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NINETY-FIRST SESSION**

**S.F. No. 579**

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Introduction and first reading  
Referred to Capital Investment

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1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to capital investment; appropriating money for the predesign and design  
1.3 of the Gateway Trail from William O'Brien State Park to the city of Scandia and  
1.4 for connections within the park; authorizing the sale and issuance of state bonds.

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

1.6 Section 1. **GATEWAY TRAIL PREDESIGN AND DESIGN.**

1.7 Subdivision 1. **Appropriation.** \$500,000 is appropriated from the bond proceeds fund  
1.8 to the commissioner of natural resources for predesign and design of the Gateway Trail  
1.9 from William O'Brien State Park to downtown Scandia. The commissioner must grant at  
1.10 least ten percent of the appropriation to the city of Scandia for local involvement in the  
1.11 predesign and design process and for predesign and design of safe connections between the  
1.12 Gateway Trail and the Gammelgarden Museum, and existing safe cycling routes in the city.  
1.13 The predesign and design must include suitable connections between the Gateway Trail  
1.14 extension and existing facilities in William O'Brien State Park.

1.15 Subd. 2. **Bond sale.** To provide the money appropriated in this section from the bond  
1.16 proceeds fund, the commissioner of management and budget shall sell and issue bonds of  
1.17 the state in an amount up to \$500,000 in the manner, upon the terms, and with the effect  
1.18 prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, sections 16A.631 to 16A.675, and by the Minnesota  
1.19 Constitution, article XI, sections 4 to 7.

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