

May 26, 1965.

House File 707

Placed on Calendar.

By APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE.

Passed House, Date 5/27

Passed Senate, Date 6/1

Vote: Ayes 112 Nays 5

Vote: Ayes 49 Nays 4

Approved.....

*appropriations 5/27
pass 5/29*

A BILL FOR

An Act to appropriate from the general fund of the state of Iowa for the biennium beginning July 1, 1965, and ending June 30, 1967, to the state board of regents for capital improvements for institutions under the state board of regents, including construction of new buildings, repairs, improvements, replacements, or alterations.

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

1 Section 1. There is hereby appropriated from the general fund
2 of the state of Iowa for the biennium beginning July 1, 1965, and
3 ending June 30, 1967, to the board of regents the sum of twenty-
4 one million one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$21,150,000.00),
5 to be used in the following manner to wit:

6 To supplement any appropriations for capital improvement items
7 for construction of new buildings, repairs, improvements, replace-
8 ments or alterations, or for any other capital expenditures the
9 board of regents may deem necessary for the proper and necessary
10 function of any institution under its jurisdiction.

1 Sec. 2. When the board of regents has approved a project to
2 be financed with funds herein appropriated, a description of said
3 project and estimated cost shall be reported to the governor and
4 state comptroller for allocation of funds.

1 Sec. 3. The board of regents is hereby authorized to accept
2 federal grants to the state to be used in connection with the
3 funds above appropriated.

1 Sec. 4. Any unencumbered balance remaining as of June 30,

2 1969, of the appropriation of this Act made by the sixty-first
3 general assembly, shall revert to the general fund of the state
4 as of June 30, 1969.

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1 Amend House File 707 as follows:

2 1. By striking in lines three (3) and four (4), the words
3 and figures "twenty-one million one hundred fifty thousand
4 dollars (\$21,150,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the
5 words and figures "twenty-one million two hundred thousand
6 dollars (\$21,200,000.00)".

7 2. By adding after section one (1) the following new
8 sections:

9 "Sec. 2. There is hereby established a two (2) year liberal
10 arts college under the state board of regents subject to all
11 provisions of chapter two hundred sixty-two (262) of the Code
12 and any other law applicable to state colleges.

13 "Sec. 3. The two (2) year liberal arts college shall be
14 located in the area of the state included within the counties
15 of Fremont, Page, Taylor, Ringgold, Union, Adams, Montgomery,
16 Mills, Pottawattamie, Cass, Adair, Madison, Dallas, Guthrie,
17 Audubon, Shelby, Harrison, Monona, Crawford, Carroll, and
18 Greene.

19 "Sec. 4. On or before July 1, 1966, the president of the
20 state university of Iowa, the president of Iowa state university
21 of science and technology, the president of state college of
22 Iowa, the chairman of the state board of regents, and/or its
23 representative, acting as a site selection committee, shall
24 select the actual site of the two (2) year liberal arts college
25 established by this Act, in accordance with the provisions of
26 section three (3) of this Act, and shall notify the state board
27 of regents in writing of such selection.

28 "Sec. 5. The state board of regents, acting through its
29 representative, shall immediately proceed to acquire the
30 necessary lands by gift, purchase, or condemnation proceedings.
31 If such lands are acquired by condemnation, such proceedings
32 shall be in accordance with chapter four hundred seventy-two
33 (472) of the Code.

34 "Sec. 6. The state board of regents shall establish a
35 curriculum equal and comparable to the curriculum of the first
36 two (2) years' courses presently maintained by the now existing
37 state colleges and universities. The state board of regents
38 shall add a third (3rd) and fourth (4th) year curriculum to the
39 liberal arts courses of such college at such time as the state
40 board of regents deems such additional curriculum feasible and
41 necessary.

42 "Sec. 7. Of the twenty-one million two hundred thousand
43 dollars (\$21,200,000.00) appropriated by this Act, fifty thousand
44 dollars (\$50,000.00) shall be used to implement the establishment
45 of the two (2) year liberal arts college created in this Act, to
46 be expanded in the manner provided by law for site selection
47 expenses, site acquisition costs, planning, developing, construc-
48 ing, and equipping the necessary grounds, buildings, and other
49 facilities deemed necessary by the site selection committee and
50 the state board of regents.

51 "Sec. 8. Section two hundred sixty-two point seven (262.7),
52 Code 1962, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following new
53 subsection:

54 'All state colleges created by the legislature.'

55 3. By renumbering the remaining section.

Filed
May 27, 1965.

adopted 5/27
motion to be considered 5/27
amendment lost 5/27 (53-61)
KLUEVER of Cass.

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- 1 Amend House File 707 by adding thereto the following new sections:
2 1. "The state board of regents is hereby directed to undertake
3 a study and outline plans for the establishment, construction, and opera-
4 tion of a state institution of higher learning in western Iowa. Upon
5 the effective date of this Act, the state board of regents shall proceed
6 to obtain and compile such information and data as shall be necessary
7 to determine the most convenient, desirable, and advantageous location for
8 a state institution of higher learning in western Iowa."
9 2. "In determining the location of the state institution of
10 higher learning in western Iowa, the state board of regents shall collect
11 data in regard to the need for the institution and the number of stu-
12 dents which the institution can serve most adequately. The board shall
13 contact various communities throughout western Iowa in an attempt to deter-
14 mine which communities are most interested in being considered as a possible
15 site for the institution, which communities have the most desirable ed-
16 ucational climate for the institution, and which communities will not
17 only serve western Iowa as a center for educational prprogress but will
18 most adequately provide an educational center for the state as a whole."
19 3. "Upon selection of the location, the state board shall purchase,
20 acquire, lease, or accept as a gift any real property necessary for the
21 establishment of the school. Any real estate so obtained shall be
22 acquired to most economically and efficiently facilitate the establish-
23 ment and growth of the educational institution."
24 4. "There is hereby appropriated to the state board of regents
25 from the general fund of the state of Iowa the sum of sixty thousand
26 dollars (\$60,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be
27 used to carry out the study, planning, and establishment of the insti-
28 tution of higher education to be established in western Iowa. The
29 state board may employ such staff, architects, attorneys, and other
30 professional help necessary to conduct the study and to acquire real
31 property and for such other purposes as the board deems necessary.
32 Salaries of all staff so employed shall be paid from the appropriation
33 provided herein."

Filed and lost (14-32)
June 1, 1965.

By FLATT.

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- 1 Amend the title to House File 707 by striking the period
2 and adding the following:
3 "and study the possibility of an institution of
4 higher learning for Western Iowa."

Filed and ruled out of order.
June 1, 1965.

By KLEFSTAD.

HOUSE FILE 707

1 Amend the Kluever of Cass amendment to House File 707, filed
2 on May 27, 1965, by striking from lines thirty-five (35), thirty-
3 six (36) and thirty-seven (37) the words "equal and comparable to
4 the curriculum of the first two (2) years' courses presently main-
5 tained by the now existing state colleges and universities." and
6 inserting in lieu thereof the words "which is of a high quality
7 and a suitable size for the initial two years."

Filed and lost
May 27, 1965.

BAILEY of Wright.

HOUSE FILE 707

1 Amend House File 707 by adding thereto the following new
2 sections:
3 1. "The state board of regents is hereby directed to undertake
4 a study and outline plans for the establishment, construction and
5 operation of a state institution of higher learning in western Iowa.
6 Upon the effective date of this Act, the state board of regents shall
7 proceed to obtain and compile such information and data as shall be
8 necessary to determine the most convenient, desirable and advanta-
9 geous location for a state institution of higher learning in western
10 Iowa."
11 2. "In determining the location of the state institution of
12 higher learning in western Iowa, the state board of regents shall
13 collect data in regard to the need for the institution and the number
14 of students which the institution can serve most adequately. The
15 board shall contact various communities throughout western Iowa in an
16 attempt to determine which communities are most interested in being
17 considered as a possible site for the institution, which communities
18 have the most desirable educational climate for the institution, and
19 which communities will not only serve western Iowa as a center for
20 educational progress but will most adequately provide an educational
21 center for the state as a whole."
22 3. "There is hereby appropriated to the state board of regents
23 from the general fund of the state of Iowa the sum of ten thousand
24 dollars (\$10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be used
25 to carry out the study, planning and consideration of the
26 institution of higher education to be established in western Iowa.
27 The state board may employ such staff, attorneys, and other profes-
28 sional help necessary to conduct the study. Salaries of all staff
29 so employed shall be paid from the appropriation provided herein."

Filed *indicated by order*
May 29, 1965.

By SHOEMAN, FLATT and KLEFSTAD.