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Senate File 102

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A BILL FOR

An Act to provide for the dredging and improvement of North
Twin Lake in Calhoun County, Iowa, and for an appropriation
to the state conservation commission for said purpose.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 Section 1. The purpose of this Act is to provide for the
2 improvement of North Twin Lake, a state-owned body of water in
3 Calhoun County, Iowa, by providing for the dredging of said
4 lake, by providing riprap on said lake and shore, and by the
5 building up and beautifying of the state park adjacent to the
6 lake.

1 Sec. 2. The state conservation commission is hereby given
2 authority to acquire jurisdiction by lease, gift, grant, purchase
3 or condemnation of land or water or utilities necessary for the
4 dredging of the North Twin Lake and for the improvement of its
5 shore line and the state park adjacent thereto for recreation,
6 public health, or other conservation purposes and uses.

1 Sec. 3. For the specific purposes of this Act the state
2 conservation commission is hereby authorized and empowered:

3 1. To enter into such agreements with the federal government
4 or any agency thereof, board of supervisors of Calhoun County,
5 corporations, associations, individuals and any and all public
6 agencies necessary to carry out the purposes of this Act;

7 2. To accept all money, material, labor, services, or other

8 items of cost that both facilitate or aid in the development
9 and construction of this project;
10 3. To enter into agreements with any responsible individual,
11 partnership, association, corporation, or firm, or the board
12 of supervisors of Calhoun County whereby such individual,
13 partnership, association, corporation, or firm, or the board
14 of supervisors of Calhoun County, or any agency of the state
15 or federal government, shall undertake the construction, care,
16 operation of the improvements herein provided for, or any part
17 thereof, or the use thereof, or contribution toward the cost
18 thereof.

1 Sec. 4. There is hereby appropriated out of the funds in
2 the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of
3 three hundred fifty thousand (350,000) dollars, or as much
4 thereof as is necessary, which sum shall be available to the
5 state conservation commission for the purpose of this Act, and
6 which sum of three hundred fifty thousand (350,000) dollars,
7 or any portion thereof as is necessary, shall be expended until
8 said improvement of North Twin Lake is completed in accordance
9 with the provisions of this Act to the satisfaction of the state
10 conservation commission; and which sum of three hundred fifty
11 thousand (350,000) dollars, or any portion thereof as is necessary,
12 shall be available until the purpose of this Act is attained,
13 or until such sum is expended.

1 Sec. 5. If any section, subsection, clause, sentence or
2 phrase of this Act is for any reason held to be invalid, such
3 decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions
4 of the Act.

1 Amend Senate File 102 by adding the following new section:
2 "The conservation commission shall not proceed with any acts
3 authorized herein unless and until soil conservation practices
4 are in effect on at least seventy-five (75) percent of the land
5 comprising the watershed of the proposed impoundment, or a
6 willingness to carry on such practices shall have been shown
7 by the owners or operators of seventy-five (75) percent of said
8 land by signing of a soil conservation farm plan and cooperative
9 agreements with the local soil conservation district governing
10 body."