SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 5782

A bill to make appropriations for the department of environment, Great Lakes, and energy for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2023; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

ENERGY
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, GREAT LAKES, AND
September 30, 2023, from the following funds:
environment, Great Lakes, and energy for the fiscal year ending
Sec. 101. There is appropriated for the department of
LINE-ITEM APPROPRIATIONS
PART 1





Full-time equated unclassified positions	6.0	
Full-time equated classified positions	1,461.0	
GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 939,796,30
Interdepartmental grant revenues:		
Total interdepartmental grants and		
intradepartmental transfers		3,406,40
ADJUSTED GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 936,389,90
Federal revenues:		
Total federal revenues		501,566,70
Special revenue funds:		
Total local revenues		
Total private revenues		1,415,50
State general fund/general purpose		\$ · ·
Total other state restricted revenues State general fund/general purpose ec. 102. DEPARTMENTAL ADMINISTRATION AND UPPORT		\$ · · ·
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GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 35,865,900
Appropriated from:	
Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
IDG from department of state police	84,000
IDG from state transportation department	119,700
Federal revenues:	
Federal funds	767,000
Special revenue funds:	
Private funds	750,400
Air emissions fees	952,300
Aquatic nuisance control fund	86,100
Campground fund	29,000
Cleanup and redevelopment fund	2,120,500
Electronic waste recycling fund	42,400
Environmental education fund	196,400
Environmental pollution prevention fund	570,200
Fees and collections	24,400
Financial instruments	8,639,300
Great Lakes protection fund	554,200
Groundwater discharge permit fees	136,500
Infrastructure construction fund	5,40
Laboratory services fees	562,500
Land and water permit fees	218,300
Medical waste emergency response fund	42,400
Metallic mining surveillance fee revenue	11,000
Mineral well regulatory fee revenue	11,000
Nonferrous metallic mineral surveillance	49,200
NPDES fees	396,400



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Oil and gas regulatory fund		806,800
Orphan well fund		95,100
Public swimming pool fund		58,800
Public utility assessments		736,300
Public water supply fees		417,800
Refined petroleum fund		3,416,900
Renew Michigan fund		2,985,100
Sand extraction fee revenue		10,900
Scrap tire regulatory fund		229,200
Septage waste program fund		47,900
Settlement funds		1,000,000
Sewage sludge land application fees		78,400
Soil erosion and sedimentation control training		
fund		13,500
Solid waste management fund - staff account		1,099,900
Stormwater permit fees		198,700
Strategic water quality initiatives fund		111,100
Underground storage tank cleanup fund		264,500
Wastewater operator training fees		49,300
Water pollution control revolving fund		58,500
Water use reporting fees		23,100
State general fund/general purpose	\$	7,795,500
Sec. 103. WATER RESOURCES DIVISION		
Full-time equated classified positions	381.0	
Aquatic nuisance control programFTEs	6.0 \$	982,200
Coastal management grantsFTEs	7.0	2,534,800
Expedited water/wastewater permitsFTE	1.0	52,400



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L I	Federal - Great Lakes remedial action plan		
2	grants		583,800
3 <u>I</u>	Federal - nonpoint source water pollution		
ļ	grants		4,083,300
5 I	Fish contaminant monitoring		316,100
5 (Great Lakes restoration initiativeFTEs	9.0	11,239,900
' (Groundwater discharge permit programFTEs	22.0	3,419,600
3 <u> </u>	Land and water interface permit programsFTEs	119.0	18,285,200
	Nonpoint source pollution prevention and		
.0	control project program		2,000,000
.1 1	NPDES nonstormwater programFTEs	98.0	15,558,400
.2 <u> </u>	Program direction and project assistanceFTEs	27.0	3,325,300
3 5	Sewage sludge land application programFTEs	7.0	903,400
4 5	Stormwater activitiesFTEs	27.5	5,832,100
5 5	Surface waterFTEs	52.5	9,009,100
6	Technology advancements for water monitoring		500,000
. 7	Water quality protection grants		100,000
.8 7	Water withdrawal assessment programFTEs	5.0	863,800
.9 T	Wetlands program		1,021,200
20 (GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	80,610,600
2 1	Appropriated from:		
2 -	Interdepartmental grant revenues:		
3	IDG from state transportation department		1,363,900
4 T	Federal revenues:		
25 <u> </u>	Federal funds		34,607,700
26	Special revenue funds:		
27 <u> </u>	Aquatic nuisance control fund		982,200



Clean Michigan initiative fund - clean water		
fund		2,617,100
Clean Michigan initiative fund - nonpoint		
source		2,000,000
Environmental response fund		590,000
Groundwater discharge permit fees		1,521,100
Infrastructure construction fund		52,400
Land and water permit fees		2,445,100
NPDES fees		4,384,500
Refined petroleum fund		456,000
Sewage sludge land application fees		905,20
Soil erosion and sedimentation control training		
fund		142,30
Stormwater permit fees		2,291,30
Wastewater operator training fees		311,40
Water pollution control revolving fund		151,60
Water quality protection fund		100,000
Water use reporting fees		262,20
State general fund/general purpose		\$ 25,426,600
Sec. 104. AIR QUALITY DIVISION		
Full-time equated classified positions	187.0	
Air quality programsFTEs	187.0	\$ 31,046,80
GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 31,046,800
Appropriated from:		
Federal revenues:		
Federal funds		7,663,900
Special revenue funds:		
Air emissions fees		10,701,200



Fees and collections		213,400
Oil and gas regulatory fund		147,600
Public utility assessments		150,000
Refined petroleum fund		3,841,000
State general fund/general purpose	\$	8,329,700
Sec. 105. REMEDIATION AND REDEVELOPMENT DIVISION		
Full-time equated classified positions	311.0	
Brownfield grants	\$	1,100,00
Contaminated site investigations, cleanup and		
revitalizationFTEs	130.0	21,944,10
Emergency cleanup actions		2,000,00
Environmental cleanup and redevelopment program		27,600,00
Environmental cleanup support		1,000,00
Federal cleanup project managementFTEs	40.0	7,387,10
Laboratory servicesFTEs	42.0	8,535,70
Refined petroleum product cleanup programFTEs	99.0	35,386,00
Superfund cleanup		11,000,00
GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	115,952,90
Appropriated from:		
Federal revenues:		
Federal funds		16,616,20
Special revenue funds:		
Brownfield development fund		1,100,00
Cleanup and redevelopment fund		54,722,70
Environmental response fund		1,442,10
Laboratory services fees		8,208,00
Public water supply fees		327,70
Refined petroleum fund		33,241,60



State general fund/general purpose		\$ 294,600
Sec. 106. UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK AUTHORITY		
Full-time equated classified positions	8.0	
Underground storage tank cleanup programFTEs	8.0	\$ 20,098,000
GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 20,098,00
Appropriated from:		
Special revenue funds:		
Underground storage tank cleanup fund		20,098,00
State general fund/general purpose		\$
Sec. 107. RENEWING MICHIGAN'S ENVIRONMENT		
Full-time equated classified positions	131.0	
Information managementFTEs	20.0	\$ 5,652,20
Renewing Michigan's environment programFTEs	111.0	70,255,20
GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 75,907,40
Appropriated from:		
Interdepartmental grant revenues:		
IDG from department of state police		6,10
IDG from state transportation department		6,10
Federal revenues:		
Federal funds		5,80
Special revenue funds:		
Private funds		1,10
Air emissions fees		63,20
Aquatic nuisance control fund		4,20
Campground fund		1,10
Cleanup and redevelopment fund		137,70
Electronic waste recycling fund		1,10
Environmental education fund		20



Environmental pollution prevention fund	35,300
Fees and collections	1,100
Financial instruments	242,700
Great Lakes protection fund	1,100
Groundwater discharge permit fees	10,300
Laboratory services fees	35,300
Land and water permit fees	13,700
Medical waste emergency response fund	1,100
Nonferrous metallic mineral surveillance	2,700
NPDES fees	24,000
Oil and gas regulatory fund	50,400
Orphan well fund	6,100
Public swimming pool fund	1,200
Public utility assessments	1,100
Public water supply fees	25,800
Refined petroleum fund	217,100
Renew Michigan fund	70,438,300
Scrap tire regulatory fund	13,700
Septage waste program fund	1,100
Sewage sludge land application fees	4,200
Soil erosion and sedimentation control training	
fund	200
Solid waste management fund - staff account	69,100
Stormwater permit fees	11,800
Strategic water quality initiatives fund	6,100
Underground storage tank cleanup fund	15,400
Wastewater operator training fees	2,700
Water pollution control revolving fund	2,700



Water use reporting fees	1,100
State general fund/general purpose	\$ 4,445,400
Sec. 108. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
Information technology services and projects	\$ 9,239,200
GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 9,239,200
Appropriated from:	
Interdepartmental grant revenues:	
IDG from department of state police	24,30
IDG from state transportation department	35,000
Federal revenues:	
Federal funds	1,799,60
Special revenue funds:	
Private funds	14,50
Air emissions fees	277,40
Aquatic nuisance control fund	25,10
Campground fund	8,40
Cleanup and redevelopment fund	621,80
Electronic waste recycling fund	12,20
Environmental education fund	4,60
Environmental pollution prevention fund	158,80
Fees and collections	6,10
Financial instruments	1,098,50
Great Lakes protection fund	13,70
Groundwater discharge permit fees	39,50
Infrastructure construction fund	1,500
Laboratory services fees	164,90
Land and water permit fees	63,10
Medical waste emergency response fund	12,20



	Metallic mining surveillance fee revenue	3,00
I	Mineral well regulatory fee revenue	3,00
I	Nonferrous metallic mineral surveillance	14,50
1	NPDES fees	116,20
(Oil and gas regulatory fund	234,00
(Orphan well fund	28,10
]	Public swimming pool fund	16,70
]	Public utility assessments	12,20
1	Public water supply fees	123,10
]	Refined petroleum fund	1,009,30
]	Renew Michigan fund	876,30
	Sand extraction fee revenue	3,00
	Scrap tire regulatory fund	66,90
	Septage waste program fund	13,70
	Sewage sludge land application fees	22,80
	Soil erosion and sedimentation control training	
	fund	3,80
	Solid waste management fund - staff account	323,70
	Stormwater permit fees	58,50
	Strategic water quality initiatives fund	32,70
Ţ	Underground storage tank cleanup fund	77,50
Ī	Wastewater operator training fees	14,50
Ī	Water pollution control revolving fund	18,40
	Water use reporting fees	6,90
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Drinking water and environmental healthFTEs	134.0 \$	22,814,100
Drinking water program grants		830,000
Lead line replacementFTE	1.0	196,600
Noncommunity water grants		1,905,700
Septage waste compliance grants		125,000
GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	25,871,400
Appropriated from:		
Federal revenues:		
Federal funds		13,652,100
Special revenue funds:		
Campground fund		311,300
Fees and collections		34,500
Public swimming pool fund		641,800
Public water supply fees		4,393,500
Refined petroleum fund		761,100
Septage waste program fund		601,200
Wastewater operator training fees		264,800
State general fund/general purpose	\$	5,211,100
Sec. 110. MATERIALS MANAGEMENT DIVISION		
Full-time equated classified positions	129.0	
Energy efficiency revolving fund	\$	7,200,000
Environmental sustainability and stewardship		
FTEs	11.0	22,048,900
Hazardous waste management programFTEs	45.0	6,248,100
Low-level radioactive waste authorityFTEs	2.0	248,300
Medical waste programFTEs	2.0	325,700
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Pollution preventionFTEs	7.0	2,330,800



1	Recycling initiativeFTEs	3.0	1,046,400
2	Scrap tire grants		3,500,000
3	Scrap tire regulatory programFTEs	10.0	1,388,600
4	Solid waste management programFTEs	37.0	6,771,400
5	GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$	53,144,100
6	Appropriated from:		
7	Interdepartmental grant revenues:		
3	IDG from department of state police		1,544,200
9	Federal revenues:		
LO	Federal funds		7,204,800
11	Infrastructure investment and jobs act fund		23,000,000
L2	Special revenue funds:		
L 3	Private funds		649,500
L 4	Cleanup and redevelopment fund		1,046,400
L 5	Coal ash care fund		262,300
L6	Community pollution prevention fund		250,000
L7	Electronic waste recycling fund		325,200
.8	Energy efficiency and renewable energy		
L9	revolving loan fund		250,100
20	Environmental pollution prevention fund		4,063,300
21	Medical waste emergency response fund		325,700
22	Public utility assessments		1,796,400
23	Retired engineers technical assistance program		
24	fund		491,200
25	Scrap tire regulatory fund		4,888,600
26	Small business pollution prevention revolving		
27	loan fund		134,400
28	Solid waste management fund - staff account		6,183,900



radioactive material		453,1
State general fund/general purpose		\$ 275,0
Sec. 111. OIL, GAS, AND MINERALS DIVISION		
Full-time equated classified positions	59.0	
Oil, gas, and mineral servicesFTEs	59.0	\$ 42,838,8
GROSS APPROPRIATION		\$ 42,838,8
Appropriated from:		
Interdepartmental grant revenues:		
IDG from department of licensing and regulatory		
affairs		223,1
Federal revenues:		
Federal funds		153,1
Infrastructure investment and jobs act fund		31,000,0
Special revenue funds:		
Metallic mining surveillance fee revenue		92,5
Mineral well regulatory fee revenue		214,0
Native copper mine fund		50,0
Nonferrous metallic mineral surveillance		376,9
Oil and gas regulatory fund		3,803,4
Orphan well fund		2,341,7
Sand extraction fee revenue		88,4
State general fund/general purpose		\$ 4,495,7
Sec. 112. WATER INFRASTRUCTURE		
Full-time equated classified positions	19.0	
Municipal assistanceFTEs	19.0	\$ 5,125,3
Water state revolving funds		334,000,0



Federal revenues:	
Federal funds	103,171,50
Infrastructure investment and jobs act fund	214,000,00
Special revenue funds:	
Revolving loan revenue bonds	15,000,00
Strategic water quality initiatives fund	1,226,60
Water pollution control revolving fund	727,20
State general fund/general purpose	\$ 5,000,00
Sec. 113. ONE-TIME APPROPRIATIONS	
ARP - drilling studies	\$ 32,500,00
ARP - geological data collection	5,000,00
ARP - geophysical studies	3,125,00
ARP - integrity monitoring	3,300,00
ARP - monitoring wells	4,000,00
Dam safety emergency action fund	15,000,00
Dam safety grant program	15,000,00
Geological data collection	12,000,00
Refined petroleum product cleanup program	19,170,90
Title 5 air fees - air quality programs	1,000,00
GROSS APPROPRIATION	\$ 110,095,90
Appropriated from:	
Federal revenues:	
Coronavirus state fiscal recovery fund	47,925,00
Special revenue funds:	
Refined petroleum fund	19,170,90

29 PART 2



PROVISIONS CONCERNING APPROPRIATIONS

FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023

GENERAL SECTIONS

Sec. 201. Pursuant to section 30 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963, total state spending from state sources under part 1 for the fiscal year 2022-2023 is \$433,407,700.00 and state spending from state sources to be paid to local units of government for the fiscal year 2022-2023 is \$54,146,000.00. The itemized statement below identifies appropriations from which spending to local units of government will occur:

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, GREAT LAKES, AND

12 ENERGY

13	Brownfield grants	\$ 1,000,000
14	Drinking water and environmental health	 400,000
15	Emergency cleanup actions	116,000
16	Environmental sustainability and stewardship	 100,000
17	Medical waste program	 70,000
18	Noncommunity water grants	 2,000,000
19	Pollution prevention	200,000
20	Refined petroleum product cleanup program	 5,000,000
21	Renewing Michigan's environment program	20,000,000
22	Scrap tire grants	1,000,000
23	Septage waste compliance grants	130,000
24	Surface water	200,000
25	Technology advancements for water monitoring	500,000
26	TOTAL	\$ 30,716,000

Sec. 202. The appropriations authorized under this part and part 1 are subject to the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594.



- 1 Sec. 203. As used in this part and part 1:
- 2 (a) "Department" means the department of environment, Great3 Lakes, and energy.
 - (b) "Director" means the director of the department.
- 5 (c) "FTE" means full-time equated.

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- 6 (d) "IDG" means interdepartmental grant.
- 7 (e) "NPDES" means the national pollutant discharge elimination8 system.

9 Sec. 204. The department shall use the internet to fulfill the 10 reporting requirements of this part. This requirement shall include 11 transmission of reports via email to the recipients identified for 12 each reporting requirement, or it shall include placement of 13 reports on an internet site.

Sec. 205. To the extent permissible under section 261 of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1261, all of the following apply to funds appropriated in part 1:

- (a) The funds must not be used for the purchase of foreign goods or services, or both, if competitively priced and of comparable quality American goods or services, or both, are available.
 - (b) Preference must be given to goods or services, or both, manufactured or provided by Michigan businesses, if they are competitively priced and of comparable quality.
 - (c) Preference must be given to goods or services, or both, that are manufactured or provided by Michigan businesses owned and operated by veterans, if they are competitively priced and of comparable quality.

Sec. 206. The department shall not take disciplinary action against an employee of the department or departmental agency in the

state classified civil service because the employee communicates with a member of the senate or house or a member's staff, unless the communication is prohibited by law and the department or agency taking disciplinary action is exercising its authority as provided by law.

Sec. 207. The department shall prepare a report on out-of-state travel expenses not later than January 1 of each year. The travel report shall be a listing of all travel by classified and unclassified employees outside this state in the immediately preceding fiscal year that was funded in whole or in part with funds appropriated in the department's budget. The report shall be submitted to the senate and house appropriations committees, the senate and house fiscal agencies, and the state budget director. The report shall include the following information:

- (a) The dates of each travel occurrence.
- (b) The total transportation and related costs of each travel occurrence, including the proportion funded with state general fund/general purpose revenues, the proportion funded with state restricted revenues, the proportion funded with federal revenues, and the proportion funded with other revenues.

Sec. 208. Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used by a principal executive department, state agency, or authority to hire a person to provide legal services that are the responsibility of the attorney general. This prohibition does not apply to legal services for bonding activities and for those outside services that the attorney general authorizes.

Sec. 209. Not later than November 30, the state budget office shall prepare and transmit a report that provides for estimates of the total general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses at the

close of the prior fiscal year. This report shall summarize the projected year-end general fund/general purpose appropriation lapses by major departmental program or program areas. The report shall be transmitted to the chairs of the senate and house appropriations committees and the senate and house fiscal agencies.

Sec. 210. In addition to the funds appropriated in part 1, there is appropriated an amount not to exceed \$3,000,000.00 for state restricted contingency authorization. These funds are not available for expenditure until they have been transferred to another line item in part 1 under section 393(2) of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1393.

Sec. 211. The department shall cooperate with the department of technology, management, and budget to maintain a searchable website accessible by the public at no cost that includes, but is not limited to, all of the following for the department:

- (a) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by category.
- (b) Fiscal year-to-date expenditures by appropriation unit.
- (c) Fiscal year-to-date payments to a selected vendor, including the vendor name, payment date, payment amount, and payment description.
- (d) The number of active department employees by job classification.
 - (e) Job specifications and wage rates.

Sec. 212. Within 14 days after the release of the executive budget recommendation, the department shall cooperate with the state budget office to provide the chairpersons of the senate and house appropriations committees, the chairpersons of the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on natural resources and environment, Great Lakes, and energy, and the senate and house

fiscal agencies with an annual report on estimated state restricted fund balances, state restricted fund projected revenues, and state restricted fund expenditures for the prior 2 fiscal years.

Sec. 213. The department shall maintain, on a publicly accessible website, a department scorecard that identifies, tracks, and regularly updates key metrics that are used to monitor and improve the department's performance.

Sec. 214. Total authorized appropriations from all sources under part 1 for legacy costs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2023 are estimated at \$34,914,100.00. From this amount, total department appropriations for pension-related legacy costs are estimated at \$21,197,400.00. Total agency appropriations for retiree health care legacy costs are estimated at \$13,716,700.00.

Sec. 215. To the extent permissible under the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594, the director shall take all reasonable steps to ensure businesses in deprived and depressed communities compete for and perform contracts to provide services or supplies, or both. The director shall strongly encourage firms with which the department contracts to subcontract with certified businesses in depressed and deprived communities for services, supplies, or both.

Sec. 216. (1) On a quarterly basis, the department shall report to the senate and house appropriations committees, the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on the environment, Great Lakes, and energy, and the senate and house fiscal agencies the following information:

- (a) The number of FTEs in pay status by type of staff and civil service classification.
 - (b) A comparison by line item of the number of FTEs authorized

from funds appropriated in part 1 to the actual number of FTEs employed by the department at the end of the reporting period.

- (2) By March 1 of the current fiscal year and semiannually thereafter, the department shall report to the senate and house appropriations committees, the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on the environment, Great Lakes, and energy, and the senate and house fiscal agencies the following information:
- (a) Number of employees that were engaged in remote work in 2022.
- (b) Number of employees authorized to work remotely and the actual number of those working remotely in the current reporting period.
 - (c) Estimated net cost savings achieved by remote work.
 - (d) Reduced use of office space associated with remote work.

Sec. 217. Appropriations in part 1 shall, to the extent possible by the department, not be expended until all existing work project authorization available for the same purposes is exhausted.

Sec. 218. If the state administrative board, acting under section 3 of 1921 PA 2, MCL 17.3, transfers funds from an amount appropriated under this article, the legislature may, by a concurrent resolution adopted by a majority of the members elected to and serving in each house, intertransfer funds within this article for the particular department, board, commission, officer, or institution.

Sec. 219. The departments and agencies receiving appropriations in part 1 shall receive and retain copies of all reports funded from appropriations in part 1. Federal and state guidelines for short-term and long-term retention of records shall be followed. The department may electronically retain copies of

reports unless otherwise required by federal and state guidelines.

Sec. 220. The department shall report no later than April 1 on each specific policy change made to implement a public act affecting the department that took effect during the prior calendar year to the senate and house appropriations committees, the senate and house subcommittees on natural resources, the joint committee on administrative rules, and the senate and house fiscal agencies.

Sec. 221. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall do all of the following:

- (a) Report to the house and senate appropriations committees, the house and senate fiscal agencies, the house and senate policy offices, and the state budget office any amount of severance pay for a department director, deputy director, or other high-ranking department official not later than 14 days after a severance agreement with the director or official is signed. The name of the director or official and the amount of severance pay must be included in the report required by this subdivision.
- (b) Maintain an internet site that posts any severance pay in excess of 6 weeks of wages, regardless of the position held by the former department employee receiving severance pay.
- (c) By February 1, report to the house and senate appropriations subcommittees on the department budget, the house and senate fiscal agencies, the house and senate policy offices, and the state budget office on the total amount of severance pay remitted to former department employees during the fiscal year ending September 30, 2022 and the total number of former department employees that were remitted severance pay during the fiscal year ending September 30, 2022.
 - (2) As used in this section, "severance pay" means

compensation that is both payable or paid upon the termination of employment and in addition to either wages or benefits earned during the course of employment or generally applicable retirement benefits.

- Sec. 222. (1) Any department, agency, board, commission, or public officer that receives funding under part 1 shall not:
- (a) Require as a condition of accessing any facility or receiving services that an individual provide proof that he or she has received a COVID-19 vaccine except as provided by federal law or as a condition of receiving federal Medicare or Medicaid funding.
- 12 (b) Produce, develop, issue, or require a COVID-19 vaccine13 passport.
 - (c) Develop a database or make any existing database publicly available to access an individual's COVID-19 vaccine status by any person, company, or governmental entity.
 - (d) Require as a condition of employment that an employee or official provide proof that he or she has received a COVID-19 vaccine. This subdivision does not apply to any hospital, congregate care facility, or other medical facility or any hospital, congregate care facility, or other medical facility operated by a local subdivision that receives federal Medicare or Medicaid funding.
 - (2) A department, agency, board, commission, or public officer may not subject any individual to any negative employment consequence, retaliation, or retribution because of that individual's COVID-19 vaccine status.
- 28 (3) Subsection (1) does not prohibit any person, department,29 agency, board, commission, or public officer from transmitting

- proof of an individual's COVID-19 vaccine status to any person, company, or governmental entity, so long as the individual provides affirmative consent.
- (4) If a department, agency, board, commission, subdivision, or official or public officer is required to establish a vaccine policy due to a federal mandate, it must provide exemptions to any COVID-19 vaccine policy to the following individuals:
- (a) An individual for whom a physician certifies that a COVID-19 vaccine is or may be detrimental to the individual's health or is not appropriate.
- (b) An individual who provides a written statement to the effect that the requirements of the COVID-19 vaccine policy cannot be met because of religious convictions or other consistently held objection to immunization.
- (5) As used in this section, "public officer" means a person appointed by the governor or another executive department official or an elected or appointed official of this state or a political subdivision of this state.
- Sec. 223. (1) The department may expend amounts remaining from the current and prior fiscal year appropriations to meet funding needs of the environmental cleanup and redevelopment program, contaminated site cleanup, the renew Michigan program, the refined petroleum product cleanup program, brownfield grants and loans, waterfront grants, and the environmental bond site reclamation program.
- (2) Unexpended and unencumbered amounts remaining from appropriations from the clean Michigan initiative fund response activities contained in 2011 PA 63, 2013 PA 59, 2014 PA 252, 2015 PA 84, 2016 PA 268, and 2017 PA 107, are appropriated for

1 expenditure.

- (3) Unexpended and unencumbered amounts remaining from appropriations from the refined petroleum fund activities contained in 2013 PA 59, 2014 PA 252, 2015 PA 84, 2016 PA 268, 2017 PA 107, 2018 PA 207, 2019 PA 57, 2020 PA 166, and 2021 PA 87, are appropriated for expenditure.
- (4) Unexpended and unencumbered amounts remaining from the appropriations from the strategic water quality initiatives fund contained in 2011 PA 50, 2011 PA 63, 2012 PA 200, 2013 PA 59, 2014 PA 252, 2015 PA 84, 2016 PA 268, 2017 PA 107, and 2018 PA 207, are appropriated for expenditure.
- (5) For the strategic water quality initiatives fund, funds not yet disbursed are appropriated for expenditure for the same program under sections 5201, 5202, and 5204e of the natural resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.5201, 324.5202, and 324.5204e.
- (6) Unexpended and unencumbered amounts remaining from the appropriations from the renew Michigan fund contained in 2018 PA 207, 2019 PA 57, 2020 PA 166, and 2021 PA 87, are appropriated for expenditure.
 - Sec. 224. Unexpended settlement revenues at the end of the fiscal year may be carried forward into the settlement fund in the succeeding fiscal year up to a maximum carryforward of \$250,000.00.
 - Sec. 225. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 shall not be used by the department to promulgate a rule that will apply to a small business and that will have a disproportionate economic impact on small businesses because of the size of those businesses if the department fails to reduce the disproportionate economic impact of the rule on small businesses as provided under section 40 of the

- administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.240.
 - (2) As used in this section:

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- (a) "Rule" means that term as defined under section 7 of the administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.207.
- (b) "Small business" means that term as defined under section
 7a of the administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL
 24.207a.
- 8 Sec. 235. (1) Each quarter, the department shall prepare a 9 report that contains information pertaining to all remediation and 10 redevelopment efforts funded from part 1.
 - (2) The report must contain the following information:
- (a) List of sites where work is planned to occur, includingthe county for each site.
- 14 (b) The type of site, whether refined petroleum cleanup,
 15 nonrefined petroleum cleanup, brownfield, or a combination of
 16 types.
- (c) A brief description of how the issue will be addressed,including whether contractors will be utilized.
- 19 (d) The estimated date for project completion.
- 20 (e) The amount and funding source or sources allocated to the 21 site.
- 22 (3) The report shall be submitted to the house and senate
 23 subcommittees on the environment, Great Lakes, and energy and the
 24 state budget director.
 - Sec. 236. The department shall provide a report detailing the expenditure of departmental funds appropriated in 2015 PA 143, 2016 PA 3, 2016 PA 268, and 2016 PA 340. The report shall include the following:
- 29 (a) The names and locations of entities receiving funds.

(b) The purpose for each expenditure.

- (c) The status of programs supported by this funding.
 - (d) A brief description of how related problems have been or will be resolved if expenditures are made for immediate response.
 - (e) The job titles and number of departmental FTEs engaged in the Flint declaration of emergency response effort.

Sec. 237. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the department shall be responsible for the necessary and reasonable attorney fees and costs incurred by private and independent legal counsel chosen by current and former classified and unclassified department employees in the defense of the department employees named as a party in any state or federal lawsuits or investigations related to the city of Flint municipal water system.

Sec. 238. By February 1, 2023, the department shall submit a report to the standing committees and appropriations subcommittees of the senate and house of representatives with primary responsibility for issues under the jurisdiction of the department that details departmental activities of the most recent fiscal year in administering permitting programs. The report shall include, at a minimum, all of the following:

- (a) The number of FTEs assigned to each permitting program and the number of unfilled positions at the beginning and end of the most recent fiscal year.
- (b) The number of permit applications received by the department in the preceding year, including applications for new and increased uses and reissuances.
 - (c) The number of permits for each program approved.
 - (d) The number of permits for each program denied.
- 29 (e) The percentage and number of permit applications that were

1 reviewed for administrative completeness within statutory time
2 frames.

- (f) The percentage and number of permit applications for which a final action was taken by the department within statutory time frames for new and increased uses and reissuances.
- (g) Activities to reduce any backlog of permits exceeding the statutory time frames and the average time frame for permit approvals for each program.
- (h) Activities to reduce the percentage of permit applications submitted as incomplete, in need of modification, or additional information before final determination.
- (i) Under conditions in which the department states a permit is incomplete or denied, the department shall provide an explanation as to the reason or reasons the permit is insufficient and how the permit can be strengthened or made complete.
- Sec. 239. The department should accommodate landowner permit requests to the furthest extent possible in accordance with the natural resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.101 to 324.90106.
 - Sec. 240. A state department, agency, board, or commission that receives funding under part 1 shall not permit a state employee who was not working remotely, either full-time or part-time, before February 28, 2020 to work remotely, either full-time or part-time, during the current fiscal year.

REMEDIATION AND REDEVELOPMENT DIVISION

Sec. 301. Revenues remaining in the laboratory services fees fund at the end of the fiscal year shall carry forward into the succeeding fiscal year.



Sec. 302. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for contaminated site investigations, cleanup, and revitalization, the department shall not expend more than 3% for administrative costs.

Sec. 305. It is the intent of the legislature to repay the refined petroleum fund for the \$70,000,000.00 that was transferred to the environmental protection fund created in section 503a of the natural resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.503a, as part of the resolution for the fiscal year 2006-2007 budget.

Sec. 306. The funds appropriated in part 1 for the refined petroleum cleanup program shall be used to fund corrective actions performed by the department pursuant to section 21320 of the natural resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.21320.

Sec. 308. The unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for brownfield grants, emergency cleanup actions, environmental cleanup support, and the refined petroleum product cleanup program are designated as work project appropriations, and any unencumbered or unallotted funds shall not lapse at the end of the fiscal year and shall be available for expenditures for projects under this section until the projects have been completed. The following is in compliance with section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:

- (a) The purpose of the projects is to provide contaminated site cleanup.
- (b) The projects will be accomplished by utilizing contracts with service providers.
- (c) The total estimated cost of all projects is identified ineach line-item appropriation.



- 1 (d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2027.
 - Sec. 310. (1) Upon approval by the state budget director, the department may expend from the general fund of the state an amount to meet the cash-flow requirements of projects funded under any of the following that are financed from bond proceeds and for which bonds have been authorized but not yet issued:
 - (a) Part 52 of the natural resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.5201 to 324.5206.
 - (b) Part 193 of the natural resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.19301 to 324.19306.
 - (c) Part 196 of the natural resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.19601 to 324.19616.
 - (2) Upon the sale of bonds for projects described in subsection (1), the department shall credit the general fund of the state an amount equal to that expended from the general fund.

WATER RESOURCES DIVISION

 Sec. 401. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for land and water interface permit programs, not less than \$350,000.00 and not fewer than 4.0 FTE positions are allocated for dam safety programs. These amounts are in addition to any funding and FTEs utilized for this purpose in the fiscal year ending September 30, 2022.

Sec. 405. If a certified health department does not exist in a city, county, or district or does not fulfill its responsibilities under part 117 of the natural resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.11701 to 324.11721, then the department may spend funds appropriated in part 1 under the septage waste compliance program in accordance with section 11716 of the natural resources and environmental protection act, 1994 PA 451,

- MCL 324.11716.
- Sec. 410. From the funds appropriated in part 1, the

 department shall compile a report by November 1 on the status of

 the implementation plan for the western Lake Erie basin

 collaborative agreement. In an effort to learn more about the
- 6 presence and timing of harmful algal blooms, the report shall
- 7 contain all of the following:
 - (a) An estimated cost of removal of total phosphorus per pound at the 4 major wastewater treatment plants.
 - (b) A description of the grants that have been awarded.
 - (c) A description of the work that has commenced on the issue of dissolved reactive phosphorus, the expected objectives and outcomes of that work, and a list of the parties involved in that effort.
 - (d) A description of the efforts and outcomes aimed at the total phosphorus reduction for the River Raisin watershed.

UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK AUTHORITY

- Sec. 701. The unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for the underground storage tank cleanup program are designated as a work project appropriation, and any unencumbered or unallotted funds shall not lapse at the end of the fiscal year and shall be available for expenditures for projects under this section until the projects have been completed. The following is in compliance with section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:
- (a) The purpose of the project is to provide underground storage tank cleanup.
 - (b) The project will be accomplished by utilizing contracts

with service providers.

- (c) The total estimated cost of the project is \$20,000,000.00.
- (d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2027.

RENEWING MICHIGAN'S ENVIRONMENT

Sec. 801. The unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for the renewing Michigan's environment program are designated as a work project appropriation, and any unencumbered or unallotted funds shall not lapse at the end of the fiscal year and shall be available for expenditures for projects under this section until the projects have been completed. The following is in compliance with section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:

- (a) The purpose of the project is for environmental cleanup and redevelopment, waste management, and recycling.
- (b) The project will be accomplished by utilizing state employees or contracts with service providers, or both.
 - (c) The total estimated cost of the project is \$69,000,000.00.
 - (d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2027.

MATERIALS MANAGEMENT DIVISION

Sec. 901. In addition to the money appropriated in part 1, the department may receive and expend money from the Volkswagen Environmental Mitigation Trust Agreement to provide funding for activities as outlined within the State's Mitigation Plan. The department shall prepare a report to the appropriations subcommittees, the fiscal agencies, and the state budget office by February 1, 2024 of the expenditures incurred under this section during the fiscal year ending September 30, 2023.



WATER INFRASTRUCTURE

Sec. 950. From the funds appropriated in part 1 for water state revolving funds, the department shall allow funding applicants to do the following:

- (a) Contract for digital and smart water programs to optimize water pumping operations, predict water quality issues, monitor real-time water pressure for boiled water alerts, manage high consumption usage and water loss accounting, rain heatmaps, detect sewer blockages, and monitor lift stations to avoid flooding and intelligent automation of water asset risk scoring and capital planning.
 - (b) Include dam projects in applications for funding.
- (c) Expend funding for the remediation of unused PFAS chemicals intended for firefighting.

ONE-TIME APPROPRIATIONS

Sec. 1001. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for ARP - drilling studies must be used to conduct bedrock drilling to garner raw data that will depict water availability, aggregate location, and PFAS. This state's competitive bidding process must be followed for selection of professional drilling services. Drilling services must be subject to integrity monitoring as described in section 1003. Drilling studies must be conducted in the following counties, in an order prioritized by the state geologist, the Michigan geological survey, and the technical review committee established under section 1008.

- (a) Montcalm.
- (b) Ottawa.



- (c) Allegan. 1 2 (d) Jackson. 3 (e) Branch. 4 (f) Cass. (q) Washtenaw. 5 (h) Oakland. 6 7 (i) Ionia. 8 (j) Van Buren. (k) Hillsdale. 9 10 (l) Gratiot. (m) Isabella. 11 (n) Monroe. 12 (o) Livingston. 13 (p) Charlevoix. 14 (q) Macomb. 15 (r) Lapeer. 16 (s) Shiawassee. 17 18 (t) Delta. 19 (u) Newago. 20 (v) Ingham. 21 (w) Lake. 22 (x) Lenawee. 23 (y) Manistee.
 - (2) Funds appropriated in part 1 for ARP drilling studies may be used to conduct drilling to the bedrock in locations other than those listed in subsection (1) that contain critical minerals needed for this nation's green economy, if funding is available.

(3) The unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for ARP -drilling studies are designated as a work project appropriation.

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- Any unencumbered or unallotted funds shall not lapse at the end of the fiscal year and shall be available for expenditures for the project under this section until the project has been completed. The following is in compliance with section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:
 - (a) The purpose of the project is to conduct drilling to the bedrock to garner raw data that will depict water availability, aggregate location, and PFAS.
 - (b) The project will be accomplished by utilizing the Michigan geological survey, state employees, and contracts with private vendors.
 - (c) The total estimated cost of the project is \$32,500,000.00.
 - (d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2027.
- 14 (4) As used in this section, "PFAS" means a perfluoroalkyl or15 polyfluoroalkyl substance.
 - Sec. 1002. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for ARP geological data collection must be allocated to the Michigan geological survey to conduct data collection and mapping of data obtained from bedrock drilling under section 1001. Data collected under this section must be made available to the public, and the data and mapping must be applied to a standardized groundwater database. Mapping must be subject to integrity monitoring as described in section 1003.
 - (2) The unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for ARP geological data collection are designated as a work project appropriation. Any unencumbered or unallotted funds shall not lapse at the end of the fiscal year and shall be available for expenditures for the project under this section until the project has been completed. The following is in compliance with section

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451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:

- (a) The purpose of the project is to conduct data collection and mapping of data obtained from bedrock drilling.
- (b) The project will be accomplished by utilizing the Michigan geological survey, state employees, and contracts with private vendors.
 - (c) The total estimated cost of the project is \$5,000,000.00.
 - (d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2027.
- Sec. 1003. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for ARP integrity monitoring must be used to contract with an integrity oversight monitor to ensure legal compliance, detect misconduct, and promote best practices in the expenditure of ARP and geological-related funds appropriated under section 113. The integrity oversight monitor must supplement this state's existing compliance control mechanisms to prevent the inefficient expenditure of state funds.
- (2) The integrity oversight monitor must be selected from a list of 1 or more integrity oversight monitors created and maintained by the department of technology, management, and budget.
- (3) A person may not interfere with, prevent, or prohibit the integrity oversight monitor from carrying out its duties as established in this section.
- (4) The department must give the integrity oversight monitor any necessary assistance required by the integrity oversight monitor in the performance of the duties of the integrity oversight monitor.
- (5) The integrity oversight monitor must communicate with and
 coordinate its activities with the auditor general and office of
 internal audit services to ensure against any duplication of

1 efforts.

- (6) The integrity oversight monitor must annually provide a detailed report to the senate and house of representatives appropriations subcommittees on environment, Great Lakes, and energy, the senate and house of representatives fiscal agencies, and the state budget office. The report must include all of the following:
- (a) Details of the integrity oversight monitor's services for the current fiscal year.
 - (b) Details of findings of malfeasance or inefficiency.
 - (c) Recommendations for corrective actions.
- (7) The unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for ARP integrity monitoring are designated as a work project appropriation. Any unencumbered or unallotted funds shall not lapse at the end of the fiscal year and shall be available for expenditures for the project under this section until the project has been completed. The following is in compliance with section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:
- (a) The purpose of the project is to contract with an integrity oversight monitor to ensure legal compliance, detect misconduct, and promote best practices in the expenditure of ARP and geological-related funds appropriated under section 113.
- (b) The project will be accomplished by contracting with an integrity oversight monitor.
 - (c) The total estimated cost of the project is \$3,300,000.00.
 - (d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2027.
- (8) As used in this section, "integrity oversight monitor" means a private entity that contracts to provide specialized services to ensure legal compliance, detect misconduct, and promote

- 1 best practices in the administration of geological, geophysical,
- 2 and hydrogeological projects, and whose services may include, but

- 3 are not limited to, all of the following:
- 4 (a) Legal.
- 5 (b) Investigative.
- 6 (c) Accounting and forensic accounting.
- 7 (d) Engineering.
- **8** (e) Other professional specialties.
- 9 (f) Risk assessment.
- 10 (g) Developing compliance system constructs.
- 11 (h) Loss prevention.
- 12 (i) Monitoring.
- (j) Contract managers.
- 14 (k) Independent private inspectors general.
- Sec. 1004. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for ARP -
- 16 monitoring wells must be used to install monitoring wells in all of
- 17 the following counties:
- **18** (a) Barry.
- 19 (b) Berrien.
- (c) Calhoun.
- **21** (d) Cass.
- 22 (e) St. Joseph.
- **23** (f) Ottawa.
- (q) Allegan.
- (h) Kalamazoo.
- 26 (i) Remaining counties as prioritized by the Michigan
- 27 geological survey, the state geologist, and the technical review
- 28 committee established under section 1008.
- 29 (2) This state's competitive bidding process must be followed

- for installment of monitoring wells. Monitoring well installment must be subject to integrity monitoring as described in section 1003.
- (3) The unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for ARP monitoring wells are designated as a work project appropriation. Any unencumbered or unallotted funds shall not lapse at the end of the fiscal year and shall be available for expenditures for the project under this section until the project has been completed. The following is in compliance with section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:
 - (a) The purpose of the project is to install monitoring wells.
 - (b) The project will be accomplished by utilizing the Michigan geological survey, state employees, and contracts with private vendors.
 - (c) The total estimated cost of the project is \$4,000,000.00.
 - (d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2027.

Sec. 1005. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for ARP — geophysical studies may be used in conjunction with funds appropriated in part 1 for ARP — drilling studies to yield a more enhanced 3-dimensional profile for areas studied under section 1001. Services may include 2-dimensional electrical earth resistivity profiling, ground penetrating radar, P-wave seismic reflection profiling, S-wave seismic reflection profiling, multichannel analysis, horizontal vertical spectra ratio (HVSR — passive seismic), and downhole gamma logging. This state's competitive bidding process must be followed for selection of professional geophysical services through either private vendors or Michigan universities. Drilling services must be subject to integrity monitoring as described in section 1003.

- (2) The unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for ARP geophysical studies are designated as a work project appropriation. Any unencumbered or unallotted funds shall not lapse at the end of the fiscal year and shall be available for expenditures for the project under this section until the project has been completed. The following is in compliance with section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:
- (a) The purpose of the project is to yield a more enhanced 3-dimensional profile for areas studied under section 1001.
- (b) The project will be accomplished by utilizing the Michigan geological survey, state employees, and contracts with private vendors.
 - (c) The total estimated cost of the project is \$3,125,000.00.
 - (d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2027.
- Sec. 1007. (1) Funds appropriated in part 1 for geological data collection must be allocated to the Michigan geological survey to conduct data collection and mapping of data obtained from drilling under section 1001. Data collected under this section must be made available to the public, and the data and mapping must be applied to a standardized groundwater database. Mapping must be subject to integrity monitoring as described in section 1003.
- (2) The unexpended funds appropriated in part 1 for geological data collection are designated as a work project appropriation. Any unencumbered or unallotted funds shall not lapse at the end of the fiscal year and shall be available for expenditures for the project under this section until the project has been completed. The following is in compliance with section 451a of the management and budget act, 1984 PA 431, MCL 18.1451a:
 - (a) The purpose of the project is to conduct data collection

and mapping of data obtained from drilling.

- (b) The project will be accomplished by utilizing the Michigan geological survey, Michigan universities, and contracts with private vendors.
 - (c) The total estimated cost of the project is \$12,000,000.00.
 - (d) The tentative completion date is September 30, 2027.

Sec. 1008. (1) From the ARP and geological-related funds appropriated under section 113, a technical review committee must be established to recommend and review all methods, mapping protocols, and study processes to meet United States Geological Survey standards and protocols. The technical review committee must review contract labor and request for proposal notices and bid awards. The technical review committee shall be under direction of the state hydrogeologist and the director of the Michigan geological survey. The technical review committee must include all of the following members:

- (a) The state geologist.
- (b) The state hydrogeologist.
- (c) The director of the Michigan geological survey.
- (d) Two independent geologists, 1 of whom shall be the president of Strata Environmental Services, Inc.
 - (e) The president of the American Hydrogeology Corporation.
- (f) Two private industry aggregate experts, 1 being the owner/geologist of Bill Langer Research Geologist, LLC and 1 being the certified professional geologist of Pangea Environments, LLC.
- (g) One individual who serves under a joint agreement between Michigan State University Extension and Purdue Extension to provide leadership and education to irrigated crop producers in this state and Indiana.



- (h) The deputy director of the Upper Midwest Water Science Center of the United States Geological Survey.
- (i) The project chief for the United States Geological Survey's Great Lakes Geologic Mapping Project.
- (j) The water use assessment unit supervisor for the department of environment, Great Lakes, and energy.
- (k) The source water unit supervisor for the department of environment, Great Lakes, and energy.
- (l) The chair of the Michigan agriculture environmental assurance program advisory council cropping system sub-committee.
 - (m) The president of the Michigan Agri-Business Association.
- (n) The manager of the Michigan Farm Bureau's Agricultural Ecology Department.
 - (o) A representative of the Michigan Association of Counties.
- (2) Each member of the technical review committee shall receive, as full compensation for the member's services on the committee, a per diem to be fixed at \$50.00, together with mileage and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their official duties in accordance with rates established by the latest edition of the standard travel regulations of this state.
- Sec. 1009. (1) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for the dam safety grant program, the department shall award grants for dam repair, alteration, or removal activities necessary to address risk associated with publicly or privately owned dams. Grant applications for repair or alteration must include an asset management plan for each dam included in the application.
- (2) By December 31, the department shall prepare a report regarding the activities of the dam safety grant program to be posted on the department's website and provided to the relevant

- house and senate standing committees and appropriations
 subcommittees. The report shall contain all of the following
 information:
 - (a) The program's starting and ending balances.
 - (b) A list of dams awarded grants, including their location, name of the owner, and description of the action or actions taken.
 - (c) The total expenditure at each dam.
 - (3) The first-year report must include information on establishment of the grant program and progress toward award.

Sec. 1010. (1) The funds appropriated in part 1 for the dam safety emergency action fund may be expended by the department to take remedial or corrective action to address significant safety risks posed by dams should the dam owner be unwilling or unable to take remedial or corrective action.

- (2) By December 31 annually, the department shall prepare a report to be posted on the department's website and provided to the relevant house and senate standing committees and appropriations subcommittees. The report shall contain all of the following information:
 - (a) The starting and ending balances of the fund.
- (b) A list of the dams that required emergency action from the fund, including their location, name of the owner of each dam, description of the action or actions taken at each dam, and the total expenditure at each dam.
- (c) A summary of enforcement actions taken and status of fund recovery though enforcement action.
- (d) A summary of expenditures from the program made in previous years, along with the status of fund recovery for each through enforcement actions.



Sec. 1011. Unless otherwise specified through statute or rule, previous grant awards shall not be used to disqualify applicants from consideration of grant funding opportunities for any grant program offered through the department or made from the funds appropriated in part 1.



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