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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETY-THIRD SESSION

H. F. No. 3019

03/20/2023 Authored by Brand; Lislegard; Pursell; Hansen, R.; Edelson and others
The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Finance and Policy

1.1 A bill for an act

relating to natural resources; appropriating money for outdoor recreation.

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

Section 1. APPROPRIATION; OUTDOOR RECREATION.

\$118,000,000 in fiscal year 2024 is appropriated from the general fund to the commissioner of natural resources for modernizing Minnesota's state-managed outdoor recreation experiences. Of this amount, \$28,000,000 is for enhancing access and welcoming new users to public lands and outdoor recreation facilities; \$5,000,000 is for modernizing camping and related infrastructure; \$35,000,000 is for modernizing boating access; \$35,000,000 is for modernizing fish hatcheries and fishing infrastructure; and \$15,000,000 is for restoring streams and modernizing water-related infrastructure. The commissioner may reallocate across these purposes based on project readiness and priority.

Section 1.