

Chapter 88

2024 Regular Session

Subject Modifications to previous capital investment appropriations

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Overview

This act makes amendments to a variety of capital investment appropriations enacted in previous legislative sessions.

All articles are effective the day following final enactment (April 27, 2024).

Article 1: General Fund and Appropriation Bonds

Includes modifications to capital projects funded by general fund appropriations or appropriation bonds.

Section Description - Article 1: General Fund and Appropriation Bonds

1 Regional exchange district public infrastructure projects.

Removes a skywalk from a parking ramp project related to the Duluth Regional Exchange District.

2 Edina; community health and safety center.

Adds acquisition of property and construction to the project phases funded with the appropriation.

3 Barnesville; 13th Street.

Limits the appropriation to design of the project.

4 Douglas County; marked Trunk Highway 29.

Amends the project to be for design, engineering, and construction of a new bridge. Makes technical amendments to clarify that Highway 29 is a state highway.

5 East Gull Lake; street and trail reconstruction.

Changes the administering agency to the Department of Natural Resources. Provides that the project is a continuation of the Gull Lake Trail and specifies details about the

segments funded. Also allows for the appropriation to be used for a fishing park, dredging, a parking area, and other amenities.

6 Karlstad; airport runway.

Limits the project to engineering and construction of a primary airport runway and supporting facilities. Clarifies that the appropriation is for Phase 2 of the project, includes money for site grading and drainage, and is in addition to Phase 1 of the project which was funded in 2021.

7 Plymouth; Chankahda Trail.

Amends the appropriation to allow construction as an authorized use of the funds.

8 Ramsey County; Rice Street revitalization.

Adds predesign, design, environmental analysis, and right-of-way acquisition to the phases of the project funded with the appropriation.

9 Total appropriation.

Adds language clarifying that an appropriation may be made to a different entity than the commissioner of employment and economic development in the section.

10 Bigfork; community center.

Changes the grantee to Independent School District No. 318. Clarifies that the project involves a renovation and expansion to the Bigfork school to provide community center facilities through a use agreement with the city of Bigfork. Removes school related improvements from the project.

11 Bloomington; public health facility.

Adds construction as a project phase funded with the appropriation.

12 Brooklyn Park; community activity center.

Removes conversion of an existing ice arena from the project description and also removes specific sports from the description of the facility improvements.

13 Chisholm; Ice Arena and Curling Club.

Removes predesign as a project phase and removes installation of dehumidification systems from the project description.

14 Chisholm; Chisholm City Hall

Amends an appropriation for a film facility in the city of Chisholm to be used to design, engineer, and renovate Chisholm City Hall.

15 Litchfield; building facades.

Makes the Minnesota Historical Society the administering state entity. Provides design as a project phase. Clarifies the improvements may be made to both publicly and privately owned buildings. Deletes a reference to federal law and refers more generally to appropriate historic preservation standards and guidance for rehabilitation. Requires the city of Litchfield to consult with the city's heritage preservation commission. Extends the availability of the appropriation until December 31, 2028.

16 St. Paul; Conway Recreation Center.

Removes language about improvements to the existing structure and an auxiliary storage facility. Provides that the appropriation may be used for construction of a new structure or expansion of the existing structure, as well as site improvements, including traffic management and outdoor court construction. Expands the location to include Conway Park facilities.

17 Waite Park; Quarry redevelopment.

Limits the project to acquisition of property for Phase 2 of the project.

18 Avenues for Youth.

Adds construct, furnish, and equip to the project phases funded with the appropriation.

19 Comunidades Latinas Unidas en Servicio (CLUES).

Adds design to the list of project phases that may be funded with the appropriation. Provides that the location may be a similar property in Hennepin County instead of the specific location listed in the project description.

20 **Duluth Historic Armory.**

Splits the appropriation into predesign and design as one part of the project and construct, furnish, and equip as another part of the project to allow for the issuance of more than one grant.

21 East Side Neighborhood Services.

Adds design, renovate, and equip to the project phases funded with the appropriation. Changes the project description to improvements to an existing garage.

22 Irreducible Grace Foundation.

Changes the project to acquire, design, construct, furnish, and equip the renovation of existing multiunit residential housing in the Rondo or Frogtown neighborhood in

the city of St. Paul. Provides that the project is to provide 12 to 14 units of housing for youth and young adults facing homelessness.

23 Isuroon.

Authorizes the appropriation to be used for reimbursement for costs incurred for the project after June 1, 2023.

24 Lower Phalen Creek Project.

Changes the administering state entity to the Metropolitan Council. Changes the grantee to the city of St. Paul.

25 **New Native Theater.**

Provides that the project location is in the metropolitan area. Removes a requirement for the theater to be collocated in the Minneapolis American Indian Center.

26 **Open Arms.**

Authorizes the appropriation to be used to acquire items of capital equipment. The appropriation may be used for expenditures made on or after July 1, 2023.

27 Phyllis Wheatley Community Center.

Corrects a misspelling of the camp's name.

28 Somali Museum.

Authorizes use of the appropriation to acquire land and to construct, furnish, and equip a facility in the city of Minneapolis.

29 Southern Anoka Community Assistance.

Removes predesign, design, and engineering as phases of the project. Adds acquisition of property and renovation as project phases funded with the appropriation.

30 Walker | West Music Academy.

Adds renovation and construction as project phases funded with the appropriation.

31 YWCA St. Paul.

Adds YWCA St. Paul as the project grantee. Provides that the appropriation may be used to reimburse the grantee for project costs already paid for the project after July 1, 2023.

32 Lewis and Clark Joint Powers Board.

Provides that the appropriation may be used for more than one grant to make annual equity contributions to the Lewis and Clark Rural Water System pursuant to terms agreed to by the Joint Powers Board members in an expansion commitment agreement. Extends the availability of the appropriation until December 31, 2031.

33 **Buhl; water system.**

Removes furnish as a project phase. Includes renovation as a project phase funded with the appropriation. Adds publicly owned water infrastructure to the project description and clarifies that the project includes water storage systems in addition to treatment systems.

34 Dayton; wellhead treatment improvements.

Limits the project to one wellhead treatment plant.

35 Mound; clean water infrastructure.

Makes technical and grammatical changes. Clarifies that the project is to install and replace certain trunk water mains and to predesign and design a water treatment facility.

36 Morrison County Historical Society; Weyerhaeuser Museum.

Authorizes the use of the appropriation for replacement of the building's roof, exterior and interior repairs and upgrades to the building, and replacement of the parking lot.

37 Crosslake; National Loon Center.

Limits the project phases to acquisition of property, predesign, and design. Provides that amounts remaining after completion of the stated project phases may be applied to site preparation and construction for the same project.

38 Anoka County; Trunk Highway 65.

Provides an additional intersection location as part of the project description.

39 **Civil Air Patrol; hangar.**

Changes the grantee to the Civil Air Patrol.

40 Carver County; CSAH 18.

Adds construction as a phase of the project funded with the appropriation.

41 Cologne; wastewater treatment facility.

Limits the project phases to predesign and design. Clarifies that the improvements are to an existing municipal wastewater treatment facility and related infrastructure.

42 Floodwood; water and sewer infrastructure.

Removes two trunk highways from the project location. Adds a new lift station to the project description.

43 Ramsey; water treatment facility.

Adds trunk water main improvements to the project description.

44 Red Rock Rural Water System.

Removes furnish from the project phases. Changes the project description to improvements to two ground storage reservoirs. Changes the project size to approximately 15 miles of water transmission main. Changes the project location to Murray County.

45 **Effective Date.**

Provides that the article is effective the day following final enactment.

Article 2: General Obligation Bonds

Includes modifications to capital projects funded by appropriations of state general obligation bond proceeds.

Section Description - Article 2: General Obligation Bonds

1 Eagle Bend High School.

Authorizes the use of the appropriation for roof replacement on the Eagle Bend High School building. Clarifies that amounts remaining after the roof replacement are used for the project as previously described. Extends the availability of the appropriation until December 31, 2028.

2 Wadena – U.S. Highway 10 environmental cleanup.

Adds replacement and removal of water main and sanitary sewer infrastructure to the project description. Provides clarifying language regarding the project location.

3 Minneapolis – Upper Harbor Terminal redevelopment.

Provides that the appropriation may be issued as one or more grants instead of a single grant. Specifies that \$6,000,000 of the appropriation is for a grant to the

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Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board to design, engineer, construct, and equip a public park along the Mississippi riverfront. The other \$9,000,000 is for a grant to the city of Minneapolis for predesign, design, and construction work for site preparation and for public infrastructure improvements.

4 Flood hazard mitigation.

Changes an appropriation for the Toelle Coulee project to be a grant to the city of Browns Valley for Phase II of the project. Provides additional project purpose, location, and improvement language.

5 **Voyageur Country ATV Trail.**

Removes a grantee so the appropriation is solely administered by the Department of Natural Resources. Adds David Dill/Arrowhead State Trail to the project. Extends the availability of the bond sale authorization and appropriation until December 31, 2026.

6 Marshall Readiness Center.

Extends the availability of the bond sale authorization and appropriation until December 31, 2025.

7 Camp Ripley; Military Museum.

Extends the availability of the bond sale authorization and appropriation until December 31, 2025.

8 Olmsted County; Trunk Highway 14 and County Road 104 interchange construction.

Extends the availability of the bond sale authorization and appropriation until December 31, 2026.

9 Alexandria; Runestone Community Center expansion.

Extends the availability of the bond sale authorization and appropriation until December 31, 2028.

10 Minneapolis; outdoor performance venue.

Extends the availability of the bond sale authorization and appropriation until December 31, 2025.

11 St. Joseph; Jacob Wetterling Recreation Center.

Extends the availability of the bond sale authorization and appropriation until December 31, 2026.

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12 Lincoln-Pipestone Rural Water System.

Adds construction to the project phases funded with the appropriation.

13 Bond sale expenses.

Extends the bond sale authorization and appropriation for bond sale expenses until December 31, 2026.

14 Project development.

Extends a trunk highway bond sale authorization and appropriation until December 31, 2028.

15 Flood hazard mitigation.

Changes an appropriation for the Toelle Coulee project to be a grant to the city of Browns Valley.

16 Carver County; CSAH 18.

Adds construction as a phase of the project funded with the appropriation.

17 Plymouth; Chankahda Trail.

Adds construction as a phase of the project funded with the appropriation.

18 Inflow and infiltration grants.

Requires any unencumbered amount of the appropriation on July 1, 2024, to be issued as grants through the metropolitan cities inflow and infiltration grants program under Minnesota Statutes, section 473.5491.

19 Clearbrook; water infrastructure improvements.

Adds predesign and design to the project phases funded with the appropriation.

20 **Bond proceeds fund.**

Corrects an error in the bond sale and issuance amount in the 2023 bonding bill.

21 Effective date.

Provides that the article is effective the day following final enactment.

Article 3: Trunk Highway Bonds

Amends trunk highway bond sale expense provisions.

Section Description - Article 3: Trunk Highway Bonds

1 Bond sale expenses.

Provides that the appropriation cancels in accordance with the capital project cancellation statute, except that the commissioner of management and budget must count the start of authorization for issuance of state bonds as the first day of the fiscal year during which the bonds are available to be issued as specified under the section and not as the date of enactment of the section.

2 Bond sale expenses.

Provides that the appropriation cancels in accordance with the capital project cancellation statute, except that the commissioner of management and budget must count the start of authorization for issuance of state bonds as the first day of the fiscal year during which the bonds are available to be issued as specified under the section and not as the date of enactment of the section.

3 Effective date.

Provides that the article is effective the day following final enactment.

Article 4: Miscellaneous

Contains technical items that do not fit in with the other articles of the act.

Section Description - Article 4: Miscellaneous

1 Reports.

Changes the date of the cancellation report prepared by the commissioner of management and budget to the legislature to be February 1 of each year.

2 Effective date.

Provides that the article is effective the day following final enactment.



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