7, is amended to read:

32.15 Subd. 7. **Watercraft surcharge.** A ~~\$5~~ \$7.25 surcharge is placed on each watercraft  
32.16 licensed under subdivisions 1 to 5 for control, public awareness, law enforcement, monitoring,  
32.17 and research of aquatic invasive species, such as zebra mussel, purple loosestrife, and  
32.18 Eurasian watermilfoil, in public waters and public wetlands.

32.19 Sec. 10. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 88.642, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

32.20 Subdivision 1. **Written consent.** No person shall cut, harvest, remove, transport, or  
32.21 possess for decorative purposes or for sale more than three decorative trees, more than 100  
32.22 pounds of decorative boughs, more than 50 spruce stems or branches greater than six inches  
32.23 in length, more than 50 birch stems or branches greater than one-inch large-end diameter,  
32.24 or more than 100 pounds of any other decorative materials without the written consent of  
32.25 the owner or authorized agent of the private or public land on which the decorative materials  
32.26 were cut or harvested. The written consent ~~shall be on a form furnished or otherwise approved~~  
32.27 ~~by the commissioner of natural resources and shall~~ must contain the legal description of the  
32.28 land where the decorative materials were cut or harvested, as well as the name of the legal  
32.29 owner of the land or the owner's authorized agent. The written consent must be carried by  
32.30 every person cutting, harvesting, removing, possessing, or transporting any decorative



33.1 materials, or in any way aiding therein, and must be exhibited to any officer at the officer's  
33.2 request at any time.

33.3 Sec. 11. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 88.642, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

33.4 Subd. 3. **Transportation requirements.** No person, common carrier, ~~bough~~ decorative  
33.5 materials buyer, or authorized agent shall purchase or otherwise receive for shipment or  
33.6 transportation any decorative materials without recording the seller's or consignor's name  
33.7 and address and the written consent on a form furnished or otherwise approved by the  
33.8 commissioner of natural resources.

33.9 Sec. 12. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 88.6435, is amended to read:

33.10 **88.6435 BOUGH DECORATIVE MATERIALS BUYERS.**

33.11 ~~Subdivision 1. **Permits.** A person may not buy more than 100 pounds of decorative~~  
33.12 ~~boughs in any calendar year without a bough buyer's permit issued by the commissioner of~~  
33.13 ~~natural resources. The annual fee for a permit for a resident or nonresident to buy decorative~~  
33.14 ~~boughs is \$25.~~

33.15 Subd. 1a. **License.** (a) A person must have a buyer's license for decorative materials to:

33.16 (1) buy more than 100 pounds of decorative boughs in any calendar year;

33.17 (2) buy more than 50 spruce stems or branches greater than six inches in length in any  
33.18 calendar year; or

33.19 (3) buy more than 50 birch stems or branches greater than one-inch large-end diameter  
33.20 in any calendar year.

33.21 (b) The annual fee for a buyer's license for decorative materials for a resident or  
33.22 nonresident is \$25.

33.23 Subd. 2. **Record requirements.** (a) When buying or otherwise receiving decorative  
33.24 ~~boughs~~ materials, a person ~~permitted~~ licensed under this section must record:

33.25 (1) the seller's name and address;

33.26 (2) the form of written consent; and

33.27 (3) the government permit number or legal description or property tax identification  
33.28 number of the land from which the ~~boughs~~ decorative materials were obtained.

34.1 (b) The information under paragraph (a) must be ~~provided~~ recorded on a form furnished  
 34.2 or otherwise approved by the commissioner of natural resources ~~in consultation with the~~  
 34.3 ~~balsam bough industry groups~~ and must be exhibited to an officer upon request.

34.4 ~~(b) Boughs may not be purchased~~ (c) A licensed buyer may not purchase decorative  
 34.5 materials if the seller fails to exhibit the written consent required under section 88.642,  
 34.6 subdivision 1, ~~or if the boughs do not conform to the standards specified on the consent.~~  
 34.7 Decorative boughs cut from public lands materials must conform to standards specified in  
 34.8 the written consent.

34.9 ~~(e)~~ (d) Records shall must be maintained from July 1 until June 30 of the following  
 34.10 calendar year and ~~shall~~ must be open to inspection to an officer during reasonable hours.

34.11 ~~(d)~~ (e) Customer name and address records created and maintained by ~~permittees~~ licensees  
 34.12 under this section are classified as private or nonpublic government data.

34.13 Subd. 3. ~~Revocation of permits~~ Penalties. (a) The commissioner may deny, modify,  
 34.14 suspend, or revoke a permit license issued under this section for cause, including ~~falsification~~  
 34.15 ~~of~~ for falsifying records required under this section or ~~violation of any other provision of~~  
 34.16 for violating sections 88.641 to 88.648.

34.17 (b) A person convicted of two or more violations of sections 88.641 to 88.648 within  
 34.18 three years may not obtain a ~~bough~~ buyer's permit license for decorative materials for three  
 34.19 years ~~from~~ after the date of the last conviction.

34.20 Subd. 4. ~~Forest bough~~ Special forest products account; disposition of fees. (a) The  
 34.21 ~~forest bough special forest products~~ account is established in the state treasury ~~within~~ in the  
 34.22 natural resources fund.

34.23 (b) Fees for ~~permits~~ licenses issued under this section must be deposited in the state  
 34.24 treasury and credited to the ~~forest bough special forest products~~ account and, except for the  
 34.25 electronic licensing system commission established by the commissioner under section  
 34.26 84.027, subdivision 15, are annually appropriated to the commissioner of natural resources  
 34.27 for costs associated with special forest product information and education programs for  
 34.28 harvesters and buyers.

34.29 Sec. 13. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 90.01, is amended by adding a subdivision to  
 34.30 read:

34.31 Subd. 13. Special forest products. "Special forest products" means woody and  
 34.32 herbaceous plants, plant parts, seeds, fungus, soil, gravel, and forest substrate for  
 34.33 consumption, decoration, or medicine or for any other specialty use.

35.1 Sec. 14. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 90.195, is amended to read:

35.2 **90.195 SPECIAL USE AND PRODUCT PERMIT.**

35.3 (a) The commissioner may issue a fuelwood permit to salvage or cut not to exceed 12  
35.4 cords of fuelwood per year for personal use from either or both of the following sources:

35.5 (1) dead, down, and damaged trees; or

35.6 (2) other trees that are of negative value under good forest management practices.

35.7 (b) The fuelwood permits under paragraph (a) may be issued for a period not to exceed  
35.8 one year. The commissioner ~~shall~~ must charge a fee for the permit as provided under section  
35.9 90.041, subdivision 10. The fee ~~shall~~ must not exceed the current market value of fuelwood  
35.10 of similar species, grade, and volume that is being sold in the area where the salvage or  
35.11 cutting is authorized under the permit.

35.12 ~~(b)~~ (c) The commissioner may issue a ~~special product permit under section 89.42 for~~  
35.13 ~~commercial use, which may include~~ permit for harvesting or collecting incidental volumes  
35.14 ~~of boughs, gravel, hay, biomass, and other products derived from forest management activities~~  
35.15 special forest products. The value of the products is the current market value of the products  
35.16 that are being sold in the area. The permit may be issued for a period not to exceed one year,  
35.17 and the commissioner ~~shall~~ must charge a fee for the permit as provided under section  
35.18 90.041, subdivision 10.

35.19 ~~(c)~~ (d) The commissioner may issue a special use permit for incidental volumes of timber  
35.20 from approved right-of-way road clearing across state land ~~for the purpose of accessing to~~  
35.21 access a state timber permit. The permit ~~shall~~ must include the volume and value of timber  
35.22 to be cleared and may be issued for a period not to exceed one year. A presale conference  
35.23 as required under section 90.151, subdivision 6, must be completed before the start of any  
35.24 activities under the permit.

35.25 Sec. 15. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 94.10, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

35.26 Subd. 2. **Public sale requirements.** (a) After complying with subdivision 1 ~~and~~ 2, before  
35.27 any public sale of surplus state-owned land is made, and at least 30 days before the sale,  
35.28 ~~the commissioner of natural resources shall publish a notice of the sale in a newspaper of~~  
35.29 ~~general distribution in the county in which the real property to be sold is situated. The notice~~  
35.30 ~~shall specify the time and place at which the sale will commence, a general description of~~  
35.31 ~~the lots or tracts to be offered, and a general statement of the terms of sale. The commissioner~~  
35.32 ~~shall also~~ must provide electronic notice of the sale.

36.1 (b) The minimum bid for a parcel of land must include the estimated value or appraised  
 36.2 value of the land and any improvements and, if any of the land is valuable for merchantable  
 36.3 timber, the value of the merchantable timber. The minimum bid may include expenses  
 36.4 incurred by the commissioner in rendering the property salable, including survey, appraisal,  
 36.5 legal, advertising, and other expenses.

36.6 (c) The purchaser of state land must pay recording fees and the state deed tax.

36.7 (d) Except as provided under paragraph (e), parcels remaining unsold after the offering  
 36.8 may be sold to anyone agreeing to pay at least 75 percent of the appraised value. The sale  
 36.9 shall continue until all parcels are sold or until the commissioner orders a reappraisal or  
 36.10 withdraws the remaining parcels from sale.

36.11 (e) The commissioner may retain the services of a licensed real estate broker to find a  
 36.12 buyer for parcels remaining unsold after the offering. The sale price may be negotiated by  
 36.13 the broker, but must not be less than 90 percent of the appraised value as determined by the  
 36.14 commissioner. The broker's fee must be established by prior agreement between the  
 36.15 commissioner and the broker and must not exceed ten percent of the sale price for sales of  
 36.16 \$10,000 or more. The broker's fee must be paid to the broker from the proceeds of the sale.

36.17 (f) Public sales of surplus state-owned land may be conducted through online auctions.

36.18 Sec. 16. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 97A.075, subdivision 1, is amended to read:

36.19 Subdivision 1. **Deer, bear, and lifetime licenses.** (a) For purposes of this subdivision,  
 36.20 "deer license" means a license issued under section 97A.475, subdivisions 2, clauses (5),  
 36.21 (6), (7), (13), (14), and (15); 3, paragraph (a), clauses (2), (3), (4), (10), (11), and (12); and  
 36.22 8, paragraph (b), and licenses issued under section 97B.301, subdivision 4.

36.23 (b) ~~\$2 from each annual deer license and \$2 annually from the lifetime fish and wildlife~~  
 36.24 ~~trust fund, established in section 97A.4742, for each license issued under section 97A.473,~~  
 36.25 ~~subdivision 4, shall~~ The following amounts must be credited to the deer management account  
 36.26 and is are appropriated to the commissioner for deer habitat improvement or deer  
 36.27 management programs-, including a computerized licensing system:

36.28 (1) \$16 from each annual deer license issued under section 97A.475, subdivisions 2,  
 36.29 clauses (5), (6), and (7); 3, paragraph (a), clauses (2), (3), and (4); and 8, paragraph (b);

36.30 (2) \$2 from each annual deer license issued under sections 97A.475, subdivisions 2,  
 36.31 clauses (13), (14), and (15); and 3, paragraph (a), clauses (10), (11), and (12); and 97B.301,  
 36.32 subdivision 4; and

37.1 (3) \$16 annually from the lifetime fish and wildlife trust fund, established under section  
 37.2 97A.4742, for each license issued to a person 18 years of age or older under section 97A.473,  
 37.3 subdivision 4, and \$2 annually from the lifetime fish and wildlife trust fund for each license  
 37.4 issued to a person under 18 years of age.

37.5 (c) \$1 from each annual deer license and each bear license and \$1 annually from the  
 37.6 lifetime fish and wildlife trust fund, established in section 97A.4742, for each license issued  
 37.7 under section 97A.473, subdivision 4, ~~shall~~ must be credited to the deer and bear management  
 37.8 account and is appropriated to the commissioner for deer- and bear-management programs,  
 37.9 including a computerized licensing system.

37.10 (d) Fifty cents from each deer license is credited to the emergency deer feeding and wild  
 37.11 Cervidae health-management account and is appropriated for emergency deer feeding and  
 37.12 wild Cervidae health management. Money appropriated for emergency deer feeding and  
 37.13 wild Cervidae health management is available until expended.

37.14 (e) When the unencumbered balance in the appropriation for emergency deer feeding  
 37.15 and wild Cervidae health management exceeds \$2,500,000 at the end of a fiscal year, the  
 37.16 unencumbered balance ~~in excess of~~ over \$2,500,000 is canceled and is available for deer-  
 37.17 and bear-management programs and computerized licensing.

37.18 Sec. 17. Minnesota Statutes 2018, section 103G.301, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

37.19 Subd. 2. **Permit application and notification fees.** (a) A fee to defray the costs of  
 37.20 receiving, recording, and processing must be paid for a permit application authorized under  
 37.21 this chapter, except for a general permit application, for each request to amend or transfer  
 37.22 an existing permit, and for a notification to request authorization to conduct a project under  
 37.23 a general permit. Fees established under this subdivision, unless specified in paragraph (c),  
 37.24 ~~shall be compliant~~ must comply with section 16A.1285.

37.25 (b) Proposed projects that require water in excess of 100 million gallons per year must  
 37.26 be assessed fees to recover the costs incurred to evaluate the project and the costs incurred  
 37.27 for environmental review. Fees collected under this paragraph must be credited to an account  
 37.28 in the natural resources fund and are appropriated to the commissioner.

37.29 (c) The fee to apply for a permit to appropriate water, in addition to any fee under  
 37.30 paragraph (b), ~~and for a permit to construct or repair a dam that is subject to dam safety~~  
 37.31 ~~inspection~~ is \$150. The application fee for a permit to construct or repair a dam that is  
 37.32 subject to a dam safety inspection, to work in public waters<sub>2</sub> or to divert waters for mining

38.1 must be at least ~~\$150~~ \$300, but not more than ~~\$1,000~~ \$3,000. The fee for a notification to  
 38.2 request authorization to conduct a project under a general permit is \$100.

38.3 Sec. 18. Laws 2016, chapter 189, article 3, section 2, subdivision 2, is amended to read:

38.4 **Subd. 2. Water** -0- 1,038,000

38.5 \$437,000 the second year is from the general  
 38.6 fund and \$486,000 the second year is from the  
 38.7 environmental fund to meet the increased  
 38.8 demand for technical assistance and review  
 38.9 of municipal water infrastructure projects that  
 38.10 will be generated by increased grant funding  
 38.11 through the Public Facilities Authority. This  
 38.12 is a onetime appropriation and is available  
 38.13 until June 30, ~~2019~~ 2021.

38.14 \$115,000 the second year is for the working  
 38.15 lands program feasibility study and program  
 38.16 plan. This is a onetime appropriation and is  
 38.17 available until June 30, 2018.

38.18 Sec. 19. Laws 2016, chapter 189, article 3, section 3, subdivision 8, is amended to read:

38.19 **Subd. 8. Operations Support** 1,599,000 3,611,000

38.20 Appropriations by Fund

38.21	2016	2017
38.22 General	1,599,000	3,551,000
38.23 Game and Fish	-0-	60,000

38.24 \$1,599,000 the first year and \$2,801,000 the  
 38.25 second year are for legal costs related to the  
 38.26 NorthMet mining project. Of this amount, up  
 38.27 to \$1,289,000 the second year may be  
 38.28 transferred to other agencies for legal costs  
 38.29 associated with the NorthMet mining project.  
 38.30 This is a onetime appropriation and is  
 38.31 available until June 30, ~~2019~~ 2021.

39.1 \$750,000 the second year is for a grant to Wolf  
 39.2 Ridge Environmental Learning Center to  
 39.3 construct a new dormitory, renovate an old  
 39.4 dormitory, construct a maintenance building,  
 39.5 and construct a small classroom building with  
 39.6 parking. The grant is not available until the  
 39.7 commissioner of management and budget  
 39.8 determines that an amount sufficient to  
 39.9 complete the project is available from nonstate  
 39.10 sources. This is a onetime appropriation and  
 39.11 is available until June 30, 2019.

39.12 \$60,000 the second year is from the heritage  
 39.13 enhancement account for the department's  
 39.14 Southeast Asian unit to conduct outreach  
 39.15 efforts to the Southeast Asian community in  
 39.16 Minnesota, including outreach efforts to  
 39.17 refugees from Burma, to encourage  
 39.18 participation in outdoor education  
 39.19 opportunities and activities. This is a onetime  
 39.20 appropriation.

39.21 Sec. 20. Laws 2017, chapter 93, article 1, section 2, subdivision 6, is amended to read:

39.22 Subd. 6. **Remediation** 14,670,000 11,669,000

Appropriations by Fund			
	2018	2019	
39.25 Environmental	688,000	688,000	
39.26 Remediation	10,766,000	10,765,000	
39.27 Closed Landfill			
39.28 Investment	3,000,000	-0-	
39.29 General	216,000	216,000	

39.30 (a) All money for environmental response,  
 39.31 compensation, and compliance in the  
 39.32 remediation fund not otherwise appropriated  
 39.33 is appropriated to the commissioners of the  
 39.34 Pollution Control Agency and agriculture for  
 39.35 purposes of Minnesota Statutes, section

40.1 115B.20, subdivision 2, clauses (1), (2), (3),  
40.2 (6), and (7). At the beginning of each fiscal  
40.3 year, the two commissioners shall jointly  
40.4 submit an annual spending plan to the  
40.5 commissioner of management and budget that  
40.6 maximizes the use of resources and  
40.7 appropriately allocates the money between the  
40.8 two departments. This appropriation is  
40.9 available until June 30, 2019.

40.10 (b) \$216,000 the first year and \$216,000 the  
40.11 second year are from the general fund and  
40.12 \$216,000 the first year and \$216,000 the  
40.13 second year are from the environmental fund  
40.14 to manage contaminated sediment projects at  
40.15 multiple sites identified in the St. Louis River  
40.16 remedial action plan to restore water quality  
40.17 in the St. Louis River area of concern. This  
40.18 amount is added to the base for fiscal year  
40.19 2020 only.

40.20 (c) \$3,871,000 the first year and \$3,870,000  
40.21 the second year are from the remediation fund  
40.22 for purposes of the leaking underground  
40.23 storage tank program to investigate, clean up,  
40.24 and prevent future releases from underground  
40.25 petroleum storage tanks, and to the petroleum  
40.26 remediation program for purposes of vapor  
40.27 assessment and remediation. These same  
40.28 annual amounts are transferred from the  
40.29 petroleum tank fund to the remediation fund.

40.30 (d) \$252,000 the first year and \$252,000 the  
40.31 second year are from the remediation fund for  
40.32 transfer to the commissioner of health for  
40.33 private water-supply monitoring and health  
40.34 assessment costs in areas contaminated by  
40.35 unpermitted mixed municipal solid waste



41.1 disposal facilities and drinking water  
 41.2 advisories and public information activities  
 41.3 for areas contaminated by hazardous releases.

41.4 (e) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes,  
 41.5 section 115B.421, \$3,000,000 the first year is  
 41.6 from the closed landfill investment fund for  
 41.7 settling obligations with the federal  
 41.8 government, remedial investigations,  
 41.9 feasibility studies, engineering, and  
 41.10 cleanup-related activities for purposes of  
 41.11 environmental response actions at a priority  
 41.12 qualified facility under Minnesota Statutes,  
 41.13 sections 115B.406 and 115B.407. By January  
 41.14 15, ~~2018~~ 2020, the commissioner must submit  
 41.15 a status report to the chairs and ranking  
 41.16 minority members of the house of  
 41.17 representatives and senate committees and  
 41.18 divisions with jurisdiction over the  
 41.19 environment and natural resources. This is a  
 41.20 onetime appropriation and is available until  
 41.21 June 30, ~~2019~~ 2021.

41.22 **Sec. 21. PRIVATE SALE OF SURPLUS STATE LAND BORDERING PUBLIC**  
 41.23 **WATER; CARLTON COUNTY.**

41.24 (a) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, sections 92.45, 94.09, and 94.10, the  
 41.25 commissioner of natural resources may sell by private sale the surplus land bordering public  
 41.26 water that is described in paragraph (c).

41.27 (b) The commissioner may make necessary changes to the legal description to correct  
 41.28 errors and ensure accuracy.

41.29 (c) The land that may be sold is located in Carlton County and is described as:  
 41.30 Government Lot 6, Section 1, Township 48 North, Range 19 West.

41.31 (d) The land borders Perch Lake and is not contiguous to other state lands. The  
 41.32 Department of Natural Resources has determined that the land is not needed for natural  
 41.33 resource purposes and that the state's land management interests would be best served if  
 41.34 the land were sold to a federally recognized Indian tribe for land consolidation purposes.

42.1 Sec. 22. **PUBLIC SALE OF SURPLUS STATE LAND BORDERING PUBLIC**  
42.2 **WATER; CASS COUNTY.**

42.3 (a) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 92.45, the commissioner of natural  
42.4 resources may sell by public sale the surplus land bordering public water that is described  
42.5 in paragraph (c).

42.6 (b) The commissioner may make necessary changes to the legal description to correct  
42.7 errors and ensure accuracy.

42.8 (c) The land that may be sold is located in Cass County and is described as: Lot 7, Block  
42.9 1, Dell's Sleepy Hollow, located in Section 22, Township 140 North, Range 29 West.

42.10 (d) The land borders Woman Lake and is not contiguous to other state lands. The  
42.11 Department of Natural Resources has determined that the land is not needed for natural  
42.12 resource purposes and that the state's land management interests would best be served if  
42.13 the land were returned to private ownership.

42.14 Sec. 23. **PUBLIC SALE OF SURPLUS STATE LAND BORDERING PUBLIC**  
42.15 **WATER; KANABEC COUNTY.**

42.16 (a) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 92.45, the commissioner of natural  
42.17 resources may sell by public sale the surplus land bordering public water that is described  
42.18 in paragraph (c).

42.19 (b) The commissioner may make necessary changes to the legal description to correct  
42.20 errors and ensure accuracy.

42.21 (c) The land that may be sold is located in Kanabec County and is described as: that part  
42.22 of the West 200 feet of the Northwest Quarter of Section 13, Township 42 North, Range  
42.23 23 West, Kanabec County, Minnesota, lying northerly of the centerline of the Snake River.

42.24 (d) The land borders the Snake River and is not contiguous to other state lands. The  
42.25 Department of Natural Resources has determined that the land is not needed for natural  
42.26 resource purposes and that the state's land management interests would best be served if  
42.27 the land were returned to private ownership.

43.1       Sec. 24. **PUBLIC SALE OF SURPLUS STATE LAND BORDERING PUBLIC**  
43.2 **WATER; OTTER TAIL COUNTY.**

43.3       (a) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 92.45, the commissioner of natural  
43.4 resources may sell by public sale the surplus land bordering public water that is described  
43.5 in paragraph (c).

43.6       (b) The commissioner may make necessary changes to the legal description to correct  
43.7 errors and ensure accuracy.

43.8       (c) The land that may be sold is located in Otter Tail County and is described as:

43.9       Lots 25, 26, and 27 in Block 2 of Jackson and McKee's Addition, according to the plat  
43.10 thereof, on file and of record in the Office of the Recorder, Otter Tail County, Minnesota,  
43.11 less and except that part of said Lot 27 in Block 2 of Jackson and McKee's Addition, Otter  
43.12 Tail County, Minnesota, South of the line between Government Lots 2 and 3, Section 14,  
43.13 Township 136, Range 38.

43.14       (d) The land borders Big Pine Lake and is not contiguous to other state lands. The  
43.15 Department of Natural Resources has determined that the land is not needed for natural  
43.16 resource purposes and that the state's land management interests would best be served if  
43.17 the land were returned to private ownership.

43.18       Sec. 25. **PUBLIC SALE OF SURPLUS STATE LAND BORDERING PUBLIC**  
43.19 **WATER; WABASHA COUNTY.**

43.20       (a) Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 92.45, the commissioner of natural  
43.21 resources may sell by public sale the surplus land bordering public water that is described  
43.22 in paragraph (c).

43.23       (b) The commissioner may make necessary changes to the legal description to correct  
43.24 errors and ensure accuracy.

43.25       (c) The land that may be sold is located in Wabasha County and is described as: Lot 4,  
43.26 Section 8, Township 109, Range 12, lying and being in the county of Wabasha, State of  
43.27 Minnesota.

43.28       (d) The land borders the Zumbro River and is not contiguous to other state lands. The  
43.29 Department of Natural Resources has determined that the land is not needed for natural  
43.30 resource purposes and that the state's land management interests would best be served if  
43.31 the land were returned to private ownership.